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## COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

1-30 November 1969

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## PART I

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA1. Designation

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11th Marine Regiment

Commander

Col D. D. EZELL

1-31 Oct

SUBORDINATE UNITS

|                              |                         |           |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| 1st Battalion, 11th Marines  | LtCol J. D. SHOUP       | 1-31 Oct  |
| 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines  | LtCol K. S. SMITH       | 1 Oct     |
| 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines  | LtCol V. WEAVER         | 2-31 Oct  |
| 4th Battalion, 11th Marines  | LtCol R. B. INGRANDO    | 1-20 Oct  |
| 1st Battalion, 13th Marines  | LtCol K. N. MUELLER     | 21-31 Oct |
| 1st 8" Howitzer Battery (SP) | LtCol J. H. STRANDQUIST | 1-16 Oct  |
| 3rd 8" Howitzer Battery (SP) | LtCol J. F. BURKE       | 17-31 Oct |
| 1st 175 Gun Battery (SP)     | LtCol D. H. STRAIN      | 1-31 Oct  |
| 3rd 175 Gun Battery (SP)     | Maj W. H. BARNARD       | 1-31 Oct  |
| 5th 175 Gun Battery (SP)     | Capt W. F. HEDIBURG Jr. | 1-31 Oct  |
|                              | Capt F. H. DOUGLAS      | 1-31 Oct  |
|                              | Maj B. B. BOMAN         | 1-11 Oct  |
|                              | Capt H. J. SAGE         | 12-31 Oct |
|                              | Maj A. B. THOMPSON Jr.  | 1-10 Oct  |
|                              | Maj J. C. ATKINS        | 11-31 Oct |

ATTACHED UNITS

Btry G (-), 29th Arty (USA)

Capt R. B. WARREN

1-30 Oct

2. Location

1-31 October 1969 AT 957756 DA NANG, Republic of Vietnam

3. Staff Officers

|                   |           |                                |
|-------------------|-----------|--------------------------------|
| Executive Officer | 1-23 Oct  | LtCol C. J. JOHNSON            |
|                   | 24-31 Oct | Maj C. D. BAILEY               |
| S-1               | 1-20 Oct  | Capt W. F. ELLIS, Jr.          |
|                   | 21-31 Oct | Capt R. V. OLSON               |
| S-2               | 1-31 Oct  | Capt W. H. WANTLAND            |
| S-3               | 1-9 Oct   | LtCol K. C. WILLIAMS           |
|                   | 10-30 Oct | Maj G. A. BAKER                |
|                   | 31 Oct    | LtCol K. C. WILLIAMS           |
| S-4               | 1-31 Oct  | Maj C. D. BAILEY               |
| S-5               | 1-10 Oct  | 1Lt G. O'NEIL                  |
|                   | 11-31 Oct | 1Lt W. F. FORESTER             |
| Supply Officer    | 1-21 Oct  | Billet vacant for this period. |
|                   | 22-31 Oct | 2Lt W. A. GOWRIE               |
| MT Officer        | 1-31 Oct  | Capt W. R. FILO                |

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|----------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| Comm Officer   | 1-31 Oct  | Maj A. E. NICOL         |
| Metro Officer  | 1-31 Oct  | WO A. W. SEABURY        |
| Survey Officer | 1-31 Oct  | WO A. W. SEABURY        |
| FSCC Officer   | 1-31 Oct  | LtCol T. S. ESCHHOLZ    |
| Chaplain       | 1-31 Oct  | LtCmdr K. D. KAELEBERER |
| Surgeon        | 1-31 Oct  | Lt. W. C. MITCHELL      |
| HQ Commandant  | 1-31 Oct  | Capt W. F. ELLIS Jr.    |
| NSDC           | 1-11 Oct  | LtCol K. N. MUELLER     |
|                | 12-26 Oct | Maj B. B. BOMAN         |
|                | 27-31 Oct | Maj N. E. HENRY         |

4. Average Monthly Strength (Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines)

| <u>USMC</u> |            | <u>USN</u> |            | <u>OTHER</u> |            |
|-------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|
| <u>Off</u>  | <u>Enl</u> | <u>Off</u> | <u>Enl</u> | <u>Off</u>   | <u>Enl</u> |
| <u>36</u>   | <u>412</u> | <u>6</u>   | <u>5</u>   | <u>0</u>     | <u>0</u>   |

5. Average Monthly Strength (11th Marine Regiment)

| <u>USMC</u> |             | <u>USN</u> |            | <u>OTHER</u> |            |
|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|
| <u>Off</u>  | <u>Enl</u>  | <u>Off</u> | <u>Enl</u> | <u>Off</u>   | <u>Enl</u> |
| <u>260</u>  | <u>3474</u> | <u>21</u>  | <u>65</u>  | <u>0</u>     | <u>0</u>   |

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## PART II

## NARRATIVE SUMMARY

During the month of October, 1969, the 11th Marine Regiment continued to provide close and continuous fire support for the First Marine Division (Rein) in defense of the DA NANG Vital Area and in other operations throughout QUANG NAM Province. In addition, the 11th Marines continued to provide supporting fires for Division and Force Reconnaissance Teams, Combined Action Platoons, USA, ROKMC, CIDG, and ARVN forces.

The month was characterized by a fairly consistent, but relatively low level of enemy activity. The only significant enemy actions were small, scattered and ineffective attacks by fire. The attacks by fire against the DA NANG Vital Area and 11th Marine Units included two rocket attacks, one mortar attack, one "lob bomb" incident, one SFD detonation and two small arms incidents. On 010625H October 1969, Headquarters Battalion COC reported an unknown type explosion at coordinates AT 949744. Crater analysis team investigation disclosed a probable low air burst of a 140mm rocket.

Heavy seasonal rains continued throughout the month causing a general slow down in ground activity throughout the Division's TAOR. During October, apparently one of the enemy's goals continued to be collection of rice and other foodstuff and to establish storage sites. An extensive rice denial and island interdiction program continued in effect by the 1st Marine Division and the 11th Marines in an attempt to halt or hinder NVA/VC rice collecting actions and to keep them in the high grounds and mountains.

Various intelligence sources indicated that the enemy would launch many small-scale attacks by fire in late October followed by a major offensive in early November to continue through early December. Though the enemy declined to initiate any further ground troop action, there were many sightings of large groups of NVA/VC made during the month. To illustrate this, there were twenty-five (25) sightings of twenty (20) or more NVA/VC. For a listing of significant fire missions see Part III paragraph (2) Intelligence.

The month of October saw the 11th Marine Regiment expand to four direct support battalions, one general support battalion with four firing batteries and four Force batteries of heavy artillery. Of a total of 164 weapons, 152 are located on 15 fire bases from FSB RYDER south of the QUE SON Mountains to FSB LOS BANOS, which is approximately 14 kilometers northwest of HAI VAN Pass. In addition, the 11th Marines gained ADCON of the 5th 175mm Gun Battery and the 1st Platoon of the 5th 8" Howitzer Battery located in the northern sector of the I Corps; XXIV Corps Artillery U.S. Army retained OPCON of these units. It should be noted that the 1st Platoon of the 5th 8" Howitzer Battery is located at FSB ALPHA 2, which is approximately two miles south of the DMZ at the end of Route One, and is the northernmost FSB in I Corps.

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Many events occurred during the month that precipitated the expansion of the 11th Marines and a general shifting of artillery assets throughout the 1st Marine Division TAOR. As the 3rd Marine Division prepared to leave the Republic of Vietnam, the 1st Marine Division gained OPCON and ADCON of the 1st 8" Howitzer Battery and ADCON of the 175 Gun Battery and 8" Howitzer Platoon mentioned above. Also the 11th Marines received ADCON of the First Battalion, 13th Marines and Battery K, Fourth Battalion, 13th Marines from the 9th Marine Amphibious Brigade on 20 October. These units have been OPCON to the 11th Marines since November 1968. Battery K was simultaneously chopped to Fourth Battalion, 11th Marines. Finally when the Special Landing Force was disbanded, the 11th Marines regained control of an additional 105mm howitzer battery and a 4.2" mortar battery.

Since the expansion of the First Marine Division TAOR south of the QUE SON Mountains in August 1969, a need has existed for more general support artillery in that area. The TAOR was further expanded in October, this time to the north, approximately 20 kilometers beyond HAI VAN Pass, thus presenting an even greater area requiring artillery support. To provide this additional required support, a series of moves took place during the month. Platoons of the 1st 8" Howitzer Battery were emplaced, one on LZ BALDY and one platoon on LZ ROSS reinforcing Third Battalion, 11th Marines with one platoon emplaced at the AN HOA Combat Base, reinforcing Second Battalion, 11th Marines. That platoon displaced a platoon of the 3rd 8" Howitzer Battery which moved to Hill 65, thus providing additional general support into the ARIZONA area. Battery I, was helo-lifted to FSB BUSHWHACK in the QUE SON Mountains while Battery H moved from LZ ROSS to FSB RYDER.

The entire 3rd 175 Gun Battery is now emplaced at the AN HOA Combat Base and three guns from the 1st 175 Gun Battery are located at Hill 34, with three guns at the Northern Artillery Cantonment (NAC) to facilitate control in the expanded northern portion of the TAOR.

The additional artillery assets acquired by the 11th Marines in conjunction with the general shifting of positions to accommodate the expansions of the 1st Marine Division boundaries provide the entire TAOR with a greater artillery weight, improved mutual fire support/mix capabilities, and the ability to mass more heavy artillery on appropriate targets and deeper 175mm gun coverage for Reconnaissance Inserts.

On 19 October, the 11th Marine Regiment scored another Marine Corps first. On that day a team equipped with an Integrated Observation Device (IOD) was deployed for the first time in combat, and to date has achieved considerable success. A second team was fielded on the 27th of the month, and for the first ten days of operations the two teams were credited with seventy-two kills, which amounted to twenty-eight percent of the total Division kills for the same period.

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The IOD is a KOLLMORGEN Ship's Binoculars integrated with a Night Observation Device (NOD) and a Laser Ranger Finder. This equipment can locate targets up to 30 kilometers with an accuracy of 5 meters in range and 1 mil. in azimuth, which is sufficiently accurate for artillery to bring fire for effect without preliminary adjustments.

The first two IOD sets arrived in country on 28 September. Two teams, each consisting of one officer and five enlisted Marines, were formed and commenced training on 6 October and graduated on 13 October. Brig General ROBERTSON was the guest speaker at the graduation. Two more teams commenced training on 20 October and are expected to be operational the first week of November. Three additional teams will be trained during the period 17-21 November.

The placement of the six IOD's is planned for positions which give the maximum observation into areas of high enemy activity. The positions selected are similar to general support artillery in that they afford observation across regimental boundaries, thus permitting good utilization of the IOD's long range characteristics. Alternate positions have been selected and will be utilized as deemed necessary by this Headquarters. Plans are also being made to exploit the potentialities of this equipment in other areas such as survey, calibration and the orientation and location of patrols.

Strong emphasis continued to be placed on quality control programs, which aim to strike a balance between safety and troop support. In the past few weeks, the following programs have been introduced: a new RVN-oriented SOP for Operations; quality control of fires on hard core intelligence targets as a result of studying the enemy's cycle of activities; by constantly informing our troops of the tactical situation we hope to imbue them with a sense of urgency, participation and team spirit which will reduce complacency and errors and increase exactness and professionalism; and in the area of command emphasis this Regiment will send to the field an inspection team of experts aided by a technical inspection checklist to improve skills and techniques, and to recommend safety improvements. The effectiveness of this program of reducing artillery incidents involving friendly forces or civilian personnel is evident by the fact that during the month only one such incident occurred. This is a considerable decrease in the number of incidents compared with previous months.

11th Marines has innovated a quick-fire plan for 1st Reconnaissance Battalion and Force Reconnaissance Company which facilitates a more flexible and rapid response to calls for fire by their recon teams. Each recon team is assigned by this Headquarters, a battery in direct support, with the recon team having direct quick-fire communications with the battery.

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Because the insert's playground is also established as free fire zones, to get artillery support the team leader, who acts as the clearing agency, need only to call the fire mission to the battery. If the grid falls outside of the team's playground, the most direct means to obtain clearance is used by the supporting unit. To date this policy has reduced the response time between the call for fire and firing on the target.

A total of 159,383 rounds were expended on 15,969 missions during the month of October 1969. Artillery fires accounted for 166 of the 503 confirmed kills within the Division's area of operation during October. Also there was a reported 69 probable enemy KIA's. The 11th Marines also fired eight (8) missions on a reported 710 NVA/VC, for which the only surveillance was: "Rounds on target, no observed casualties". The reason for negative surveillance was darkness, bad weather, or because excessive time had elapsed between the fire missions and a survey of the target area by aircraft or patrols. Besides the normal missions, such as contact missions, intelligence targets, rocket and mortar suppression fires, preemptive fires and preparation fires, a considerable amount of artillery was expended in an effort to suppress the effects of the Surprise Firing Devices used extensively by the enemy.

During the month of October 1969, the 11th Marines participated in only one named operation: Operation PIPESTONE CANYON, which was conducted by the 1st Marine Regiment, with the First Battalion, 11th Marines in direct support. For details of Operation PIPESTONE CANYON see enclosure (1) of Appendix 5 to Annex C.

Unannounced counter-rocket drills continued nightly throughout the month. Chart operators, observation post personnel, fire direction personnel, gun crews and communicators derived benefits and increased their skills as a result of these drills.

Extensive efforts continued throughout the 11th Marine Regiment to repair damages and minimize effects of heavy rains and flooding conditions on ordnance, units' facilities, and motor transport during the month of October 1969.

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## PART III

SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS1. Personnel and Administration

|                       | USMC |     | USN |   |
|-----------------------|------|-----|-----|---|
| Off                   | Enl  | Off | Enl |   |
| a. Losses             |      |     |     |   |
| Admin                 | 39   | 416 | 1   | 4 |
| Battle KIA            | 0    | 1   | 0   | 0 |
| Battle WIA (Evac)     | 0    | 15  | 0   | 0 |
| Battle WIA (Non-Evac) | 0    | 15  | 0   | 0 |
| Battle MIA            | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0 |
| Battle DOW            | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0 |
| Non-Battle            | 0    | 38  | 0   | 0 |
| b. Replacements       | 57   | 355 | 6   | 7 |
| c. Net Loss           | 0    | 115 | 0   | 0 |
| d. Net Gain           | 18   | 0   | 5   | 3 |

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2. Intelligence

a. Enemy activity continued at a low level during the month of October 1969. The only significant enemy actions were small, scattered and ineffective attacks by fire. The attacks by fire against the DANANG Vital Area and 11th Marine units included two rocket attacks, one mortar attack, one "lob-bomb" incident, one SFD detonation, and two small arms incidents. On 010625H October 1969, Headquarters Battalion CCC reported an unknown type explosion at coordinates (AT949744). Crater analysis team investigation disclosed a probable low air burst of a possible 140mm rocket.

b. Various intelligence sources indicated that the enemy would launch many small-scale attacks by fire in late October followed by a major offensive in early November to continue through early December.

c. On 19 October, one FO Team utilizing the new Integrated Observation Device became operational. This proved to be the single most important breakthrough in battlefield observation and visual target acquisition in recent years, as evidenced by the fact that during the period 19-29 October, this device was credited with 67% of the total enemy KIA's inflicted by the 11th Marines and 28% of the total kills inflicted by the 1st Marine Division.

d. Though the enemy failed to initiate any further ground action, there were many sightings of groups of NVA/VC made during the reporting period, as illustrated by the following significant fire missions:

(1) 010525H: 11th Marines crater analysis team reported that two 140mm rockets with fuze delay impacted at (AT936747). Negative casualties and damage.

(2) 010625H: HqBn "C" Line, Post #5 reported unknown type explosion at (AT949745). 11th Marines crater analysis team checked impact area. Shrapnel indicates a 140mm rocket. No crater found, indicating round could have ricocheted off of a rock causing it to be a low air burst. No damage or casualties.

(3) 010740H: Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 20 VC at grid (AT828461), resulting in two KIA and one WIA. Observed by Recon Team "OFFSPRING".

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(4) 011745H: Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 20 VC at grid (AT828461), resulting in seven enemy KIA (confirmed) and 12 enemy KIA (probable). Observed by Recon Team "OFFSPRING".

(5) 030455H: Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a suspected rocket site (AT822463), resulting in two secondary explosions. Observed by Recon Team "OFFSPRING".

(6) 031940H: Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired at moving lights (AT823469), resulting in eight secondary explosions. Observed by Recon Team "OFFSPRING".

(7) 051435H: Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on six VC at grid (AT833464), resulting in one enemy KIA. Observed by Recon Team "OFFSPRING".

(8) 082110H: Battery "B", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired prep-fire on grid (BT083668), resulting in two secondary explosions. Observed by FO from 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(9) 091355H: 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on six NVA. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 7th Marines. Initial fire flushed 18 NVA into open. Fired 30 rounds HE, which flushed about 70 NVA. Fired 90 HE on grid (AT918379). FO called for reinforcing fires. Fired 28 HE on grid (AT912386). Prior to this firing, observer saw at least one mortar tube and all enemy armed. Area sweep uncovered numerous blood trails and drag marks. Sweep indicates 18 to 21 probable KIA and many wounded.

(10) 101205H: Battery "G", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 50 VC, grid (BT025406), and Battery "K", 4th Battalion, 13th Marines fired on same target, grid (BT016410). Observed by FO from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines. Surveillance was negative.

(11) 101645H: Battery "I", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 120 VC in the open (BT236462). Observed by M-36 (RF's). Surveillance was negative.

(12) 101830H: Batteries "E" and "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines and Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 150 VC/NVA at grid (AT805485). Observed by 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines. Surveillance was negative.

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(13) 112030H: Battery "B", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired a prep-fire, grid (BT095650), resulting in one secondary explosion. Mission was observed by FO from 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(14) 130933H: Battery "E", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 40 VC at grid (AT903537), resulting in three VC KIA. Observed by FO from 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines.

(15) 131115H: Battery "C", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on bunkers and huts at grid (AT959578), resulting in two bunkers destroyed. Observed by FO from 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(16) 131720H: Battery "C", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on two VC at grid (AT97515703), resulting in one secondary explosion. Observed by OP "LAUGH".

(17) 140045H: 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines (An Hoa) reported explosion outside of wire. Crater analysis indicated it to be a lobbed 105mm round. No fuze tunnel around crater. Negative casualties and damage.

(18) 140330H: Headquarters, 11th Marines, Post #4A saw one VC/NVA run from perimeter wire to treeline. Fired small arms. Results were negative.

(19) 141555H: 1st Battalion, 11th Marines patrol, while in sweep, found one VC suspect in Thai Cam (V). Suspect was interrogated but revealed no information. Detained for further interrogation.

(20) 141630H: Battery "K", 4th Battalion, 13th Marines fired on 20 VC at grid (AT959317), resulting in one VC KIA and one bunker destroyed. Observed by FO from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.

(21) 151452H: Battery "K", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on ten VC in the open at grid (BT048478), resulting in two VC KIA. Observed by FO from 1st Battalion, 7th Marines.

(22) 152020H: Battery "C", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on enemy in treeline at (AT945617), resulting in two NVA/VC KIA. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines.

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(23) 152045H: Battery "C", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on four VC in the open at grid (AT942613), resulting in one enemy KIA. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(24) 160520H: Battery "E", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 100 NVA/VC at grid (AT885546), resulting in three NVA/VC KIA. Observed by an observer from 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines.

(25) 161040H: 2nd Platoon, 8" Howitzer fired on a battalion-size enemy position with bunkers at grid (AT97403935), resulting in the destruction of three bunkers. Observed by an observer from 2nd Battalion, 7th Marines.

(26) 161240H: Battery "C", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on five VC at grid (AT944647), resulting in two possible enemy KIA. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines

(27) 181810H: Battery "C", 1st Battalion, 13th Marines fired on suspected enemy movement at grid (AT877834), resulting in one secondary explosion. Observed by an observer from Company "K", 3rd Battalion, 26th Marines.

(28) 191005H: 1st Platoon, 3rd 175 Guns fired on 40 VC at grid (ZC212334), resulting in one enemy KIA and three possible enemy KIA. Observed by Recon Team "AUDITOR".

(29) 201030H: 3rd 8" Howitzer Battery and Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 60 VC in bunkers at grid (AT900535). Observed by observer from 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines. Rounds were on target. No observed casualties.

(30) 201640H: Mortar Battery, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines and Battery "K", 4th Battalion, 13th Marines fired on 130 VC at grids (BTO45413) and (BTO48410). Rounds were on target. No observed casualties.

(31) 202145H: Battery "B", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a bunker at grid (BTO93655), resulting in one secondary explosion. Observed by an observer from 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines.

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(32) 210825H: Battery "D", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on eight to ten VC in a ville at grid (AT885536), resulting in one enemy KIA.

(33) 211005H: 3rd 175 Guns fired on 40 VC at grid (ZC212334), resulting in one enemy KIA. Observed by Recon Team "AUDITOR"

(34) 211835H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 15 VC at grid (AT872568) for Rio Grande 81 (IOD), resulting in two enemy KIA.

(35) 212115H: 1st Platoon, 8" Howitzer Battery received four grenades in wire by Post #11. Negative damage and casualties.

(36) 220845H: Battery "G", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 30 VC at grid (BT015405), resulting in one enemy KIA. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.

(37) 220908H: Battery "D", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 25 VC at grid (AT842540), resulting in three KIA and two structures destroyed. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

(38) 220925H: Battery "G", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on four NVA at grid (BT005405), resulting in one enemy KIA. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.

(39) 221245H: Battery "H", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on suspected enemy OP at grid (AT902411), resulting in five secondary explosions. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 7th Marines.

(40) 221533H: Battery "D", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on six NVA/VC at grid (AT89615401), resulting in one enemy KIA and two probable enemy KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 80 (IOD).

(41) 221725H: Battery "G", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on five VC in the open at grid (AT954317), resulting in six secondary explosions. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 7th Marines.

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(42) 221800H: 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on intelligence locations on the 36th NVA Regiment, resulting in five enemy KIA, confirmed by 7th Marines.

(43) 230715H: Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a hostile ville at grid (AT975517), resulting in seven huts being destroyed. Observed by Recon.

(44) 230830H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on five VC at grid (AT819483), resulting in one enemy KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

(45) 230840H: Battery "D", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 12 VC at grid (AT851525), resulting in one enemy KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 80 (IOD).

(46) 231014H: Battery "G", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired at grid (AT994316) for L/3/7. Swept area and found eight VC KIA.

(47) 231115H: Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 20 NVA at grid (AT824522), resulting in three enemy KIA and two probable enemy KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

(48) 231220H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on seven VC at grid (AT813505), resulting in two enemy KIA. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines.

(49) 231230H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 40 VC in the open at grid (AT84624784), resulting in seven enemy KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

(50) 231430H: Battery "D", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on eight VC in a rice paddy at grid (AT85965328), resulting in three KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 80 (IOD).

(51) 231755H: Battery "G", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines and Battery "K", 4th Battalion, 13th Marines fired on 60 VC at grid (BT006409). Observed by an observer from 2nd Battalion, 7th Marines. Surveillance was negative.

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(52) 231910H: Battery "C", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on enemy movement at grid (AT937575), resulting in five enemy KIA. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(53) 231910H: Battery "C", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired a contact mission at grid (AT933573), resulting in four blood trails and two LAAW's captured. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(54) 231942H: Battery "B", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a heavily booby-trapped area at grid (BT088645), resulting in three secondary explosions. Observed by an observer from 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(55) 232132H: Battery "A", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a suspected enemy assembly area at grid (AT971604), resulting in four enemy KIA. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(56) 232237H: Battery "C", 1st Battalion, 13th Marines fired on nine VC in open at grid (AT875805), resulting in one enemy KIA. Observed by an observer from Company "K", 3rd Battalion, 26th Marines.

(57) 232240H: Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on five VC at grid (AT984477), resulting in one enemy KIA. Observed by an observer from Recon Team "YOUTH".

(58) 241200H: Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 16 VC at grid (AT819497), resulting in five enemy KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD)

(59) 241510H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on ten VC at grid (AT81395080), resulting in four enemy KIA and one structure destroyed. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

(60) 241642H: 2nd Platoon, 8" Howitzer fired on VC in bunker at grid (AT818497), resulting in four KIA and one bunker destroyed. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

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(61) 251120H: Battery "D", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 13 VC in bunkers at grid (AT88255348), resulting in one KIA and one bunker destroyed. Observed by Rio Grande 80 (IOD).

(62) 251300H: Batteries "F" and "D" of 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines and Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 60 VC at grid (AT842545), resulting in nine enemy KIA and three structures destroyed. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

(63) 251313H: Battery "B", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on confirmed enemy movement at grid (BT085666), resulting in two secondary explosions. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(64) 251911H: Battery "B", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a heavily booby-trapped area at grid (BT081649), resulting in one secondary explosion. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(65) 252215H: 1st Battalion, 11th Marines (Hill 55) received one incoming round believed to be 60mm. Negative casualties and damage.

(66) 252255H: Battery "C", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a rocket site at grid (AT964665), resulting in one secondary explosion. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(67) 252330H: Battery "B", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on bunkers and VC in open at grid (BT080646), resulting in one enemy KIA and five bunkers destroyed. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(68) 260030H: 3rd Platoon, 8" Howitzer fired on bunkers at grid (BT080646), resulting in three bunkers being destroyed. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(69) 260300H: Battery "G", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on grid (AT983316), resulting in two secondary explosions. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.

(70) 260720H: Battery "G", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 15 VC at (BT010393), resulting in one enemy KIA. Observed by FO from Company "K", 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.

(71) 261335H: Battery "D", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on four VC in bunkers at (AT847605), resulting in one enemy KIA. Observed by RIO GRANDE 80 (IOD).

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(72) 261445H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on five VC at grid (AT015508), resulting in two enemy KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

(73) 261300H: Battery "B", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines reported one M26 SFD tripped by Marine, resulting in loss of right leg. MedEvac to NSA.

(74) 270753H: Battery "E", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on seven VC at (AT881519), resulting in three enemy KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 80 (IOD).

(75) 271135H: Battery "D", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on six VC in bunkers at (AT883546), resulting in one bunker and one hut destroyed. Observed by Rio Grande 80 (IOD).

(76) 271315H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 100 VC at (AT851550). Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD). Rounds on target. No observed casualties due to heavy haze.

(77) 271511H: Battery "D", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on ten VC in a hut at (AT875537), resulting in three VC KIA and one hut destroyed. Observed by Rio Grande 80 (IOD).

(78) 271635H: Battery "E", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on four VC at (AT890525), resulting in one VC KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 80 (IOD).

(79) 271715H: Battery "D", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on five VC at (AT878545), resulting in three VC KIA and one WIA.

(80) 271722H: Battery "L", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on three VC at (AT967527), resulting in three VC KIA. Observed by Recon Team "RUMMAGE".

(81) 271815H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on seven VC at (AT821152), resulting in two probable KIA and one structure destroyed. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

(82) 271910H: Battery "G", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on three VC at (AT977313), resulting in one VC captured (PW). Observed by 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.

(83) 280700H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on four NVA at (AT826476), resulting in one KIA and two probable KIA. Observed by 1st Battalion, 5th Marines.

(84) 280730H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on three VC at (AT818508), resulting in one KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

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(85) 280945H: Battery "D", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on six VC at grid (AT882534), resulting in two enemy KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 80 (IOD).

(86) 281010H: One platoon of 703rd Company (RF) made contact with an NVA company at grid (BT143502). 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired in support, resulting in five enemy KIA.

(87) 281024H: Battery "I", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a VC Company at grid (BT130580), resulting in five confirmed enemy KIA and 26 probable enemy KIA. Seven sampans were destroyed and three AK-47's captured.

(88) 281310H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on five VC in the open at grid (AT81655311), resulting in two enemy KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

(89) 291145H: Battery "G", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired at a suspected enemy base camp at grid (BT013426), resulting in one secondary explosion. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.

(90) 291620H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 15 VC at grid (AT87335117), resulting in one enemy KIA. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

(91) 292130H: Battery "B", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired at grid (BT105659), resulting in one secondary explosion. Observed by observer from 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines.

(92) 301250H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on five VC with packs and rifles at grid (AT823521), resulting in three enemy KIA. Observed by observer from 1st Battalion, 5th Marines.

(93) 302007H: Battery "B", 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired prep fires on bunkers at grid (BT098657), resulting in one secondary explosion. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines.

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(94) 311345H: Battery "F", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a hut/bunker at grid (AT824512), resulting in one enemy KIA and one secondary explosion. Observed by Rio Grande 81 (IOD).

(95) 311450H: Battery "M", 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 15 NVA at grid (AT981553), resulting in one enemy WIA. Observed by Recon OP "RUMMAGE".

(96) 311500H: Battery "I", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 30 VC at grid (BT117403), resulting in 15 KIA. Observed by observer from 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines.

(97) 311650H: Battery "K", 4th Battalion, 13th Marines and Battery "G", 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 30 to 40 VC at grid (BT066447). Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

(98) 312115H: Battery "E", 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines received four to five rounds RPG, small arms fire and ChiComs. Negative casualties and damage.

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3. Organization and Operations

a. Units of the Regiment participated in one operation during the month of October: Operation PIPESTONE CANYON from 1 - 31 October 1969. For details see Appendix 5 to Annex C.

4. Training

a. Forward observer training for non artillery personnel was again conducted for the month of October. Recipients of this training were personnel from Combined Action Group, IOD, Scout Snipers, Seabees, 1st Reconnaissance Battalion and 198th Light Infantry Brigade. A total of 290 received two to three hours of classroom instruction and four to six hours of practical application.

b. Classes of instruction and practical application on employment of the Integrated Observation Device (IOD) were given to the forward observer teams, which were formed to operate the IOD's. Two one week training sessions were given, with two teams being trained during each period. Each team consists of one officer and five enlisted Marines. The Assistant Division Commander, Brigadier General ROBERTSON spoke at their graduation.

c. During the month, 11th Marines sent four Officers and five enlisted Marines to Division-level schools. The officers attended the Officer Leadership Class while four of the enlisted Marines attended NCO School and one RPS.

5. Logistics

a. During the first 13 days of this reporting period, heavy rains produced general flooding throughout the Division A. O. Resupply by land to units at LZ's BALDY and ROSS and FSB AN HOA was not possible. Air resupply alleviated critical shortages. Ground resupply from the south and air resupply from the north to LZ BALDY maintained adequate levels of supplies at that base until the roads were again open.

b. An additional allocation of 105mm (DODA/C C454) was requested and approved. This request was justified because of safety procedures which require a WP round be fired as the initial round in all "adjust fire" missions. The additional allocation was not required to meet the new safety procedures and therefore was not used.

c. During the reporting period, motor transport augmentation provided by the Division resulted in the accelerated movement of CLASS V over last month's period. Additionally, CLASS II and tracked engineer equipment was moved. In summary, over 54 tons of munitions, 65 tons of CLASS II supplies and 11 tracked bulldozer vehicles were transported to near and remote artillery positions within the Division A. O. by Division motor transport augmentation.

~~UNCLASSIFIED~~6. Civic Action Report for Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines

a. Planning and construction on the proposed permanent market place for Da Son Hamlet have been halted due to lack of funds and materials. This is a Self-Help Project and all funds and materials for such projects are supposed to be transferred from the Hoa Khanh Village Chief to the Da Son Hamlet Chief; as yet this has not been done.

b. During the month of October adequate housing facilities were constructed for a refugee family in Da Son Hamlet. Labor and materials were furnished by the 11th Marines.

c. On Thursday, 23 October, this office assisted Lt. BRIGHT, USA, and L/Cpl. BRYAN, G-5, FSC, in vaccinating several pigs stricken with severe cases of worms and suspected cholera. Follow-up examinations and treatment by L/Cpl. BRYAN have shown the animals to be much improved.

d. Two outings were held in Da Son Hamlet during October. The first was held on Sunday, 12 October, at the ARVN construction compound at the outskirts of the hamlet. It was hosted by Major DIEM. In attendance were Capt. ELLIS, CO, Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines, and Lt. O'NEILL and SSgt HARRIS, S-5, 11th Marines. Chicken, spare ribs, hot dogs, potato chips, and other refreshments were served.

e. On Sunday, 26 October, a second outing was held in Da Son Hamlet. In attendance were Capt. ELLIS, CO, Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines Capt. OLSON, Major BOMAN, Chaplain KAEHLERER, Lt. FORESTER and SSgt. HARRIS, S-5, 11th Marines and an official representative from the Hoa Khanh Village Chief's office. Also present were the Da Son Hamlet Chief and the Da Son C.I.D.G. Chief. Hamburgers, hotdogs and other refreshments were served. Both outings attracted approximately 100 Marines.

f. The S-5 has been endeavoring to obtain materials to rebuild a bridge between Da Son and the Hoa My Vocational Center to better enable Da Son's inhabitants to attend the newly constructed facility. To date, two I beams, 31 spools of barbed-wire, and 268 engineer stakes have been procured. The barbed-wire and stakes will be used to construct a perimeter around the center. This work is being coordinated with Mr. PHAM DO who brought the matter to our attention. Mr. DO is a leader with CYSS, a Vietnamese youth organization.

g. An accident involving a villager of Da Son and a Navy Seabee vehicle remains unsettled due to the failure of the Seabee S-5 to contact this office.

h. Lt. FORESTER, S-5, 11th Marines, has begun to supervise night activities in Da Son Hamlet. His objective is to better prepare the hamlet's defenses for Tet, 1970.

i. MEDCAP, held daily except Sunday and Wednesday from 1300 to 1500, treated 1044 villagers this reporting period.

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j. DENTCAP, held Fridays in conjunction with MEDCAP, treated 37 villagers.

**7. Air Observation**

The 11th Marines A.O. Unit flew sixty-one (61) sorties during the month of October in support of the 11th Marines and other 1st Marine Division units. A total of 219.3 hours of aircraft time and 144.2 hours of A.O. on station time were recorded.

During the month, the A.O. unit was supported by light observation helicopters attached from Company A, 123 Aviation Battalion, Americal Division, USA. In addition, UH-1E gunships from the 282nd Aviation Battalion, USA, were provided as cover aircraft and flew a total of 75.1 hours in support of the 11th Marines A.O. unit. Also O1-D aircraft were provided for observation and registrations by the 21st Reconnaissance Aircraft Company (RAC), USA. 21.7 hours were flown with 21st RAC.

**TOTAL RECAPITULATION FOR THE REPORTING PERIOD IS AS FOLLOWS:**

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| AO/Aircraft hours Army LOH-6A          | 122.5/197.6 |
| Sorties                                | 52          |
| AO/Aircraft hours Army 21st RAC        | 21.7/21.7   |
| Sorties                                | 9           |
| VR Missions of the DA NANG Rocket Belt | 56          |
| Artillery Missions                     | 3           |
| Artillery Registrations                | 15          |
| Bunkers Destroyed                      | 15          |
| Enemy KIA (conf)                       | 1           |
| Enemy KIA (prob)                       | 7           |
| Ground Fire Incidents                  | 0           |
| Med-Evacs                              | 4           |
| Infantry Assists                       | 6           |
| Possible Rocket Sites Located          | 0           |
| Secondary Explosions                   | 4           |
| <br>                                   | <br>        |
| Total A.O. Hours                       | 144.2       |

**Additional Significant Sightings**

1 Tunnel  
10 Meters Trenchline Destroyed

**8. Northern Sector Defense Command**

a. Northern Sector Defense Command is a rear area defense organization commanded by the Commanding Officer, 11th Marines.

b. Due to the very low level of enemy activity, Ground Alert Condition III was set only seven times during the month, and then only as a precaution in response to intelligence information.

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c. Northern Sector Defense Command patrolling activities during the month of October included the following:

- (1) Thirty-seven (37) daytime reconnaissance patrols.
- (2) Forty-two (42) daytime combat patrols.
- (3) Four (4) nighttime combat patrols.
- (4) Fifty-eight (58) nighttime security patrols.

In addition 380 ambushes had been set throughout the sector for a total of 521 separate activities.

d. There were two drills for the reaction forces within the sector held during the month.

(1) At 211800H the reaction companies of each of the three sub-sectors were called out. The average time to muster the reaction companies was 30 minutes.

(2) At 311310H an unannounced drill was held in Sub-Sector A (Force Logistics Command) calling out their reaction company and directing them to take up a blocking position on a road approximately five kilometers south of their CP. The reaction company took one hour and fifteen minutes to reach their assigned area and another 25 minutes to set the company into position.

e. The Northern Sector Defense Command Deputy Commander continues to establish and maintain close liaison with and between the three Sub-Sector Commanders and the District Headquarters of HOA VANG and THEIU DUC. The Deputy Commander also inspected positions, techniques and procedures and advised the Sub-Sector Commanders in areas that required improvement. NSDC also made arrangements to send men to the 11th Marines Forward Observer School and made available to the Sub-Sectors plastic alidades for use as azimuth indicators on observation towers and other points of observation.

f. The 106mm Recoilless Rifle crew assigned to NSDC continued to improve their skills and efficiency with live-fire exercises with the 106mm RR and the newly developed Flame Weapon. Additionally, periods of instruction on map reading and the use of the compass were held.

#### 9. Psychological Operations

There were no movies shown to the people in the village of Da Son this month.

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|                      |     |
|----------------------|-----|
| KIA                  | 166 |
| IOD Kill             | 43  |
| Probable KIA         | 69  |
| WIA                  | 4   |
| POW                  | 1   |
| Huts destroyed       | 10  |
| Structures destroyed | 8   |
| Bunkers destroyed    | 23  |
| Huts damaged         | 4   |
| Secondaries          | 44  |
| Blood Trails         | 4   |
| Captured Weapons     | 7   |
| Sampans destroyed    | 7   |
| Water Buffalo        | 1   |

11. Monthly Ammunition Expenditure.

| UNIT                 | 105mm   | 107mm | 155mm  | 8" How | 175mmG | TOTAL   |
|----------------------|---------|-------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| 1st Marines          | 17,420  | 0     | 1,149  | 94     | 71     | 18,734  |
| 5th Marines          | 31,337  | 1,430 | 1,787  | 121    | 477    | 35,152  |
| 7th Marines          | 28,975  | 560   | 6,402  | 350    | 667    | 36,954  |
| 26th Marines         | 20,543  | 5,400 | 3,666  | 246    | 363    | 30,218  |
| Recon                | 0       | 0     | 1,156  | 0      | 7      | 1,163   |
| ARVN                 | 1,302   | 0     | 0      | 0      | 0      | 1,302   |
| General Support      | 0       | 0     | 14,179 | 2,475  | 3,240  | 19,894  |
| ROKS                 | 0       | 0     | 13     | 0      | 0      | 13      |
| Army                 | 48      | 0     | 37     | 0      | 8      | 93      |
| Opn PIPESTONE CANYON | 15,869  | 0     | 0      | 0      | 0      | 15,869  |
| TOTAL                | 115,494 | 7,390 | 28,389 | 3,286  | 4,833  | 159,392 |

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| IN   | OUT |            |                 |   | M-Maps<br>S-Staff      T-Troops<br>F-File |
|      |     |            | 011630          | Drop Off 0 Enl 10 Join Off 3 Enl 4  |   |
|      |     |            | 011231          | 1 Enl I/3/11 30Oct69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: 2d degree burns left thigh while<br>burning powder bags while in unit area  |   |
|      |     |            | 011325          | 1 Enl B/1/11 31Oct69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Hemorrhoids<br>1 Enl K/4/11 31Oct69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Somnambulism   |   |
|      |     |            | 021630          | Drop Off 2 Enl 15 Join Off 1 Enl 29   |   |
|      |     |            | 021412          | 1 Enl HqBtry/2/11 1 Nov 69 Non-Hostile<br>Quang Nam RVN Diag: Fever of undetermined<br>origin   |   |
|      |     |            |                 | 1 Enl G/3/11 1 Nov 69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Diarrhea   |   |
|      |     |            | 021413          | 1 Enl HqBtry/2/11 1 Nov 69 Non-Hostile Quang<br>Nam RVN Diag: Mild phimosis   |   |
|      |     |            | 031630          | Drop Off 2 Enl 5 Join Off 2 Enl 12  |   |
|      |     |            | 031420          | 1 Enl 3d 175MM GunBtry/11 2 Nov 69 Non-Hostile<br>Quang Nam RVN Diag: Malaria<br>1 Enl 1st 8" HowBtry/11 2 Nov 69 Non-Hostile<br>Quang Nam RVN Contusion right ankle when he<br>accidently dropped 8" rd on his ankle while in unit<br>area |   |
|      |     |            | 041630          | Drop Off 0 Enl 6 Join Off 5 Enl 28  |   |
|      |     |            | 041210          | 1 Off C/1/11 2 Nov 69 Hostile Quang Nam RVN<br>Frag wd right leg fr secondary explosion<br>of an SFD while on Co size search and clear<br>operation   |   |
|      |     |            | 041211          | 1 Enl 3d 8" HowB try/11 30Oct69 Non-Hostile<br>Quang Nam RVN Frag wd right forearm while<br>blowing a 55 gal drum of fuses and was hit<br>by fragments  |   |
|      |     |            | 051630          | Drop Off 0 Enl 8 Join Off 14 Enl 10   |   |
|      |     |            | 051347          | 1 Enl M/4/11 4 Nov 69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam RVN<br>Diag: Right anterior mass of neck  |   |
|      |     |            | 061630          | Drop Off 2 Enl 5 Join Off 2 Enl 3   |   |
|      |     |            | 061230          | 1 Enl A/1/13 5 Nov 69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Fever of undetermined origin<br>1 Enl HqBtry/1/11 5 Nov 69 Non-Hostile Quang<br>Nam RVN Diag: Rheumatoid disease   |   |
|      |     |            | 071630          | Drop Off 4 Enl 20 Join Off 1 Enl 43   |   |
|      |     |            | 071403          | 1 Enl HqBtry/3/11 6 Nov 69 Non-Hostile Quang<br>Nam RVN Diag: Abscess right peritonsillar   |   |
|      |     |            | 081630          | Drop Off 0 Enl 18 Join Off 0 Enl 21   |   |
|      |     |            | 081352          | 1 Enl 5th 175MM GunBtry/11 5 Nov 69 Non-<br>Hostile Quang Nam RVN Laceration left elbow   |   |

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| IN     | OUT |            |                 |  | M-Maps<br>S-Staff | T-Troops<br>F-File |
|        |     |            |                 | when on feeder of gun snapped striking him during fire mission   |                   |                    |
|        |     |            |                 | 1 Enl M/4/11 7Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam RVN Contusion avulsion of skin over 3d and 4th phalanx of right hand when he caught his finger in breech of gun while loading powder charge while in unit area   |                   |                    |
|        |     |            |                 | 1 Enl HqBtry/4/11 7Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam RVN Lumbosacral strain while lifting armor plating while in unit area   |                   |                    |
| 091630 |     |            |                 | Drop Off 2 Enl 10 Join Off 0 Enl 14  |                   |                    |
| 091424 |     |            |                 | 1 Enl M/4/11 8Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam RVN 2d degree burns left arm, back and posterior neck when powder ignited while he was loading M-109 How during fire mission   |                   |                    |
| 101630 |     |            |                 | Drop Off 1 Enl 14 Join Off 0 Enl 3   |                   |                    |
| 100820 |     |            |                 | 1 Enl HqBtry/3/11 9Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam RVN Fr missile wds to chest, right leg, left thigh with loss of left hand when ordnance of unk size exploded while SMM was on perimeter watch KIA   |                   |                    |
| 111630 |     |            |                 | Drop Off 2 Enl 15 Join Off 1 Enl 6   |                   |                    |
| 110920 |     |            |                 | 1 Enl A/1/13 9Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam RVN Concussion head when he was involved in a fight with another Marine in unit area   |                   |                    |
|        |     |            |                 | 1 Enl B/1/11 10Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam RVN Diag: Abdominal and chest pain  |                   |                    |
| 121630 |     |            |                 | Drop Off 2 Enl 10 Join Off 4 Enl 10  |                   |                    |
| 121308 |     |            |                 | 1 Enl L/4/11 7Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam RVN Diag: Hearing loss   |                   |                    |
|        |     |            |                 | 1 Enl I/3/11 11Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam RVN Diag: Fever of undetermined origin  |                   |                    |
| 131630 |     |            |                 | Drop Off 0 Enl 10 Join Off 1 Enl 1   |                   |                    |
| 130910 |     |            |                 | 1 Enl 1st 8" HowBtry/11 12Nov69 Hostile Quang Nam RVN Frag wd right eye with traumatic amputation right leg above knee, surgical amputation right arm at elbow and surgical enucleation right eye when veh he was riding in detonated en mine while on routine run |                   |                    |
|        |     |            |                 | 1 Enl 1st 8" HowBtry/11 12Nov69 Hostile Quang Nam RVN Multiple frag wds right leg, right hand and face when veh he was riding detonated en mine while on routine run   |                   |                    |
|        |     |            |                 | 1 Enl F/2/11 12Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam RVN Diag: Anxiety   |                   |                    |

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|      |     |            |                 |  | S-Staff      | F-File   |
|      |     |            |                 | 1 Enl 3d 8" HowBtry/11 12Nov69 Non-Hostile<br>Quang Nam RVN Diag: Ingrown toe nail right<br>great toe  |              |          |
|      |     |            | 131241          | 1 Enl I/3/11 12Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Fever of undetermined origin<br>1 Enl H/3/11 10Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: 2d and 3d degree back when gaso-<br>line exploded in stove while he was cook-<br>ing in unit area<br>1 Enl MortBtry/1/11 12Nov69 Non-Hostile<br>Quang Nam RVN Diag: Avulsion extension slip<br>and contracture   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 141630          | Drop Off 0 Enl 13 Join Off 0 Enl 10  |              |          |
|      |     |            | 141320          | 1 Enl K/4/11 13Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam   |              |          |
|      |     | (cont. 14  |                 | RVN Laceration left middle finger when caught<br>Nov fur-<br>ther on) his finger in breech of 155MM Gun while load-<br>ing in unit area  |              |          |
|      |     |            | 151630          | Drop Off 2 Enl 10 Join Off 7 Enl 22  |              |          |
|      |     |            | 151335          | 1 Enl K/4/13 14Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Colles FX left wrist when he fell off<br>bunker while laying on it<br>1 Enl HqBtry/4/11 14Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang<br>Nam RVN Sprained left ankle when he fell off<br>stairs while in unit area<br>1 Enl B/1/13 14Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Fever of undetermined origin<br>1 Enl G/3/11 14Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Fever of undetermined origin |              |          |
|      |     |            | 151337          | 1 Enl 3d 8" HowBtry/11 14Nov69 Non-Hostile<br>Quang Nam RVN Diag: Infectious mononucleosis   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 141321          | 1 Enl 3d 8" HowBtry/11 13Nov69 Non-Hostile<br>Quang Nam RVN Diag: Partial bilateral hearing<br>loss. Complained of hearing loss  |              |          |
|      |     |            | 161630          | Drop Off 2 Enl 0 Join Off 1 Enl 8  |              |          |
|      |     |            | 160800          | 1 Enl 3d 175MM GunBtry/11 15Nov69 Non-Hostile<br>Quang Nam RVN Diag: Fever of undetermined<br>origin<br>1 Enl HqBtry/3/11 15Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang<br>Nam RVN Diag: Fever of undetermined origin<br>1 Enl 3d 175MM GunBtry/11 14 Nov69 Non-<br>Hostile Quang Nam RVN FX right distal fibula<br>when he was involved in a fight with another<br>Marine in unit area  |              |          |
|      |     |            | 161318          | 1 Enl HqBtry/4/11 15Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang<br>Nam RVN Pain 2 degree to right medial malle-<br>olus  |              |          |

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|      |        |            |  | 1 Enl E/2/11 15Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Hearing loss. ComPlained of hearing loss. |              |          |
|      | 171630 |            | Drop Off 0 Enl 10 Join Off 0 Enl 23  |   |              |          |
|      | 181630 |            | Drop Off 0 Enl 15 Join Off 1 Enl 24  |   |              |          |
|      | 191630 |            | Drop Off 0 Enl 14 Join Off 0 Enl 10  |   |              |          |
|      | 191151 |            | 1 Enl HqBtry/11 18Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Emotionally unstable personality  |   |              |          |
|      | 201630 |            | Drop Off 0 Enl 0 Join Off 0 Enl 13   |   |              |          |
|      | 201322 |            | 1 Enl HqBtry/3/11 19Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Cellulitis right thumb  |   |              |          |
|      | 211630 |            | Drop Off 0 Enl 5 Join Off 0 Enl 2  |   |              |          |
|      | 211322 |            | 1 Enl A/1/13 20Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Seizure disorder   |   |              |          |
|      |        |            | 1 Enl H/3/11 20Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Urethral calculus recurrent  |   |              |          |
|      |        |            | 1 Enl MortBtry/1/13 20Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Depression  |   |              |          |
|      |        |            | 1 Enl MortBtry/2/11 20Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN 1st degree burns forehead and cheeks when powder he was handling ignited injuring him ( no en contact ) |   |              |          |
|      | 221630 |            | Drop Off 0 Enl 5 Join Off 0 Enl 6  |   |              |          |
|      | 221135 |            | 1 Enl HqBtry/4/11 21Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Abdominal pain with etiology unk  |   |              |          |
|      | 231630 |            | Drop Off 2 Enl 15 Join Off 0 Enl 12  |   |              |          |
|      | 231538 |            | 1 Enl G/3/11 22Nov69 Hostile Quang Nam RVN<br>Multiple frag wds abdomen and right elbow<br>fr en booby-trap while on Co size search and clear operation          |   |              |          |
|      |        |            | 1 Enl I/3/11 22Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Fever of undetermined origin   |   |              |          |
|      | 231539 |            | 1 Enl 1st 8" HowBtry/11 22Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Injected scratches right leg  |   |              |          |
|      | 241630 |            | Drop Off 2 Enl 10 Join Off 1 Enl 16  |   |              |          |
|      | 241320 |            | 1 Enl 3d 175MM GunBtry/11 22Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN FX left navicular wrist when playing basketball in unit area                                      |   |              |          |
|      |        |            | 1 Enl HqBtry/11 23Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Possible alcoholism   |   |              |          |
|      | 251630 |            | Drop Off 2 Enl 10 Join Off 0 Enl 12  |   |              |          |
|      | 251201 |            | 1 Enl F/2/11 24Nov69 Non-Hostile Quang Nam<br>RVN Diag: Fever of undetermined origin   |   |              |          |

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|         | J-1  | 010001H    |                 | JOURNAL OPENED   |                   |                    |
| 011800H | J-2  | 011230H    |                 | G Btry, 3/11 fired a mission on 5 NVA in the open at grid (BT020113) with a surveillance of 2 KIA. Mike Company swept area. Found 2 KIA by a rtillery and 1 KIA by small arms. Found NVA and Chinese documents, NVA clothing, pay roster and 50,000 piasters.  |                   |                    |
| 071130H | J-3  | 070830H    |                 | Kilo Company, 3/26 found 9 140mm rockets (Russian Made)  |                   |                    |
| 072330H | J-4  | 072230H    |                 | Alfa Reaction Company reported 3 incoming rockets. Shrapnel in area resulted in 1 minor wound. Alfa line reports 2 craters vicinity post 7. Condition I set. Late entry - erroneous report.  |                   |                    |
| 081420H | J-5  | 081220H    |                 | Kilo Company, 3/26 moving toward check point #4 found 1 140mm rocket complete with motor and fuze assembly. Rocket set at azimuth 191, not in prepared position.   |                   |                    |
| 100020H | J-6  | 092320H    |                 | Bravo 1/11 spot report. Launch round 42 inches long, 107mm rocket or 250lb bomb. Round impacted base first and 1 to 2 minutes later observed emitting sparks and fumes from side of projectile along long axis. Round observed to be flattened by launch. Along same side are 4 threaded cavities 1 to 2 inches in diameter and 2 inches deep. Arty liaison and B5A performed crater analysis Back AZ 3380 mills. Observed extreme heat expelled burned explosives fillers near round. |                   |                    |
| 100715H | J-7  | 110635H    |                 | HqBn spot report. Received total of 5 rockets. Two impacted at (AT967555), 1 each impacted at (AT940742), (AT951758) and (AT947755). Team dispatched from 11th Marines to conduct crater analysis.   |                   |                    |
| 111100H | J-8  | 111100H    |                 | 11th Mar FDC spot report. Recon Bn 1 crater at (AT96167532), 140mm rocket fuze quick, azimuth 3768 mills. 26 Marines (AT950758) 4 craters, 140mm rockets quick fuze, azimuth 4052 mills. No KIA, 2 WIA, 1 emergency, 1 minor. Six foot hole in 26th Marine LZ matting.   |                   |                    |
| 121130H | J-9  | 121130H    |                 | 3/11 spot report. A 5 ton truck from 1st 8" Howitzer hit an estimated 100lb. box mine. Truck totally demolished, 4 WIA, 2 from 7thMarines and 2 from 1st 8".   |                   |                    |
| 162040H | J-10 | 162120H    |                 | 11th Mar spot report. HqBtry 2½ ton truck returning EM Club workers to DaNang was fired on vicinity of site where hospital ship Helgoland docks. Driver received glass in right eye. Vehicle returned to CP.   |                   |                    |

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| IN      | OUT  |            |  |                             | M-Maps       | T-Troops |
| 170005H | J-11 | 162300H    | NSDC spot report. At approximately 162300H Nov patrol moving out along east side of perimeter wire came under fire from sentries manning bunker located between towers 5 and 6 manned by transit personnel. One member of the patrol was shot and expired before medical aid could be administered.                      |                             | S-Staff      | F-File   |
| 171700H | J-12 | 16 Nov     | 4/11 spot report. Village of Cam-Hoa received 7 81mm mortar rounds. One villager KIA. 4/11 interpreter states villagers believe mortar attack on 4/11 is likely either tonight or tomorrow night.  |                             |              |          |
| 191630H | J-13 | 191500H    | 4/11 spot report. Patrol found following items at grid (AT981702). Fifteen rocket sites, 6 aiming stakes, wedge shaped cuts on river banks for small boats, concealed OP in tree with good observation of hill 34. At grid (AT976700) 3 men ran as patrol approached. SSDC will send out patrol to destroy rocket sites. |                             |              |          |
| 191630H | J-14 | 191130H    | 2/11 spot report. FO detached from 2/11 to 2/5 shot by sniper on search and sweep mission. Died on medivac helo of chest wound.  |                             |              |          |
| 210050H | J-15 | 210025H    | NSDC spot report. Friendly security patrol had contact with unknown size enemy force at (AT965711) which resulted in 1 USMC WIA and medivac.   |                             |              |          |
| 272020H | J-16 | 271940H    | NSDC spot report. Ambush had 5-7 mortar rounds, estimated 60mm, impact 150 meters from position at (AT919731). Observed 2 figures running vicinity (AT956736).   |                             |              |          |

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SUBJ: CHINFO # 305 From 010001Z to 012400Z November 1969.

1. Significant Events.

a. At 011200Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 30 VC in the open at grid AF 092373. Observed by CHILI PEPPER (61).  
 SURVEILLANCE: Negative.

b. At 011230Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 30 VC in the open at grid AF 092373. Observed by CHILI PEPPER (61).  
 SURVEILLANCE: Cache of U.S. 752 gear and 8 mortar rounds.

c. At 011330Z, Battery E, 4th Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 30 HVA in the tree line at grid AF 09123736. Observed by CHILI PEPPER (61).  
 SURVEILLANCE: Negative.

d. At 011350Z, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines and Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on HVA/WU in bunkers at grid AF 021540. Observed by Division A-O. (CO-OPING 4).  
 SURVEILLANCE: 4 bunkers destroyed.

(1st RPTING)

a. At 311500Z, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 30 VC at grid AF 177403. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 17th Marines (63).  
 SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target; no observed casualties.

b. At 311650Z, Battery E, 4th Battalion, 17th Marines and Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 30-40 VC at grid AF 066447. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 17th Marines (63).  
 SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target; no observed casualties.

(REPORTED SURVEILLANCE)

a. At 311500Z, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 17th Marine fired on 30 VC at grid AF 177403. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 17th Marines (63). REPORTED BY LOCAL RF UNIT.  
 SURVEILLANCE: 15 KIA.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

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|                      |     |
|----------------------|-----|
| 1st Marines          | 33  |
| 5th Marines          | 67  |
| 7th Marines          | 104 |
| 26th Marines         | 225 |
| Recon                | 2   |
| General Support      | 92  |
| AVM                  | 1   |
| Opa FIRE TONG CANYON | 44  |
| Total                | 568 |

5. Body surveillance.

KIA 15  
Bodies destroyed 4  
Cache of U.S. 752 Gear and  
8 Mortar rounds.

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FROM: ELEVATION 102

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SUBJ: REPORT # 306 From 020000Z to 082400Z November 1969

1. Significant Events.

1. At 020000Z, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 2 VC carrying pack and rifles, grid E 010544. Observed by RIC GRADS B1. SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

(LATE ENTRY)

2. At 041500Z, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on bunkers, grid E 020543. Observed by RIC GRADS B1. SURVEILLANCE: 5 Structures destroyed

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached form.4. Assimilation of Mortars.

|                       |     |
|-----------------------|-----|
| 1st Marines           | 22  |
| 5th Marines           | 95  |
| 7th Marines           | 83  |
| 26th Marines          | 250 |
| General Support       | 52  |
| Reson                 | 3   |
| Open PIPERIDGE CANYON | 32  |
| Total                 | 537 |

5. Daily Surveillance.

KIA 2

Structures destroyed 5

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SUBJ: REPORT # 307 From 050000H to 032400H November 1969.

**1. Significant Events**

a. At 0515Z, Battery 3, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 6 VC with guns and rifles at grid AF 83755446. Observed by KIA CHARGE (81).  
SURVEILLANCE: 6 KIA, 3 structures destroyed.

b. At 0316Z, Battery 7, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 10 VC at grid AF 832504. Observed by KIA CHARGE (81).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

(LAST ENTRY)

c. At 021600H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired an ordnance cache at grid AF 923636. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines (64).  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 secondary explosions.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached form.

4. Decapitulation of Marines.

|                   |            |
|-------------------|------------|
| 1st Marines       | 44         |
| 5th Marines       | 91         |
| 7th Marines       | 93         |
| 26th Marines      | 256        |
| General support   | 65         |
| Recon             | 3          |
| OPP PRACTICE GUNN | 32         |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>584</b> |

5. Daily Surveillance.

|                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| *KIA                 | 7 |
| structures destroyed | 3 |
| secondary explosions | 4 |

\*All of the seven KIA's were due to KIA CHARGE (81).

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SUBJ: STATUS OF 308 From 040000H to 042400H November 1969

1. Significant Events

a. At 040940H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 WVA in the open, grid AT 80135450. Observed by 2d CHANES St.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

b. At 041230H, Battery C, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 5 WVA at grid AT 800413. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines (64).

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

(CONT'D)

c. At 031730H, Battery B, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 7 WVA, grid AT 800538. Observed by 2d CHANES St.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA, 3 Boxcars destroyed.

d. At 032030H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on lights, grid AT 80144076. Observed by 2d CHANES St.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 Secondary explosions

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.4. Decimilization of Missions.

|                       |     |
|-----------------------|-----|
| 1st Marines           | 27  |
| 5th Marines           | 85  |
| 7th Marines           | 64  |
| 2d Battalion          | 202 |
| General Support       | 81  |
| Recon                 | 5   |
| Open PILOTS/AM GANTON | 38  |
| Total                 | 502 |

5. Daily Surveillances.

Secondary Explosions

Boxcars destroyed

KIA

4

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Two of the four KIA's were due to Rio Grande 80+81 (.81-1 KIA 80 - 1 KIA)

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1. Significant Events.

a. At 0515Z, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 5 VC at grid A7 046506. Observed by A10 CHAOS (S1).  
 SURVEILLANCE: 2 LA.

b. At 0515Z, Platoon B, 3rd 10" Howitzer Battery fired on Enemy bunkers at grid A7 046543. Observed by A10 CHAOS (S1).  
 SURVEILLANCE: 1 LA; 1 bunker destroyed.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached form.4. Decapitulation of Marines.

|                   |     |
|-------------------|-----|
| 1st Marines       | 42  |
| 5th Marines       | 87  |
| 7th Marines       | 69  |
| 26th Marines      | 216 |
| General Support   | 57  |
| Avion             | 3   |
| One PLATOON SAWED | 20  |
| Total             | 494 |

5. Daily Surveillance.

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| LA                | 3 |
| Bunkers destroyed | 1 |

\*All three of the reported LA's were due to A10 CHAOS (S1).

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SUBJ: SURVEY # 390 From 060001Z to 062400Z November 1968

1. Significant Events

a. At 060500Z, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 1 VC in a house, grid # 012508. Observed by R/C GRANDE 01.  
SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA

b. At 061500Z, Battery E, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 VC in the open, grid # 011471. Observed by team (OPFOR) 10C.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 Structure destroyed, rounds on target

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Accumulation of Casualties

|                               |        |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| 1st Marines                   | 26     |
| 3rd Marines                   | 78     |
| 7th Marines                   | 61     |
| 26th Marines                  | 199    |
| General Support               | 103    |
| Recon                         | 6      |
| <br>[OAK PIPES SPRINGS CANYON | <br>24 |
| ARVN                          | 1      |
| Total                         | 498    |

5. Daily Surveillances

|                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| *KIA                 | 5 |
| Structures destroyed | 1 |

\* The 5 KIA were due to R/C GRANDE 01.

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SUBJ: SILENTMAN MAR FROM 070000H to 072400H November 1968

## 1. Significant Events.

a. At 071030H, Battery L, 3rd Battalion, 19th Marines fired on a VC Company in the open, grid RF 117403. Observed by Army unit (KIA 6).

SURVEILLANCE: Negative

b. At 071310H, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 19th Marines fired on bunkers and trails, grid RF 04520. Observed by AC 12.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 house destroyed

c. At 071530H, Battery L, 3rd Battalion, 19th Marines fired on 20 NVA, grid RF 94444. Observed by 1st Battalion, 7th Marines (61).

SURVEILLANCE: Negative

## (LATE ARRIVED)

a. At 061920H, Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 19th Marines fired on 6 VC burying bodies, grid RF 075401. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines (62).

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

b. At 064201H, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 19th Marines fired on 10 W in the open, grid RF C513413. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines (63).

SURVEILLANCE: 2 rounds on target

c. At 064500H, Battery P, 2nd Battalion, 19th Marines fired on 20 W on a trail, grid RF 805509. Observed by AC GRADE 05.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. The attached forms.4. Reinforcement of Marines.

|             |    |
|-------------|----|
| 1st Marines | 34 |
| 5th Marines | 91 |
| 7th Marines | 67 |

\* At 071500 (on PREBUTTE CANYON TERMINATED)

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|                       |     |
|-----------------------|-----|
| 25th Marines          | 285 |
| General Support       | 437 |
| ARV                   |     |
| Recon                 | 1   |
| Opns DIVISION CAV BDE |     |
| Total                 | 664 |

**5. Duty personnel**

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| *KIA            | 2 |
| Reach destroyed | 1 |

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SUBJ: SETREP # 312 From 080000H to 082400H November 1969.

1. Significant Events

a. At 080008H, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a mortar site reported by 450 at grid AF 921781. Unobserved.  
 SURVEILLANCE: Negative.

b. At 081100H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 1 VC in a booch at grid AF 810511. Observed by RIO GRANDE 81.  
 SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

c. At 081317H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 9 VC at grid AF 846542. Observed by RIO GRANDE 80.  
 SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA; 1 secondary explosion

d. At 081400H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 VC in the open at grid AF 824519. Observed by RIO GRANDE 81.  
 SURVEILLANCE: 7 KIA; 2 booches destroyed

## (LAPE SERIES)

a. At 071630H, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 VC at grid AF 914327. Observed by RIO GRANDE 82.  
 SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

b. At 071655H, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 15VA at grid AF 910382. Observed by RIO GRANDE 82.  
 SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

c. At 071730H, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 1 3VA at grid AF 895383. Observed by RIO GRANDE 82.  
 SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

d. At 072025H, Battery B, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on suspected enemy movement at grid AF 904660. Observed by an observer from 2nd Battalion 1st Marines (64).  
 SURVEILLANCE: 1 secondary exploded.

e. At 072230H, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on lighter at grid AF 906375. Observed by RIO GRANDE 82.  
 SURVEILLANCE: 1 secondary explosion.

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2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Identification of Missions.

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 1st Marines     | 55  |
| 5th Marines     | 89  |
| 7th Marines     | 57  |
| 26th Marines    | 265 |
| General support | 48  |

5. Daily Surveillance

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| WIA                  | 24 |
| Hooses destroyed     | 2  |
| Secondary explosions | 1  |

\*All 96 WIA's were due to 210 GRADN 80 (9 WIA's), 210 GRADN 83 (8 WIA's), and 820 GRADN 82 (4 WIA's).

6. Artillery Observer School. On 7 November 1969 an Artillery Observer school was held for 30 students from Iacob and 65 students from CAP. After 2 hours of classroom instruction Battery C, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines and Battery E, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired 10 missions during the 2 1/2 hours of practical application conducted.

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SUBJ: SITREP # 313 From 090000H to 092400H November 1969

## 1. Significant Events

a. At 091030H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 11 VC in the open at grid # 957523. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines.

SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA.

b. At 091037H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC in bushes at grid # 861543. Observed by RIO GRANDE 50.

SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA; 1 bunker destroyed.

c. At 091224H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 9 VC at grid # 84152433. Observed by RIO GRANDE 50.

SURVEILLANCE: 6 KIA; 1 bunker destroyed.

d. At 091305H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 1 VC in rocks at grid # 882897. Observed by RIO GRANDE 60.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA; 1 secondary explosion.

## (LATE ENTRIES)

a. At 091320H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 30 VC at grid # 873498. Observed by DIPLOMACY (ARVN Unit).

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

b. At 091540H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC at grid # 81465022. Observed by RIO GRANDE 51.

SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA; 2 hooches destroyed.

c. At 092045H, Battery E, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired prop fuses at grid # 093469. Observed by an observer from 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines (64).

SURVEILLANCE: 8 secondary explosions.

d. At 092145H, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 hooches at grid # 904470. Observed by RIO GRANDE 52.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 hooches destroyed.

## (SURVEILLANCE UPDATE)

a. At 092400H, Battery E, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 70 VC at grid # 093413. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines (63).

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

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2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Accomplishment of Missions

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 1st Marines     | 62  |
| 3rd Marines     | 106 |
| 7th Marines     | 104 |
| 25th Marines    | 210 |
| General Support | 74  |
| Recon           |     |
| Total           | 557 |

5. Daily Surveillance

|                       |    |
|-----------------------|----|
| *KIA                  | 22 |
| Booby traps destroyed | 4  |
| Bunkers destroyed     | 2  |
| Incendiary explosions | 4  |

6. Artillery Observers School. On 8 November 1969 an Artillery Observer School was held for 55 students from CAP and 24 students from MI III. After 2 hours of classroom instruction Battery K, 4th Battalion, 17th Marines and Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired 4 missions during the 2 hours of practical application conducted.

\*15 of the 22 reported KIA's were due to the following:  
RIO GRANDE 80 (10); RIO GRANDE 67 (4); and RIO GRANDE 66 (1).

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SUBJ: STRIKE: 314 From 100000Z to 102400Z November 1968

## 1. Significant Events.

a. At 100430Z, Battery Z, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a mortar site, grid AF 902677. Observed by CMA (404).

SURVEILLANCE: Negative

b. At 100517Z, Batteries I and K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a TAC at grid AF 949569. Observed by 1st Marines (V1).

SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA, 6 CRASHED grenades

c. At 101020Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 15/20 RVs, grid AF 92145410. Observed by LYNCH LAW 61.

SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA

d. At 101045Z, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 4 VC, grid AF 91163775. Observed by LYNCH LAW 62.

SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA

e. At 101120Z, Battery K, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 2 VC on the move at grid AF 89563634. Observed by LYNCH LAW 62.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

f. At 101215Z, Battery K, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on a VC trail, grid AF 9573761. Mission observed by LYNCH LAW 62.

SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA, 3 WIA, 3 probable KIA

g. At 101240Z, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 9 VC carrying pack and rifles, grid AF 92583676. Observed by LYNCH LAW 62.

SURVEILLANCE: 9 KIA, 1 Water buffalo wounded

h. At 101325Z, Battery B, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC in a boat, grid AF 96395250. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines (PATRIOT 61).

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA, 1 Probable KIA

i. At 101415Z, Battery Z, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC, grid AF 91393790. Observed by LYNCH LAW 62.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

j. At 101515Z, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on an enemy mortar position at grid AF 92483593. Observed by LYNCH LAW 62.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

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1. At 094500, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 1 VC, grid AF 90289621. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82. SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

(LATE ENTRY)

2. At 094700, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 VAs/VC with morts, grid AF 93253630. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82. SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Decommission of Missions.

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 1st Marines     | 46  |
| 5th Marines     | 85  |
| 7th Marines     | 76  |
| 26th Marines    | 220 |
| General Support | 72  |
| None            | 1   |
| Total           | 500 |

5. Daily Surveillance.

|                           |    |
|---------------------------|----|
| KIA                       | 33 |
| Probable KIA              | 1  |
| KIA                       | 4  |
| After Buffalo counted     | 1  |
| CB from Grenades captured | 6  |

\* 29 of the 36 KIA were due to LYNCH LAW (81 - 4 KIA 82 - 25 KIA)

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SUBJ: SITREP # 375 From 110000H to 112400H November 1969

4. Significant Events

a. At 110240H, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 RCT pictures, grid AT 948573. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

b. At 111223H, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC at grid AT 90925990. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

c. At 111300H, Battery C, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC in open, grid AT 969338. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines (64).

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

d. At 111330H, Battery E, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC carrying pack and rifles, grid AT 838479. Observed by Recon (CARDOCH).

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA, 1 Probable KIA

e. At 111343H, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC in open, grid AT 909267. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

f. At 111403H, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC in bushes, grid AT 94893614. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82.

SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA

## (LATE ENTRIE)

a. At 101750H, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 60 suspected VC, grid AT 92243951. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

b. At 101835H, Battery C, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on an active mortar site, grid ME 025405. Observed by Recon (WALSH GUT 63).

SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target

c. At 101835H, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC grid AT 93333666. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82.

SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA

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4. At 102130H, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a booby-trapped area, grid AT 083667. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines (64).

SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target

5. At 102230H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on an active mortar site, grid AT 838674. Unobserved (reported by 4SC).

SURVEILLANCE: Negative

(Corrected Entry to SITREP # 314).

6. At 104230H, Battery L, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a VC trail, grid AT 93723761. Observed by LYNN LAW 82. Instead of 3 KIA, 3 WIA, the surveillance should read 3 Probable KIA, 3 WIA.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Reconnaissance of Placings.

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 1st Marines     | 60  |
| 5th Marines     | 77  |
| 7th Marines     | 114 |
| 26th Marines    | 236 |
| General Support | 44  |
| RECON           | 3   |
| Total           | 534 |

5. Daily Surveillance.

\*KIA 14

\*WIA (Probable) 1

\* Nine of the <sup>(14)</sup> KIA's were observed by REGT OP's.

\* Includes the 3 Probable WIA in the ~~surveillance~~ to 14.

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SUBJ: ARMY: 316 From 120000Z to 122400Z November 1969

1. ~~Classification/Declassification~~

a. At 120220Z, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a mortar site at grid # 020523. Observed by CAV (48A).  
 SURVAILANCE: Negative

b. At 120440Z, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a mortar site at grid # 020521. Observed by CAV (29L).  
 SURVAILANCE: Negative

c. At 120700Z, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC at grid # 020526. Observed by LYNN LAV 61.  
 SURVAILANCE: 1 KIA.

d. At 121115Z, Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC at grid # 020519. Observed by LYNN CAV 64.  
 SURVAILANCE: 1 KIA.

e. At 121250Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC at grid # 020519. Observed by LYNN LAV 62.  
 SURVAILANCE: 2 KIA.

f. At 121330Z, Platorm A, 1st 9" Howitzer Battery fired on bunkers at grid # 014001. Observed by LYNN LAV 61.  
 SURVAILANCE: 5 KIA; 5 bunkers destroyed.

g. At 121340Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 NVA in a house at grid # 020511. Observed by LYNN LAV 62.  
 SURVAILANCE: 3 KIA.

(LYNN LAV 61)

a. At 120345Z, Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on VC - late on at grid # 157463. Observed by Army (H-1).  
 SURVAILANCE: 7 KIA.

b. At 120345Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 rice pickers at grid # 020573. Observed by LYNN LAV 62.  
 SURVAILANCE: 1 KIA.

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a. At 111222Z, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC at grid AT 90923900. Observed by LYNN LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

b. At 111420Z, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC in the open at grid AT 919360. Observed by LYNN LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

c. At 111600Z, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC at grid AT 909320. Observed by LYNN LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

d. At 111610Z, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 7 VC at grid AT 909341. Observed by LYNN LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

e. At 111630Z, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 NVA and 1 Motor Buffalo at grid AT 919375. Observed by LYNN LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 6 KIA, 1 Motor Buffalo and 1 truck destroyed.

f. At 111730Z, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines, Battery E, 4th Battalion, 13th Marines and Platoon B, 1st C Mortar Battery fired on an NVA Company at grid AT 933366. Observed by LYNN LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.

g. At 111730Z, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 VC at grid AT 970380. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines (62).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA, 1 Bomocracy explosion.

h. At 111740Z, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a mortar site at grid AT 963349. Observed by CBN (42).  
SURVEILLANCE: Negative.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Accumulation of Mortars.

|                 |            |            |
|-----------------|------------|------------|
| 1st Marines     | 58         | 69         |
| 9th Marines     | 70         | 84         |
| 7th Marines     | 67         | 83         |
| 26th Marines    | 169        | 270        |
| General Support | 51         | 63         |
| ARVN            |            | 1          |
| Iocen           | 1          | 2          |
| <b>Total</b>    | <b>416</b> | <b>572</b> |

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~~CONFIDENTIAL~~5. Parley Surveillance.

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| *KIA                 | 36 |
| Bunkers Destroyed    | 5  |
| Hooches destroyed    | 1  |
| Water Buffalo Killed | 1  |
| Secondary explosions | 1  |

\*27 of the reported 36 KIA'S were due to the following LYNCH LAW 50 (2 KIA'S),  
LYNCH LAW 51 (8 KIA'S) and LYNCH LAW 52 (17 KIA'S).

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a. At 111234, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC at grid AT 90923990. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

b. At 111428, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC in the open at grid AT 909360. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

c. At 111600, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC at grid C 89022. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

d. At 111613, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 7 VC at grid AT 909541. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

e. At 111630, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 NVA and 1 Water Buffalo at grid AT 919375. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 6 KIA, 1 Water Buffalo and 1 house destroyed.

f. At 111735, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 13th Marines and Platoon B, 1st 8" Howitzer Battery fired on an NVA Company at grid AT 933366. Observed by LYNCH LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.

g. At 111750, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 20 VC at grid AT 970380. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines (62).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA; 1 Secondary explosion.

h. At 112104, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a mortar site at grid AT 965549. Observed by OPI (40A).  
Surveillance: Negative.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Despatch. See attached forms.

4. Decommissioning of Missions.

|                 |            |            |
|-----------------|------------|------------|
| 1st Marines     | 58         | 69         |
| 9th Marines     | 70         | 84         |
| 7th Marines     | 57         | 83         |
| 26th Marines    | 169        | 270        |
| General support | 51         | 63         |
| ARVN            |            | 1          |
| Icon            | 1          | 2          |
| <b>Total</b>    | <b>416</b> | <b>572</b> |

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5. Daily Surveillance.

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| *KIA                 | 36 |
| Bunkers Destroyed    | 5  |
| Hooches destroyed    | 1  |
| Water Buffalo Killed | 1  |
| Secondary explosions | 1  |

\*27 of the reported 36 KIA'S were due to the following LYNCH LAW 80 (2 KIA'S),  
LYNCH LAW 81 (8 KIA'S) and LYNCH LAW 82 (17 KIA'S).

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FROM: ELEVENTH MAR

TO: FIFTH MAR DIV

FM: 11/20/68 BY \_\_\_\_\_

SUBJ: RPT 11/20/68 FROM 130000H TO 152400H November 1968

I. ~~Significant Events~~

a. At 130657H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC at grid A6116509. Observed by LYNN LAW SL.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

b. At 130758H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on movement in huts at grid A6116511. Observed by LYNN LAW SL.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA; 1 hut and 1 bunker destroyed.

c. At 131000H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC in the open at grid A620497. Observed by LYNN LAW SL.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

d. At 131100H, Platoon A, 1st 8" Howitzer Battery fired on VC with mortars and rifles at grid A6216501. Observed by LYNN LAW SL.  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA; 2 bunkers and 1 hut destroyed.

e. At 131203H, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC at grid A7910575. Observed by LYNN LAW SL.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

f. At 131255H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 VC in bunkers at grid A624512. Observed by LYNN LAW SL.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA; 1 bunker and 1 hut destroyed.

g. At 131345H, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 VC at grid A792473601. Observed by LYNN LAW SL.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

(DATA ENTRY)

a. At 121535H, Battery H, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 VC in the open at grid A725462. Observed by LYNN (CONFIDENTIAL).  
SURVEILLANCE: 7 KIA; 2 structures destroyed and 2 secondary explosions.

b. At 121535H, Battery H, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on bunkers and movement at grid A725462. Observed by LYNN LAW SL.  
SURVEILLANCE: 8 KIA; 4 structures destroyed.

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4. At 121600H, Battery 7, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 NVA/VC at grid AF576534. Observed by LYNN LAW 60.  
KIA'S: 1 KIA.

4. At 121800H, Battery 8, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 11 NVA at grid AF333336. Observed by LYNN LAW 22.  
KIA'S: 11 KIA.

4. At 122100H, Battery 9, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a mortar site at grid AF342760. Reported by OIR (40).  
KIA'S: Negative.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See Attached Forms.

4. Decommission of Missions.

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 1st Marines     | 66  |
| 5th Marines     | 125 |
| 7th Marines     | 77  |
| 9th Marines     | 230 |
| General Support | 122 |
| Reson           | 2   |
| Total           | 622 |

5. Daily Surveillance.

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| 7.1                  | 40 |
| Battle destroyed     | 3  |
| Buildings destroyed  | 4  |
| Structures destroyed | 5  |
| Secondary explosions | 2  |

23 of the 40 KIA's were due to the following: MICH LAW 50 (1 KIA) LYNN LAW 61 (17 KIA'S) and LYNN LAW 22 (15 KIA'S).

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SUBJ: SIGHT # 318 From 100000Z to 142400Z November 1969

1. Identification Events

a. At 140700Z, Battery E, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a C.I. target, grid # 093275. Observed by 11th Marines.

SURVEILLANCE: Negative

b. At 140720Z, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC/PAK, grid # 094540. Observed by LYNN LAW 02.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

c. At 140900Z, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC carrying peaks and rifles, grid # 091237. Observed by LYNN LAW 02.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

d. At 141200Z, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 1 VC carrying a rifle, grid # 093036. Observed by LYNN LAW 02.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

e. At 141230Z, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a precision destruction, grid # 073235. Observed by LYNN LAW 02.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA, 1 Bunker destroyed

f. At 141300Z, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 1 VC carrying a rifle, grid # 081137. Observed by LYNN LAW 02.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

g. At 141330Z, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 1 PAK in the open, grid # 080437. Observed by LYNN LAW 02.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

h. At 141400Z, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC in a hut, grid # 084356. Observed by LYNN LAW 02.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

i. At 141700Z, Battery E, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 VC at grid # 075508. Observed by LYNN LAW 02.

SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA, 1 Bunker destroyed

(LAST REPORT)

o. At 141900Z, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC in the open, grid # 07527. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines.

SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA

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b. At 131032, Battery P, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC working on a bunker, grid AF 32452. Observed by LYNN LAW 81.  
SURVILLAGE: 1 KIA, 1 Bunker destroyed

c. At 131440, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on VC in a bunker, grid AF 31457. Observed by LYNN LAW 81.  
SURVILLAGE: 1 KIA

d. At 131453, Battery P, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC working on a bunker, grid AF 31519. Observed by LYNN LAW 81.  
SURVILLAGE: 4 KIA, 1 Bunker destroyed

e. At 131632, Battery K, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 1 VC carrying a pack and rifle, grid AF 31472. Observed by LYNN LAW 82.  
SURVILLAGE: 1 KIA

f. At 131740, Battery K, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 1 VC, grid AF 33336. Observed by LYNN LAW 82.  
SURVILLAGE: 1 KIA

g. At 132050, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 40 VC (contact situation), grid AF 33457. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines (62).  
SURVILLAGE: 6 KIA, 5 Bunker destroyed

h. At 132103, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a mortar site, grid AF 30652. Observed by 40A.  
SURVILLAGE: Negative

i. At 132103, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a mortar site, grid AF 30552. Observed by 40A.  
SURVILLAGE: Negative

j. At 132103, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a mortar site, grid AF 30459. Observed by 40A.  
SURVILLAGE: Negative

k. At 132151, Battery L, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on an enemy assembly area, grid AF 00674. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines (64).  
SURVILLAGE: 4 enemy explosions

2. Weather had no adverse effects on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery operations. See attached forms.

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4. Assimilation of Victims

|                 |            |
|-----------------|------------|
| 1st Marine      | 63         |
| 2nd Marine      | 98         |
| 3rd Marine      | 100        |
| 25th Marine     | 156        |
| General Support | 49         |
| ARMY            | 4          |
| RAF             | 2          |
| <b>Total</b>    | <b>472</b> |

5. Daily Surveillance

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| KIA                  | 28 |
| Bunkers destroyed    | 4  |
| RC's destroyed       | 5  |
| Secondary Explosions | 4  |

\* 23 of the 28 KIA were due to LYCH LAW.

LYCH LAW (00) 3 KIA  
 (01) 9 KIA  
 (02) 9 KIA

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JULY 1968 3 219 From 1500H to 152400H November 1968

1. Montgomery Front

a. At 150000H, Battery 3, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC at grid  $\Delta$  877446. Observed by LTCH LAW 80. SAWNILLAGE 5 KIA.

b. At 150000H, Battery 3, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 enemy platforms at grid  $\Delta$  877446. Observed by LTCH LAW 80. SAWNILLAGE 1 KIA.

c. At 150020H, Battery 3, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 VC in the open at grid  $\Delta$  875371. Observed by LTCH LAW 80. SAWNILLAGE 5 KIA.

d. At 151150H, Battery 3, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 enemy in positions at grid  $\Delta$  875376. Observed by LTCH LAW 80. SAWNILLAGE 2 KIA.

e. At 151210H, Battery 3, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 enemy in positions at grid  $\Delta$  87509. Observed by LTCH LAW 80. SAWNILLAGE 3 KIA 1 was destroyed.

f. At 151250H, Battery 3, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 20 VC at grid  $\Delta$  875371. Observed by LTCH LAW 80. SAWNILLAGE 2 KIA.

g. At 151240H, W, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC in positions at grid  $\Delta$  87452. Observed by LTCH LAW 80. SAWNILLAGE 3 KIA.

h. At 151250H, Battery 3, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC in a boat with an unknown object at grid  $\Delta$  87551. Observed by LTCH LAW 80. SAWNILLAGE 2 KIA.

i. At 151250H, Battery 3, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 20 VC in positions at grid  $\Delta$  875371. Observed by LTCH LAW 80. SAWNILLAGE 1 was destroyed.

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e. At 151605H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC at grid AF 891513. Observed by LYNN LAW 31.  
SURVIVAL: 1 KIA.

## (LAW UNITS)

a. At 140805H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC at grid AF 842547. Observed by LYNN LAW 30.  
SURVIVAL: 3 KIA.

b. At 141200H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 NVA/VC at grid AF 825541. Observed by LYNN LAW 30.  
SURVIVAL: 4 KIA; 1 structure destroyed.

c. At 142525H, Battery H, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on VC in bunker at grid AF 825510. Observed by LYNN LAW 31.  
SURVIVAL: 0 KIA.

d. At 141600H, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on suspected NVA camp at grid AF 921364. Observed by LYNN LAW 22.  
SURVIVAL: 17 KIA.

e. At 141710H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 16 NVA/VC at grid AF 899536. Observed by LYNN LAW 20.  
SURVIVAL: 11 KIA; 1 secondary explosion.

f. At 141715H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 VC at grid AF 819509. Observed by LYNN LAW 21.  
SURVIVAL: 5 KIA; 1 hut destroyed.

g. At 141750H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC in a bunker at grid AF 895517. Observed by LYNN LAW 21.  
SURVIVAL: 1 KIA.

## (LAW ARMY UNITS REPORT)

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a. At 141400H, Battery E (det), 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AF 873469 with two tubes en route to grid AF 925526. Arrived in position at 141820H. 925526

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

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~~CONFIDENTIAL~~4. Casualties of Marines.

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 1st Marine      | 56  |
| 5th Marine      | 120 |
| 7th Marine      | 86  |
| 26th Marine     | 261 |
| General Support | 80  |
| Recon           | 13  |
| Total           | 616 |

5. Body Casualties.

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| KIA                  | 73 |
| Parts destroyed      | 5  |
| Structures destroyed | 1  |
| Explosive explosions | 1  |

\*All 73 of the reported KIA's were due to the following:  
LYNCH LAW 80 (36 KIA's); LYNCH LAW 81 (30 KIA's); LYNCH LAW 82 (24 KIA's);  
and LYNCH LAW 83 (3 KIA's).

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SUBJ: AIRCRAFT + 300 FROM 160000Z TO 162400Z November 1969

1. Significant Events.

a. At 160200Z, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a VC grid at grid A278680. Observed by 2PL (LAL).

ADVERSE EFFECT: Negative.

b. At 160750Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 VC at grid A29482544. Observed by LYNN LAL (2).

ADVERSE EFFECT: 4 KIA.

c. At 161110Z, Battery M, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on VC in a bunker complex at grid A2924512. Observed by LYNN LAL (2).

ADVERSE EFFECT: 5 KIA 3 structures destroyed.

(LATE REPORT)

a. At 161655Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 enemy around a box at grid A2713979. Observed by LYNN LAL (2).

ADVERSE EFFECT: 2 KIA.

b. At 161712Z, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a VC equal of grid A226450. Observed by Army.

ADVERSE EFFECT: 2 Probable KIA 4 vehicles destroyed.

c. At 161745Z, Battery K, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines (105 TPA) fired a contact mission at grid E204045. Observed by an observer from 1st Battalion, 7th Marines (6).

ADVERSE EFFECT: 1 KIA.

d. At 162140Z, Battery H, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on enemy movement at grid A296652. Observed by LYNN LAL (2).

ADVERSE EFFECT: 2 KIA.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.Copy 1 of 1 copies~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~4. Assassination of Marines

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 1st Marines     | 51  |
| 2nd Marines     | 93  |
| 7th Marines     | 161 |
| 25th Marines    | 170 |
| Central Support | 102 |
| Recon           | 10  |
| Total           | 587 |

5. Daily Surveillance

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| KIA                  | 13 |
| Probable KIA's       | 2  |
| WIA                  | 1  |
| Structures destroyed | 3  |
| Buildings destroyed  | 4  |

\*All 13 of the 13 confirmed KIA's were due to the following:  
LYNCH LAW 61 (9 KIA's); LYNCH LAW 92 (2 KIA's); LYNN LAW 33 (2 KIA's).

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SUBJ: GEMINI / 321 From 170007Z to 172400Z

1. Significant Events

a. At 170920Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 11 VC at grid AF 093053Z. Observed by LYNN LAW 80.  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA, 2 Probable KIA, 1 structure destroyed.

b. At 171450Z, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 6 VC in a bunker, grid AF 010509. Observed by LYNN LAW 81.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

c. At 171512Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC at grid AF 923536Z. Observed by LYNN LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

(LAW 82/83)

a. At 161355Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC, grid AF 094536. Observed by LYNN LAW 83.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

b. At 161500Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 enemy soldiers carrying packs and rifles, grid AF 921371. Observed by LYNN LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

c. At 161530Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 enemy soldiers carrying packs and rifles, grid AF 921371. Observed by LYNN LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

d. At 161535Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC, grid AF 921371. Observed by LYNN LAW 84.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

e. At 161535Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 11 VC, grid AF 093510. Observed by LYNN LAW 84.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

f. At 161640Z, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on nine and booby traps, grid AF 040597. Observed by 1st Battalion, 1st Marines (64).  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 Secondary Explosions

g. At 161800Z, Platoon A, 1st B Inf fired on 16 VC, grid AF 080504. Observed by LYNN LAW 81.  
SURVEILLANCE: 10 KIA, 1 bunker destroyed, 1 hit destroyed

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b. At 161955L, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired a contact mission, grid AF 015508. Observed by the Battalion, 5th Marine (63).

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

c. At 162538L, Battery E, 4th Battalion, 17th Marines fired on a mortar site, Grid AF 001953. Reported by CDR (403).

SURVEILLANCE: Negative

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Mobilization of Forces.

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 1st Marine      | 55  |
| 5th Marine      | 92  |
| 7th Marine      | 148 |
| 2d Marine       | 244 |
| General Support | 133 |
| ROK             | 1   |
| NGA             | 5   |
| Total           | 678 |

5. Daily Summary.

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| KIA                  | 26 |
| Probable KIA         | 2  |
| Structures destroyed | 1  |
| Barriers destroyed   | 1  |
| Data destroyed       | 1  |

\*24 of the 26 KIA's were due to LYNN LAW. (0 - 4 KIA, 01 - 75 KIA, 02 - 5 KIA)

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TO: FIRST MA DIV

SUBJ: 100000Z Nov 1969

SUBJ: SIRNET # 22 From 100000Z to 102400Z November 1969

1. Significant events.

a. At 181047Z, Battery 4, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on bunkers, grid AF973527. Observed by 1st Battalion, 1st Marines.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 D/RCM destroyed.

b. At 181343Z, Battery 7, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 VC in open, grid AF366532. Observed by 1st Battalion, 11th Marines (64).

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

c. At 181545Z, Battery 8, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 VC carrying packs and rifles, grid AF672536. Observed by LYNCH LAV 30.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

## (CONT'D)

a. At 171400Z, Battery 9, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC in bunker, grid AF010509. Observed by Lynch LAV 30.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

b. At 171512Z, Battery 8, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC, grid AF925369. Observed by LYNCH LAV 32.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

c. At 171643, Battery 8, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on an enemy company, grid AF922374. Observed by LYNCH LAV 32.

SURVEILLANCE: 6 KIA.

d. At 171720Z, Battery 7, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 VC carrying packs and rifles, grid AF026513. Observed by LYNCH LAV 31.

SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.

e. At 172125Z, Battery 9, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on bunkers, grid AF023460. Observed by Recon (CARLSON).

SURVEILLANCE: 7 secondary explosions, 1 bunker destroyed.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery positions. See attached forms.

4. Assimilation of Missions.

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|                 |         |
|-----------------|---------|
| 5th Marines     | 66 80   |
| 7th Marines     | 70 84   |
| 25th Marines    | 137 206 |
| General Airport | 136 148 |
| Recon           | 5       |
| Total           | 403 604 |

5. Daily surveillance.

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| *KIA                 | 15 |
| Bunkers destroyed    | 2  |
| Secondary explosions | 7  |

\*14 of the KIA's were due to NBCS hits. 80 - 2 KIA, 81 - 4 KIA, 82 - 3 KIA.

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FROM: ELEMENTAL WAR

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SUBJ: SWING 2 103 From 190001 to 192400 November 1969

1. Significant Events

a. At 190002Z, Battery B, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired a prep fire, grid AT 073664. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines (62).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 Secondary Explosions

b. At 190032Z, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on an enemy position, grid AT 077500. Observed by 1st Battalion, 1st Marines (62).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 EIA

c. At 190810Z, Battery H, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 W, grid AT 079524. Observed by LYNN LAW 05.  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 EIA

d. At 191330Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 1 W, grid AT 009362. Observed by LYNN LAW 02.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 EIA

## (LAND SUPPORT)

a. At 171940Z, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 40 W, grid AT 079508. Observed by 1st Battalion, 5th Marines (63).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 EIA

b. At 181830Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 7 W, grid AT 076544. Observed by LYNN LAW 00.  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 EIA

c. At 192010Z, Batteries D, E, F, G, and W, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines and 1st 8" A fired on 30 W, grid AT 007517 and AT 005514. Reported by W (22) (IMTEL).  
SURVEILLANCE: Negative

2. Heat as had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

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4. Assimilation of Minefields

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 4th Marines     | 79  |
| 5th Marines     | 94  |
| 7th Marines     | 85  |
| 26th Marines    | 225 |
| General Support | 114 |
| Beach           | 5   |
| Total           | 602 |

5. Patrol Surveillances

\*KIA 8

Secondary Explosions 1

→ 7 of the 8 KIA's were due to LYCH LAW, 80-3K1A - 82-1K1A  
83 - 3 KIA.

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DATE: 010000Z Nov 1968 to 202400Z November 1968

1. Significant Events

a. At 200000Z, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a CH-47 Target, grid AF 966506. Observed by 4th Battalion, 11th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Negative

b. At 204400Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC, grid AF 820512. Observed by LYNN LAW 01.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA, 1 Rubber destroyed

c. At 204400Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines, fired on 1 VC in a hut, grid AF 908571. Observed by LYNN LAW 02.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

d. At 204500Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 PVA, grid 8205577. Observed by LYNN LAW 03.  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA

e. At 204500Z, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fire on 3 VC, grid 003526. Observed by 11th Marines 03. (LYNN LAW)  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA, 2 Probable KIA

## (UPDATES)

a. At 190800Z, Company C, 1st Battalion, 7th Marines found one PVA/VC KIA by artillery, grid AF 965322.

b. At 194200Z, Company E, 3rd Battalion, 25th Marines found one body killed by artillery, grid AF 914035. The KIA was accredited to Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines.

## (LATE ENTRY)

a. At 194750Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 PVA, grid AF 865595. Observed by LYNN LAW 04.  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA

b. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

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~~CONFIDENTIAL~~3. ~~Assault Operations.~~ See attached forms.4. ~~Identification of Wounds.~~

|                 |            |
|-----------------|------------|
| 1st Marines     | 66         |
| 5th Marines     | 111        |
| 7th Marines     | 102        |
| 25th Marines    | 272        |
| Recon           | 4          |
| General Support | 51         |
| <b>Total</b>    | <b>605</b> |

5. ~~Army Surveillance.~~

MIA 13

Probable KIA 2

Bunker destroyed 1

\* of the KIA's were due to Lynch LAW. 80-7 KIA, 81-2 KIA 82-1 KIA, 83-4 KIA.

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SUBJ: SEDAR 525 From 210001Z to 212400Z November 1969.

1. Significant Events

a. At 210145Z, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a Master Site, grid 909661. Reported by 29L.  
SURVEILLANCE: Negative.

b. At 210313Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 RIA, grid 85745422. Observed by LYNN LAW 83.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

c. At 211406Z, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 W, grid 85010524. Observed by LYNN LAW 83.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

d. At 211440, Battery A, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on suspected Enemy, grid 905571. Observed by LYNN LAW 82.  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA/1 WIA.

e. At 211700Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 5 W, (Contact with Enemy), grid 957578. Observed by LYNN LAW 83.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

f. At 201634Z, Battery E, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 40 W, grid 869550. Observed by an FQ from 1st Battalion, 5th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 6 KIA.

g. At 202100, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a Contact Mission, grid 821578. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

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~~CONFIDENTIAL~~4. Demobilization of Marines.

|                 |            |
|-----------------|------------|
| 1st Marines     | 62         |
| 5th Marines     | 114        |
| 7th Marines     | 92         |
| 26th Marines    | 273        |
| General Support | 45         |
| Recon           | 4          |
| <b>Total</b>    | <b>590</b> |

5. Casualties.

|      |    |
|------|----|
| *KIA | 23 |
| VIA  | 1  |

\*14 of the 23 KIA's were due to LYNN LAW. 60 - 0, 61 - 3, 62 - 4, 63 - 7.

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SUBJ: REPORT # 326 FROM 2200CH, to 2200CH November 1969

4. ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ Events

a. At 220605H, Battery Z, 4th Battalion, 17th Marines fired on a VC target, grid AT 073049. Reported by 4th.  
SURVEILLANCE: Negative

b. At 220605H, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 6 VC in a hut, grid AT 073049. Observed by LYNCH LAW 03.  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA

c. At 220907H, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 4 VC in a hut, grid AT 073053. Observed by LYNCH LAW 03.  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA

d. At 220930H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 6 VC in a hut, grid AT 073053. Observed by LYNCH LAW 03.  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA, 1 Building destroyed

e. At 221005H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 1 VC carrying a pack and PAK75, grid AT 073045. Observed by LYNCH LAW 03.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

f. At 221453H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 10 NVA, grid AT 073056. Observed by LYNCH LAW 03.  
SURVEILLANCE: 7 KIA, 2 Structures destroyed, 2 Buildings destroyed

g. At 221500H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 2 VC grid AT 073047. Observed by LYNCH LAW 03.  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA

h. At 221647H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 9 VC grid AT 073050. Observed by LYNCH LAW 03.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

i. At 221700H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 5 VC, grid AT 073047. Observed by LYNCH LAW 03.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

(LINE ENTRIES)

a. At 221900H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 3 NVA in a hut, grid AT 073048. Observed by LYNCH LAW 03.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA, 1 Structure destroyed

b. At 221940H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 3 VC in a hut, grid AT 073048. Observed by LYNCH LAW 03.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

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c. At 210745H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 HVA, grid RT 096504. Observed by LYNN LAW 81.  
SURVEILLANCE: 0 KIA

d. At 214007H, Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 13 VC, grid RT 013306. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines (64).  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA

e. At 214507H, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC, grid RT 175458. Observed by ATLAS 19 (Army).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

f. At 215307H, Battery I, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a suspect position, grid RT 096500. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines (61).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA, 1 WIA

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Demobilization of Marines

|                 |     |     |
|-----------------|-----|-----|
| 1st Marines     | 13  | 83  |
| 2d Marines      | 45  | 86  |
| 7th Marines     | 16  | 70  |
| 26th Marines    | 102 | 294 |
| General Support | 13  | 94  |
| Bacon           | 3   | 5   |
| Total           | 292 | 633 |

5. Daily Summary

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| *KIA                 | 35 |
| WIA                  | 1  |
| Bunkers Destroyed    | 3  |
| Structures Destroyed | 3  |

\*31 of the 35 KIA were due to LYNN LAW.

80 had 0 KIA, 61 had 12 KIA, 62 had 0 KIA, 63 had 11 KIA

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From: 310910TH MAR

To: FIRE MARSH

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Date: 010000Z Nov 68 to 232400Z November 1968.

1. Artillery Results.

a. At 230035, Battery B, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a CHI target, grid AT 093699. Reported by 42A.  
SURVEILLANCE: Negative.

b. At 230644, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC, grid AT 009521. Observed by LYNCH LAW 03.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

c. At 231715, Battery B, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 15 KIA, grid AT 021450. Observed by each (CARTER).  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 WIA.

(ARTILLERY NOTE)

a. At 230500Z, 1 gun from Battery Y, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines displayed from grid AT 985526 enroute to AT 073455. Arrived in position at 231000Z.

(LAW UNITS)

a. At 221725Z, D Battery, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC, grid AT 071558. Observed by LYNCH LAW 00.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA, 2 BUNKERS DESTROYED.

b. At 221801Z, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines Fired on 6 VC, grid AT 019573. Observed by LYNCH LAW 02.  
SURVEILLANCE: 6 KIA.

c. At 221845Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 VC, grid AT 007361. Observed by LYNCH LAW 00.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

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~~CONFIDENTIAL~~4. Mortalities of Marines.

|                 |     |     |
|-----------------|-----|-----|
| 1st Marines     | 77  | 82  |
| 3rd Marines     | 63  | 87  |
| 7th Marines     | 46  | 55  |
| 26th Marines    | 249 | 358 |
| General Support | 64  | 71  |
| Rescon          | 2   | 5   |
| Total           | 498 | 658 |

5. Daily surveillance.

|                   |    |
|-------------------|----|
| WIA               | 11 |
| VIA               | 2  |
| Bunkers destroyed | 2  |

\*All WIA's were due to 37mm LAW. 80 - 4 KIA, 01 - OXIA, 82 - 6 KIA, 65 - 1 KIA.

6. PG School. On 21 November 1969, an PG school was held for 60 students from C.M. Battery E, 4th Battalion, 17th Marines and Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines, fixed 8 missions during the  $\frac{1}{2}$  hours of practical application.

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SUBJ: SITREP # 528 From 240000H to 242400H November 1969

## 1. Significant Events.

a. At 240052H, Battery V, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines fired on a C/N target, grid AF 083704. Reported by 48A.

SURVEILLANCE: Negative

(LAW KIAs)

a. At 240022H, Battery S, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC grid AF 083224. Observed by LIMCH LAW 83.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

b. At 234840H, Battery N, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on enemy movement, grid AF 021460. Observed by RECON (GAROUA).

SURVEILLANCE: 1 Secondary Explosion

c. At 232137H, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a C/N target, grid AF 073594. Reported by 48A.

SURVEILLANCE: Negative

d. At 232340H, Battery O, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines fired on a C/N target, grid AF 084641. Reported by 48C.

SURVEILLANCE: Negative

2. Weather had adverse effects on artillery operations during the reporting period. Several of the CP's reported poor visibility.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached form.

## 4. Recapitulation of Missions.

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 1st Marines     | 63  |
| 5th Marines     | 80  |
| 7th Marines     | 38  |
| 26th Marines    | 227 |
| General Support | 105 |
| Recon           | 2   |
| Total           | 515 |

## 5. Daily Surveillance.

|                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| KIA                  | 2 |
| Secondary Explosions | 1 |

\*Both KIA were due to LIMCH LAW 83.

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6. **ED School.** On 22 November 1969, an ED school was held for 70 students from 2nd SAB, 7 students from 2nd Division Snipers and 32 students from Co. "A", 2nd Recon. After  $2\frac{1}{2}$  hours of classroom instruction Battery C, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines and Battery K, 4th Battalion, 17th Marines fired 71 missions during the  $2\frac{1}{2}$  hours of practical application.

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TO: PIRATE WAR DAY

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SUBJ: SURREP #30 From 230000Z to 232400Z November 1969

## 1. Significant Events.

a. At 230300Z, Battery L, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on a CMR target, grid AF 030540. Reported by 45B.

SURVEILLANCE: Neg

b. At 231100Z, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 3 W, grid AF 030540. Observed by LYNN LAW CO.

SURVEILLANCE: 3KIA, 1 Structure Destroyed

c. At 231400Z, BMS Battalion, 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines found one body killed by artillery at grid AF 913550.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

d. At 231550Z, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 6 W/EVA, grid 962555. Observed by 1st Battalion, 1st Marines (3-2).

SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA 1 Prob

## (LARGE ENTRIES)

1. At 242200Z, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 17th Marines fired on a mortar site, grid AF 030540. Reported by CMR (45B).

SURVEILLANCE: Neg

2. Weather had adverse effects on artillery operations during the reporting period. Several of the CMRs reported poor visibility.

## 3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

## 4. Identification of Blows.

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 1st Marines     | 87  |
| 5th Marines     | 69  |
| 7th Marines     | 49  |
| 2d Marine       | 247 |
| General Support | 59  |
| Recon           | 5   |
| Total           | 516 |

## 5. Daily Surveillance.

|                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| *KIA                 | 7 |
| Prob KIA             | 1 |
| Structures Destroyed | 1 |

\*3 of the KIA were due to LYNN LAW CO

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SUBJ: SHMSP # 330 From 200000Z to 262400Z November 1969

1. Initial Combat Reports

a. At 250247Z, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 17th Marines fired on a CCR target, grid AT 031005. Reported by 480.

SURVEILLANCE: Negative

b. At 250402Z, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 7 NVA, grid AT 031400. Observed by SOUTHERN BATTALION (HILL 200).

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

c. At 251100Z, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on a known VC position, grid AT 030524. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

d. At 251440Z, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 3 NVA, grid AT 031510. Observed by 1st Battalion, 1st Marines 3-2.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

e. At 251510Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 3 VC, grid AT 031556. Observed by TELFUNKEN (HILL 65).

SURVEILLANCE: 0 KIA

## (LAST ENTRIES)

a. At 251530Z, Battery VI, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 6 VC, grid AT 030515. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines (62).

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA, 2 Probable KIA

b. At 251600Z, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 12 VC, grid AT 030502. Observed by VESPER BELLS (HILL 119).

SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA

c. At 251630Z, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 12 VC, grid AT 004525. Observed by VESPER BELLS (HILL 119).

SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA

d. At 251630Z, Batteries A and C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines, fired on 8 VC, grid AT 011530. Observed by 1st Battalion, 1st Marines.

SURVEILLANCE: 19 KIA

e. At 251800Z, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 9 VC, grid AT 047602. Observed by 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines (64).

SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA, 3 Secondary Explosions

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1. At 231900H, 1st 8" G fired on 6 VC, grid AF 993401. Observed by  
Rover (SLATE GREK).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 Hat destroyed, 2 Secondary explosions

2. At 231900H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 5 VC,  
grid AF 947602. Observed by 1st Battalion, 1st Marines (64).  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 Secondary explosions, blood trails

3. At 232000H, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 17th Marines fired on  
suspected mortar sites, grid AF 064681. Reported by CDR (404).  
SURVEILLANCE: Negative

4. At 232045H, 1st 8" G fired on 5 VC, grid AF 993478. Observed by  
Rover (SLATE GREK).  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

2. Monitor had adverse effects on artillery operations during the reporting  
period. Poor visibility was reported by some G's.

3. Artillery Operations: See attached forms.

4. Personnelization of Marines:

|                 |            |
|-----------------|------------|
| 1st Marines     | 69         |
| 2d Marines      | 138        |
| 3d Marines      | 39         |
| 25th Marines    | 303        |
| General Support | 31         |
| Rover           | 7          |
| MEDEVAC ARVN    | 1          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>    | <b>588</b> |

5. Daily Surveillance:

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| OKIA                 | 39 |
| Prob KIA             | 2  |
| Secondary Explosions | 9  |
| Hats Destroyed       | 1  |

TRIPSKIN (HILL 65), 200  
GOMO (HILL 700), 1 KIA  
WESTER HILLS (HILL 100), 6 KIA

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1. Significant Events.

- a. At 270200H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a CMR target, grid AT 859873. Reported by 400. SURVEILLANCE: Negative.
- b. At 270240H, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a CMR target, grid AT 870689. Reported by 400. SURVEILLANCE: Negative.
- c. At 270730H, Battery H, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 RCT, grid AT 913339. Observed by USAR 5TH (TIDE). SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.
- d. At 270940H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 12 VC carrying rifles, grid AT 857355. Observed by USAR 5TH (TIDE). SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.
- e. At 270950H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC, grid AT 964545. Observed by USAR 5TH (TIDE). SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.
- f. At 271105H, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC, grid AT 995344. Observed by First Battalion, First Marines 1-2. SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.
- g. At 271115H, Battery W, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC, grid AT 937516. Observed by PAT DAY 22A, 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines. SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.
- h. At 271115H, Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC in open, grid AT 07401. Observed by TIDE CPT 64. SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.
- i. At 271330H, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC carrying packs and rifles, grid AT 920374. Observed by USAR 5TH (TIDE). SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.
- j. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.
- k. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

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|                 |     | UPDATE |
|-----------------|-----|--------|
| 1st Marines     | 75  | 90     |
| 5th Marines     | 106 | 125    |
| 7th Marines     | 53  | 87     |
| 26th Marines    | 192 | 268    |
| General Support | 87  | 100    |
| Recon           | 2   | 8      |
| Total           | 545 | 678    |

5. Daily Surveillances.

\*KIA 22

\*44 of the KIA's were due to Regimental W's.

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SUBJ: SITREP 5 322 From 200000Z to 202400Z November 1969

4. Significant Events

a. At 200100Z, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on a CMR target, grid AT 064776. Observed by 45B.

(LATE ENTRIES)

a. At 271509Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 5 VC digging bunkers, grid AT 090550. Observed by SL7SKIR.

SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA

b. At 271545Z, Battery B, 2nd Battalion 17th Marines fired on 2 VC grid AT 036535. Observed by SUMMER BREEZE.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

c. At 271548Z, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 17th Marines fired on an NVA Company/platoon, grid BE 006510. Observed by 1st Battalion, 1st Marines.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 Secondary Explosion

d. At 271725Z, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 8 VC with rockets, grid BE 009546. Observed by 1st Battalion, 1st Marines.

SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA, 3 Secondary Explosions

e. At 271825Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on an enemy platoon, grid AT 923367. Observed by VIAL STEW.

SURVEILLANCE: 6 KIA

f. At 271830Z, Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on 2 enemy platoons, grid AT 917373. Observed by VIAL STEW.

SURVEILLANCE: 6 KIA

g. At 272020Z, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines fired on a CMR target, grid AT 090536. Observed by 45B.

SURVEILLANCE: Negative

h. At 272050Z, Battery W, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired on a CMR target, grid AT 090567. Reported by 45B.

SURVEILLANCE: Negative

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

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|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 1st Marines     | 75  |
| 5th Marines     | 84  |
| 7th Marines     | 93  |
| 26th Marines    | 268 |
| General Support | 73  |
| Reson           | 11  |
| Total           | 604 |

5. Buddy Surveillance.

|                      |    |
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| KIA                  | 24 |
| Secondary Explosions | 4  |

\* Regimental CP's were credited with 16 of the 24 KIA.

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## 1. Significant Events.

a. At 290130H, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a CCR target, grid 094 09695. Reported by 48 E.

SURVEILLANCE: Negative.

b. At 291010H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a Rice Storage Area, grid 965 544. Observed by WESTER HILL Hill 119.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 secondary explosions, 1 hoch destroyed.

c. At 291200H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC in tree line, grid AT 014508. Observed by SUMMER BREEZE.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 secondary explosion.

d. At 291205H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a Bunker, grid AT 062550. Observed by EAST SKIN.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 bunker destroyed.

e. At 291235H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a Bunker, grid AT 010316. Observed by WESTER HILL Hill 119.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA, Bunker destroyed.

f. At 291320H, Battery A - B, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 20 NVA carrying packs and rifles, grid AT 096599. Observed by OF LASH.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

g. At 291340H, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 12 NVA/VC, grid AT 043505. Observed by WESTER HILL.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

h. 291510H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC digging, grid AT 963529. Observed by WESTER HILL.

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

i. At 291610H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 11 VC in bunker, grid AT 093521. Observed by SUMMER BREEZE.

SURVEILLANCE: 11 KIA, 1 bunker destroyed.

## (LATE ARRIVED)

a. At 291515H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC firing weapons, grid AT 074527. Observed by KIPSKIN.

SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.

b. At 291600H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 35 VC carrying packs and rifles, grid AT 023542. Observed by SUMMER BREEZE.

SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA.

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6. At 202215H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines fired on a suspected mortar site, grid AF 070847. Reported by CMA (400).  
SURVEILLANCE: Negative.

7. At 202220H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines fired on a suspected mortar site, grid AF 067764. Reported by CMA (400).  
SURVEILLANCE: Negative.

8. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

9. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Accrualization of Missions. UPDATE

|                 |     |     |
|-----------------|-----|-----|
| 1st Marines     | 52  | 68  |
| 5th Marines     | 75  | 84  |
| 7th Marines     | 40  | 54  |
| 26th Marines    | 215 | 315 |
| General Support | 81  | 98  |
| Army            |     | 1   |
| Marine          | 2   | 7   |
| Total           | 463 | 627 |

5. Daily Surveillance.

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| *KIA                 | 26 |
| Bunkers Destroyed    | 3  |
| Hooch Destroyed      | 1  |
| Secondary Explosions | 3  |

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SUBJ: SITREP #334 From 200000Z to 004000Z November 1968

## 4. Significant Events:

a. At 200000Z, Battery B, 1st Battalion, 19th Marines fired on suspected enemy movement, grid # 096510. Observed by 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines (64).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 Secondary Explosions, Blood Trails

b. At 200347Z, Battery C, 1st 8" Howitzer Battery fired at enemy in open, grid # 99784800. Observed by Slope Creek (across).  
SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA

c. At 200930Z, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 19th Marines fired on contact, grid 096510. Observed by MIAK I  
SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA

d. At 201100Z, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 19th Marines fired on 6 VC in position, grid 095545. Observed by Elskin  
SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA

e. At 201300Z, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 19th Marines fired on a contact position, grid 094507. Observed by MIAK 15.  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA

f. At 201615Z, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 19th Marines fired on 2 VC, grid 093547. Observed by WISPER BELLIS.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

(LINE 2000Z)

a. At 202025Z, Platoon C, 1st 8" Howitzer Battery fired on 6 VC in open, grid # 997430. Observed by Slope Creek (across).  
SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA

b. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

## 3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

## 4. Identification of Hostiles

|                 | UPDATE |
|-----------------|--------|
| 1st Marines     | 40     |
| 3rd Marines     | 93     |
| 7th Marines     | 4      |
| 26th Marines    | 720    |
| General Support | 32     |
| Reserv          | 2      |
| Total           | 329    |
|                 | ARVN   |
|                 | TOTAL  |
|                 | 501    |

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5. Daily Surveillance

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|                                   |                  |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| 1ST BN (-), 11TH MAR              | D/S 1ST MAR      |
| MOBIL BTRY                        | OPCON 1/13       |
| 2ND BN, 11TH MAR                  | D/S 5TH MAR      |
| 3RD BN, 11TH MAR                  | D/S 7TH MAR      |
| 1ST BN, 13TH MAR                  | D/S 26TH MAR     |
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| BTRY M                            | G/S REIN 2/11    |
| BTRY K, 4TH BN, 13TH MAR          | REIN 3/11        |
| 1ST 175MM GUN BTRY (SP)           | G/S              |
| 3RD 175MM GUN BTRY (SP)           | G/S              |
| 5TH 175MM GUN BTRY (SP) (REIN)    | OPCON XXIV CORPS |
| 1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP)              |                  |
| 1ST PLT                           | REIN 2/11        |
| 2ND PLT                           | REIN 3/11        |
| 3RD PLT                           | REIN 3/11        |
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|      |     |            | 010800 to 050800 | Routine Operations. No Augmentation.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 060800           | Augmented with 1 Low-Boy from Division for movement of TD-18 for 1/11.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 070800           | Routine Operations. No Augmentation.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 080800           | Augmented with 1 Tractor-Trailer from Division for ammo resupply of 1/13.  |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 090800           | Augmented with 1 Tractor-Trailer from Division for ammo resupply of 1/13.  |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 100800           | Routine Operations. No Augmentation.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 110800           | Augmented with 1 Low-Boy from Division for movement of TD-18 for 1st 175 Guns.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 120800           | Augmented with 1 Tractor-Trailer from Division for ammo resupply of 1/13 and 2 M-35's for ammo resupply of 2/11 and 1 Low-Boy for movement of TD-18 for 3/11.                          |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 130800           | Augmented with 1 Low-Boy from Division for movement of TD-18 for 3/11.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 140800           | Routine Operations. No Augmentation.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 150800           | Augmented with 4 Tractor-Trailers from Division for ammo resupply. 2 for 2/11 and 2 for 1/13.  |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 160800           | Augmented with 1 Low-Boy from Division for movement of TD-18 for 4/11.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 170800           | Augmented with 1 Low-Boy from Division for movement of TD-18 for 4/11.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 180800           | Augmented with 2 Tractor-Trailers from Division (1 for ammo resupply of 1/13 and 1 for movement of CONEX boxes for HqBtry, 11th Marines) and 1 Low-Boy for movement of TD-18 for 4/11. |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 190800           | Augmented with 1 Low-Boy from Division for movement of TD-18 for 4/11.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 200800           | Routine Operations. No Augmentation.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210800           | Augmented with 1 Tractor-Trailer from Division for ammo resupply of 1/13.  |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 220800           | Routine Operations. No Augmentation.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 230800           | Augmented with 2 Tractor-Trailers from Division for ammo resupply of 1/13.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 240800           | Routine Operations. No Augmentation.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 250800           | Augmented with 1 Low-Boy from Division for movement of EIMCO blades for 1st 175 Guns and 2 Tractor-Trailers for ammo resupply of 1/13.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 260800           | Routine Operations. No Augmentation.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 270800           | Augmented with 2 Tractor-Trailers from   |                   |                    |

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|      |     |            | 010001H         | Set Cond IV. 2 day patrols, 14 night patrols. |              |          |
|      |     |            | 012400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 020001H         | Set Cond IV. 2 day patrols, 10 night patrols. |              |          |
|      |     |            | 022400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 030001H         | Set Cond IV. 1 day patrol, 12 night patrols.  |              |          |
|      |     |            | 032400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 040001H         | Set Cond IV. 2 day patrols, 15 night patrols. |              |          |
|      |     |            | 042400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 050001H         | Set Cond IV. 2 day patrols, 13 night patrols. |              |          |
|      |     |            | 052400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 060001H         | Set Cond IV. 4 day patrols, 13 night patrols. |              |          |
|      |     |            | 062400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 070001H         | Set Cond IV. 2 day patrols, 18 night patrols. |              |          |
|      |     |            | 072400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 080001H         | Set Cond IV. 2 day patrols, 15 night patrols. |              |          |
|      |     |            | 082400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 090001H         | Set Cond IV. 2 day patrols, 17 night patrols. |              |          |
|      |     |            | 092400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 100001H         | Set Cond IV. 1 day patrol, 11 night patrols.  |              |          |
|      |     |            | 102400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 110001H         | Set Cond IV. 2 day patrols, 16 night patrols. |              |          |
|      |     |            | 112400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 120001H         | Set Cond IV. 2 day patrols, 14 night patrols. |              |          |
|      |     |            | 122400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 130001H         | Set Cond IV. 2 day patrols, 15 night patrols. |              |          |
|      |     |            | 132400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 140001H         | Set Cond IV. 2 day patrols, 15 night patrols. |              |          |
|      |     |            | 142400H         |   |              |          |
|      |     |            | 150001H         | Set Cond IV. 2 day patrols, 15 night patrols. |              |          |
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|      |     | 140001H    | Set Cond IV, 2 day patrols, 15 night patrols. |                             | T-Troops<br>F-File |
|      |     | 142400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 150001H    | Set Cond IV, 3 day patrols, 15 night patrols. |                             |                    |
|      |     | 152400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 160001H    | Set Cond IV, 3 day patrols, 9 night patrols.  |                             |                    |
|      |     | 162400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 170001H    | Set Cond IV, 3 day patrols, 13 night patrols. |                             |                    |
|      |     | 172400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 180001H    | Set Cond IV, 3 day patrols, 13 night patrols. |                             |                    |
|      |     | 182400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 190001H    | Set Cond IV, 4 day patrols, 13 night patrols. |                             |                    |
|      |     | 192400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 200001H    | Set Cond IV, 4 day patrols, 14 night patrols. |                             |                    |
|      |     | 202400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 210001H    | Set Cond IV, 4 day patrols, 14 night patrols. |                             |                    |
|      |     | 212400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 220001H    | Set Cond IV, 3 day patrols, 14 night patrols. |                             |                    |
|      |     | 222400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 230001H    | Set Cond IV, 2 day patrols, 12 night patrols. |                             |                    |
|      |     | 232400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 240001H    | Set Cond IV, 3 day patrols, 13 night patrols. |                             |                    |
|      |     | 242400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 250001H    | Set Cond IV, 3 day patrols, 13 night patrols. |                             |                    |
|      |     | 252400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 260001H    | Set Cond IV, 5 day patrols, 10 night patrols. |                             |                    |
|      |     | 262400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 270001H    | Set Cond IV, 2 day patrols, 14 night patrols. |                             |                    |
|      |     | 272400H    |   |                             |                    |
|      |     | 280001H    | Set Cond IV, 4 day patrols, 9 night patrols.  |                             |                    |
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|      |     |            | 201915H                     | Opened Journal  |                    |
|      |     |            | 201924H                     | "B" Sector called in spot report #201914H. D16 reports lights for the third night. Az 4250m range 1000m.  |                    |
|      |     |            | 202005H                     | 26th Marines notified of spot report #201914  |                    |
|      |     |            | 202030H                     | "B" Sector called in spot report #202000 D16 reported explosion of unknown origin at 927 749.   |                    |
|      |     |            | 202045H                     | 11th Marines FDC contacted "OP" Jones and confirmed light spottings and explosions mentioned in "B" Sector spot report #202000. From "OP" Jones Az 3540m range 1200m. Div COC and 26th Marines were notified. |                    |
|      |     |            | 202115H                     | Lt. Curtiss of Div COC reported that activity at 927749 was believed to be PF's firing H&I's with M79.  |                    |
|      |     |            | 202130H                     | "B" Sector notified of possible PF activity at 927749.  |                    |
|      |     |            | 202145H                     | "B" Sector called in spot report #202130. Security patrol from 1st Recon made contact with enemy unit of unknown size at 957744.  |                    |
|      |     |            | 202150H                     | Div notified of spot report #202130. "B" Sector called in spot report #202145. Patrol returned to friendly lines. Contact was made with possibly two (2) enemy. Sqd size patrol being sent to sweep area.     |                    |
|      |     |            | 202155H                     | Div notified of spot report #202145.  |                    |
|      |     |            | 202210H                     | "B" Sector called in spot report #202200. Defensive position D3 at 945745 reported incoming explosions believed to be grenades.   |                    |
|      |     |            | 202212H                     | Div notified of spot report #202200.  |                    |
|      |     |            | 202240H                     | "B" Sector called in spot report #202235. SSgt Raeun requested additional people at radio relay site. Deployed Co provided one fire team in support.  |                    |
|      |     |            | 202300H                     | "B" Sector called in follow up report #202145. Patrol departed 2145--returned at 2315. Patrol leader reports grass pushed aside; possible harbor site at 957743. Normal patrol resumed.                       |                    |
|      |     |            | 202315H                     | "B" Sector called in follow up report #202200. Negative on incoming grenades. A sentry at D3 threw H&I grenades, then "OP" Condor opened up with M79.   |                    |
|      |     |            | 202325H                     | Received clearance on on-call HE and Illum from 11th Marines FDC.   |                    |

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|      |     |            | 202330H         | "B" Sector notified of on-call arty cleared grids.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210025H         | NSDC 106mm Recoilless Rifle deployed at request of "B" Sector  |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210030H         | "B" Sector called in spot report #210025. At 965741 a security patrol made contact with an enemy unit of unknown size. Fired small arms and threw grenades. No return fire. One (1) USMC WIA (E).  |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210040H         | "C" Sector called in spot report #210025. Post 25 took 150-200 rounds small arms fire from "B" Sector.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210120H         | "B" Sector went into Tactical Condition III.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210200H         | 26th Marines notified of NSDC activities. Sweep may be in 26th Marines' TAOR. Will coordinate. Will commence H&I of area as soon as "B" Sector patrols are in.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210225H         | "B" Sector notified of possible booby traps in sweep area. Also that enemy might be moving in behind and that this action was probably a diversion.  |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210235H         | "B" Sector notified to reconsider sweep in view of previous VC attempts to booby trap known sweep areas. Suggested sweep go in Khanh Son. "B" Sector informed NSDC that intentions are to conduct sweep as planned, however, "B" Sector will send ITT and S-5 representatives into village of Khanh Son. |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210320H         | Received information of spot report #210025 from "C" Sector. Fire was coming from "B" Sector due to a fire fight between Security Plt and enemy.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210510H         | Summary of evenings events received from Major Walsh of "B" Sector.  |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210600H         | NSDC's 106mm Recoilless Rifle returns.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210915H         | "B" Sector called in spot report #210712. B2 and A2 Reactionary completed recon patrol to C6, D3, and D4. They found footprints 75 meters in front of D3.  |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210920H         | "B" Sector called in spot report #210808. "B" patrol sweep from A7 to A11 and A2 to A5 found one (1) dud 60mm mortar round in front of A7.   |                   |                    |
|      |     |            | 210930H         | Closed Journal   |                   |                    |

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