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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY
1 July to 31 July 1968

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PART 1.
ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DesignationCommander

3d Battalion, 12th Marines (-) Rein.
3d Marine Division (Rein)

LtCol J.A. COMO
059588/0802
1-31 July 68

Subordinate Units

Battery "G" 3d Battalion
12th Marines, 3d Marine
Division (Rein)

Capt G.V. THURMOND
083878/0802
1-31 July 1968

Battery "I" 3d Battalion
12th Marines, 3d Marine
Division (Rein)

Capt G.C. HEARN
076973/0802
1-31 July 1968

Headquarters Battery, 3d Battalion
12th Marines, 3d Marine
Division (Rein)

WO-4 J.P. FELD-
043735/2000
1-31 July 1968

1st Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery
3d Battalion, 12th Marines
3d Marine Division (Rein)

Capt W.K. LAW
092636/0802
1-15 July 1968
1st Lt D.R. RANDALL
097687/0802
16-31 July 1968

2nd Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery
3d Battalion, 12th Marines
3d Marine Division (Rein)

Capt S.B. HAYES
093169/0802
1-14 July 1968
1st Lt R.W. SUGART
0100675/0802
30-31 July 1968

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Battery "A" 1st Battalion
12th Marines, 3d Marine
Division (Rein)

1stLt A.L. HARDING
0968791/0802
1-31 July 1968

Battery "B" 1st Battalion
12th Marines, 3d Marine
Division (Rein)

1stLt T.D. SIZEMORE
0101480/0802
1-31 July 1968

Battery "C" 1st Battalion
12th Marines, 3d Marine
Division (Rein)

Capt J.W. FRIM
084475/0802
1-31 July 1968

Battery "W" 3d Battalion
12th Marines, 3d Marine
Division (Rein)

1stLt C.S. PIAZZA
101385/0802
1-31 July 1968

Detachment Battery "W"
1st Battalion, 12th Marines
3d Marine Division (Rein)

1stLt R.A. SAUNDERS
094343/0802
1-31 July 1968

3d Platoon, 1st Armored
Amphibious Company, FMF

2ndLt E.J. BOSTROM
0100877/1802
1-9 July 1968

2. Location

1-24 June 68 Command Group "A" YD 346697 Cua Viet, Republic of Vietnam

25-30 June 68 Command Group "A" YD 134644 C-2, Republic of Vietnam

1-10 July 68 Command Group "A" YD 288671 Mai Xa Thi, Republic of Vietnam

10-31 July 68 Command Group "A" YD 065545 Camp J.J. Carroll

1-31 July 68 Headquarters (Rear) YD 300551 Quang Tri Province, Republic of Vietnam

3. Staff Officers

a. Executive Officer

Major W.D. ISBELL
068961/0802
1-21 Jul 68
Major C.P. STAPLETON
064141/0802
22-31 Jul 68

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b. S-1 Adjutant/Legal Officer WO-1 F.P. DURBINO
098602/0140
1-31 July 1968

c. S-2 Officer 1stLt R.W. SHUGART
0100675/0802
1-29 July 1968

d. S-3 Officer Major J.H. STANTON
077738/0802
1-8 July 1968
Major M.A. WESTPHAL
075116/0802
9-31 July 1968

e. S-3A Officer Capt RICH. HOLLENDAY
082781/0802
1-31 July 1968

f. S-4 Officer Capt A.D. NASTRI
082249/0802
1-31 July 1968

g. Communications Officer 2ndLt C.W. UIRICH
0102660/2502
1-31 July 1968

h. Motor Transport Officer 1stLt L. LUDWIG
010345/3502
1-31 July 1968

i. Supply Officer 2ndLt S.M. EASTON
0103464/3002
1-31 July 1968

j. Survey Officer 1stLt R.W. MARSTELLER
0101268/0802
1-31 July 1968

k. LIAISON Officer Capt F.W. WITTLE
072268/0802
1-9 July 1968
Major J.E. STANTON
077738/0802
9-31 July 1968

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PART II

1. During the month of July, The 3d Battalion continued its mission of Direct Support of the 3d Marines for operations NAPOLEON/SALINE, and LANCASTER II. The battalion headquarters was colocated with the infantry regimental headquarters at C-2, Max Xi Thai, and Camp Carroll. In addition to its D/S Mission, the battalion also provided direct support for the defense of the Quang Tri Airfield Complex, and General Support-Reinforcing fire for the 1st Air Cavalry Division.

2. The battalion headquarters element remained in the field for the entire month of July, directing the OPCON batteries. During the latter stages of the month, "A" and "C" batteries occupied positions at Fire Base Joan and Largo, to support the operations of 1/3 and 3/3. Additionally, three guns from the 2nd Provisional 155 Battery were lifted to Fire Base Joan. A platoon of Mortar Battery, 3/12 was attached to 1/3 for its operations from LZ Becky.

3. The battalion's experiences with helicopter insertion into forward firing bases will add valuable knowledge to the overall effort. Logistics and resupply were considered to be the number one problem during the operations. This was due to helicopter availability, and unfamiliarity with requesting procedures. As the operations progressed, the flow of supplies and ammunition became smoother, as the batteries fraged their needed equipment through the infantry helicopter support teams.

4. With the forming of the 2nd Provisional 155 Battery the Battalion took on a new support requirement. To form the new Provisional Battery it was necessary to use two weapons and crews from the 3rd Provisional 155 Battery who are operating from Fire Base Cates. To help beef the battery back up, two howitzers from ARVN artillery were attached to the 3rd Provisional Battery and are now operating as one battery. Some problems have come from this arrangement such as language and different eating habits. However the unit is functioning quite well.

5. The primary method of resupply used during July consisted of UH-1H for the Cua Viet operations, and CH-46 helicopters for the Lancaster operations. The month ended with the battalion performing its mission of Direct Support of the 3d Marines. A total of 13 battery and 2 headquarters displacements were made without incident. All displacements were coordinated by the Battalion S-3 and S-4, the regimental S-4, and the 3d Marines' Air Liaison Officer.

6. The Battalion expended a total of 34,831 rounds during the month of July, 1968. Significant missions are listed on the following pages.

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5 July

Elements of 1/3 reported that they were receiving small arms fire from XD 24737197. At 0845H "C" Battery 1/12 expended 156 rounds of HE. Small arms fire ceased was the surveillance reported.

6 July

Elements of 1/3 requested a prep fire at XD 24787242. From 0700H to 1040H "C" Battery 1/12 expended 267 rounds of HE. Excellent coverage of target was the only surveillance reported.

"C" Battery 1/12 at 1043H expended 249 rounds of HE on enemy bunkers. Elements of 1/3 called this mission in at XD 250728. Negative surveillance was reported for this mission.

Elements of 1/3 requested fire on 15-20 NVA in tree line at XD 242736. "C" Battery 1/12 at 1725H expended 189 rounds of HE. Four (4) KIA's (confirmed) was the surveillance reported).

At 1840H "C" Battery 1/12 expended 2 rounds of WP, 18 rounds of Firecracker, and 10 rounds of HE on NVA in bomb crater. Elements of 1/3 called this mission in at XD 240740. The surveillance was reported as 8 KIA's (confirmed).

Elements of 1/3 requested fire on an enemy position at Yd 238738. At 1620H "C" Battery 1/12 expended 4 rounds of WP and 62 rounds of HE. The surveillance was reported as 20 KIA's (confirmed).

7 July

Elements of 1/3 reported that they were taking incoming small arms fire and mortar fire from XD 239742. "C" Battery 1/12 at 1005H expended 2 rounds of WP and 367 rounds of HE. Mortar fire and small arms fire ceased was the only surveillance reported.

12 July

Elements of 2/3 reported 3 NVA at XD 958607. At 1930H "A" Battery 1/12 expended 4 rounds of WP and 17 rounds of HE. The surveillance was reported as 3 KIA's (confirmed).

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20 July

"C" Battery 1/12 expended 2 rounds of WP and 56 rounds of HE on NVA in open at XD 008652. Elements of 2/3 called this mission in at 1900H. The surveillance for this mission was 6 KIA's (confirmed).

25 July

3d Marine Division's FSCC requested a Prep fire at XD 923501. At 1200H "A" 1/40 expended 459 rounds of HE. No surveillance was given for this mission.

27 July

"A" Battery 1/12 received a request for a Prep fire at XD 903017 by elements of 2/3. At 1330H "A" Battery 1/12 expended 6 rounds of WP and 130 rounds of HE. This mission was unobserved so no surveillance could be given.

Elements of 2/3 requested a Prep fire at XD 907603. At 1150H "A" 1/40 and Bravo 1/12 expended 5 rounds of WP and 315 rounds of HE. This mission was unobserved, so no surveillance could be given.

30 July

Elements of 2/3 reported that they had made contact with the enemy at XD 832623. At 1350H "A" Battery 1/12 expended 4 rounds of WP and 260 rounds of HE. No surveillance was given for this mission.

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The battalion finished operating in the Cua Viet area and all assets in that area were retrograded to Quang Tri and Camp Carroll. Daily ammo resupply convoys to Camp Carroll were augmented by 3rd and 7th Motor Transport. Approximately 800-1000 rounds per day were moved into the dump at Camp Carroll.

Late in the month several batteries were displaced by air to newly developed fire bases. Air resupply was instituted with all support coming from LZ Stud. Working closely with the 3d Marines S-4 proved to be the key to a smoothly working logistics setup. Each battery made liason with the infantry battalion in the fire base. All requests for supply were consolidated by the infantry and passed through the infantry radio channels. When received at the rear area the infantry battalion S-4 representative gave to our battalion logistics representative the Class V (Artillery ammo only) requirements. Working with trucks and personnel from the firing units the ammo was staged for air delivery. Lift requirements were given to the infantry S-4. The system was working well with some minor problems. The battalion S-4 made visits to the firebases to check on the units. Additionally, July saw the reconstitution of the 2nd Provisional Battery at one of the new firebases. Three guns were sent in to begin operations. No major difficulties were encountered.

The 1st Provisional 155 Battery is still operating in the Danang Area. Close liason is maintained and they are in good logistics posture. Golf and India batteries are still operating in the Ca Lu area with no major logistics problems.

Seven strong-back tents were constructed in the HQ area during the month, housing the following sections: One BAS one Comm Tech Shop, one Battalion supply office, one S-3/Career Advisory Office, and three were put together to form a large mess tent. The use of indigenous personnel by HQ battery for housekeeping tasks was instituted. The Quang Tri IRO was contacted and the workers were obtained through his office. The program appears to be working well.

a. Food Services. The Battalion has served 75% "A" Rations, 25% "B" Rations and 0% "C" Rations during the reporting period. The India/Tango mess hall was closed

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PART III

Sequential Listing of Significant Events.

1. Combat Missions Assigned

- a. 1-31 July 1968, 3d Battalion, 12th Marines in direct support of the 3d Marine Regiment.
- b. 1-31 July 1968, 3d Battalion, 12th Marines in direct support of the Defense of the Quang Tri Airfield Complex.
- c. 1-31 July 1968, 3d Battalion, 12th Marines in general support-reinforcing of the 1st Air Cavalry Division.

2. Significant Operations Conducted

- a. Operation Napoleon/Saline
- b. Operation Landcaster II
- c. Operation Jeb Stuart III

3. Casualties inflicted on the Enemy

- a. KIA (C) 35
- b. KIA (P) 3

4. Casualties Sustained

- a. KIA 0
- b. WIA 7
- c. Died (NBC) 0

5. Equipment. Work has begun on a new battalion motor transport maintenance shop in Quang Tri. There was a high usage of the battalion vehicles to haul ammunition and equipment during the month. Continuing emphasis is being placed on driver maintenance throughout the unit.

6. Logistics. Support remained good during the month. T/E shortages still continues to be a problem area. All necessary supply action has been taken and follow up action initiated where needed.

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leaving only one battalion messhall in the Quang Tri area. The Headquarters mess is feeding Headquarters Battery, USAF personnel, W/1/12, G/3/12 and I/3/12 rear personnel. The addition of an ice cream machine was welcomed with much enthusiasm by the troops. Ice cream is now being produced nightly for various units in the Quang Tri Complex.

b. Medical. There were 360 out patients treated by the BAS during the month. The battalion had no KIA's and 7 WIA's during the month. The sickbay was moved into a strongbacked tent during the month thus making a more appropriate sickbay available to Headquarters Battery.

7. Administration. The Battalion had 2 Special courts-martial and one Summary court-martial during the month of July. There was one Commanding Officer's Non-Judicial Punishment awarded during the month.

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8. Personnel. The average strength for the month was 84% of the manning level. During the month the battalion joined 3 Marine officers and 52 Marine enlisted. There were 49 enlisted Marines either transferred or rotated. There were two Marine officers who rotated during the month.

9. Intelligence. During the early part of July, one significant engagement occurred within the Napoleon/Saline AO. The enemy avoided contact thereafter, as the 3d Marines continued operations in the AO before displacing to Camp Carroll on 10 July. The enemy force encountered between 4 and 8 July was believed to be the 48th NVA Regiment, confirmed through the identification of the 1st and 3d Battalions, and separate engineer and transportation companies. Contact was broken as the enemy withdrew into the Demilitarized Zone. The enemy fought from well-prepared defensive positions, and was supported by artillery from the Northern half of the DMZ.

In the Lancaster AO, enemy contact was light, as he withdrew to the northwest in the face of a multibattalion operation designed to clear the area north of Highway #9. Sporadic Mortar fire during the initial helicopter assault and subsequent sweep. Sweeping battalions discovered many recently occupied bunkers, containing fresh foodstuffs and miscellaneous NVA equipment. The singular significant find were two 75mm Pack Howitzers at YD 028599, which had been abandoned along with 30 rounds of ammunitions. These howitzers had been harassing Camp Carroll since the Tet Offensive of last January, and had accounted for numerous casualties within the camp since then.

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Numerous reports of enemy movement continued to raise hopes that a significant contact could be developed, however the enemy had apparently chosen to flee and fight another day. Forces were positioned astride known infiltration routes to await further developments, and the 3d Marines moved to positions west of Camp Carroll to await further action. Instances of incoming mortar, rocket, and artillery fires were recorded during July as follows:

a. Napoleon/Saline

1st Battalion, 3d Marines	11
2d Battalion, 3d Marines	8
1st Amtrack Battalion	1

b. Lancaster II

1st Battalion, 1st Marines	4
1st Battalion, 9th Marines	2
2d Battalion, 3d Marines	3
3d Battalion, 3d Marines	6
Camp J.J. Carroll	1

10. Communications-Electronics

a. During the month of July, the communications section continued to provide communications support for the battalion.

b. At the beginning of July, the communications section established a tactical FDC capability at Mai Xa Thi. Radios were double remotored on required nets to the 3d Marines ESCC. Wire was not used extensively outside the CP area due to the surrounding hostile territory and tactical dispersion of the batteries. Riverine courier service was employed for administrative traffic. The FDC was entered with the 3d Marine Div wire system by use of the 3d Marines radio relay equipment. This particular link was a sporadic one. Most communication with the Dong Ha and Quang Tri area was by radio.

c. On or about 9 July the battalion forward elements displaced to Camp Carroll. Communications required for an administrative move were established. The section established a centralized FDC capability and double remotored required

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nets to the 3d Marines FSCC.

Wire was used extensively to all but distant opcon batteries and within the CP area. The FDC switchboard linked the battalion forward to the 3d Marines, 12th Marines, and 3d Marine Division radio relay system. Radio communications were established with TF Hotel and 12th Marines on designated nets. Operations in the northern Lancaster AO seemed to require use of HF/AM radios. Such teams were dispatched to LZ Becky and LZ Joan to insure auxiliary communications with units in those areas. Despite the long distance and unfavorable terrain, good VHF/FM radio communications was established. A VHF/FM relay site was co-established with 3d Marines at LZ Joan. There was no wire/radio relay capability to the distant fire bases.

d. At the end of July the communications section continued to support the battalion forward at Camp Carroll.

e. Throughout all of July the communications section maintained administrative communications section at the battalion rear in Quang Tri and furnish all communications equipment and personnel for the FSCC at the Base Defense COC in Quang Tri.

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			Unit or Staff Section		
			S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines		
			Location		
			C-2/ MAI XA THI		
			Opened (DTG Mon Yr)		Closed (DTG mon Yr)
			300001H June 68		302400H June 68
TIME (classification)					
IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0901		1	Journal Opened		FDO
0207		2	Check fire all fires		FDO, Btry
0242		3	Check fire lifted		FDO, Btry
	0625	4	Sent Cadillac and Ammo		FDO
			Expended to 12th Mar		
0930		5	Left C-2 and displaced to		FDO, 12th
			MAI XA THI YD 282668		Mar
1000		6	Arrived at YD 282668 and		FDO, 12th
			established forward CP		Mar
1100		7	Rec'd firecap from A 1/12		FDO, 12th
					Mar
2000		8	Rec'd firecap from B 1/12		FDO, 12th
					Mar
2005		9	Rec'd H&I's. Not Cleared		FDO, Btry
2115		10	Rec'd H&I's cancellations		FDO, Btry
			rest of the H&I's cleared		
	2145	11	Sent H&I's to Btrys		FDO
	2330	12	Sent Opsum to 12th Mar		FDO
2400		13	Journal Closed		FDO

CONFIDENTIAL TABLE OF AMMUNITION EXPENDITURES
AND MISSIONS FIRED

NAPOLEON/SALINE

JULY

MISSIONS FIRED	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	TOTAL
Obs	1	2	6	8	19	43	37	17	1	134
Unobs	9	1	9	1	19	1	7	14	1	62
H&I	52	38	40	40	24	36	37	31		298
TOTAL	62	41	55	49	62	80	81	62	2	494
AMMO EXPENDED										
105 HE	297	196	276	276	625	2189	1608	988	45	6700
WP		2	8	18	45	69	45	131	1	319
ILL			10		22	89	3	124		248
HC Smk	1				1	32		5		39
FIRECRACKER					6	74		20		100
107 HE	58	42	16	16	48	30				210
WP										
ILL										
CS										
TOTAL	356	240	310	310	747	2483	1856	1268	46	7616
SURVEILLANCE										
KIA (C)						32				32
KIA (P)										

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AND MISSIONS FIRED

LANCASTER

JULY

MISSIONS FIRED	10th	11th	12th	13th	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th
Obs	6	22	30	35	27	22	14	9	22
Unobs	1			13	14	21	32	14	72
H&I	32	9	23	32	30	50	29	52	45
TOTAL	39	31	53	80	71	96	75	75	139
AMMO EXPENDED									
105 HE	49	99	507	546	479	521	507	444	1556
WP	4	6	23	68	37	11	12	3	53
ILL				24		1			
HC Smk			3	5	2				
FIRECRACKER									
155 HE	107	176	423	108	87	67		164	
WP	12	20	58	52	6			2	
ILL			8	16				2	
107 HE						54			12
WP						8			
ILL						2			1
CS									
TOTAL	172	301	1022	821	611	664	519	618	1622
SURVEILLANCE									
KIA (C)			3						
KIA (P)									

MISSIONS FIRED	19th	20th	21st	22nd	23rd	24th	25th	26th	27th
Obs	38	22	29	39	24	17	15	25	27
Unobs	69	17		4	2		6	6	37
H&I	49	23	27	31	20	42	35	20	34
TOTAL	156	62	56	74	46	59	56	51	98
AMMO EXPENDED									
105 HE	1974	796	294	1739	496	609	1207	1376	3259
WP	67	29	101	72	26	80	20	27	532
ILL	1		51		8	79			13
HC Smk	1	8	7						
FIRECRACKER									
155 HE									197
WP									5
ILL									
107 HE	100	31	14	76	19	3		8	
WP	3	3	4	6		6	3	9	
ILL	10			30		5			
CS									
TOTAL	2156	1039	471	1923	579	782	1310	1420	4006
SURVEILLANCE									
KIA (C)									
KIA (P)	2			1					

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TABLE OF AMMUNITION EXPENDITURES
AND MISSIONS FIRED

DEFENSE OF QUANG TRI

JULY

MISSIONS FIRED	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th
Obs	4			2			2	1			1
Unobs				1					2		
H&I's	10	21	25	29	32	31	20	30	13	20	26
TOTAL	14	21	25	32	32	31	22	31	15	20	27
AMMO EXPENDED											
155 Gun HE		11	30	41	30	30		15			
WP				1							
ILL											
107 HE	54	40	42	75	69	44	57	76	77	82	108
WP							2				
ILL	3							2			
TOTAL	57	51	72	117	99	74	59	93	77	82	108
SURVEILLANCE											
KIA (C)											
KIA (P)											

MISSIONS FIRED	12th	13th	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th	19th	20th
Obs	1			4			2	6	
Unobs	5			1			1	3	1
H&I's	27	47		19	43	43	31	2	13
TOTAL	33	47		24	43	43	34	11	14
AMMO EXPENDED									
155 Gun HE									
WP									
ILL									
107 HE	218	244		30	98	67	112	106	81
WP	6			8			4	5	
ILL	4							4	
TOTAL	228	244		38	98	67	116	115	81
SURVEILLANCE									
KIA (C)									
KIA (P)									

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TIME (classification)

Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Section, 3d Bn 12th Marines	
Location	
MAI XA THI	
Opened (DDF Mon Yr)	Closed (DDF Mon Yr)
01000H July 68	012400H July 68

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			Unit or Staff Section		
			S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines		
			Location		
			MAI XA THI		
			Opened (DTG Mon Yr)		Closed (DTG mon Yr)
			020001H July 68		022400H July 68
TIME (classification)					
IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1	Journal	Opened	FDO
	0600	2	Sent	Ammo Expended to 12th Mar	FDO, File
	0645	3	Sent	Cadillac to 12th Mar	FDO, File
	1445	4	Sent	Line A&S to 12th Mar	FDO, File
	1600	5	Sent	Gun Status to 12th Mar	FDO, File
	1700	6	Sent	Ammo Expended to 12th Mar	FDO, File
1800		7	H&I's	Cleared and sent to Btrys	FDO, File
	2300	8	Sent	Opsum and Line B to 12th Mar	FDO, File
	2340	9	TOT's	from 12th Mar sent to Btrys, Cleared	FDO, File
2400		10	Journal	Closed	FDO

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TIME (classification)

Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines	
Location	
MAI XA THI	
Opened (DTG Mon Yr)	Closed (DTG mon Yr)
030001H July 68	032400H July 68

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Unit or Staff Section

S-3 Section, 3d Bn 12th Marines

Location

MAI XA THI

Opened (DGT MON YR) Closed (DGT Mon Yr)

050001H July 68

052400H July 68.

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Unit or Staff Section
S-3 Section, 3d Bn 12th Marines
Location
MAI XA THI
Opened (DPT MON YR) Closed (DPT Mon Yr)
060001 July 68 062400H July 68

TIME (classification)

IN	OUT	SER NO.	DWG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1.		Journal opened	FDO
0345		2.		Check fires all fires FSCC due to air	FDO, Btrys
0424		3.		Check fire lifted	FDO, Btrys
0600		4.		Sent cad and ammo exp. to 12th Mar	FDO, File
0845		5.		Sent lines A&S to FSCC	FDO, File
1100		6.		Sent gun status report to 12th Marines	FDO, File
1430		7.		Check fire FSCC due to air	FDO
1515		8.		Check fire lifted	FDO
1945		9.		Recived H&I's and GM TOT's all cleared	FDO, Btry
2345		10.		Check fire all fires FSCC due to air	FDO, Btry
2400		11.		Journal closed	FDO, Btry

TIME (classification)

Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Section, 3d Bn 12th Marines	
Location	
MAI XA THI	
Opened (DET MON YR)	Closed (DET Mon YR)
070001H July 68	072400H July 68

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Unit or Staff Section

S-3 Section, Bn 12th Marines

Location

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090001H July 68

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Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Section, 3d Bn 12th Marines	
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MAI AX THI	
Opened (DDT MON YR)	Closed (DDT MON YR)
100001H July 68	102400H July 68

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Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines	
Location	
Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN	
Opened (DTG Mon Yr)	Closed (DTG mon Yr)
110001H July 68	112400H July 68

IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1	Journal Opened		EDO
0700		2	Cadillac ready to be sent		EDO, File
			but we have negative comm		
			with 12th Marines		
1500		3	Received Line A&S from Btrys		EDO, File
			unable to send them to 12th		
			Marines due to comm difficult		
			ies.		
1700		4	Ammo count ready to be sent		EDO, File
			to 12th Marines, but Negative		
			comm with 12th Mar		
2020		5	Rec'd H&I's from Amanda 24		EDO
2140		6	Rec'd H&I's from 3d Marines		EDO, Btry
			S-2. Not Cleared.		
2210		7	Rec'd clearance on H&I's		EDO, Btrys
	2310	8	Sent Opsum and sitrep to 12th		EDO, File
			Marines		
2400		9	Journal Closed		EDO

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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1	Journal	Opened	FDO
0600		2	Sent Ammo	Expended report	FDO, File
				to 12th Marines	
	0700	3	Sent Cadillan	to 12th Mar	FDO, File
1327		4	B 1/12	setting up in position	FDO
	1420	5	Sent B 1/12	firecap to Black	FDO
			Bottom	Bailey	
	1500	6	Sent Line A&S	to 12th Mar	FDO, File
	1600	7	Sent Gun Status	to 12th Mar	FDO, File
	1700	8	Sent Ammo	Expended to 12th	FDO, File
			Marines		
	1715	9	Sent B 1/12	firecap to 12th	FDO, File
			Marines		
1804		10	Rec'd clearance	on CX 7205	FDO, Btry
				for ESCC	
1923		11	Check fire	on 3102	FDO, Btry
2140		12	Check fire	all fires except BF	FDO, Btry
2300		13	Rec'd clearance	on all H&I	FDO, Btrys
2330		14	Check fire	due to MedaVac	FDO, Btry
2400		15	Journal	Closed	FDO

Unit or Staff Section

S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines

Location

Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN

Opened (DTG Mon Yr)

120001H July 68

Closed (DTG mon Yr)

122400H July 68

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Unit or Staff Section

S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines

Location

Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN

Opened (DTG Mon Yr)

Closed (DTG mon Yr)

130001H July 68

132400H July 68

IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1		Journal Opened	FDO
0010		2		Received Clearance on (BO)	
				For He	FDO Btry
0045		3		H&I's cleared and sent to Btry's FDO Btry	
0048	0048	4		grid 064474 canceled by Coffee	
				Cup "B" sent to FSCC	FDO
	0700	5		Sent Cadillac to 12th MAR	FDO
	1500	6		Sent line A&S to 12th MAR &	
				FSCC	FDO File
1500		7		Received out range on grids	
				8663-8861 8658 8856 for Recon	FDO File
				inserts	
	1600	8		Sent Tube Status to 12th Mar &	
				FSCC	FDO File
1700		9		Total rounds expended sent to	
				12th Mar & FSCC	FDO
1820		10		Opsum Cad Tube Status sig.	
				missions to FSCC NTB	FDO File
2000		11		Received H&I's from 12th Mar,	
				and Northside B. for 6M24	FDO

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Location	
Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN	
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130001H July 68	132400H July 68

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Location					
Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN					
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140001H July 68			142400H July 68		
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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1	Journal	Opened	FDO
0009		2	Receive	cancellation on H&I	
			RY 1102,	grid 087587	FDO File Btry
0025		3	Sent Opsum	and Sitrep to 12th	
			Mar.		FDO
	0558	4	Sent Ammo	Expenditure from	
			2300-0600	to Black Bottom Bailey	
			and 12th	Mar.	FDO
	0558	5	Sent complete	cadillac to 12th	
			Marines	and Black Bottom Bailey	FDO
0845		6	Check Fire	Sap AD	FDO Btry
1015		7	Took Op	Con of DCA at 1015	FDO
1115		8	Check Fire	AH	FDO Btry
1130	1130	9	Sent DC "A"	Fire Cap to 12th	FDO
			Mar & BBB		FDO
1135		10	Check Fire	Lifed on AH	FDO Btry
1206		11	Check Fire	AH	FDO
1420	1420	12	Sent Fire	Reps to Div. FSIC.	FDO
	1500	13	Sent Line "A"	"S" to 12th Mar &	
			Black Bottom	Bailey.	FDO

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S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines	
Location	
Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN	
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Location					
Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN					
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150001H July 68			152400H July 68		
IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1		Journal Opened	FDO
0215		2		Obtain Clearance on TOT's one	
				cancellation grid 091598 all	
				the rest are to clear to fire.	FDO
	0610	3		Sent cadillic & Ammo Expenditure	
				& H&I report to 12th Mar and	
				FSCC to relay to BBB	FDO
0932		4		Check Fire "AC" from FSCC "AD"	FDO Btry
1015		5		B ½ moved to Rock Pile	FDO
1015		6		Took Opcon of C½	FDO
1100		7		Resumed Fire All Fires	FDO Btry
1135		8		Check Fire "AC" from FSCC	FDO Btry
1115		9		Resumed Fire "AC"	FDO Btry
1215		10		Check Fire on all Fires	FDO Btry
1230		11		Check Fire Lifted	FDO Btry
1430		12		Check Fire "AL"	FDO
1455		13		Check Fire Lifted	FDO
	1610	14		Sent "A" "S" to 12th Mar Aud to	

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S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines	
Location	
Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN	
Opened (DTG Mon Yr)	Closed (DTG mon Yr)
160001H July 68	162400H July 68

IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1	Open	Journal	FDO
0140		2	Received	Clearance on TOT's	FDO
0315		3	Check	Fire all fires north	
				of the 58 grid line.	FDO
0420		4	Check	Fire is Lifted.	FDO
	0545	5	Sent	-H&I's- Ammo Ex. to	FDO
				12th Mar and also to FSCC to	
				relay to BBB	
0930		6	Check	Fire "AE" "AF"	FDO Btry
1000		7	Check	is Lifted "AE" "AF"	FDO Btry
1027		8	Check	Fire "AF" from FSCC	FDO Btry
1045		9	Check	Fire Lifted "AF" from FSCC	FDO Btry
1100		10	Check	Fire "AF" from AO	FDO Btry
1102		11	Resume	Fire "AF"	FDO Btry
	1440	12	Sent	Line "A" "S" to 12th Mar	
				and Black Bottom Bailey	FDO
1545		13	Check	Fires All Fires	FDO
1610		14	Check	Fires Lifted	FDO
	1610	15	Gun	Status Report sent to BBB	
				& 12th Mar.	FDO

Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines	
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Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN	
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S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines	
Location	
Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN	
Opened (DTG Mon Yr)	Closed (DTG mon Yr)
170001H July 68	172400H July 68

IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
	0001	1	Sent	Prep Fires to 4/12 CX	FDO Btry
			0236-	0255 Neg Clearance	
0550		2	Check	Fire All Fires from	FDO Btry
			FSOC.		
	0615	3	Sent	Total Rounds Expended	FDO File
				from 2300 to 0600 to 12th Mar.	
	0645	4	Sent	cadillac to 12th Mar.	FDO File
0910		5	Received	Clearance on CX 0235	File FDO
				sent clearance to M 4/12	
1055		6	Check	fire CX 0216 & CX 0225	File FDO
			Check	fire all fires from RP	
1110		7	Check	Fire AE & AD	FDO Btry
1305		8	FADAC	put in Operation	FDO
1415		9	Check	Fire lifted for AD, AE	
			By FSCC		FDO
1510		10	Sent	line A & S of CAD to 12th	
				Mar. and Black B.B.	FDO
1530		11	W 3/12	departed for LZ FALCON	FDO
1500		12	W 3/12	took only 3 tubes	FDO
1530		13	3dMar	4' said Ammo being lifted	
				from LZ STUD	FDO

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Location					
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170000H July 68			172400H July 68		
IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
1547		1	Opened	New Journal	FDO
	1600	2	Sent	Gun Status Report to 12th Mar & BBB.	FDO
	1700	3	1700	Opsum sent to FSCC on time.	FDO
1800		4	DCA & DCC are Displacing at this time to be at intersection at Camp C road and Route 9.		FDO
			By order of CgTEH. Received by Sand Box 6.		
1800		5	A portion of W 3/12 returned to Camp Carroll. This inserted at 1500 this date. At the present time the Btry commander and 2½ mortars are with the C-P group of 2nd Battalion 3rd Mar.		FDO
	1930	6	Sent Fire CAP For DCA & DCC TO 12th Mar.		FDO
	2105	7	Sent JLT on calls to W & Net		FDO

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S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines	
Location	
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S-3 Section 3d Bn, 12th Marines					
Location					
Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN					
Opened (DTG Mon Yr)			Closed (DTG mon Yr)		
180001H July 68			182400H July 68		
IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1		Journal Opened	
0010		2		Spunky Grids were cleared by FSCC.	FDO Btry
0012		3		Spunky Hansons H&I Check Fire	FDO
				All H&I's check fire 4/12 W-1-12	
0050		4		H&I's sent FSCC for clearance	W O
0055		5		H&I's sent to Btry's neg clearance	W O Btry's
0102		6		FSCC cancelled H&I's	
				RS 1161 033633	
				RS 1164 013648	
				RC 0064 900510	
				RY 1154 046594	
				RC 0057 030550	
				RA 1031 074598	
				Still in check fire from FSCC for H&I's.	Btry's WO
0108		7		2-3 still taking incoming from Ben Hai River between easting grids 15 to 18.	Btry's WO 12th Mar S-3 WO

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Unit or Staff Section					
S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines					
Location					
Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN					
Opened (DTG Mon Yr)			Closed (DTG mon Yr)		
180001H July 68			182400H July		
IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0110		8	Cancel	Check Fires on H&I's	4-12 W 1-12
					ABC 1-12
					FDO S-3 WO
0205		9	2-3	just took 30 more incoming arty rounds.	FDO
0210		10	Check	Fire All Fires	Btry's WO
0225		11	Check	Fire Lifted on Sap(at)	FDO
0240		12	Cancel	Check Fire AU, AW, AU	
				still in Check Fire.	
0245		13	Cancel	Check Fire AW, AU still in.	Btry's WO
0250		14	Check	Fire all H&I's	FDO
0320		15	Resume	Fire on H&I's	FDO
0610		16	Sent	Cad & H&I's & Ammo Ex. to 12th Mar & FSCC & TFH	FDO File
01130		17	W-3-12	Allout IZ Falcon 1 Gun	
				8 men in Dong Ha will catch first Roughrider to cc.	
1330		18	Restrictions	FIRE Plan 11 Arizona in Effect.	WO S-3 4-12

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Location				Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN		
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190001H July 68				192400H July 68		
TIME (classification)	IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
	0001		1	Journal	Opened	FDO
	0015		2	Received	Check Fire for Rock	FDO
				Pile	from FSCC.	
	0017		3	Received	Check Fire on all	FDO
				H&I's	from fsc.	
	0010		4	H&I's	RD 1000- Grid 959633 not	FDO
				cleared	from FSCC.	
	0058		5	Cancel	RY 1096 & 1097 H&I's	FDO
				for Hay	Ride from FSCC	
	0137		6	Cancel	all AMANDA H&I's from	FDO
				FSCC.	Sent to 3try	
	0344		7	Check	Fire Lifted by FSCC.	FDO
	0403		8	Check	Fire All Fires-FSCC	FDO
	0407		9	Check	Fire Lifted by FSCC	FDO
	0431		10	Check	Fire from Hay Ride 24 rds	FDO
				Landing	in HY 24 AO.	
	0442		11	Hay	Ride Lifted Check Fire.	FDO
	0615		12	Check	All Fires due to Air	FDO
				Strikes	from FSCC	
	0618		13	End of	Mission on all Prep Fires	FDO

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S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines

Location

Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN

Opened (DTG Mon Yr)

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190001H July 68

192400H July 68

IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
1015		14	Received Check Fire on AQ	FDO (BatA9)	
			(062 576) (ppos 63Z) 63Z said	Opchief	
			it was clear through pros Baily (Pros63Z)		
			Fire landed on Sea Bee's working		
			on road. Rd landed on grid 0616		
			5745 Corrections followed		
			+100/R100 Btry (1)		
			L200/L50/D100/D100 BT (3)		
1050		15	(0616 5745) Perspective 63Z	S-3 W.O.	
			said observed rds and SeaBee's		
			also rds were 5-600 M away		
			from them EOM.		
1145		16	Sn Whiskey reformed at Camp	S-3 W.O.	
			Carroll RVN this time and date	FSOC	
1250		17	Took Opcon B-1-11 this date	FDO	
1415		18	Side dish reports of taking in-	FDO	
			coming. Sent to 12th Mar.		
1430		19	Side dish took Approx. 10 rds	FDO	
			85 Mill.		
1440		20	Check Fire on "AU"	FDO	

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			Location		
			Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN		
			Opened (DTG Mon Yr)		Closed (DTG mon Yr)
TIME (classification)			190001H July 68		192100H July 68
IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
1450		21	Check Fire	Fire Lifted	FDO
	1530	22	Sent Alfa & Sierra to 12th Mar		FDO
			& BBB.		
1615		23	Check Fire	All Fires North of	FDO 4/12
				Northern boundry of DMZ	
1640		24	Check Fire on	AW&AB due to Air	FDO
				from FSCC	
1642		25	A-9 & B1/12	taking incoming	FDO
				from Dir 5200	
1722		26	Check Fire	ALL Fires	FDO Btry's
1735		27	Check Fire	Lifted	FDO Btry's
1825		28	Check Fire "AM"	FSCC	FDO Btry's
	1825	29	Reserved Fire	Cap of W 3/12.	FDO
				Sent to FSCC and 12th Mar.	
1932		30	Lift Check Fire	AM & All Fires	FDO, C1/12
2030		31	Assumed	Technical Fire Direction	FDO
			control	of B 1/12. Advised	
				B 1/12 to be prepared to take	
				over Technical Fire Direction	
				for this Btry in the event of	
				Comm failure.	

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Unit or Staff Section

S-3 Section, 3d Br 12th Marines

Location

Camp J.J. CARROLL QUANG TRI RVN

Opened (DTG Mon Yr)

190001H July 68

Closed (DTG mon Yr)

192400H July 68

IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES; ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
2100		32	Received H&I's from FSCC for	FDO, F file	
			Aman, Pads, & HR, All Clear to		
			Fire.		
2142		33	Received GM H&I's clear to fire	FDO, Btry	
			as long as max ord is under	Data Sheet	
			13,000'		
	2330	34	Sent Opsum to BBB, Sent Opsum	FDO	
			& Sit Rep to 12th Mar.		
2200		35	Conducted will adjust mission	FDO	
			for Recon using FADAC. Two rds		
			Required inadjustment before		
			FFE. Excellent effecton target		
			All H&I's computed with the FADAC.		
2400		36	Journal Closed		

Unit or Staff Section S-3 Section, 3rd 12th Marines	
Location Camp J.J. Carrol	
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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES; ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1.		Open Journal	File
0002		2.		Cancell RS 1176 on H&I's	Btry FDO
0215		3.		Check fire all H&I'S Sent to all Btry	FDO
0227		4.		Check fire lifted by FSCC	BDO
0605		5.		Sent ammo exp. to 12th Marines	FDO
0625		6.		Check fire A F	FDO
0655		7.		Sent Cad. to 12th Mar.	FDO
0735		8.		Check fire lifted A F	FDO
0909		9.		Arizona, Calif, Idaho, Pennsylvania restrictive fire plans in effect	FDO
1120		10.		Check fire AF	FDO
1136		11.		Check fire lifted AF	FDO
1450		12.		Sent IN. A&Son Cad. to 12th Marines	FDO File Board

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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
1558		13.		Sent Gun status to	FDO
				12th Mar & FSCC	Board
1943		14.		Check fire sap (AP)	FDO Btry
				from FSCC due to air	
2040		15.		Recived GM&AM Pers	FDO
				H&I's not cleared	
2100		16.		Check fire SAP from	FDO Btry
				FSCC	
2103		17.		Check fire lifted on	FDO Btry
				SAP from FSCC	
2105		18.		Check fire SAP FSCC	FDO Btry
2200H	2210	19.		All H&I'S cleaed except	FDO Btrys
				Amandas	
2200H	2230	20.		All H&I's cleared to	FDO Btrys
				fire and sent to Btrys	
2300		21.		Sent Opsum & Sitrep	FDO
				to 12th Marines	
2400		22.		Closed Journal	FDO

Unit or Staff Section

S-3 Section, 3rd BN. 12th Marines

Location

Camp J.J. Carroll

Opened (DTG Mon Yr)

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S-3 Section, 3rd Bn. 12th Marines

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Closed (DTG Mon Yr)

210001H July 68

212400 July 68

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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1.		Opened Journal	FDO
0725		2.		Sent cad. report and	FDO
				total rds fired to 12	
				th Mar and Black	
				Bottom Barley	
1020		3.		Check fire due to air	FDO
				from spunky hansen	
1035		4.		Check fire lifted on	FDO, Btry
				Spunky Hansen mission	
				(clear) AD	
1042		5.		Check fire AD (do to	FDO, BTRY
				Air)	
1050		6.		Lifed check fire on AO	FDO, Btry
				by S.H.	
1055		7.		Restricted fire plan	FDO
				Idaho in effect	
1122		8.		Check fire KC	FDO, Btry
1125		9.		Check fire lifted on	FDO, Btry
				KC	
1210		10.		Check fire on KG from	FDO, Btry
				FSOC	

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S-3 Seaction, 3rd Bn. 12th Marines					
Location					
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210001H July 68			212400 July 68		
IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
1216		11.		Check fire lifted on	FDO, BTRY
				SAP KG	
1217		12.		DC-01 reported spotted	
				vehicle with flat tire	
				at grid 058567 driver	
				looks injured notified	S-3 WO
				3rd Mar COC	
1225		13.		Check fire SAP (AE) due	FDO, BTRY
				to air from FSCC	
1305		14.		Check fire SAP (AE) has	FDO, Btry
				been lifted by FSCC	
1307		15.		Check fire (AE) air	FDO, Btry
1325		16.		Check fire SAP (AE) has	FDO, Btry
				been lifted by FSCC	
1500		17.		Sent line A&1A to 12th	FDO
				Marines	
1600		18.		Sent Gun Status to 12th	FDO
				Marines.	
1700		19.		Check Fire on all Greek	FDO
				Money Msns. Choppers in	
				the Area.	

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Location	
Camp J.J. Carrol	
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Unit or Staff Section S#3 Section, 3rd Bn. 12th Marines					
Location Camp J. J. Carrol					
Opened (DTG Mon Yr) 220001 July 68			Closed (DTG Mon Yr) 222400 July 68		
IN	OUT	Ser No.	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1.		Journal open	
0645		2.		Sent cad and ammo exp	FDO, Board
				to 12th Marines	File
0750		3.		Restrictive fire plans	FDO
				California, Arizona and	
				Utah in effect	
1015		4.		Neg comm with B 1/12	FDO
				as of this time regain	
				comm with B 1/13	
1537		5.		Regained comm with B 1/12	FDO
1500		6.		Sent line "A" "S" to	FDO
				12th Marines and BBB	FDO
1545		7.		Sent gun statues report	
				to 12th Mar & BBB	
1615		8.		Everything in check fire	FDO, Btry
				except SAP (AQ)	
1630		9.		Check fire all fires	FDO
1710		10.		Resume all fires	FDO
1905		11.		Sent opsum to FSCC	FDO

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Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Seaction, 3rdBn. 12th Marines	
Location	
Camp J.J. Carrol	
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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1.		Journal opened	
0002		2.		Cancell RS 1200 on	FDO, Btry
				2/3 H&I's	
0130		3.		Sent all H&I's to Btry	FDO, Btry
0530		4.		Check fire from AM-24	FDO, Btry
				said getting incomming	
0540		5.		Checked all H&I's plot	FDO, Btry
				and units firing no one	
				fireing 1000m. of AMA	
				24 said recived 8 rds	
				incomming	
0553		6.		AMA 24 recived 2 more	FDO, BTRY
				volleys checkfire	
0600		7.		Sent ammo exp. to 12th	FDO, FSCC
				Marines	
0637		8.		Check fire on SAP (AE)	FDO, BTRY
				due to fixed wing GM-64	
0645		9.		Check out eack btry by	FDO
				1 rd wp AMA 24 obs no	
				rounds check rounds were	

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Unit or Staff Section					
S-3 Seaction, 3rd Bn 12th Marines					
Location					
Camp J.J. Carrol					
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230001 July 68			232400 July 68		
IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
				fired over asked AMA	
				24 for crater analysis	
0650		10.		Sent cad to 12th Mar	FDO
0730		11.		Departed for new ALFA	FDO
				posit 9460	
0845		12.		W 3/12 with 3 tubes dep	FDO
				cc landing zone for 12	
				Gates Chop opcon at this	
				time to D County	
1100		13.		Check fire all fire	FDO
1115		14.		Check fire lifted	FDO
1300		15.		Check fire KK	FDO, BTRY
1313		16.		Sand Box 4 requested fc	FDO, 12th
				use age for previous	Marines
				month following figers	
				given A 1/12-0, B 1/12	
				38, C 1/12-18, A 1-40-	
				246	
1314		17.		Check fire for KM	FDO, Btry

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Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Seaction, 3rd Bn. 12th Marines	
Location	
Camp J.J. Carrol	
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230001H July 68	232400 July 68

IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
1326		18.		Check fire lifted on	FDO, Btry
				KK and KM	
1500		19.		Sent fire A&S on cad.	FDO, Board
				to 12th Marines	
1745		20.		Check fire SAP AW&AX	FDO, Btry
				by FSCC	
1747		21.		Check fire SAP (AW) by	FDO, BTRY
				FSCC lifted	
1925		22.		Recived H&I's from FSCC	FDO, BTRY
				for AM and Spunky Hansen	
				cleardred to fire	
2025		23.		Recived H&I's from FSCC	FDO
				for Pres, GM,HR, clear	
				to fire	
2250		24.		Sent opsun and sitrep	FDO
				to 12th Marines	
2400		25.		Journal closed	

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IN	OUT	Ser No.	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1.		Journal opened	
0650		2.		Check fire on C 1/12 on	FDO
				calls for an A O	
0700		3.		Check fire lifted	FDO
0715		4.		Sent cad and ammo report	FDO
				to 12th Mar. and BBB	
0800		5.		Check fire	FDO, Btry
0815		6.		Check fire lifted AA	FDO, Btry
0850		7.		L/12 has restricted fire	FDO
				plan Arizona, Calif.	
				Utah in effect	
1050		8.		Sent line A&1A to 12th	FDO
				Marines	
1500		9.		Sent gun statues to 12th	FDO
				Marines	
1700		10.		Sent ammo exp. to 12th	FDO
				Marines	
2015		11.		Recived H&I's from FSCC	FDO
				all cleared	
2400		12.		Journal closed	

Unit or Staff Section S-3 Section, 3rd Bn. 12th Marines	
Location Camp J.J. Carrol	
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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1.		Journal opened	
0635		2.		Sent cad to 12th Mar	FDO, FILE
				and Task Force Hotel	Board
1321		3.		Check fires all fires	FDO
1335		4.		Check fire lifted	FDO
1610		5.		Sent line "A" "S " and	FDO
				gun status report to	
				12th Mar and BBB	
2050		6.		Recived H&I's from FSCC	FDO
				FOR AM,HR, PERS,SH, All	
				cleared to fire	
2257		7.		Sent opsum and sit-rep	FDO
				to 12th Marines	
2400		8.		Journal closed	

Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Section, 3rd Bn. 12th Marines	
Location	
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Unit or Staff Section S-3 Section, 3d Battalion 12th Mar.	
Location Camp J.J. CARROL	
Opened (DTG Mon Yr) 260001H July 68	Closed (DTG mon Yr) 262400H July 68

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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1.		Journal Opened	FDO
0448		2.		Check fire H&I's B 1/11	FDO
				C 1/12, A 1/40, 4/12	Btry
				B 1/12	
0528		3.		Resume fire H&I'S	FDO, Btry
				B1/11, C 1/12, A 1/40,	
				4/12, B 1/12	
0600		4.		B 1/11 CSMO at this	FDO, Btry
				time	
0630		5.		Sent cad & ammo exp.	FDO, Btry
				to 12th Marines	File Board
0800		6.		C 1/12 displaced old	FDO
				pos. 03715625 for Camp	
				Carrol 0587554441	
1300		7.		W 3/12 formed as a	FDO
				divisional W-Btry	
1200		8.		T-3/12 formed-155 How.	FDO
				Btry	
0930		9.		Check fire Reg. grids	FDO
				for A 1/12	

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Unit or Staff Section S-3 Section, 3d Bn, 12th Marines					
Location Camp J.J. Carrol					
Opened (DTG Mon Yr) 000126H July 68			Closed (DTG Mon Yr) 262400H July 68		
IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
1000		10.		Check fire lifted for	FDO
				A 1/12	
1145		11.		Sent fire cap for C 1/12	FDO
				to 12th Marines	
1330		12.		B 1/11 departed CC at	FDO
				this time	
1400		13.		Tango 1st Prov. 155	FDO
				commence assembly and	
				moved to LZ Joan	
1500		14.		Sent line A&S on cad.	FDO, File
				to 12th Marines	Board
1645		15.		Sent tube status to 12	FDO, Board
				th Marines	
1700		16.		Check fire H&I's A 1/12	FDO, Btry
1930		17.		Recived H&I's from GM,	FDO
				HR, AM, JH, SH, not clear	
2047		18.		H&I's for GM, HR, AM,	
				AND TOT's for AM, GM	
				are cleared	
2100		19.		Ill H&I's cleared	

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Location Camp J.J. Carrol	
Opened (DTG Mon Yr) 260001H July 68	Closed (DTG mon Yr) 262400H July 68

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Unit or Staff Section S-3 Section, 3db Bn 12th Marines	
Location Camp J.J. Carroll	
Opened (DTG Mon Yr) 270001H July 68	Closed (DTG mon Yr) 272400H July 68

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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0630		1.		Sent cad. & ammo exp. to 12th Mar. & TFH	FDO, Board
0730		2.		W 3/12 O/A at this time moving to LZ	FDO
				Eagale	
0840		3.		Received T 3/12 cad at this time	FDO, Board
0955		4.		HR prep fires scheduled at 0830 actual start at 0955, cut off time at 1022. EOMM	FDO
1505		5.		Sent line A&S of cad and gun status to 12 Mar	FDO, File
1640		6.		Sent ammo exp. to 12th Marines	FDO, File
1700		7.		Sent opsum to FSCC	FDO, File
2354		8.		Sent opsum to 12th Mar	FDO
2400		9.		Journal closed	

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Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Section, 3d Bn 12th Marines	
Location Camp J.J. Carrol	
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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1.		Journal opened	FDO
0500		2.		Sent ammo exp. to 12th	FDO, File
				Marines	Board
0700		3.		Sent Cad to 12th Mar	FDO, File
0710		4.		Sent total line A to	FDO
				TFH	
1029		5.		C 1/12 CSMO-CC to new	FDO
				position to LZ Beckey	
1503		6.		Sent Gun status & lines	FDO
				A&S of cad to 12th Mar	
				and BBB	
1515		7.		Convoy from Dong Ha	FDO
				arrived at Camp Carrol	
1545		8.		Check fire on SAP (AL)	FDO, Btry
1622		9.		Check fire lifted on	FDO, Btry
				SAP (AL)	
1645		10.		Sent Ammo exp. to 12th	FDO, Btry
				Marines	
1700		11.		Sent opsum to 12th Mar	FDO
				and FSCC	

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Location					
Camp J.J. Carroll					
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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES; ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
1730		12.		Received Am24A, Am24, HR	FDO
				24, GM24 H&I's and GM	
				TOTs not cleared	
1753		13.		Received C 1/12 fire cap	FDO, 12th
					Mar, File
1909		14.		All H&I's cleared to	FDO
				fire Except GM	
1909		15.		Sent fire cap to TFH	FDO
2035		16.		GM H&I'S clear to fire	FDO, Btry
				one cancelled rsl295	
2305		17.		Sent opsum and special	FDO, File
				report to 12th Mar	
2400		18.		Journal closed	

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Unit or Staff Section S-3 Section, 3d Bn 12th Marines	
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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES; ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1.		Journal opened	
0410		2.		Check fire all fires	FDO, Btry
				from FSCC due to air	
0445		3.		Check fire has been lift	FDO, Btry
				ed by FSCC	
0600		4.		Sent ammo exp. to 12th	FDO, File
				Marines	
0700		5.		Sent cad to 12th Mar	FDO, Btry
1035		6.		AC put in check fire	FDO, Btry
1045		7.		Resume AC fires	FDO, Btry
1500		8.		Sent line A&S and density	FDO
				report to 12th Mar BBB	
1621		9.		Check fire (AX)	FDO
1637		10.		Check fire lifted (AX)	FDO
1645		11.		Sent ammo exp to 12th	FDO
				Marines	
1815		12.		Sent opsum to 12th Mar	FDO
1830		13.		Recived H&I's from FscC	FDO
				for HR-AM*24A-AM24-GM-	
				SH not cleared	

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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
1903		14.		Received clearance on	FDO
				H&I's except GM	
2300		15.		Sent opsum to 12th Mar	FDO
2303		16.		Check fire on SAP (BB)	FDO, Btry
				due to air	
2319		17.		Resume fire SAP (BB)	FDO, Btry
2328		18.		Received H&I's from FSCC	FDO
				To fire cleared to fire	
2345		19		Received clearance on	FDO, Btry
				GM H&I's and TOT's	
2400		20.		Journal closed	

Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Section, 3dBn 12th Marine	
Location	
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Unit or Staff Section S-3 Section, 3d Bn 12th Marines	
Location Camp J.J. Carrol	
Opened (DTG Mon Yr) 300001H July 68	Closed (DTG mon Yr) 302400H July 68

IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1.		Journal opened	
0408		2.		Prep fires for HR clear	FDO, Btry
				red AM sent to A 1/12	
0520		3.		HR 24 check fire on pr	FDO
				eps grid 865616 said	
				rds were impact at gri	
				d 858617.	
0540		5.		DCA-3 verified all fire	FDO
				data also said guns of	
				A&T were check out HR24	
				said that propley peop	
				le on line got shook up	
				and jumpy no causuality	
0600		6.		HR 24 reported he has	FDO
				different thrust point	
				grid than we do notified	
				NT BAILEY to get HR24	
				square check DSA SN&NT	
				all have same, HR 24 is	
				different	

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Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Section, 3dBn 12th Marines	
Location Camp J.J. Carrol	
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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES; ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0700		6.		NT, DE BAILEY checked	
				thrust point DCA NT	
				and SN have wrong grid	
				on thrust point EOM	
				on preps	
0740		7.		Sent cad. and ammo exp.	FDO
				to 12th Marines	
1100		8.		Check fire on SAP (AG)	FDO, Btry
				(AH) from FSOC	
1115		9.		Dropped opcon of A 1/40	FDO
				at this time	
1125		10.		Check fire lifted on	FDO, Btry
				SAP (AG)(AH) Check fire	
				on SAP (AJ) due to air	
				from FSOC	
1445		11.		Sent line A&S and gun	FDO, File
				status to 12th Marines	
1640		12.		Sent opsum to FSOC and	FDO, File
				ammo exp. to 12th Mar	
1650		13.		check fire due to air	FDO, Btry

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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
1922		14.		Check fire (AT)	FDO, Btry
1927		15.		Check fire lifted (AT)	FDO, Btry
1939		16.		T 3/12 Btry commander	FDO
				assumed new duty as	
				Searlight commander of	
				12th Mar. Comm. Capt	
				Law also Lt Shugart	
				assumed duty as T 3/12	
				commander	
1954		17.		Check fire on all H&I's	FDO
				until further notice	
2030		18.		Sent 3/12 strength report	FDO
				to 3/12 rear	
2100		19.		Check fire H&I's	FDO, Btry
2220		20.		H&I's & TOT's sent btry	FDO, Btry
2230		21.		H&I's cleared to fire	FDO, Btry
2400		22.		Journal closed	

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IN	OUT	Ser No	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN
0001		1.		Journal opened	
0030		2.		Check fire all fires	FDO, Btry
				from FSCC due to air	
0107		3.		Resume all fire FSCC	FDO, Btry
0115		4.		Clearance on HR prep	FDO
				fire cancel 884616	
0645		5.		Sent rds exp. to 12th	FDO, File
				Marines	
0915		6.		Check fire (HA) (AB)	FDO, Btry
0937		7.		Check fire lifted	FDO, Btry
1440		8.		Check fire SAP (AJ) fr	FDO, Btry
				om FSCC due to air	
1443		9.		Check fire lifted on	FDO, Btry
				SAP (AJ)	
1445		10.		Check fire SAP (AJ) FSCC	FDO, Btry
				due to air	
1458		11.		Check fire lifted (AJ)	FDO, Btry
1505		12.		Sent line Alpha and	FDO, File
				Serhhia and density to	
				12th Marines	

Unit or Staff Section	
S-3 Section, 3d Bn 12th Marines	
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