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WERE FIRED AT THE ENEMY'S FORTIFIED POSITIONS RESULTING IN TWENTY-FOUR NVA KILLED (CONF), THIRTY KILLED (PROB) AND TWO WEAPONS CAPTURED. MARINES HAD NINE KILLED AND FORTY-SIX WOUNDED. AT 1540H, COMPANY A FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES (YD 114690) RECEIVED 30-35 ROUNDS OF 82MM MORTAR FIRE; ONE MARINE WAS WOUNDED. COUNTER-MORTAR FIRE WAS DELIVERED ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITIONS WITH UNCONFIRMED RESULTS. BETWEEN 1540H-1853H, THE FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES CP (YD 114700) RECEIVED 11-15 ROUNDS OF 82MM MORTAR FIRE RESULTING IN SIX MARINES WOUNDED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION PRAIRIE IV, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW TWENTY-NINE SORTIES CONSISTING OF TWELVE CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND SEVENTEEN DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (TEN VISUAL AND SEVEN TPQ-10) WHICH EXPENDED 41.2 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS ONE AW POSITION DAMAGED. HELICOPTERS FLEW TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY FOUR SORTIES AND TRANSPORTED ONE HUNDRED FORTY SEVEN PERSONNEL AND 36.5

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TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED THREE HUNDRED. FOURTY SIX MISSIONS AND 2722 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. DURING THE PERIOD, 175MM GUNS FIRED SEVEN OBSERVED AND FORTY EIGHT UNOBSERVED MISSIONS EXPENDING FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY FIVE ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS, DAILY/CUMULATIVE.

USMC	ENEMY
9/78 KIA	24/322 KIA (CONF)
53/602 WIA	30/367 KIA (PROB)
	0/8 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/86 DETAINEES
	2/120 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH FIRST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES (COMPANIES A, B, C, AND D), BATTERY A, FIRST BATTALION, THIRTEENTH MARINES AND BATTERY F, SECOND BATTALION, TWELFTH MARINES COMMENCED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI P

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WITH NEGATIVE CONTACT. THE PURPOSE OF THIS OPERATION IS TO DETECT AND DESTROY ENEMY PERSONNEL INFILTRATING INTO AND THROUGH THE AREA OF OPERATION.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT FIXED WING AIR SUPPORT FLEW TWENTY SIX SORTIES CONSISTING OF NINE CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND SEVENTEEN DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (EIGHT VISUAL AND NINE TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 35.5 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS ONE BUNKER AND ONE STRUCTURE DESTROYED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED ONE HUNDRED SIXTY FOUR MISSIONS AND SEVEN HUNDREN THIRTEEN ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS, DAILY/CUMULATIVE.

USMC	ENEMY
NONE	NONE

(3) OPERATION SHAWNEE (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE INFANTRY BATTALIONS (SECOND BATTALIONS FROM THE FOURTH, NINTH AND TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1105H, ONE MARINE FROM COMPANY E

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SECOND BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WAS WOUNDED WHEN A 155MM ROUND RIGGED AS A MINE DETONATED (YD 579204). AT 1430H, COMPANY F, SECOND BATTALION, NINTH MARINES (YD 352360) KILLED TWO VC AND CAPTURED TWO RUSSIAN CARBINES. AT 1730H, COMPANY F, SECOND BATTALION, NINTH MARINES ENGAGED A VC AMBUSH (YD 356350): SMALL ARMS FIRE WAS EXCHANGED RESULTING IN TWO VC KILLED (CONF) AND TWO VC KILLED (PROB): ONE SMG AND ONE RUSSIAN CARBINE WAS CAPTURED. ONE MARINE WAS KILLED AND FIVE MARINES WERE WOUNDED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SHAWNEE FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW FOUR SORTIES CONSISTING OF FOUR DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (FOUR TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 5.7 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THERE WAS NO REPORTED BDA. HELICOPTERS FLEW ONE HUNDRED TEN SORTIES AND TRANSPORTED TEN PERSONNEL. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY FIVE MISSIONS AND 1122 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS, DAILY/CUMULATIVE.

USMC	ENEMY
1/11 KIA	4/100 KIA (CONF)

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RETURNED ARTILLERY AND 81MM MORTAR FIRE INTO THE ENEMY'S POSITION RESULTING IN ONE ENEMY KILLED (PROB). AT 1600H, TWO MARINES FROM COMPANY A, FIRST BATTALION, NINTH MARINES (YD 134600) WERE WOUNDED FROM FIVE ROUNDS OF INCOMING ENEMY MORTAR FIRE. BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 1730H TO 1800H, FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES (114700) RECEIVED TEN TO FIFTEEN ROUNDS OF ENEMY ARTILLERY FIRE. ELEVEN MARINES WERE WOUNDED. AT 1800H, COMPANY D, FIRST BATTALION, NINTH MARINES (YD 123687) WAS PROBED BY AN ESTIMATED ENEMY COMPANY. THE ENEMY PROBE WAS SUPPORTED BY MORTARS, SA FIRE, AND SATCHEL CHARGES. THE ATTACK WAS REPULED RESULTING IN SIX MARINES KILLED AND ELEVEN MARINES WOUNDED. ENEMY CASUALTIES WERE TWENTY-SEVEN KILLED (CONF). DURING THE PERIOD, ARTILLERY UNITS AT GIO LINH (YD 220734) RECEIVED FIFTY ROUNDS OF ARTILLERY FIRE RESULTING IN TWO MARINES KILLED AND EIGHT MARINES WOUNDED (MED EVAC).

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(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION PRAIRIE IV, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 27 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 12 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 15 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (10 VISUAL AND 5 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 36 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS TWELVE STRUCTURES DESTROYED, TWO BUNKERS DESTROYED,

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ONE RICE CACHE DESTROYED, AND ONE MORTAR POSITION DESTROYED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 30 SORTIES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 387 MISSIONS AND 2341 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. DURING THE PERIOD, 175MM GUNS FIRED FORTY-SIX MISSIONS EXPENDING TWO HUNDRED FIFTY EIGHT ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION. NAVAL GUNFIRE FIRED SIXTEEN MISSIONS AND EXPENDED TWO HUNDRED EIGHTY ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS, DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
14/92 KIA	78/350 KIA (CONF)
89/691 KIA	51/418 KIA (PROB)
	0/8 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/86 DETAINEES
	1/21 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH FIRST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES (COMPANIES A, B, C, AND D); BATTERY A, FIRST BATTALION, THIRTEENTH MARINES; AND BATTERY B, SECOND BATTALION, TWELFTH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND

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CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1700H, AN OIC AIRCRAFT RECEIVED
ENEMY SA FIRE FROM THE VICINITY (XD 778463). ARTILLERY, AIR
STRIKES, AND 81MM MORTAR MISSIONS HIT THE ENEMY'S POSITION
WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED
WING AIR SUPPORT FLEW 35 SORTIES CONSISTING OF TEN CLOSE AIR
SUPPORT AND 25 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (15 VISUAL AND 10 IPQ-10)
SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 52.6 TONS OF ORDNANCE. REPORTED BDA
WAS TWO STRUCTURES DESTROYED AND ONE BUNKER DAMAGED. ARTILLERY
UNITS FIRED 72 MISSIONS AND 423 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN
SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS, DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
NONE	NONE

(3) OPERATION SHAWNEE (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE INFANTRY
BATTALIONS (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES, SECOND BATTALION,
NINTH MARINES, AND SECOND BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES)
CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE

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WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1530H, AN AO
DIRECTED TWO A/S (YD 359360); TWO VC WERE KILLED (PROB). AT
1619H, AN AO OBSERVED ONE BOAT (YD 584264) AND FIRED ROCKETS.
ONE VC WAS KILLED (PROB). ADD ONE AK-97 AND ONE RUSSIAN 7.62
LMS TO COMPANY F, SECOND BATTALION, NINTH MARINES (YD 356350)
131730H CONTACT.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SHAWNEE, FIXED WING
AIR SUPPORT FLEW TEN SORTIES CONSISTING OF 10 CLOSE AIR
SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED TEN TONS OF ORDNANCE. THERE WAS NO
REPORTED BDA. HELICOPTERS FLEW 231 SORTIES AND TRANSPORTED
242 PERSONNEL AND FIVE TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED
198 MISSIONS AND 607 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF
INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS, DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0711 KIA	07100 KIA (CONF)
07116 WIA	3751 KIA (PROB)
	071 NVA/PW
	077 VC/PW
	0746 DETAINEES

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(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH THE FIRST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES; BATTERY A, FIRST BATTALION, THIRTEENTH MARINES; AND BATTERY F, SECOND BATTALION, TWELFTH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1335H, A RECONNAISSANCE TEAM WAS INSERTED AT (XD 927377) AND BECAME SURROUNDED BY 50-100 NVA IN THE LZ. THE PATROL WAS EXTRACTED AFTER EXCHANGING AW/SA FIRE WITH THE ENEMY. EIGHT NVA WERE KILLED (CONF) AND SEVEN NVA WERE KILLED (PROB). THERE WERE NO MARINE CASUALTIES.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 19 SORTIES CONSISTING OF EIGHT CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 11 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (10 VISUAL AND 1 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 30 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THERE WAS NO REPORTED BDA. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 33 MISSIONS AND 217 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

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(C) RESULTS, DAILY/CUMULATIVE.

USMC

ENEMY

NONE

8/8 KIA (CONF)

7/7 KIA (PROB)

(3) OPERATION SHAWNEE (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE INFANTRY BATTALIONS (SECOND BATTALIONS OF THE FOURTH, NINTH AND TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1430H, THE SECOND BATTALION, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WERE PLACED UNDER THE OPERATIONAL CONTROL OF THE NINTH MARINES AND ENTERED OPERATION PRAIRIE IV. AT 0950, COMPANY E, SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES HAD ONE MARINE KILLED AND FOUR MARINES WOUNDED WHEN AN UNKNOWN TYPE EXPLOSIVE DEVICE DETONATED. AT 1000H, ONE VC WAS KILLED AND ONE RUSSIAN SMG WAS CAPTURED (YD368395) BY THE SECOND BATTALION, NINTH MARINES. AT 1300H, ONE MARINE WAS KILLED AND ONE MARINE WAS WOUNDED WHEN COMPANY F, SECOND BATTALION, NINTH MARINES (YD371371) RECEIVED SNIPER FIRE. AT 2330H, H&S COMPANY, SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES, HAD ONE MARINE WOUNDED WHEN HE WAS HIT BY A 40MM SHELL THAT WAS EJECTED

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 UNDER FIRE. AT 1530H, COMPANY C, FIRST BATTALION, NINTH
 MARINES REINFORCED COMPANY A AND THE ENEMY BROKE CONTACT.
 THREE MARINES WERE KIA AND TWENTY-THREE MARINES WERE WIA.
 ENEMY SUFFERED TWENTY-THREE KILLED (CONF) AND THIRTY-
 THREE NVA WERE KILLED (PROB). DURING THE INITIAL HEAVY
 CONTACT, ONE TANK WAS HIT BY A ROCKET WHICH KNOCKED OFF THE TANKS
 TRACK. AT 1530H, FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES CP
 (YD 115702) RECEIVED TWENTY-EIGHT ROUNDS OF ARTILLERY FIRE;
 FOUR MARINES WERE WIA. AT 1615H, A RECONNAISSANCE TEAM
 (YD 981474) EXCHANGED SA/AV FIRE WITH 5-10 VC; ONE VC WAS
 KILLED (CONF), DURING THE PERIOD, FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH
 MARINES (YD 115702) AND ARTILLERY UNITS AT GIO LINH (YD 210744)
 RECEIVED INTERMITTENT ARTILLERY AND RR FIRE THROUGHOUT THE
 DAY RESULTING IN TEN MARINES WIA.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION PRAIRIE IV, FIXED
 WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 46 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 25 CLOSE AIR
 SUPPORT AND 21 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (12 VISUAL AND 9 TPQ-10)
 SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 72.5 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE
 REPORTED BDA WAS TWO KBA (PROB), 12 STRUCTURES DESTROYED; ONE SECONDARY
 EXPLOSION, ONE TRENCH DAMAGED, AND ONE GUN POSITION DESTROYED.

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 HELICOPTERS FLEW 327 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 178 PERSONNEL AND
 41.3 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLE

Y UNITS FIRED 347 MISSIONS
 AND 2683 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY
 OPERATIONS. 175MM GUNS FIRED
 MISSIONS EXPENDING 242 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION. NAVAL GUNFIRE
 FIRED TWO MISSIONS EXPENDING TWENTY ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
19/119 KIA(ADJ)	98/462 KIA (CONF)(ADJUSTED)
114/924 WIA(ADJ)	35/515 KIA (PROB)(ADJUSTED)
	2/8 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/86 DETAINEES
	0/141 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH THE FIRST
 BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES; BATTERY AWN FIRST
 BATTALION, THIRTEENTH MARINES; AND BATTERY F, SECOND
 BATTALION, TWELFTH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY
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REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0800H, COMPANY D, FIRST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES CALLED FOR AN ARTILLERY PREP (XD 820452) AND ONE MARINE WAS KIA WHEN A PIECE OF SHRAPNEL HIT HIM. AT 1232H, A RECONNAISSANCE TEAM OBSERVED TWO NVA STANDING BY A BUNKER (XD 844411); AN ARTILLERY MISSION WAS CALLED AND TWO NVA WERE KILLED (PROB).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 23 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 12 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 13 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (12 VISUAL AND 1 TPG-12) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 30.6 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS FOUR KBA (CONF), THREE BUNKERS AND ONE STRUCTURE DESTROYED AND FIVE TRENCHES DAMAGED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 5 MISSIONS AND 26 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

1/1 KIA

ENEMY

0/8 KIA (CONF)

2/9 KIA (PROB)

(3) OPERATION SHAWNEE (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY

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ENEMY 0/8 KIA (CONF)

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BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0900 , A CONVOY FROM PHU BAI TO THE FOURTH MARINES ENCOUNTERED ROAD BARRICADES AT (YD 612318). WHILE THE BARRICADES WERE BEING REMOVED, THE CONVOY RECEIVED SNIPER FIRE. AW/SA FIRE WAS RETURNED AT SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITIONS WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. AT 1440H, COMPANY E, SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES WERE PLACED UNDER THE OPERATIONAL CONTROL OF SECOND BATTALION, NINTH MARINES.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SHAWNEE, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 7 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 2 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 5 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (6 VISUAL AND 1 TPG-12) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 7 TONS OF ORDNANCE. HELICOPTERS FLEW 69 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 84 PERSONNEL AND .9 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 245 MISSIONS AND 728 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH THE FIRST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES; BATTERY A, FIRST BATTALION, THIRTEENTH MARINES; AND BATTERY F, SECOND BATTALION, TWELFTH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1335H, A RECONNAISSANCE TEAM WAS INSERTED AT (XD 927377) AND BECAME SURROUNDED BY 50-100 NVA IN THE LZ. THE PATROL WAS EXTRACTED AFTER EXCHANGING AW/SA FIRE WITH THE ENEMY. EIGHT NVA WERE KILLED (CONF) AND SEVEN NVA WERE KILLED (PROB). THERE WERE NO MARINE CASUALTIES.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 19 SORTIES CONSISTING OF EIGHT CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 11 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (10 VISUAL AND 1 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 30 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THERE WAS NO REPORTED BDA. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 33 MISSIONS AND 217 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

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(C) RESULTS, DAILY/CUMULATIVE.

USMC

NONE

ENEMY

8/8 KIA (CONF)

7/7 KIA (PROB)

(3) OPERATION SHAWNEE (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE INFANTRY BATTALIONS (SECOND BATTALIONS OF THE FOURTH, NINTH AND TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1430H, THE SECOND BATTALION, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WERE PLACED UNDER THE OPERATIONAL CONTROL OF THE NINTH MARINES AND ENTERED OPERATION PRAIRIE IV. AT 0950, COMPANY E, SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES HAD ONE MARINE KILLED AND FOUR MARINES WOUNDED WHEN AN UNKNOWN TYPE EXPLOSIVE DEVICE DETONATED. AT 1000H, ONE VC WAS KILLED AND ONE RUSSIAN SMG WAS CAPTURED (YD368395) BY THE SECOND BATTALION, NINTH MARINES. AT 1300H, ONE MARINE WAS KILLED AND ONE MARINE WAS WOUNDED WHEN COMPANY F, SECOND BATTALION, NINTH MARINES (YD371371) RECEIVED SNIPER FIRE. AT 2330H, H&S COMPANY, SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES, HAD ONE MARINE WOUNDED WHEN HE WAS HIT BY A 40MM SHELL THAT WAS EJECTED

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THIRD BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES APPREHENDED ONE DETAINEE AND CAPTURED ONE 9MM PISTOL AND ONE MAUSER RIFLE. AT 1745H, ONE MARINE WAS WIA FROM COMPANY M, THIRD BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES (YD 139706) WHEN HE DETONATED AN EXPLOSIVE DEVICE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HICKORY, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 40 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 23 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 17 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (17 PTQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 68.5 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS TWENTY-SIX STRUCTURES DESTROYED, EIGHT STRUCTURES DAMAGED, EIGHT BUNKERS DESTROYED AND TWELVE SECONDARY FIRES WERE OBSERVED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 83 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 455 PERSONNEL.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
3/3 KIA	27/27 KIA(CONF)
83/83 WIA	4/4 KIA(PROB)
	1/1 DETAINEES

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24 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH THE FIRST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES; BATTERY A, FIRST BATTALION, THIRTEENTH MARINES; AND BATTERY F, SECOND BATTALION, TWELFTH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTECF QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH NO CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 9 SORTIES INCLUDING SEVEN CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND TWO DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES WHICH EXPENDED 16.9 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THERE NO CONFIRMED BDA.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/1 WIA	0/8 KIA(CONFL)
	0/11 KAI(PROB)

(4) OPERATION SHAWNEE (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT.
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DEAD NVA WAS FOUND IN ONE OF THE BUNKERS AND ONE RIFLE WAS CAPTURED. AT 1045H, COMPANY B, 1ST BATTALION, 9TH MARINES FOUND ONE DEAD NVA (YD 127679). BETWEEN 1300H, COMPANY H, 2D BATTALION, 9TH MARINES MADE CONTACT WITH AN ESTIMATED ENEMY PLATOON EMPLOYING MORTARS, SMALL ARMS AND AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE FROM WELL PREPARED POSITIONS ALONG A TREE LINE (YD 143726). TANKS MOVED TO ASSIST THE COMPANY AND ONE TANK WAS HIT BY A RPG ROUND. AIRSTRIKES AND ARTILLERY WERE DIRECTED AGAINST THE ENEMY AND THEY BROKE CONTACT. SEVEN MARINES WERE KIA AND 12 WERE WIA BUT ENEMY CASUALTIES WERE UNCONFIRMED. AT 1850H, COMPANY B, 2D BATTALION, 26TH MARINES RECEIVED 30 ROUNDS OF ARTILLERY FIRE OF UNKNOWN CALIBER. ARTILLERY AND AIRSTRIKES WERE DIRECTED ON THE ENEMY POSITION. TWENTY-FIVE ENEMY WERE KIA (CONF, TEN KILLED BY AIR, 15 BY ARTILLERY).

(B) ON 17 MAY, FIXED WING SUPPORT OF THE OPERATION CONSISTED OF 24 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 61 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES (9 TPS-10). IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HICKORY ON 19 MAY FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 100 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 53 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 47 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (34 VISUAL AND 13 NIGHT TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 184 TONS OF ORDNANCE. TWENTY-EIGHT

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STRUCTURES AND FOUR BUNKERS WERE DESTROYED, 12 STRUCTURES AND FOUR TRENCHES WERE DAMAGED AND 3 ROADS WERE CUT. HELICOPTERS FLEW 587 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 383 PERSONNEL AND 59 TONS OF CARGO.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
10/13 KIA	63/90 KIA (CONF)
41/124 WIA	0/4 KIA (PROB)
	1/1 NVA/PW
	0/1 DETAINEE
	3/27 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) ~~OPERATION CROCKETT~~ (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 26TH MARINES, WITH THE FIRST BATTALION, CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT 1115H, AFTER AN EXCHANGE OF SMALL ARMS FIRE BETWEEN COMPANY A AND AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF VC AN AO SUPPORTING THE COMPANY ADJUSTED ARTILLERY ON ONE VC (XD 745342). ONE VC WAS KIA (PROB).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 15 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 15 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (12 VISUAL AND 3 NIGHT TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EX-

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EXPENDED 26 TONS OF ORDNANCE.

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(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/1 WIA	0/8 KIA(CONF)(ADJ)
	1/12 KIA(PROB)(ADJ)

(4) OPERATION SHWANEE (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 4TH MARINES WITH THE SECOND BATTALION CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT 0730H, WHILE SWEEPING AN AREA, SUBSEQUENT TO ACTIVITY ON A TPS-21 RADAR, COMPANY H OBSERVED AN FIRED ON THREE VC (YD 545261). AS THE COMPANY PURSUED THE ENEMY AN ADDITIONAL 50 ENEMY WERE OBSERVED (YD 547255). COMPANY F ESTABLISHED A BLOCKING POSITION AND ARTILLERY WAS ADJUSTED ON THE ENEMY. COMPANY H RECEIVED SMALL ARMS AND MORTAR FIRE AND RETURNED THE SAME. SEVEN ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF) AND FOUR WERE KILLED(PROB). TWO MARINES WERE WIA AND ONE 60MM MORTAR BASE PLATE WAS CAPTURED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SHWANEE, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 12 SORTIES (10 VISUAL AND TWO TPO-10). ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 202 MISSIONS AND 580 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN

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SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/13 KIA	7/113 KIA(CONF)
2/131 WIA	4/58 KIA(PROB)
	0/1 NVA/PW
	0/7 VC PW
	0/46 DETAINEES
	0/1 CIVIL DEFENDANTS
	0/12 INNOCENT CIVILIANS
	0/89 WEAPONS CAPTURED(ADJ)

(5) OPERATION THUNDER DRAGON (FIRST MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 7TH MARINES WITH THE 1ST BATTALION COMMENCED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG NAM PROVINCE AT 1700H, WITH NO CONTACT FOR THE PERIOD.

(B) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
NONE	NONE

(6) OPERATION THUNDER DRAGON (SECOND BRIGADE, ROKMC)

(A) THE 2D BRIGADE ROKMC CONTINUED SEARCH AND

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AT 1720H, A PATROL FROM COMPANY F, 2D BATTALION, 9TH MARINES ENGAGED AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF ENEMY. MORTAR FIRE AND AIR STRIKES ON THE ENEMY POSITIONS RESULTED IN 1 ENEMY KIA (CONF). FOUR MARINES WERE KIA AND EIGHT WERE WIA. AT 1805H, ELEMENTS OF THE 3D BATTALION, 9TH MARINES ENGAGED A ESTIMATED NVA COMPANY IN PREPARED POSITIONS WITH MUTUALLY SUPPORTING BUNKERS (YD 116)). CONTACT CONTINUED BEYOND THIS REPORTING PERIOD. 36 ENEMY HAVE BEEN KIA (CONF) AND 1 KILLED (PROB) AT LAST REPORT FIFTEEN MARINES HAVE BEEN KIA AND 18 WIA.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HICKORY, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 11 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 61 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 19 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (37 VISUAL AND 12 TPO-1) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 11 TONS OF ORDNANCE. SEVENTY-EIGHT STRUCTURES AND THREE MORTAR POSITIONS WERE DESTROYED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 113 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 11 PERSONNEL AND 3 TONS OF CARGO. ON 19 AND 20 MAY, ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 159 MISSIONS AND 7323 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. ON 19 MAY NAVAL GUNFIRE FIRED 19 MISSIONS AND 118 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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USMC	ENEMY
28/18 KIA	58/125 KIA (CONF)
116/118 WIA	1/17 KIA (PROB)
	1/2 DETAINEES (ADJ)
	3/17 WEAPONS CAPTURED (ADJ)

(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 26TH MARINES WITH THE FIRST BATTALION 26 MARINES BATTERY A, 1ST BATTALION 13TH MARINES; AND BATTERY F, 2D BATTALION, 12TH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY) AT 191230H, AN AO DIRECTED AIR STRIKES ON A NVA COMPANY (XD-9)6333) AND A NVA PLATOON (XD 9373)9) WHICH RESULTED IN 9 ENEMY KIA (PROB). FROM 200800H TO 200900H AN AO RECEIVED HEAVY AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE FROM (XD 938328). AIR STRIKES WERE CONDUCTED EXPOSING AN ENEMY AUTOMATIC WEAPONS POSITION AND STORAGE AREA. TWO DIRECT HITS WITH 75 POUND BOMBS RESULTED IN 1 ENEMY KIA (PROB).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 33 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 12 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 21 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (12 VISUAL AND 9 TPO-1) SORTIES, WHICH

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EXPENDED 51 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ONE BUNKER WAS DESTROYED.

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HELICOPTERS FLEW 16 SORTIES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 135 MISSIONS AND 818 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

1/1 WIA

1/8 KIA (CONF)

19/31 KIA (PROB)

(1) OPERATION SHAWNEE (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 11TH MARINES WITH THE SECOND BATTALION, 11TH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY). AT 1919H, COMPANY H DIRECTED ARTILLERY ON SMALL GROUP OF VC (YD 585262) RESULTING IN 2 VC KIA (CONF) AND 11 KIA (PROB). AT 19125H, 2 MARINES FROM COMPANY H WERE WIA AND 2 VC WERE KILLED (PROB) IN AN EXCHANGE OF SMALL ARMS FIRE (YD 59726)). AT 21123H, COMPANY F FIRED ON AN ESTIMATED 1 VC (YD 512265). SEVEN ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF). AT 115H, A RECON TEAM KILLED ONE VC (CONF) (YD 353375). AT 1535H, COMPANY H, OBSERVED A ESTIMATED 11 ENEMY IN A RICE FIELD (YD 578282). ARTILLERY WAS ADJUSTED ON THE ENEMY AND ONE VC WAS KILLED (CONF) AND 5 WERE KIA (PROB). ONE

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DETAINEE WAS APPREHENDED ON 19MAY.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SHAWNEE, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 6 SORTIES INCLUDING 6 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (6 TPO-1) SORTIES WHICH EXPENDED 12 TONS OF ORDNANCE. HELICOPTERS FLEW 1 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 7 PERSONNEL. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 76 MISSIONS AND 159 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

1/13 KIA

16/126 KIA (CONF) (ADJ)

2/133 WIA

13/78 KIA (PROB) (ADJ)

1/1 NVA/PW

1/7 VC/PW

1/17 DETAINEES

1/1 CIVIL DEFENDANTS

1/88 WEAPONS CAPTURED (ADJ)

(5) OPERATION DUVAL (FIRST MARINE DIVISION).

(A) THE 7TH MARINES WITH THE 1ST BATTALION 7TH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG NAM PROVINCE WITH NO CONTACT.

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 COMPANY F, 2D BATTALION, 9TH MARINES EXCHANGED SMALL ARMS AND MORTAR FIRE WITH AN ESTIMATED SEVEN VC (YD 139798). FOUR ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF), FOUR MARINES WERE KIA AND EIGHT MARINES WERE WIA. AT 201845H, COMPANY K, 3D BATTALION, 9TH MARINES ENGAGED AN ENEMY FORCE OF UNDETERMINED SIZE WITH ORGANIC WEAPONS AND SUPPORTING ARMS FIRE (YD 105647). THIRTY-TWO ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF) AND EIGHT ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB). TWENTY-FOUR USMC WERE KIA AND 50 WERE WIA. AT 202245H, COMPANY L, 3D BATTALION, 9TH MARINES JOINED COMPANY K IN THE ATTACK, DIRECTING ARTILLERY ON THE ENEMY POSITION WHILE RECEIVING SMALL ARMS AND 60MM FIRE. FOUR ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF) AND THREE ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB). TWO MARINES WERE KIA AND NINE WERE WIA. AT 210100H, THE THIRD BATTALION, NINTH MARINES FOUND ONE DEAD NVA AND CAPTURED ONE AK-47 RIFLE (YD 103644). AT 0955H, COMPANY M, 3D BATTALION, 4TH MARINES FOUND FOUR ADDITIONAL DEAD NVA AND CAPTURED ONE MAUSER RIFLE (YD 082753). AT 1745H, ELEMENTS OF THE 2D BATTALION, 3D MARINES RECEIVED 170 ROUNDS OF ENEMY ARTILLERY FIRE OF UNKNOWN CALIBER (YD 138773). ARTILLERY AND AIR STRIKES WERE DIRECTED ON THE SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITION WITH UNCONFIRMED RESULTS. THREE MARINES WERE KIA AND 52 WERE WIA.

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 FIFTEEN NATIONAL POLICE WERE ALSO WOUNDED.
 NOTE: ADD 180 VC KILLED (PROB).

AS A RESULT OF THE CONTACT BY 2D BATTALION, 26 TH MARINES AT 191850H, AND ADD 50 ENEMY KILLED (PROB) TO THE CONTACT BY COMPANY E, 2D BATTALION, 9TH MARINES AT 191645H.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HICKORY, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 110 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 47 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 63 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (38 VISUAL AND 25 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 125 TONS OF ORDNANCE. SEVENTEEN BUNKERS, 8 STRUCTURES, 3 MORTARS, ONE ARTILLERY POSITION AND ONE AW POSITION WERE DESTROYED, AND ONE STRUCTURE AND 4 TRENCHES WERE DAMAGED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 100 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 71 PERSONNEL AND 20 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 298 MISSIONS AND 4130 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC
 34/63 KIA
 125/498 WIA

ENEMY
 55/147 KIA (CONF)
 241/340 KIA (PROB)
 0/2 DETAINEES
 0/53 WEAPONS CAPTURED

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(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION).

(A) THE 26TH MARINES WITH THE 1ST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH

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MARINES, BATTERY A, 1ST BATTALION, 13TH MARINES AND BATTERY F.

2D BATTALION 12TH MARINE CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH MODERATE CONTACT. AT 1353H, COMPANY A DIRECTED AIR STRIKES ON AN ENEMY POSITION (XD 753465). TWENTY ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB). AT 1805H, COMPANY A MADE CONTACT WITH AN ESTIMATED REINFORCED NVA COMPANY EMPLOYING SMALL ARMS, AUTOMATIC WEAPONS AND MORTAR FIRE. MARINES RETURNED ORGANIC WEAPONS FIRE, ARTILLERY AND AIR STRIKES WHICH RESULTED IN 25 ENEMY KILLED (CONF) AND 27 KILLED (PROB). MARINES SUSTAINED 2 KIA AND 8 WIA IN THE BATTLE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 43 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 12 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 31 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (28 VISUAL AND 3 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 74 TONS OF ORDNANCE. SIXTEEN BUNKERS WERE DESTROYED, ONE WAS DAMAGED AND 15 SECONDARY FIRES WERE OBSERVED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 39 MISSIONS AND 815 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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ENEMY

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2/2 KIA

25/33 KIA (CONF)

8/9 WIA

52/83 KIA (PROB)

(4) OPERATION SHAWNEE (THIRD MARINE DIVISION).

(A) THE 4TH MARINES WITH THE SECOND BATTALION, TERMINATED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY) AT 201850H, ANNN ARTILLERY MISSION DIRECTED ON 5 VC (YD 576263) BY COMPANY H, RESULTED IN 2 ENEMY KILLED (CONF) AND 3 ENEMY KILLED (PROB). AT 21100H, 5 MARINES FROM COMPANY H WERE WIA BY A MINE (YD 558293). AT 0930H, THE COMPANY FOUND 5 TONS OF UNPROCESSED RICE AND APPREHENDED 5 DE-TAINEES. AT 1245H, ONE MARINE FROM COMPANY G WAS WIA BY A MINE (YD 357468).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SHAWNEE, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 18 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 14 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (14 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 19 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ONE SECONDARY FIRE WAS OBSERVED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 34 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 73 PERSONNEL AND 1 TON OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 283 MISSIONS AND 342 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE, THE 175MM GUNS FIRED 23 MISSIONS EXPENDING 167 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS, DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/152 KIA

0/1114 WIA

ENEMY

0/463 KIA(CONF)

0/521 KIA(PROB)

0/8 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

2/86 DETAINEES

0/137 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 26TH MARINES CONTINUED

SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY). AT 211805, A COMPANY A PATROL ENGAGED AN ESTIMATED ENEMY COMPANY NEAR (XD 758460). TWO USMC WERE KIA AND EIGHT USMC WERE WIA (FIVE MED EVAC). TWENTY-FIVE ENEMY WERE KIA(CONF) AND 27 ENEMY WERE KIA(PROB).

(B) FIXED WING SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT CONSISTED OF 6 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 13 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (11 VISUAL AND TWO TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 22 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BOMB DAMAGE WAS ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION AND

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TWO BUNKERS DESTROYED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 14 SORTIES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 90 MISSIONS AND 362 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS, DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

2/2 KIA

8/13 WIA

ENEMY

25/33 KIA(CONF)

27/93 KIA (PROB)

(4) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES COMMENCED

A SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATION IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE AT 220001H WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT 1645H, A RECON UNIT CALLED ARTILLERY ON 30 VC NEAR (YD 437361). THREE VC WERE KIA (CONF) AND TEN VC WERE KIA(PROB).

(B) FIXED WING SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW CONSISTED OF 18 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (4 VISUAL AND 13 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 29 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 217 MISSIONS AND 579 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS, DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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ENEMY

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QUANG TRI PROVINCE. (LATE ENTRY) AT 221315H, COMPANY C, FIRST BATTALION, NINTH MARINES CALLED ARTILLERY FIRE ON 18 ENEMY IN BUNKERS AT (YD 156658). TWO ENEMY WERE KIA(CONF). ONE ENEMY WAS KIA(PROB). ON 22 MAY, 17 ENEMY WERE FOUND KIA(CONF) AND NINE INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS WERE FOUND. AT 231210H, COMPANY E, SECOND BATTALION, THIRD MARINES RECEIVED EIGHT ROUNDS OF 60MM MOARTR FIRE NEAR (XD 135733). FOUR USMC WERE WIA (MED EVAC). DURING THE DAY THREE DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED AND ONE CHICOM GRENADE LAUNCHER WAS FOUND. AT 231010H COMPANY M RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM (YD106630) AIR STRIKE AND ARTILLERY WAS CALL, RESULTING IN 2 VKIA.

(B) ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 53 MISSIONS AND 275 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HICKORY.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE.

USMC

0/78 KIA

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ENEMY

0/242 KIA(CONF) (ADJ)

0/414 KIA(PROB) (ADJ)

3/5 DETAINEES

1/84 WEAPONS CAPTURED

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(2) OPERATION PRAIRIE IV (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE THIRD MARINE DIVISION SUSPENDED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE. (LATE ENTRY) ON 21 MAY ONE USMC WAS WIA (MED EVAC) AND ON 22 MAY TWO USMC WERE WIA (MED EVAC), BOTH FROM MINES.

(B) ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 233 MISSIONS AND 824 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF OPERATIONS PRAIRIE.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/152 KIA

0/1117 WIA(ADJ)

ENEMY

0/463 KIA(CONF)

0/521 KIA(PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/8 VC/PW

2/89 DETAINEES

(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (26TH MARINES)

(A) THE 26TH MARINES SUSPENDED OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE. (LATE ENTRY). ON 23 MAY ONE NVA WAS FOUND KIA(CONF).

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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(4) OPERATION CHOCTAW (FOURTH MARINES)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) SUSPENDED OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE. AT 0915H, COMPANY E RECEIVED 100 ROUNDS OF AW FIRE FROM SIX TO TEN VC NEAR (YD 495331). TWO VC WERE KIA(CONF), THREE VC WERE KIA(PROB), TWO WEAPONS AND ONE TRIPOD WERE CAPTURED. DURING THE DAY ONE USMC WAS WIA (MED EVAC) FROM AN EXPLOSIVE DEVICE.

(B) ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 72 MISSIONS AND 72 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
1/1 WIA	2/5 KIA(CONF)

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3/15 KIA(PROB)
2/2 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(5) OPERATION DUVAL (SEVENTH MARINES)

(A) THE SEVENTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (FIRST BATTALION, SEVENTH MARINES) SUSPENDED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG NAM PROVINCE. AT 0815H, ONE USMC WAS WIA (MINOR) WHEN AN AMTRAC DETONATED A MINE AT (AT 818857).

(B) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
1/1 WIA	NONE

(6) OPERATION THUNDER DRAGON (SECOND BRIGADE ROKMC)

(A) THE SECOND BRIGADE, ROKMC SUSPENDED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG NGAI PROVINCE. (LATE ENTRY) AT 220920H, TWO KOREAN MARINES FROM THE 1ST COMPANY WERE WIA BY ENEMY RIFLE GRENADES (BS 713831). AT 220955H, THE 2D COMPANY KILLED ONE VC (CONF) (BS 721823). AT 221130H, ONE KOREAN MARINE WAS KIA BY SNIPER FIRE (BS 720825). AT 221220H, THE 7TH COMPANY ENGAGED AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF ENEMY (BS 670877). SIXTEEN VC WERE KILLED(CONF) AND FOUR US RIFLES

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(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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2/154 KIA

1/118 WIA

ENEMY

9/463 KIA(CONF)

0/521 KIA(PROB)

0/8 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

0/89 DETAINEES

0/147 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 26TH MARINES WITH THE 1ST BATTALION CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT 0940, A RECON TEAM ENGAGED EIGHT NVA WITH SMALL ARMS AND GRENADE FIRE AND THEN BROKE CONTACT. AN UH-1E HELICOPTER STRIKE RESULTED IN ONE NVA KILLED(CONF) AND TWO NVA KILLED(PROB).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT FIXED WING

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AIRCRAFT FLEW 32 SORTIES CONSISTING OF EIGHT CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 24 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 31 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION WAS OBSERVED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 18 MISSIONS AND 236 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/2 KIA

0/13 WIA

ENEMY

1/35 KIA(CONF)

2/84 KIA(PROB)

(4) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THE 2D BATTALION CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT 0830H, COMPANY G ENGAGED FIVE VC WITH SMALL ARMS AND AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE (YD 363443). TWO ENEMY WERE KILLED(CONF) AND TWO WERE KILLED(PROB) WHILE MARINES SUSTAINED THREE WIA. AT 1245H, THE COMPANY FIRED ON NINE VC (YD 339447). THREE ENEMY WERE KILLED(CONF). AT 1205, ONE MARINE FROM COMPANY H WAS WIA BY A MINE (YD 540261). DURING THE DAY RECON PATROLS ACCOUNTED FOR FOUR VC KILLED(CONF) AND SIX VC KILLED(PROB). ONE DETAINEE WAS APPREHENDED DURING THE DAY.

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DURING THE DAY.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HICKORY FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 84 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 45 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 39 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (22 VISUAL AND 17 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 143 TONS OF ORDNANCE. REPORTED BDA WAS EIGHT KBA(CONF), EIGHT BUNKERS AND SIX GUN POSITIONS DESTROYED, ONE TRENCH DAMAGED AND ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION OBSERVED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 24 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 60 PERSONNEL AND 2 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 328 MISSIONS AND 7168 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
4/85 KIA	52/309 KIA(CONF)
59/613 WIA(ADJ)	19/460 KIA(PROB)(ADJ)
	2/13 DETAINEES
	2/99 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION PRAIRIE IV (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 3D BATTALION, 3D MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT 1000H, ARTILLERY UNITS AND COMPANY B, 1ST BATTALION, 4TH MARINES, LOCATED AT (YD 111700), RECEIVED 12-16 ROUNDS OF ARTY

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FIRE. 1 USMC WAS WIA. ONE ENEMY WAS KILLED(PROB) DURING THE DAY.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION PRAIRIE IV HELICOPTERS FLEW 457 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 324 PERSONNEL AND 59 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 354 MISSIONS AND 2138 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE, 175MM GUNS FIRED 33 MISSIONS AND 496 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/54 KIA	0/463 KIA(CONF)
1/1119 WIA	1/522 KIA(PROB)
	0/8 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/89 DETAINEES
	0/147 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FIRST BATTALION, 26TH MARINES, CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH NO SIGNIFICANT CONTACT.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT FIXED WING

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AIRCRAFT FLEW 35 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 13 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 22 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (18 VISUAL AND FOUR TPQ-10) SORTIES

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WHICH EXPENDED 56 TONS OF ORDNANCE. FIVE BUNKERS WERE DESTROYED, TWO CAVES WERE DAMAGED AND SIX SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS WERE OBSERVED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 12 MISSIONS AND 218 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/2 KIA	0/35 KIA(CONF)
0/13 WIA	0/84 KIA(PROB)

(5) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 4TH MARINES WITH THE 2D BATTALION (2/4) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT 0300H, A RECON TEAM ENGAGED 25 VC (YD 562212). THREE VC WERE KILLED(CONF) AND FIVE WERE KILLED (PROB). AT 1050H, TWO MARINES FROM COMPANY H WERE KIA BY SNIPER FIRE (YD 580265). MARINES RETURNED FIRE RESULTING IN TWO VC KILLED(PROB).

THREE ADDITIONAL VC WERE KILLED(PROB) DURING THE DAY. ONE DETAINEE WAS RECLASSIFIED AN INNOCENT CIVILIAN.

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(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW FOUR (4 TPQ-10) SORTIES WHICH EXPENDED FIVE TONS OF ORDNANCE.

ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 114 MISSIONS AND 462 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
2/2 KIA	3/17 KIA(CONF)
0/5 WIA	10/34 KIA(PROB)
	0/1 DETAINEES
	0/1 INNOCENT CIVILIAN
	0/2 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(6) OPERATION DUVAL (FIRST MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE SEVENTH MARINES WITH THE FIRST BATTALION (1/7) TERMINATED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS AT 1200H WITHOUT CONTACT.

(B) ARTILLERY BATTERIES FIRED 13 MISSIONS AND 33 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
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0/1 VC/PW

2/91 DETAINEES

0/147 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (26TH MARINES)

(A) THE 26TH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH NEGATIVE CONTACT.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 25 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 16 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND NINE DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (8 VISUAL AND ONE TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 31 TONS OF ORDNANCE. REPORTED BOMB DAMAGE WAS THREE BUNKERS DESTROYED AND THREE DAMAGED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 6 MISSIONS AND 382 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/2 KIA

0/35 KIA(CONF)

0/13 WIA

0/84 KIA(PROB)

(4) OPERATION CHOCTAW (FOURTH MARINES)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED OPERATIONS IN

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THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY) AT 251925H, COMPANY H ENGAGED FOUR VC AT (YD 556254). ONE VC WAS KIA (CONF). AT 1730H, A COMPANY G PATROL ENGAGED TWO VC AT (YD 597290). ONE VC WAS KIA(CONF) AND ONE VC WAS KIA (PROB). IN A SERIES OF MINOR INCIDENTS DURING THE DAY, ONE USMC WAS WIA (MED EVAC) FROM SNIPER FIRE, THREE DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED, AND FOUR VC WERE FOUND KIA(CONF) IN GRAVES.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW TWO CLOSE AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED .2 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 152 MISSIONS AND 399 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/3 KIA(ADJ)

5/25K KIA(CONF)(ADJ)

1/8 WIA

1/33 KIA(PROB)(ADJ)

3/4 DETAINEES

0/3 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(5) OPERATION UNION II (FIFTH MARINES)

(A) THE FIFTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS

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DURING THE DAY.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HICKORY FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 84 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 45 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 39 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (22 VISUAL AND 17 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 143 TONS OF ORDNANCE. REPORTED BDA WAS EIGHT KBA (CONF), EIGHT BUNKERS AND SIX GUN POSITIONS DESTROYED, ONE TRENCH DAMAGED AND ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION OBSERVED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 24 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 60 PERSONNEL AND 2 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 328 MISSIONS AND 7168 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
4/85 KIA	52/309 KIA (CONF)
59/613 WIA (ADJ)	19/460 KIA (PROB) (ADJ)
	2/13 DETAINEES
	2/99 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION PRAIRIE IV (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 3D BATTALION, 3D MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT 1000H, ARTILLERY UNITS AND COMPANY B, 1ST BATTALION 4TH MARINES, LOCATED AT (YD 111700), RECEIVED 12-16 ROUNDS OF ARTY

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FIRE. 1 USMC WAS WIA. ONE ENEMY WAS KILLED (PROB) DURING THE DAY.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION PRAIRIE IV HELICOPTERS FLEW 457 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 324 PERSONNEL AND 59 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 354 MISSIONS AND 2138 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE, 175MM GUNS FIRED 33 MISSIONS AND 496 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/54 KIA	0/463 KIA (CONF)
1/1119 WIA	1/522 KIA (PROB)
	0/8 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/89 DETAINEES
	0/147 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FIRST BATTALION, 26TH MARINES, CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH NO SIGNIFICANT CONTACT.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT FIXED WING

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AIRCRAFT FLEW 35 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 13 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 22 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (18 VISUAL AND FOUR TPQ-10) SORTIES

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WHICH EXPENDED 56 TONS OF ORDNANCE. FIVE BUNKERS WERE DESTROYED, TWO CAVES WERE DAMAGED AND SIX SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS WERE OBSERVED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 12 MISSIONS AND 218 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/2 KIA	0/35 KIA(CONF)
0/13 WIA	0/84 KIA(PROB)

(5) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 4TH MARINES WITH THE 2D BATTALION (2/4) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT 0380H, A RECON TEAM ENGAGED 25 VC (YD 562212). THREE VC WERE KILLED(CONF) AND FIVE WERE KILLED (PROB). AT 1050H, TWO MARINES FROM COMPANY H WERE KIA BY SNIPER FIRE (YD 580265). MARINES RETURNED FIRE RESULTING IN TWO VC KILLED(PROB).

THREE ADDITIONAL VC WERE KILLED(PROB) DURING THE DAY. ONE DETAINEE WAS RECLASSIFIED AN INNOCENT CIVILIAN.

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(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW FOUR (4 TPO-10) SORTIES WHICH EXPENDED FIVE TONS OF ORDNANCE.

ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 114 MISSIONS AND 462 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
2/2 KIA	3/17 KIA(CONF)
0/5 WIA	10/34 KIA(PROB)
	0/1 DETAINEES
	0/1 INNOCENT CIVILIAN
	0/2 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(6) OPERATION DUVAL (FIRST MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE SEVENTH MARINES WITH THE FIRST BATTALION (1/7) TERMINATED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS AT 1200H WITHOUT CONTACT.

(B) ARTILLERY BATTERIES FIRED 13 MISSIONS AND 53 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
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0/463 KIA (CINF)
1/525 KIA (PROB)
0/1 VC/PW
0/91 DETAINEES
0/147 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (26TH MARINES)

(A) THE 26TH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT FOR THE PERIOD.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CRACKETT FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 26 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 10 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 16 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (15 VISUAL AND 1 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 51 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BOMB DAMAGE WAS 17 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 2 CAVES DAMAGED, 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION, AND 4 SECONDARY FIRES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 43 MISSIONS (245 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION) IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/2 KIA

0/13 WIA

ENEMY

0/35 KIA (CONF)

0/96 KIA (PROB)

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(4) OPERATION CHOCTAW (FOURTH MARINES)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. (LATE ENTRIES) AT 272011H, A COMPANY H PLATOON ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC NEAR (YD 605284). FIVE VC WERE KIA (CONF). A COMPANY H PLATOON RECEIVED ONE GRENADE NEAR (YD 558255). TWO USMC WERE WIA (MED EVAC) (END LATE ENTRIES). AT 1115H, COMPANY E, NEAR (YD 643315), ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ENEMY. ONE USMC WAS KIA AND 3 USMC WERE WIA (2 MED EVAC). 3 VC WERE KIA (CONF) AND 5 VC WERE KIA (PROB). DURING THE DAY, 3 DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED AND 2 DETAINEES WERE RECLASSIFIED AS INNOCENT CIVILIANS.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW SIX SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND TWO DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (2 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 12.5 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BOMB DAMAGE WAS ONE TRENCH DAMAGED, AND THREE ROAD CUTS. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 154 MISSIONS AND 499 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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USMC

1/4 KIA

5/15 WIA

ENEMY

8/33 KIA (CONF)

5/40 KIA (PROB)

3/7 DETAINEES

0/2 WEAPONS CAPTURED

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(2) OPERATION PRAIRIE IV (THIRD MARINE DIVISION).

(A) THE THIRD MARINE DIVISION WITH EIGHT INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES; SECOND AND THIRD BATTALION, THIRD MARINES; FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD BATTALION, NINTH MARINES; AND THE SECOND BATTALION 26TH MARINES) CONTINUES SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH MODERATE CONTACT. AT 291100H, COMPANIES I AND M, THIRD BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES ATTACKED HILL 174 (YD 0568) CONTAINING AN ENEMY BUNKER COMPLEX. COMPANY M MET HEAVY RESISTANCE FROM 1400H TO 1930H, AND COMPANY I MET HEAVY RESISTANCE FROM 1715H TO 1800H. BOTH COMPANIES ESTABLISHED NIGHT POSITIONS ON HILL 174. RESULTS WERE FIVE USMC KIA, 46 USMC WIA (40 MED EVAC), 13 ENEMY WERE KIA(CONF) AND 9 ENEMY WERE KIA (PROB). DURING THE DAY ONE NVA WAS FOUND KIA(CONF) AND 7 USMC WERE WIA (MINOR), SIX FROM ARTILLERY FIRE, AND ONE

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FROM THE DESTRUCTION OF A DUD 81MM ROUND.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION PRAIRIE FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 87 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 40 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 47 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (21 VISUAL AND 26 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 160 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BOMB DAMAGE WAS 26 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 11 BUNKERS DAMAGED, TWO GUN POSITIONS DESTROYED, THREE ROAD CUTS, TWO TUNNELS DESTROYED, AND ONE TRENCH DAMAGED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 506 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 468 PERSONNEL AND 63.8 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 718 MISSIONS AND 3926 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE, THE 175MM GUNS FIRED 27 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 74 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC
5/161 KIA
53/1180 WIA

ENEMY
14/477 KIA(CONF)
9/532 KIA(PROB)(ADJ)
0/8 NVA/PW
0/1 VC/PW
0/9 DETAINEES
0/147 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (26TH MARINES)

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(A) THE FIFTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION) CONTINUES SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG NAM PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. A RECON TEAM KILLED 3 VC (PROB) DURING THE PERIOD. COMPANY F, SECOND BATTALION, FIFTH MARINES JOINED OPERATION UNION II, COMPANY B LEFT, AND COMPANY C JOINED (BOTH FIRST BATTALION, FIFTH MARINES) OPERATION UNION II ALL ON 28 MAY.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION UNION II, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 12 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 6 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 6 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (4 VISUAL AND 2 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 17.3 TONS OF ORDNANCE. HELICOPTERS FLEW 84 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 30 PERSONNEL AND 15 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 68 MISSIONS AND 395 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE
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0/37 KIA
0/94 WIA0/193 KIA(CONF)
3/319 KIA(PROB)
0/9 DETAINEES
0/2 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(6) OPERATION MALHEUR (TF OREGON)

(A) TF OREGON CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG NGAI PROVINCE WITH MODERATE CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY) ON 28 MAY ONE USA WAS WIA FROM SMALL ARMS FIRE. AT 0900H, COMPANY C, FIRST BATTALION, 327TH INFANTRY FOUND A WEAPONS CACHE AT (BS 693564) CONTAINING ONE CARBINE, ONE MAUSER, AND ONE M-3 SUBMACHINE GUN. AT 1159H, COMPANY C, FIRST BATTALION, 327TH INFANTRY ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ENEMY IN FORTIFIED POSITIONS NEAR (BS 698384). ARMED HELICOPTERS AND ARTILLERY GAVE SUPPORT. CONTACT WAS BROKEN AT 1600H. EIGHT USA WERE KIA, 14 USA WERE WIA, 6 VC WERE KIA(CONF), 2 VC WERE KIA(PROB), 2 SKS, 2 K-50'S, AND ONE RPD MACHINE GUN WERE CAPTURED. AT 1340H, A COMPANY A, FIRST BATTALION, 327TH INFANTRY UNIT ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ENEMY NEAR (BS 680375). TWO USA WERE KIA, 2 USA WERE WIA, AND 3 VC WERE KIA(PROB), AND AT 1345H, ANOTHER COMPANY A UNIT ENGAGED 3 VC AT (BS 782302). ONE VC WAS KIA
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(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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ENEMY

1/162 KIA (ADJ) 25/489 KIA (CONF)

50/1227 WIA (ADJ) 11/534 KIA (PROB)

0/8 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

0/91 DETAINEES

3/150 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (26TH MARINES)

(A) THE 26TH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. DURING THE PERIOD 2 ENEMY WERE FOUND KIA (CONF).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 4 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 2 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 2

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DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (2 VISUAL) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 4.2 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BOMB DAMAGE WAS 4 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 1 STRUCTURE DAMAGED, 4 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 1 BOAT DESTROYED, 1 AW POSITION DESTROYED, 4 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS, AND 2 SECONDARY FIRES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 29 MISSIONS AND 267 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/2 KIA

2/44 KIA (CONF)

0/13 WIA

0/108 KIA (PROB) (ADJ)

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (FOURTH MARINES)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY). ON 27 MAY, RECON TEAMS ACCOUNTED FOR 4 VC KIA (PROB). AT 0900H, THE FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES JOINED OPERATION CHOCTAW. DURING THE DAY 4 VC WERE KIA (CONF), 6 VC WERE KIA (PROB), 1 WEAPON WAS CAPTURED, 4 DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED. THREE USMC WERE WIA IN EIGHT MINOR INCIDENTS.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING

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(1) OPERATION PRAIRIE IV (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 1 MARINE DIVISION WITH 7 INFANTRY
BATTALIONS (THIRD BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES; SECOND AND
THIRD BATTALIONS, FIRST MARINES; FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD
BATTALIONS, FIRST MARINES; AND THE SECOND BATTALION, 20TH
MARINE REGIMENT IS ASSIGNED OPERATION HICKORY, A SEARCH AND
SEIZURE MISSION IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE, WITH LIGHT CONTACT.
A TOWNSHIP NEAR (YD 212739) RECEIVED
ARTILLERY. 1 USMC WAS KIA AND 7 USMC WERE
WIA. TWO DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED, AND 1
1000 6 USMC WERE WIA (MED EVAC) FROM 2 MINE
CONTACTS.

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IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION PRAIRIE IV, FIXED
WING FLEW 53 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 29 CLOSE AIR
AND 29 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (20 VISUAL AND 9 TPG)
WHICH EXPENDED 113.6 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BOMB DAMAGE
BUNKERS DESTROYED, 32 BUNKERS DAMAGED, 1 SECONDARY
BUNKER, SECONDARY FIRES, AND 3 ROAD CUTS. HELICOPTERS
SORTIES TRANSPORTING 295 PERSONNEL AND 76.4 TONS
ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 714 MISSIONS AND 3920 ROUNDS
IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE
MUNITIONS FIRED 16 MISSIONS EXPENDING 199 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
2/164 KIA	0/439 KIA (CONF)
2/1200 WIA	0/534 KIA (PROB)
	0/8 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	2/93 DETAINEES
	0/150 WEAPONS

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DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT.

AT 0655H A RECON TEAM ENGAGED 12NVA NEAR (XD 761505). ONE NVA WAS KIA (CONF) AND 1 USMC WAS KIA. AT 1405H A RECON TEAM AT (XD 878508) ENGAGED 15 TO 20 NVA. ARMED HELICOPTERS AND ARTILLERY SUPPORTED. FOUR USMC WERE KIA, 6 NVA WERE KIA (CONF) AND 10 NVA WERE KIA (PROB). DURING THE DAY 5 ENEMY WERE KIA (PROB) FROM ARTILLERY FIRE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 30 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 11 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 19 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (17 VISUAL AND 2 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 54 TONS OF ORDNANCE, BOMMMMB DAMAGE WAS 18 BUNKERS DESTROYED AND 17 DAMAGED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 67 MISSIONS AND 350 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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0/2 KIA

7/51 KIA (CONF)

5/18 WIA

15/123 KIA (PROB)

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (FOURTH MARINES)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. DURING THE DAY 1 USMC WAS KIA FROM A PUNJI TRAP, 1 DETAINEE WAS APPREHENDED AND 1 VC WAS KIA (PROB) BY SMALL ARMS FIRE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 10 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 6 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (4 VISUAL AND 2 TPQ-10), SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 14.2 TONS OF ORDNANCE. HELICOPTERS FLEW 30 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 3.2 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 158 MISSIONS AND 355 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/5 KIA

0/41 KIA (CONF)

1/25 WIA

1/60 KIA (PROB)

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(1) OPERATION CIMARRON (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE THIRD MARINE DIVISION, WITH 7 INFANTRY BATTALIONS (SECOND BATTALION, 26TH MARINES; THIRD BATTALION FOURTH MARINES; SECOND AND THIRD BATTALION, THIRD MARINES; FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD BATTALION, NINTH MARINES) COMMENCED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE AT 0001H WITH MODERATE CONTACT. AT 1225H COMPANY L, THIRD BATTALION, NINTH MARINES ENGAGED AN ENEMY UNIT IN A BUNKER COMPLEX AT (YD 087647). SEVEN USMC WERE KIA (EVAC). AT 1715H, IN THE VICINITY OF THE BUNKER COMPLEX AT (YD 085647) COMPANY M, THIRD BATTALION NINTH MARINES KILLED 4 ENEMY (C), FOUND 1 NVA KIA (C) AND CAPTURED 1 MACHINE GUN, AND 3 AK-47'S. AT 1815H, COMPANY M JOINED COMPANY L AT (YD 086647) AND SWEEP SOUTH INTO A 600 METER DIAMETER BUNKER COMPLEX. SIX BUNKERS WERE DESTROYED AND MAXIMUM USE OF SUPPORTING ARMS WAS MADE. INTERIM RESULTS ARE: 13 USMC KIA, 61 USMC WIA(55 EVAC), AND 1 MACHINE GUN CAPTURED. AT 1815H COMPANY I, THIRD BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES RECEIVED 10 ROUNDS OF 60MM MORTAR FIRE AT (YD 052647).

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EIGHTEEN USMC WERE KIA. DURING THE PERIOD 20 DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED, 2 ENEMY WERE KBA (C) AND 12 USMC WERE KIA (11 EVAC) IN MINOR SKIRMISHES AND FROM ARTILLERY FIRE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 32 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 20 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 12 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (8 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 52.8 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BOMB DAMAGE WAS 4 KBA (C) 10 BUNKERS DESTROYED, AND 14 AA SITES DAMAGED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 130 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 179 PERSONNEL AND 13.8 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 691 MISSIONS AND 3979 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE THE 175MM GUNS EXPENDED 211 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

13/13 KIA

98/98 WIA

ENEMY

7/7 KIA (C)

20/20 DETAINEES

5/5 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (26TH MARINES)

(A) THE 26TH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATION IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH NO SIGNIFICANT CONTACT.
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(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 10 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 6 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (4 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 21.3 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BOMB DAMAGE WAS 21 BUNKERS AND 2 TRENCHES DESTROYED, AND 13 BUNKERS DAMAGED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 96 MISSIONS AND 256 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/2 KIA

0/51 KIA (C)

0/18 WIA

0/123 KIA (PROB)

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (FOURTH MARINES)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS

SECOND

(FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED OPERATIONS

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IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. DURING THE PERIOD 1 VC WAS KIA (PR), 1 PW/VC AND 1 AK-47 WERE CAPTURED, 1 USMC WIA (EVAC) FROM A MINE, AND 4 DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED.

(B) ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 412 MISSIONS AND 4219 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/5 KIA

0/41 KIA (C)

1/26 WIA

1/61 KIA (PROB)

1/1 NVA/PW (ADJ)

5/17 DETAINEES

1/4 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION UNION II (FIFTH MARINES)

(A) THE FIFTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG NAM PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. DURING THE PERIOD 6 USMC WERE WIA (EVAC), 3 ENEMY WERE KIA (C), 13 ENEMY WERE KIA (PR), 2 DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED, AND 2 WEAPONS WERE CAPTURED IN 7 MINOR SKIRMISHES. ELEVEN DETAINEES HAVE BEEN RECLASSIFIED AS PW/VC.

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OF CAM LO VILLAGE (YD 122593), ONE MARINE WAS KIA AND ONE
PF WAS WIA BY A M-26 GRENADE. AT 1900H, TWO MARINES
FROM COMPANY 1, THIRD BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES (YD
066647) WERE WIA FROM ENEMY MORTAR FIRE. AT 2145H, COMBINED ACTION
PLATOON F-2 (YD 283570) ENGAGED FIVE VC WITH SMALL ARMS;
ONE PF WAS KIA, ONE PF WAS WIA AND ONE MARINE WAS WIA.
ENEMY CASUALTIES WERE UNKNOWN. DURING THE PERIOD, TWO SMALL
CONTACTS RESULTED IN TWO VC KIA (PROB).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED
WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 72 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 60 CLOSE AIR
SUPPORT AND 12 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (7 VISUAL AND 5 TPQ-10)
SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 140.8 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE RE-
PORTED BDA WAS 5 KBA (PROB), 34 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 8
STRUCTURES DAMAGED 3 IN POSITION DESTROYED, 3 SECONDARY
EXPLOSIONS, AND THREE SECONDARY FIRES. HELICOPTERS FLEW

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252 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 206 PERSONNEL AND 29.3 TONS OF
CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 731 MISSIONS AND 4645 ROUNDS
OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

2/15 KIA(ADJ) 1/8 KIA (CONF)

19/177 WIA(ADJ) 2/2 KIA (PROB)

0/20 DETAINEES

2/7 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH
AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE
WITH LIGHT CONTACT.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED
WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 4 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 2 CLOSE AIR
SUPPORT AND 2 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (2 VISUAL) SORTIES, WHICH
EXPENDED 7.2 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS UNKNOWN.
AIRILLERY UNITS FIRED 112 MISSIONS AND 315 ROUNDS OF AMMUNI-
TION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CULULATIVE

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ENEMY

0/2 KIA

0/51 KIA (CONF)

0/18 WIA

0/123 KIA (PROB)

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY
BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES)
CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN
PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT
0830H, A PATROL FROM COMPANY F (YD 465247) RECEIVED SNIPER

FIRE RESULTING IN ONE MARINE WIA. AT 0900H, A PATROL FROM
COMPANY F (YD 465427) FIRED SMALL ARMS AND M-79 FIRE AT
TEN VC IN A SAMPAH; FOUR VC WERE KILLED (PROB). AT 0945H,
ONE MARINE FROM COMPANY A WAS WOUNDED (YD 552282) WHEN HE
DETONATED A M-26 GRENADE RIGGED AS A MINE. AT 1430H,
COMPANY F (YD 464419) RECEIVED SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM ACROSS
THE RIVER. MARINES CALLED IN ARTILLERY AND FIRED SMALL
ARMS RESULTING IN TEN VC KILLED (PROB). AT 1430H, COMPANY
F KILLED ONE VC (CONF) (YD 465425) WITH SMALL ARMS FIRE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED
WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 4 SORTIES, CONSISTING OF 2 CLOSE AIR

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SUPPORT AND 2 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (1 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH
EXPENDED 4 TONS OF ORDNANCE. RESULTS WERE UNKNOWN.
HELICOPTERS FLEW 26 SORTIES, TRANSPORTING 12 PERSONNEL AND
.5 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 129 MISSIONS AND
378 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/5 KIA

1/42 KIA (CONF)

3/29 WIA

14/75 KIA (PROB)

4/21 DETAINEES

0/4 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION UNION II (FIRST MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FIFTH MARINES, WITH THREE INFANTRY
BATTALIONS, CONTINUED SEARCH AND
DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG NAM PROVINCE WITH SIGNIFICANT
CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1035H,
COMPANY F, SECOND BATTALION, FIFTH MARINES (BT 112314)
ENGAGED AN ESTIMATED FIVE NVA, AND OVERRAN THE ENEMY POSITION.
THREE NVA WERE KILLED (CONF); TWO NVA WERE KILLED (PROB)

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AND ONE M-1 WEAPON WAS CAPTURED. DURING THE CONTACT, ONE
MARINE WAS WIA. BETWEEN 1035H-1215H, COMPANY I, THIRD
BATTALION, FIFTH MARINES (BT 120302) USED SUPPORTING ARMS
TO PREP AN ENEMY COMPANY SIZE POSITION. COMPANY I

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FROM 1407H-1800H, ARTILLERY UNITS (YD 212739) RECEIVED SEVENTEEN ROUNDS OF ARTILLERY FIRE RESULTING IN ONE MARINE KIA AND FOUR MARINES WIA. DURING THE PERIOD, TWO DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED AND 2 USMC WERE WIA BY AN M-79 ROUND.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 47 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 25 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 22 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (216 VISUAL AND 6 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 93.4 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS 11 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 8 BUNKERS DAMAGED, 3 AW POSITIONS DESTROYED, 1 AW POSITION DAMAGED, 3 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS AND ONE SECONDARY FIRE. HELICOPTERS FLEW 290W SORTIES TRANSPORTING 285 PERSONNEL AND 68 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 826 MISSILES AND 4203 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. DURING THE PERIOD, 175 MM GUNS FIRED 5 UNOBSERVED MISSIONS EXPENDING 60 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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USMC

1/16 KIA

9/126 WIA

ENEMY

8/16 KIA (CTNF)

0/2 KIA (PROB)

2/21 DETAINEES

10/15 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION).

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1 ES WITH ONE INFANTRY

BATTALION (FIRST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES), CONTINUED

SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG TRI

PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1230H,

A PATROL FROM COMPANY C (XD 773459) RECEIVED SNIPER FIRE AND

CALLED IN AN ARTILLERY MISSION ON THE SNIPER'S POSITION.

THE AREA WAS SEARCHED AND ONE HAVERSACK WAS FOUND CONTAINING FORTY-

TWO ROUNDS OF 7.62, CHICOM AMMUNITION FOR A HAS-36 CARBINE AND

7.5 POUNDS OF C-4.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 4 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 2 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 2 DIRECT AIRSUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 9.1 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS NINE BUNKERS DESTROYED, THREE BUNKERS DAMAGED, ONE AW POSITION DESTROYED, ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION

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AND TWO SECONDARY FIRES. ARTILLEY UNITS FIRED 17 MISSIONS
INCLUDING 177 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONSWM

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/2 KIA

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0/18 WIA

0/123 KIA (PROB)

(3) OPERATION CHICAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY
BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECTND BATTALIONS, FOU
TH MARINES)

CONTINUEE SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE
WITH MODERATE CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY)

AT 021515H, COMPANY G ENGAGED FOUR VC (YD 442385); TWO VC
WERE KILLED (CONF) AND ONE VC WAS KILLED (PROB). (LATE ENTRY)

AT 021900H, A PATROL FROM COMPANY G FIRED SMALL ARMS AND M-79
AT THREE VC (YD 37372); TWO VC WE

E KILLED (CONF) AND ONE VC

WAS KILLED (PROB). (LATE ENTRY) AT 022300H, COMPANY F WAS
ATTACKED BY A VC SQUAD (YD 457434). THE MARINES

EPSLSED THE ATTACK WITH SMALL ARMS AND ARTILLERY FIRE, KILLING
SEVEN VC (CONF) AND TEN VC (PROB). (LATE E RY)

AT 022345H, COMPANY F ENLAGED AN UNKNOWN NUMBE
OF VC (YD-

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463426) KILLINL THREE VC (CONF) AND SIX VC (PROBLLM

(LATE ENTRY) AT 022400H, COMPANY F KILLED ONE VC IN A BOAT. AT 1030H, A ROUGL
ER CONVOY DETONATED A MINE (YD 588304);

FIVE USA WERE WOUNDED AND ONE VEHICLE (M-55) WAS DESTROYED.

AT 1155HWN COMPANY G ENGAGED FTURTEEN VC (YD 431389); FOUR VC
WERE KIA (CONF), AND FOUR VC WERE KILLED (PROB). TNE EK-47,

GRENADES, AND CLOTHING WERE CAPTURED. AT 1200H, THREE VC
WERE KILLED (CONF), AND ONE AKWARUQ AND GRENADES WE

E CAPTURED

WHEN COMPANY G ENGAGED A SQUAD OF VC. AT 1735H, A PATROL ROM
COMPANY G DETONATED A MINE (YD BRREEURL RESULTING IN ONE MARINE
WIA. DURING THE PERIOD, THREE SMALL CONTACTS RESULTED IN
SIX VC KILLED (PROB), FIVE DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED, TWO
DETAINEES WERE CLASSIFIED AS PW/VC, TWO DETAINEES WERE
CLASSIFIED AS PW/NVA AND TEN OTHER DETAINEES WERE CLASSIFIED AS
INNOCENT CIVILIANS.

(3) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, HELICOPTERS
FLEW 115 SORTIES, TRANSPORTINO 160 PERSONNEL AND 12#6 TONS OF
CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS SIRD 109 MISSITNS INCLUDING 228 ROUNDS OF
AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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AND 27.1 TONS OF
AND 3078 OF ROUNDS AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY
OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/16 KIA

8/134 WIA

ENEMY

4/20 KIA (CONF)

0/2 KIA (PROB)

0/22 DETAINEES

0/15 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(KA) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND
CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING
AIRCRAFT FLEW NINE SORTIES CONSISTING OF NINE DIRECT AIR SUPPORT
(7 VISUAL AND TWO TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 14.1 TONS OF
ORDNANCE. THERE WAS NO REPORTED BDA. HELICOPTERS FLEW 25 SORTIES.
ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 41 MISSIONS AND 516 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN

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SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/2 KIA

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ENEMY

0/51 KIA (CONF)

0/123 KIA (PROB)

(3) OPERATION CHUOTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE INFANTRY BAT-
TALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES, AND THE
FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY
OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED
FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0001H, THE FOURTH MARINES ASSUMED OPERATIONAL
CONTROL OF THE FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES. (LATE ENTRY) AT
032100H, COMPANY F OBSERVED THIRTY VC (YD 455434). ARTILLERY AND
60MM MORTARS WERE FIRED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. (ME) A FWARE
SHIP DROPPED A FLARE ON A BOAT (YD 450465) CAUSING A LARGE SECONDARY
EXPLOSION. AT 0740H, COMPANY G (YD 435393) FOUND TWO BLOOD TRAILS
FROM THE RESULTS OF AN ARTILLERY MISSION FIRED AT 031915H, AT
FOUR VC. TWO VC WERE KILLED (PROB). AT 0900H, PF'S WORKING WITH
THE FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES (YD 622303) FOUND ONE DEAD NVA
AND ONE WOUNDED NVA. AT 1200H, ONE MARINE FROM COMPANY G (XD
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BLOCKS OF TNT. BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 1515H TO 1730H, THE COMPOSITE ARTILLERY BATTALION (YD 214739) RECEIVED 92 ROUNDS OF ENEMY ARTILLERY FIRE RESULTING IN FIVE MARINES WIA. AT 1640H, THREE MARINES FROM COMPANY L, THIRD BATTALION, NINTH MARINES (YD 090616) WERE WIA WHEN AN UNKNOWN TYPE EXPLOSIVE DEVICE DETONATED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 20 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 13 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 7 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (5 VISUAL AND 2 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 38 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS SEVEN BUNKERS DESTROYED, TWO AW POSITIONS DESTROYED, ONE MORTAR POSITION DAMAGED, ONE TRENCH DAMAGED, ONE SECONDARY FIRE AND TWO SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS. HELICOPTERS FLEW 275 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 366 PERSONNEL AND 42.7 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 433 MISSIONS AND 2703 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/16 KIA

13/147 WIA

ENEMY

0/22 KIA (CONF)

0/2 KIA (PROB)

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0/22 DETAINEES

0/15 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1130H, THE INSERTION OF A RECONNAISSANCE TEAM WAS ABORTED BECAUSE OF HEAVY ENEMY FIRE IN THE LANDING ZONE (XD 966368). AIR STRIKES AND ARTILLERY MISSIONS WERE CALLED ON THE ENEMY'S POSITIONS WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 8 SORTIES CONSISTING OF FOUR CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND FOUR DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (TWO VISUAL AND TWO TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 24.2 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 99 MISSIONS AND 359 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/2 KIA

0/18 WIA

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RECEIVED THIRTY-NINE ROUNDS OF 105 AND 85MM ENEMY ARTILLERY FIRE. ONE MARINE WAS WIA. AT 0910H, COMBINED ACTION PLATOON P2 (YD 274550) RECEIVED 100 ROUNDS OF SMALL ARMS FIRE. SMALL ARMS FIRE WAS RETURNED AT SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITIONS AND THE AREA WAS SEARCHED. TWO MARINES WERE WIA AND ONE VC WAS KILLED (PROB). ITEMS FOUND IN THE AREA WERE TWO PACKS, TWO CARTRIDGE BELTS AND VARIOUS DOCUMENTS. AT 1200H, AN ARTILLERY MISSION WAS CALLED ON 8 TO 10 ENEMY (YD 270718) BY COMPANY E, SECOND BATTALION, NINTH MARINES. FOUR VC WERE KILLED (PROB). AT 1200H, COMPANY E, SECOND BATTALION, NINTH MARINES (YD 270724) RECEIVED 200 ROUNDS OF SMALL ARMS FIRE AND 30 ROUNDS OF ENEMY 60MM MORTAR FIRE. ONE MARINE WAS WIA. AT 1350H, ONE MARINE WAS WIA (YD 166726) FROM COMPANY A, FIRST BATTALION, NINTH MARINES BY SNIPER FIRE. AT 1440H, A TD-18 TRACTOR (YD 133626) DETONATED A MINE. ONE MARINE WAS WIA WHILE THE TRACTOR SUSTAINED LIGHT DAMAGE TO ITS TRACK. AT 1430H, FOUR NVA GRAVES, ONE RANGE QUADRANT, TWO AK-47 MAGAZINES, 50 POUNDS OF TNT, AND FOUR

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CHICOM GRENADES WERE FOUND (D 143724) BY COMPANY B, FIRST BATTALION, NINTH MARINES.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 30 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 14 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 16 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (8 VISUAL AND 8 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 80.4 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS 31 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 16 STRUCTURES DAMAGED, 15 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 3 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS, ONE BOAT DESTROYED, AND THREE TRENCHES DAMAGED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 84 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 174 PERSONNEL AND 18 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 279 MISSIONS AND 1476 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. THE 175MM GUNS FIRED ONE MISSION EXPENDING 27 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/16 KIA	4/26 KIA(CONF)
6/153 WIA	5/7 KIA(PROB)
	0/22 DETAINEES
	0/15 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

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(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (FIRST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0105H, THE KHE SANH COMBAT BASE RECEIVED 25 ROUNDS OF ROCKET FIRE FROM THE VICINITY OF (XD 803464). TWO MARINES WERE KILLED AND TWENTY MARINES WERE WIA. AT 0200H, A RADIO RELAY TEAM ON HILL 950 (XD 844456) WAS ATTACKED BY AN ESTIMATED 40 TO 50 NVA. ARTILLERY, 106 RR FIRE, C-47 AIRCRAFT, AND MARINE AIR STRIKES WERE USED TO SUPPORT THE RELAY TEAM. THE ATTACK PENETRATED THE WIRE AND REPELLED BY THE MARINES. THE RESULTS OF THIS ATTACK WERE: SIX MARINES KIA, TWO MARINES WIA, TEN NVA KILLED (CONF) AND SEVEN WEAPONS WERE CAPTURED. FROM 1430H TO 1528H, ONE NVA WAS KILLED (CONF) AND ONE PW/NVA CAPTURED BY COMPANY D WHILE THEY PREPARED

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DEFENSIVE POSITIONS ON HILL 950 (XD 844455).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 4 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 8.6 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS THREE BUNKERS DESTROYED AND TWO BUNKERS DAMAGED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 119 MISSIONS AND 2381 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

8/10 KIA

22/40 WIA

ENEMY

11/62 KIA (CONF)

0/123 KIA (PROB)

1/1 NVA/PW

7/7 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES, AND THE FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0740H, A PATROL FROM COMPANY A, FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES DETONATED A 250

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STRUCTURES DESTROYED, FOUR TRENCHES DAMAGED AND ONE SECONDARY FIRE. HELICOPTERS FLEW 343 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 181 PERSONNEL AND 39 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 176 MISSIONS AND 944 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

17/17 KIA

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ENEMY

13/39 KIA (CONF)

27/34 KIA (PROB)

0/22 DETAINEES

1/19 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH MODERATE CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1105H, A PATROL FROM COMPANY B, (XD 777438) RECEIVED HEAVY SA/AW AND MORTAR FIRE FROM AN ESTIMATED TWO NVA COMPANIES. MARINES ASSAULTED THE

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ENEMY POSITIONS AND CLOSE-IN FIGHTING RESULTED. AT 1630H, THE NVA BROKE CONTACT. MARINE CASUALTIES WERE EIGHTEEN KILLED AND NINETEEN WOUNDED. ENEMY CASUALTIES WERE UNKNOWN. AT 1245H, COMPANY C ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF NVA (XD 777452). THREE NVA WERE KILLED (CONF) AND TWO NVA WERE KILLED (PROB). ONE CHICOM CARB, ONE CHICOM LMG, TWO K-50 AND SMALL ARMS AMMUNITION WERE CAPTURED. ONE MARINE WAS WIA. AT 1700H, AN AO OBSERVED ENEMY TROOPS IN THE VICINITY (XD 757438). AIR STRIKES WERE CALLED. FOUR ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF) AND TEN ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB). AT 1712H, AN AO OBSERVED ENEMY IN THE VICINITY (XD 759458). MARINE FIXED-WING AIR SUPPORT WAS CALLED IN RESULTING IN FIVE ENEMY KILLED (PROB).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 29 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 15 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 14 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 44.3 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS 4 KBA (CONF), 15 KBA (PROB) AND 3 BUNKERS DESTROYED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 30 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 3.9 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 100 MISSIONS AND 336 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE:

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USMC
18/28 KIA
19/59 WIAENEMY
7/69 KIA (CONF)
17/140 KIA (PROB)
0/1 DETAINEE
5/12 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0630H, THE FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES LEFT OPERATION CHOCTAW. AT 1315H, A PATROL FROM COMPANY A CALLED AN ARTILLERY MISSION ON TWO VC (YD 592264). THE AREA WAS SEARCHED AND SIXTY POUNDS OF RICE WERE FOUND.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 2 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 2 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (2 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 3.9. TONS OF ORDNANCE. THERE WAS NO REPORTED BDA. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 101 MISSIONS AND 148 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

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0/7 KIA
0/43 WIA0/72 KIA (CONF)
0/114 KIA (PROB)
0/4 NVA/PW
0/2 VC/PW
0/20 INNOCENT CIVILIANS
0/12 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION COLGATE (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) AT 0630H, THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES AND COMPANIES H AND K OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) COMMENCED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATION IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH MODERATE CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0800H, A PATROL FROM COMPANY C AMBUSHED TEN VC (YD 969137). THE VC FLED AND UH-1E HELICOPTERS FIRED ROCKETS AND AW FIRE. THE AREA WAS SEARCHED AND TWO VC WERE KILLED (CONF). ONE DETAINEE WAS APPREHENDED, ONE CHICOM GRENADE, AND TWO CHICOM RIFLES WERE CAPTURED. AT 0815H, AN AO OBSERVED SIX VC IN THE VICINITY OF (YD 978139). UH-1E HELICOPTERS FIRED SMALL ARMS AND KILLED TWO VC (CONF). AT 1030H, COMPANY A ENGAGED AN ESTIMATED 30-40 VC. SMALL ARMS AND 60MM MORTAR ROUNDS WERE EXCHANGED. THE VC BROKE

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CONTACT WHEN AN AIR STRIKE AND 81MM MORTARS SUPPORTED THE

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MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1030H, ONE MARINE WAS WIAA FROM COMPANY E, THIRD BATTALION, NINTH MARINES (YD173669) WHEN A CHICOM GRENADE RIGGED AS A MINE DETONATED. AT 1130H, A PATROL FROM COMPANY B, FIRST BATTALION NINTH MARINES (YD 157726) ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. SMALL ARMS FIRE WAS EXCHANGED AND TWO ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB). TWO MARINES WERE WIA. AT 1345H, A RECONNAISSANCE TEAM (YD 039363) ENGAGED AN ESTIMATED 15 TO 20 NVA. THREE NVA WERE KILLED (CONF) AND FOUR INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS WERE CAPTURED. ONE USMC WAS WIA.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 51 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 27 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 24 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (18 VISUAL AND 6 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 1103.6 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS 22 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 10 STRUCTURES DAMAGED, 15 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 11 BUNKERS DAMAGED, 2 AW POSITION DESTROYED, 4 TRENCHES DAMAGED, 3 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS AND 2 SECONDARY FIRES. HELICOPTERS FLEW 344 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 299 PERSONNEL AND 35.4 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 335 MISSIONS AND 1214 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

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(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/17 KIA	3/42 KIA (CONF)
4/172 WIA	2/36 KIA (PROB)K
	0/22 DETAINEES
	4/23 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) ~~OPERATION CROCKETT~~ (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (FIRST BATTALION TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. (LATE ENTRY) AT 071000H, ELEMENTS OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES CAPTURED ONE RPG-2 ROCKET LAUNCHER ON HILL 950 (XD 777438). AT 1412H, ONE ARMED UN-1E WAS HIT BY .50 CAL MG FIRE AND SMALL ARMS (XD 763467). THE HELICOPTER CRASHED RESULTING IN ONE MARINE KIA AND ONE MARINE WIA. A FIXED WING AIR STRIKE WAS CALLED AND TWO ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB). AT 1645H, A RECONNAISSANCE TEAM CALLED AN AIR STRIKE ON AN ENEMY'S MG POSITION (XD 755464). ONE NVA WAS KILLED (CONF). A FOLLOW UP REPORT ON YESTERDAY'S CONTACT (071105H) WITH COMPANY B (XD 777438) RESULTED IN FIFTY-

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NINE ENEMY KILLED (CONF) AND THIRTY ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB).
AN ADDITIONAL NINE MARINES WERE WIA.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CRUICKETT, FIXED WING
AIRCRAFT FLEW 27 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 6 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND
21 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (OW VISUAL AND 9 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH
EXPENDED 57.2 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS ONE KHA
(CONF), 2 KHA (PROB), 2 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, ONE AW POSITION
DESTROYED, ONE TRENCH AND TUNNEL DAMAGED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED
92 MISSIONS AND 240 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY
OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/28 KIA

9/68 WIA

ENEMY

60/129 KIA (CONF)

32/172 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW (ADJUSTED)

0/1 DETAINEES

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1/14 WEAPONS CAPTURED (ADJUSTED)

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS
(FIRST AND SECOND BATTALIONS, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH
AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT
REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. COMPANY C AND COMMAND GROUP B, FIRST
BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES LEFT OPERATION CHOCTAW. (LATE ENTRY).
AT 071400H, A PATROL FROM COMPANY E (YD 432374) HAD ONE MARINE
WIA WHEN HE STEPPED ON A PUNJI STAKE. (LATE ENTRY). COMPANY A
FOUND A 250 POUND BOMB AT 071947H. (YD 573263) THE BOMB WAS
DESTROYED IN PLACE AND TWO MARINES WERE WIA BY THE EXPLOSION. AT
0900H, A RECONNAISSANCE TEAM (YD497251) CALLED AN ARTILLERY
MISSION ON FIVE VC; TWO VC WERE KILLED (PROB). AT 1200H, COMPANY
E (YD 450380) HAD ONE MARINE KIA AND TWO MARINES WERE WIA WHEN
A NON-COMMAND TYPE MINE DETONATED. AT 1200H, A THIRD MT
BATTALION CONVOY (YD 603310) HAD A COMMAND
DETONATEE MINE (250 POUND BOMB RIGGED AS A MINE) EXPLODE, RE-
SULTING IN THREE MARINES KIA AND TEN MARINES WIA. FIVE M-35'S
AND ONE ONTO'S WERE DAMAGED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING

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THESE, 175MM GUNS FIRED 26 MISSIONS EXPENDING 42 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC
0/17 KIA
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ENEMY
3/45 KIA (CONF)
0/36 KIA (PROB)
0/22 DETAINEES
0/23 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (FIRST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. DURING THE DAY, 1 NVA WAS KIA (PROB).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING

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AIRCRAFT FLEW 3 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (3 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 9 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 52 MIS- SIONS AND 297 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC
0/28 KIA
0/68 WIA

ENEMY
0/129 KIA (CONF)
1/77 KIA (PROB)
0/1 NVA/PW
0/1 DETAINEE
0/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION).

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BAT- TALLIONS (FIRST & SECOND BATTALION FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED

SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1045H, COMPANY A, FIRST BATTALION FIRED ON 4 VC (YD 542254). THREE VC WERE KIA (CONF) AND ONE WAS KIA (PROB). AT 2020H, COMPANY H, SECOND BATTALION KILLED 1 VC (CONF) AND CAPTURED 3 RIFLES (YD 466302). DURING THE DAY 1 USMC WAS WIA BY A PUNJI TRAP.
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(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/17 KIA

4/180 WIA (ADC)

ENEMY

3/48 KIA (CONF)

2/38 KIA (PROB)

15/37 DETAINEES

1/1 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

0/23 WEAPONS CAPTURED

2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (FIRST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. DURING THE EXTRACTION OF A RECON PATROL AND ARMED HELICOPTER FIRED ON A GROUP OF ENEMY (XD 816482) RESULTING IN 2 ENEMY KIA (CONF) AND 9 KIA (PROB).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING

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AIRCRAFT FLEW 26 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 12 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 12 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (2 TPQ-10). SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 52 TONS OF ORDNANCE. FOURTEEN BUNKERS AND 5 FIGHTING HOLES WERE DESTROYED AND 3 BUNKERS WERE DAMAGED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 178 MISSIONS AND 601 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/28 KIA

0/68 WIA

ENEMY

2/131 KIA (CONF)

11/188 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 DETAINEE

0/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1440H, COMPANY A, FIRST BATTALION FIRED ON 3 ENEMY (YD 589256). TWO VC WERE KIA (CONF) AND ONE 60MM MORTAR WAS CAPTURED. IN 3 ADDITIONAL AND UNRELATED BT

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0/1 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

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(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (FIRST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1130H, A RECON PATROL ADJUSTED ARTILLERY ON 15 ENEMY (XD 912344) RESULTING IN 2 ENEMY KIA (CONF) AND 9 KIA (PROB). TWO ADDITIONAL ARTILLERY MISSIONS AND AIR STRIKES ON GROUPS OF ENEMY DURING THE DAY RESULTED IN 3 ENEMY KIA (PROB).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 35 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 14 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 21 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (2 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 55 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS 5 GUN POSITIONS AND 1 BUNKER

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DESTROYED, 3 GUN POSITIONS DAMAGED, 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION AND 3 SECONDARY FIRES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 37 MISSIONS AND 419 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/28 KIA

0/68 WIA

ENEMY

2/133 KIA (CONF)

12/200 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 DETAINEE

1/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

3) (OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE ENFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES AND FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1244H, THE 1ST BATTALION, 3D MARINES JOINED THE OPERATION. AT 2200H, COMPANY G ENGAGED AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF VC (YD 396488) CONTACT CONTINUED AS OF 2400H AND 11 ENEMY WERE REPORTED KIA (CONF) AND 30 KIA (PROB) AT THIS TIME. TWO WEAPONS WERE CAPTURED AND 2 MARINES WERE WIA. DURING

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0112H. ARTILLERY POSITIONS AT GIO LINH RECEIVED SIXTEEN ROUNDS OF EIGHTY-FIVE MILLIMETER ARTILLERY FIRE WHICH WOUNDED ONE MARINE. COUNTER BATTERY FIRE WAS RETURNED BUT ENEMY CASUALTIES WERE NOT KNOWN. AT 0200H, THE FIRST ANTRAC BATTALION POSITION (YD 349694) RECEIVED AN ESTIMATED TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE ROUNDS OF ARTILLERY, ROCKET AND MORTAR FIRE. ONE MARINE WAS KIA, THIRTY-THREE MARINES WERE WIA. DURING THE DAY, ONE RIFLE WAS FOUND AND ONE MARINE WAS WIA BY A MINE. A RECONCILIATION OF PREVIOUS REPORTS RESULTED IN AN ADDITIONAL FOURTEEN ENEMY KIA (CONF), EIGHTEEN KIA (PROB), THREE DETAINEES AND ONE WEAPON.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW TWENTY-FIVE SORTIES CONSISTING OF FIVE CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND TWENTY DIRECT AIR SUPPORT, (FOUR TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED FIFTY ONE TONS OF ORDNANCE. SEVEN BUNKERS AND EIGHT STRUCTURES, WERE DESTROYED;

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FOUR BUNKERS AND TWO STRUCTURES WERE DAMAGED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 348 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 221 PERSONNEL AND 33 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 338 MISSIONS AND 1807 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE 175MM GUNS FIRED TWELVE MISSIONS EXPENDING 25 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS:

DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

1/18 KIA

60/245 WIA

ENEMY

15/80 KIA (CONF) (ADJ)

28/104 KIA (PROB)

3/46 DETAINEES (ADJ)

0/1 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

3/29 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (FIRST BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. DURING THE DAY, TWO MARINES WERE WIA BY SMALL ARMS FIRE IN TWO ISOLATED INCIDENTS.

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(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 28 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 12 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 16 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (2 PTQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 43 TONS OF ORDNANCE. SEVEN BUNKERS, TWO GUN POSITIONS AND ONE CAVE WERE DESTROYED, AND FOUR BUNKERS WERE DAMAGED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 92 MISSIONS AND 239 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/28 KIA

2/70 WIA

ENEMY

0/133 KIA (CONF)

0/200 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 DETAINEE

0/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

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(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES, AND FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. COMPANY G, SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES CONTACT AT 112200H RESULTED IN AN ADDITIONAL 12 ENEMY KIA (CONF), 4 KIA (PROB) AND ONE RIFLE CAPTURED. ON 12 JUNE ONE DETAINEE WAS APPREHENDED AND ONE USMC WAS WIA BY SMALL ARMS FIRE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 11 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 7 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (5 1PG-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 9 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 48 MISSIONS AND 1501 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/11 KIA

1/66 WIA

ENEMY

12/102 KIA (CONF)

4/159 KIA (PROB)

0/2 NVA/PW

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SOUTHWEST OF DANANG, GOT UNDERWAY AS PLANNED AT 0700H ON THE MORNING OF 14 JUNE. THIS IS THE SAME AREA WHERE OPERATION INDEPENDENCE KILLED 139 ENEMY DURING FEBRUARY. (FOR DETAILS OF THE OPERATING AREA AND TASK ORGANIZATION SEE MY REPORT OF 12 JUNE). THUS FAR NO REPORTS OF ACTION SUBSEQUENT TO COMMENCEMENT OF THE OPERATION HAVE BEEN RECEIVED.

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A. MAJOR UNIT OPERATIONS

(1) OPERATION CIMARRON (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE THIRD MARINE DIVISION, WITH FIVE INFANTRY BATTALIONS (THIRD BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES; THIRD BATTALION, THIRD MARINES; AND THE FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD BATTALIONS, NINTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD: AT 0640H, AND AGAIN AT 0925H, A NINTH MARINES AO DIRECTED FIXED WING AIR STRIKES ON ENEMY POSITIONS (YD 161779) RESULTING IN TWO ENEMY KIA (CONF). BETWEEN 0930H AND 1200H, AN AO DIRECTED ARTILLERY AND TWO FIXED WING AIR STRIKES ON AN ESTIMATED THIRTY MAN SUPPLY COLUMN (YD 168793) RESULTING IN 4

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ENEMY KIA (CONF) AND 10 ENEMY KIA (PROB). IN FOUR ADDITIONAL, UNRELATED INCIDENTS TWO ENEMY WERE KIA (CONF) AND ONE WEAPON WAS CAPTURED, ONE ENEMY BODY WAS FOUND AND ONE USMC WAS WIA BY A MINE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 33 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 6 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 27 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (2 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 64 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS 12 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 3 TRENCHES AND 1 BRIDGE DAMAGED, 7 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS AND 1 SECONDARY FIRE. HELICOPTERS FLEW 328 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 657 PERSONNEL AND 28 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 339 MISSIONS AND 1618 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE, 175MM GUNS FIRED 18 MISSIONS EXPENDING 138 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/18 KIA	9/104 KIA (CONF) (ADJ)
1/247 WIA	10/114 KIA (PROB)
	0/46 DETAINEES (ADJ)
	0/1 INNOCENT CIVILIAN

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1/30 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES)

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CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1500H, TWO AIR STRIKES DIRECTED ON ENEMY POSITIONS (XD 735533-734531) RESULTED IN FOUR ENEMY KIA (CONF) AND THREE KIA (PROB). AT 1815H, THE THIRD BATTALION, LESS COMPANY K, JOINED THE OPERATION.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 24 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 11 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 13 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (9 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 53 TONS OF ORDNANCE. TEN BUNKERS AND 2 AW POSITIONS WERE DESTROYED, 4 BUNKERS WERE DAMAGED, 2 SECONDARY FIRES AND 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION WERE OBSERVED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 59 SORTIES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 12 MISSIONS AND 251 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE
USMC ENEMY

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0/28 KIA

0/69 WIA (ADJ)

4/137 KIA (CONF)

3/203 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 DETAINEE

0/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. IN SIX UNRELATED INCIDENTS ONE VC WAS KIA (PROB), SEVEN DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED, AND FIVE USMC WERE WIA (THREE BY PUNJI TRAPS, AND ONE EACH BY A MINE AND SMALL ARMS FIRE).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 7 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (3 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 19 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 90 MISSIONS AND 550 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE
USMC ENEMY

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CROCKETT**A. MAJOR UNIT OPERATIONS****(1) OPERATION CIMARRON (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)**

(A) THE THIRD MARINE DIVISION, WITH FIVE INFANTRY BATTALIONS (THIRD BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES; THIRD BATTALION, THIRD MARINES; AND THE FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD BATTALIONS, NINTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD.

AT 0915H, THREE MARINES FROM COMPANY C, FIRST BATTALION, NINTH MARINES WERE KIA AND 8 MARINES WERE WIA WHEN SEVERAL COMMAND DETONATED MINES WERE ACTIVATED (YD190740). AT 0945H, A RECON TEAM ENGAGED EIGHT ENEMY (YD058682). FOUR ENEMY WERE KIA (CONF), THREE WERE KIA (PROB) AND ONE RIFLE WAS CAPTURED. AT 1430H, FIVE MARINES WERE WIA WHEN COMPANIES B AND C, FIRST BATTALION, NINTH MARINES RECEIVED FIFTEEN ROUNDS OF ENEMY MORTAR FIRE. IN THREE ADDITIONAL AND UNRELATED INCIDENTS THREE ENEMY WERE KIA (PROB) AND 2 WEAPONS (ONE M-79) WERE CAPTURED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING

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AIRCRAFT FLEW 45 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 14 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 31 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (3 TPQ-10), SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 75 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS 25 STRUCTURES AND 8 BUNKERS DESTROYED, ONE BUNKER AND 5 TRENCHES DAMAGED AND 5 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 260 MISSIONS AND 1595 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE, 175 MM GUNS FIRED 2 MISSIONS EXPENDING 37 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE OF THE

USMC

3/21 KIA

21/268 WIA

ENEMY: 0300

4/108 KIA (CONF)

6/120 KIA (PROB)

0/40 DETAINEES

0/1 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

3/33 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST BATTALION AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTH WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR BT

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THE PERIOD. DURING THE DAY TWO MARINES WERE KIA BY A MINE
AND ONE MARINE NBC WAS RECLASSIFIED WIA.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING
AIRCRAFT FLEW 13 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT
AND 9 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (3 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED
34 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS ONE BUNKER DESTROYED AND ONE
SECONDARY EXPLOSION. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 172 MISSIONS
AND 581 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS:

USMC

0/28 KIA

3/72 WIA

DAILY/CUMULATIVE

ENEMY

0/137 KIA (CONF)

0/203 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 DETAINEES

0/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

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(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE INFANTRY BATTALIONS
(FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES, AND FIRST BATTALION,
THIRD MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS
IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD.
IN FIVE UNRELATED INCIDENTS (THREE LATE ENTRIES OF 13 JUNE)
SIX ENEMY WERE KIA (CONF) AND EIGHT ENEMY WERE KIA (PROB)
ADDITIONALLY, 2 DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED AND 500 POUNDS OF RICE

WAS CAPTURED ON 14 JUNE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW ARTILLERY
UNITS FIRED 91 MISSIONS AND 288 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS:

USMC

0/11 KIA

0/71 WIA

DAILY/CUMULATIVE

ENEMY

6/108 KIA (CONF)

8/167 KIA (PROB)

0/2 NVA/PW

0/5 VC/PW

0/53 DETAINEES

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PHASE BY FIXED WING AIR STRIKE. DETAINEE WAS PREHENDED AND CLASSIFIED PW/VC AND TWO WERE CAPTURED. ALSO, TEN USMC WERE KIA (TWO BY SMALL ARMS FIRE, ONE BY A MORTAR ROUND AND SEVEN BY MINES) DURING THE DAY. RECONCILIATION OF LATE ARRIVING REPORTS REQUIRED THE DELETION OF ONE ENEMY KIA (CONF), ELEVEN ENEMY KIA (PROB) AND ONE CAPTURED WEAPON FROM THE DAILY AND CUMULATIVE STATISTICS IN PARAGRAPH 3.A.

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(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 33 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 9 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 24 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (12 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 98 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS 3 STRUCTURES, 4 BUNKERS AND 2 AW POSITIONS DESTROYED; 5 STRUCTURES AND 1 AW POSITION DAMAGED, 3 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS AND 1 SECONDARY FIRE. HELICOPTERS FLEW 455 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 260 PERSONNEL AND 65 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 344 MISSIONS AND 1979 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE, 175MM GUNS FIRED 22 MISSIONS EXPENDING 33 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

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(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC
0/21 KIA
29/297 WIA

ENEMY
11/119 KIA (CONF)(ADJ)
6/126 KIA (PROB)(ADJ)
0/1 NVA/PW (ADJ)
1/1 VC/PW
1/47 DETAINEES
0/1 INNOCENT CIVILIAN
1/34 WEAPONS CAPTURED (ADJ)

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(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. (LATE ENTRY) AT 141550H, COMPANY K, THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES JOINED THE OPERATION. IN TWO INCIDENTS ON 15 JUNE, THREE ENEMY WERE KIA (CONF) BY A FIXED WING AIR STRIKE AND ONE USMC WAS KIA BY A GRENADE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 53 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 19 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT

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AND 34 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (5 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 100 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS 3 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 2 BUNKERS DAMAGED AND 2 SECONDARY FIRES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 157 MISSIONS AND 472 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/28 KIA

1/73 WIA

ENEMY

3/140 KIA (CONF)

0/203 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 DETAINEES

0/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES AND FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH

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AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1500H, COMPANY A, FIRST BATTALION FOURTH MARINES DEPARTED THE OPERATION. IN FIVE UNRELATED INCIDENTS NINE ENEMY WERE KIA (PROB) AND ONE RIFLE WAS CAPTURED. SEVEN MARINES WERE WIA (SIX BY MINES AND ONE BY SMALL ARMS FIRE) DURING THE DAY.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 5 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (5 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 9 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 130 MISSIONS AND 278 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/11 KIA

7/78 WIA

ENEMY

0/108 KIA (CONF)

9/176 KIA (PROB)

0/2 NVA/PW

0/5 VC/PW

0/53 DETAINEES

0/22 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

1/21 WEAPONS CAPTURED

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PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0950H, A RECON TEAM ENGAGED 5 ENEMY. ONE USMC WAS WIA. AT 1300H, COMPANY M, THIRD BATTALION, NINTH MARINES RECEIVED 2 ROUNDS OF MAJOR CALIBER, FLAT TRAJECTORY FIRE. ONE USMC WAS KIA. AT 2100H, COMPANY G, SECOND BATTALION, NINTH MARINES CAPTURED ONE 60MM MORTAR AND 11 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION AT (YD 172664). IN 5 ADDITIONAL AND UNRELATED INCIDENTS, 1 DETAINEE WAS APPREHENDED, AND 9 USMC WERE WIA; FOUR BY MINES, 3 BY 40MM FIRE AND 2 BY SMALL ARMS FIRE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 30 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 10 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 20 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (5 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 73.6 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BOMB DAMAGE WAS 12 STRUCTURES, 3 SAMPANS, 22 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 2 BUNKERS, 4 TRENCHES AND 2 AW POSITIONS DAMAGED, 4 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS AND 2 SECONDARY FIRES. HELICOPTERS FLEW 311 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 164 PERSONNEL AND 51 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 990 MISSIONS AND 1505 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE THE 175 MM GUNS FIRED 9 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 37 ROUNDS.

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(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC
1/22 KIA
10/307 WIAENEMY
0/19 KIA (CONF)
1/127 KIA (PROB)
0/ NVA/PW
0/ VC/PW
1/48 DETAINEES
1/35 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1040H, F FAC DIRECTED AIR STRIKES ON ENEMY TROOPS NEAR (XD 863481). TWENTY ENEMY WERE KIA (PROB). IN 3 ADDITIONAL AND UNRELATED INCIDENTS 5 ENEMY WERE KIA (PROB), AND 6 USMC WERE WIA. THREE WERE WOUNDED BY MINES, 1 BY A MORTAR ROUND AND 2 BY SMALL ARMS FIRE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 55 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 22 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 33 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (7 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED
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C O N F I D E N T I A L CCN 19991 FROM: MACCOC3
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1. (C) I CTZ:

A. ALL OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.

B. CUM RES:

CIMARRON	ROCKET	CHOCTAW	CUMBERLAND	BEACON	ADAIR	WALRUER II
				TORCH		
US	US	US	US	US	US	US

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KIA	22	28	1	0	0	8	18
WIA	316	76	85	11	1	26	121
MIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AIR	619	792	204	0	0	0	119
SORTIES							
NBF	177	0	0	0	0	0	30
ARC	0	108	9	0	0	0	0
LIGHT							

ENEMY

KIA	151	140	116	0	0	39	133
DET	55	2	66	12	0	23	10
RET	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
IND/WPN	40	10	24	0	0	5	44
C/S WPN	1	3	0	0	0	1	1

2. (C) II CTZ:

A. OP FRANCIS MARION: IN PLEIKU PROV (YA831176) NINE KM S
OF DUC CO AT 190410H JUNE 2/8 INF (US) WHILE IN NIGHT POS REC APPROX
30 RDS UNK SIZE EN MORT FIRE. ATK TERM AT 0504H. AC-47 SUPPORTED.
CM RADAR WAS UTILIZED AND ARTY FIRE AT SUSPECTED EN LOC. RES: FRD:
14 WIA (US); EN: UNK.

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BATTALION, NINTH MARINES; AT 0845H, THE COMPANY KILLED ONE ENEMY AND CAPTURED ONE CARBINE, AND AT 1100H, COMPANY G DISCOVERED A BUNKER COMPLEX NEAR (YD 177661). TWO B-40 ROCKETS, ONE M-14 RIFLE, 1 AK-47 RIFLE AND TWO CHICOM SUBMACHINE GUNS WERE CAPTURED. IN FIVE ADDITIONAL AND UNRELATED INCIDENTS THREE ENEMY WERE KIA (PROB), EIGHT USMC WERE WIA, 5 BY MINE DETONATIONS AND 3 BY SMALL ARMS FIRE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 39 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 15 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 24 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (5 TPO-10) SORTIES WHICH EXPENDED 91.9 TONS OF EXPLOSIVE. BOMB DAMAGE WAS 6 STRUCTURES, AND 29 BUNKERS DESTROYED, ONE TRENCH AND ONE STRUCTURE DAMAGED, AND ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION. HELICOPTERS FLEW 315 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 174 PERSONNEL AND 43 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 300 MISSIONS AND 1413 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE, THE 175MM GUNS FIRED 12 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 98 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/22 KIA

ENEMY

1/120 KIA (CONF)

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8/315 WIA

3/130 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

0/48 DETAINEES

6/41 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH NEGATIVE CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 12 SORTIES CONSISTING OF FOUR CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND EIGHT DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 18.5 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 152 MISSIONS AND 493 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/26 KIA

0/76 WIA

ENEMY

0/140 KIA (CONF)

0/228 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

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1. (C) I CTZ:

A. OP CHOCTAW: IN THUA THIEN PROV (YD489235), 27 KM WNW OF
 HUE, AT 191700H G AND H/2/4 USMC RECD SA/AW AND 82MM MORT FIRE FROM
 EST 50 EN. SA/AW FIRE RTND AND FIXED WING ACFT SUPPORTED. RES: FRD -
 14 WIA (THREE FROM FRD AIR STRIKE); EN - UNK. INVESTIGATION BEING
 CONDUCTED.

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B. OPERATION BEACON TORCH:

IN QUANG TIN PROV (BT205491), NINE KM SE OF HOI AN, AT
 181245H H/2/3 USMC MADE CONTACT WITH UNK SIZE EN FOCCE AND CALLED IN
 FIXED WING AIR STRIKES. EN BROKE CONTACT. RES: FRD - ONE KIA, FOUR
 WIA; EN - 50 KIA. NO REPT OF EN WPNS CPTD.

C. ALL OTHER OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPORTED.

D. CUM RES:

	CIMARRON (US)	FRIENDLY CROCKETT (US)	CHOCTAW (US)	CUMBERLAND (US)
KIA	22	28	12	0
WIA	335	76	104	23
MIA	0	0	0	0
AIR SORTIES	646	819	210	0
NGF	1455	0	0	0
ARC LIGHT	0	123	9	0
		ENEMY		
KIA	173	144	121	0
DET	59	2	80	12
RET	0	0	0	0

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IND/WPNS	47	10	25	0
C/S WPNS	1	3	0	0

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 MISSIONS AND 1350 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY
 OPERATIONS. OF THESE THE 175MM GUNS FIRED 7 MISSIONS EXPENDING
 22 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/22	30/151 KIA (CONF) (ADJ)
1/136 WIA	33/163 KIA (PROB)
	0/1 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	6/53 DETAINEES (ADJ)
	0/41 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALIONS, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH NO SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. DURING THE PERIOD 1 ENEMY WAS KIA (P) BY TWO 106RR ROUNDS.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 27 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 10 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 17 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (2 TPG-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 42.4

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 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BOMB DAMAGE WAS 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 142 MISSIONS AND 494 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/28 KIA	0/140 KIA (CONF)
0/76 WIA	1/229 KIA (PROB)
	0/1 NVA/PW
	0/1 DETAINEE
	0/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES AND THE FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. (LATE ENTRY) ON 17 JUNE 1 USMC WAS WIA BY A MINE DETONATION. IN 3 UNRELATED INCIDENTS 2 ENEMY WERE KIA (CONF), 1 DETAINEE WAS APPREHENDED, AND 1 USMC WAS WIA BY SMALL ARMS FIRE ON 18 JUNE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIR-

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0/1 NVA/PW

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7/49 WEAPONS CAPTURED (ADJ)

(2) OPERATION CHOCOTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. (LATE ENTRY) ON 16 JUNE ARTILLERY FIRING IN SUPPORT OF A RECON EXTRACTION AT (XD 8744484) KILLED 4 ENEMY (C) AND 1 ENEMY (P). AT 0900H, COMPANY D FOUND 2 M-16 RIFLES AT (XD 807434). DURING THE DAY RECON PATROLS CALLED ARTILLERY MISSIONS RESULTING IN 6 ENEMY KIA (P).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMFA-542 FLEW 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT

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SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 8 TONS OF ORDNANCE. HELICOPTERS FLEW 9 SORTIES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 230 MISSIONS AND 515 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/28 KIA

0/144 KIA (CONF) (ADJ)

0/76 WIA

6/236 KIA (PROB) (ADJ)

0/1 VC/PW

0/1 DETAINEE

0/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES AND THE FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. (LATE ENTRIES) AT 181245H, COMPANY H ENGAGED 4 ENEMY AT (YD 484241). TWO ENEMY WERE KIA (C), ONE ENEMY WAS KIA (P) AND 1 SUBMACHINE GUN WAS CAPTURED. AT 181445H, COMPANY F HAD 1 USMC KIA AND 2 WIA FROM POSSIBLE METHANE GAS IN A CAVE AT (YD 373222). AT 181650H, A RECON PATROL CONTACTED 50 ENEMY NEAR (YD 526230).

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FIXED WING CONDUCTED AIRSTRIKES NEAR (YD 235800) AND (YD 230810). ELEVEN ENEMY WERE KIA(C) AND 23 ENEMY WERE KIA(P), AND FIVE CREW SERVED WEAPONS WERE DESTROYED. IN SIX ADDITIONAL AND UNRELATED INCIDENTS, FIVE DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED, AND SIX USMC WERE WIA; 3 BY MINES, AND 3 BY SMALL ARMS FIRE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM 7 MARINE SQUADRONS FLEW 40 SORTIES CONSISTING OF FIVE CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 35 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (5 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 87.7 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BOMB DAMAGE WAS 11 KBA (C) 23 KBA (P), 73 STRUCTURES, 13 BUNKERS, 6 BOATS, 2 MORTAR POSITIONS AND ONE GUN POSITION DESTROYED, AND 29 STRUCTURES 3 BUNKERS, 9 TRENCHES, 5 AA POSITIONS, AND TWO GUN POSITIONS DAMAGED. THERE WERE FIVE SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS AND ONE SECONDARY FIRE. HELICOPTERS FLEW 264 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 236 PERSONNEL AND 34 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 446 MISSIONS AND 1438 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE, THE 175MM GUNS FIRED 10 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 38 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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USMC	ENEMY
2/24 KIA	11/184 KIA(CONF)
14/349 WIA	23/213 KIA(PROB)
	0/1 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	5/62 DETAINEES (ADJ)
	1/42 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALIONS, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1250H, A RECON TEAM ENGAGED THREE ENEMY NEAR (XD 730244). ONE ENEMY WAS KIA AND TWO ENEMY WERE KIA(P). AT 1545H, AN AO SIGHTED 7 TO 9 ENEMY NEAR (XD 731245) AND SUBSEQUENTLY CONTROLLED AIR STRIKES BY OH-1E HELICOPTERS FROM VMO-3 AND F-4B AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-115 WHICH RESULTED IN THREE ENEMY KIA(C) AND 6 ENEMY KIA(P). IN TWO ADDITIONAL AND UNRELATED INCIDENTS, TWO USMC WERE WIA BY MORTAR FIRE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED

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WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-115 FLEW 21 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 13 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (1 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 62.5 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 106 MISSIONS AND 436 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS:DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/28 KIA

0/78 WIA

ENEMY

4/148 KIA(CONF)

8/244 KIA(PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 DETAINEES

0/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH THREE INFANTRY

BATTALIONS (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES, AND THE FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CON-

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TACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. (LATE ENTRIES) AT 191215H, A RECON TEAM AMBUSHED 20 ENEMY AT (YD 695133). ONE ENEMY WAS KIA(C); AT 191700H, A COMPANY H LP OBSERVED 52 ENEMY MOVING NEAR (YD 489236). FIXED WING AIR STRIKES WERE CALLED. NO REPORT ON ENEMY CASUALTIES HAS BEEN RECEIVED. AT 1700H, COMPANY G, SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES RECEIVED AN 82MM MORTAR ATTACK WHICH RESULTED IN 14 USMC WIA. DURING THE DAY THREE USMC WERE WIA FROM FRAGMENTS. (END LATE ENTRIES). IN THREE MINOR INCIDENTS, THREE ENEMY WERE KIA(CONF), AND FOUR WERE KIA(PROB), AND THREE USMC WERE WIA BY SMALL ARMS FIRE. RECONCILIATION OF PREVIOUS REPORTS RESULTED IN THE FOLLOWING ADJUSTMENTS: ADD ONE WEAPON, AND ADD 14 ENEMY KIA(P).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW FIXED

WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMF(AW)-232, VMF(AW)-235, AND VMA (AW)-533, FLEW TEN SORTIES CONSISTING OF FOUR CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND SIX DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 8.3 TONS ORDNANCE. THREE BUNKERS WERE DESTROYED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 96 MISSIONS AND 489 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS:DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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(1) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY

BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALIONS, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES)

CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI

PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. DURING

THE DAY, A COMPANY, THIRD RECON BATTALION PATROL KILLED THREE ENEMY

BY ARTILLERY FIRE.

(2) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT FIXED

WING AIRCRAFT FLEW 4 SORTIES CONSISTING OF TWO CLOSE AIR SUP-

PORTE AND TWO DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (2 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH

EXPENDED 12.7 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THERE WAS ONE SECONDARY FIRE.

ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 123 MISSIONS AND 381 ROUNDS OF AMMUNI-

TION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/28 KIA

0/73 WIA

ENEMY

0/148 KIA (CONF)

3/247 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

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0/1 DETAINEES

0/12 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHUOTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY

BATTALIONS (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES AND

THE FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND

DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT

REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. (LATE ENTRIES) AT 202345H, COMPANY

1, FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN NUMBER

OF ENEMY NEAR (YD 604428). TWO USMC WERE WIA, AND THREE ENEMY

WERE KIA(P). AT 201650H, THE SECOND BATTALION FOURTH MARINES

ENGAGED IN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ENEMY NEAR (YD 494242). FIXED

WING AIR STRIKES (VMAF-115) SUPPORTED. ONE ENEMY WAS KIA(C)

AND ONE ENEMY WAS KIA(P) (END LATE ENTRIES). AT 1205H, COMPANY

2, FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES EMPLOYED ARMED UH-1E'S (VVO-3)

NEAR (YD 493440). TWO ENEMY WERE KIA(P). IN EIGHT ADDITIONAL

AND UNRELATED INCIDENTS TWO ENEMY WERE KIA(C), SIX WERE KIA

(PROB). ONE WEAPON WAS FOUND, AND ONE DETAINEE WAS APPRE-

HENDED. THREE USMC WERE WIA, ONE BY A PUNJI TRAP AND THREE BY

SMALL ARMS FIRE.

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(YD 450412): 1 USMC KIA.
AT 220450H CO G/274 RECD SHR FIRE VIC (YD 490242): 1 USMC
KIA. RECD FIRE: 1 EN KIA (CONF), 1 AK-47 CAPTD.
AT 220730H CO A/175 FD 1 TON RICE VIC (YD 491037).
DURING PD 2 BATS CLASSIFIED PRZVC.
AT 220540H RON FM CALLED ARTY MSN ON SAMPAN VIC (YD 600224):
1 BOAT DEST, 1 EN KIA (PROB).
CLATE (HUXY) AT 221100H CO F/2726 JOINED OP CHOCFAW.
AT 221010H RON FM OBSR 3 EN DIVING FOR SAMPAN SUNK
AT 220540H VIC (YD 600223). CALLED ARTY MSN 103 EN KIA (PROB).
AT 221130H CO I/175 PTL FIRED SA AT 6 EN VIC (YD 450456): 2
EN KIA (PROB).
AT 222120H 175 CALLED ARTY MSN ON UNK OR EN VIC (YD 490425):
1 EN KIA (PROB).
AT 222215H CO G/175 APPRCH 4 DET VIC (YD 450023).
C/S FOR AT 222400H PD 222400H WERE: USMC: 1 KIA, 1 KIA;
S/274: 1 KIA (CONF), 7 KIA (PROB), 2 PRZVC, 4 DET, 1 L/P CAPTD,
1 TON RICE CAPTD.
(5) OP CHOCFAW. 25TH AKY CONF SED OP IN QUANG
* 1 L/PW WITH LIGHT CONTACT FOR PD.

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AND VIC (XD 946-19): 2 EN KIA (PROB).

AT 221605H SCOUT SPR ON HILL 950 FIRED ON EN: 1 EN KIA (PROB).

CAS FOR PD 220001H TO 222400H WERE: USMC: NONE; EN: 1 KIA

(CONF), 3 KIA (PROBLEM).

(7) OP CINARRON. 3D MAR DIV WITH 5 INF BNS (3/3, 3/4, 2/9(-), 1/9, 3/9) CONT S&D OP IN QUANG TRI PROV WITH LIGHT CONTACT FOR PD.

AT 220850H CO E/2/9 PTL VIC (YD 145613) MAR DET MINE: 6

USMC WIA (2 MED EVAC).

AT 221135H CO M/3/4 MAR DET UNK TYPE EXPLOS DEVICE VIC (YD 105498): 1 USMC WIA (MED EVAC).

AT 221215H CO M/3/4 PTL MAR DET UNK TYPE EXPLOS DEVICE VIC (YD 129511): 3 USMC WIA (MED EVAC).

AT 221900H CO L/3/4 DET 2 EXPLOS DEVICE VIC (YD 081

596): 7 USMC WIA (MED EVAC).

CAS FOR PD 220001H TO 222400H WERE: USMC: 17 WIA; ENEMY: NONE.

(8) OP BEACON TORCH. 3D MAR CONT S&D OP IN QUANG

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NAM PROV WITH LIGHT CONTACT FOR PD.

AT 221120H CO G/2/3 VIC (BT 106485) MAR DET MINE: 1 USMC KIA,

17 USMC WIA (15 MED EVAC).

CAS FOR PD 210001H TO 222400H WERE: USMC: 1 KIA, 17 WIA;

ENEMY: NONE.

(9) OP ADAIR. 5TH MAR CONT S&D OP IN QUANG TIN

AND QUANG NAM PROV WITH LIGHT CONTACT FOR PD.

(LATE ENTRY) AT 201210H CO B/1/5 PTL DET GREN RIGGED AS MINE VIC KBT 051406): 1 USMC KIA, 1 USMCODIA (MED EVAC).

AT 220845 CO K/3/5 RECD 20 RDS SA FM 3 EN VIC (AT 996372).

KIND SA FIRE, CALLED ARTY MSN: 1 USMC WIA, 3 EN KIA (PROB).

AT 221100H CO L/3/5 APPREN 1 DET VIC (BT 013342).

AT 221150H CO A/1/5 PTL EXCHANGED SA FIRE W/8 EN VIC (AT 983351): 4 EN KIA (CONF).

AT 221320H CO B/1/5 PTL EXCHANGED SA FIRE W/UNK NR EN VIC

(AT 994365). PTL FIRED 7 RDS 60MM MORT: 1 EN KIA (PROB).

AT 221430H CO A/1/5 SURPRISED 5 EN ATTEMPTING TO SET AMB VIC (AT

980353). EN PLZKLEAVING WPNS AND EQUIP. FIRED 40 RDS SA:

1 EN KIA (PROB). 2 M-1 CARB, 1 CHICOM RIFLE, 1 RUSSIAN CARB,

1 FRENCH RIFLE CPTD.

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AT 221515H COM/3/5 FIRED SA AT 1 EN VIC (AT 994345): 1 EN KIA

(CONF).

AT 221530H CO F/3/5 FIRED 50 RDS SA AT 1 EN VIC (994345): 1

EN KIA (CONF).

AT 221745H CO C/1/5 FIRED SA AT 2 EN VIC (AT 0563704): 1 EN

KIA (CONF).

AT 221815H CO B/3/5 LP FIRED SA, 2 GRENS AT 4 EN VIC (AT 002

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113 DET
2 PW/VC
10 IWC

CUM TAC AIR SORTIES: 134

CUM NGFM NONE

(6) OP BROWN

US LOSSES

23 WIA

ENEMY LOSSES
TEV20 KIA (CONF)
19 KIA (PROB)
7 DET
1 PW/VC

CUM TAC AIR SORTIES: NONE

CUM NGF: NONE

(7) OP CHOCTAW

US LOSSES

13 KIA

113 WIA

ENEMY LOSSES
129 KIA (CONF)
219 KIA (PROB)
63 DET
9 PW/VC
3 PW/NVA

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22 INCIV
27 IWC
1 CSWC

CUM TAC AIR SORTIES: 235

CUM NGF: NONE

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US LOSSES

2 KIA

78 WIA

ENEMY LOSSES
149 KIA (CONF)
250 KIA (PROB)
1 DET
1 PW/VC
12 IWC
1 CSWC

CUM TAC AIR SORTIES: 869

CUM NGF: NONE

(9) OP CIMARRON

US LOSSES

24 KIA

367 WIA

EN LOSSES
184 KIA (CONF)
213 KIA (PROB)
62 DET

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FOURTH MARINES; AND FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD BATTALION, NINTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. DURING THE DAY 17 USMC WERE KIA IN 4 MINE DETONATIONS.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMMARRON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMA-311, VMA-223, VMFA-542 AND VMFA-314 FLEW 12 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 18.9 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THERE WRE 4 STRUCTURES AND 2 RTILLERY POSITIONS DESTROYED, 33 STRUCTURES AND 1 TRENCH DAMAGED, AND 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION. HELICOPTERS FLEW 224 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 144 PERSONNEL AND 17.8 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 362 MISSIONS AND 1322 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE, THE 170MM GUNS FIRED 17 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 29 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/24 KIA

17/367

ENEMY

0/184 KIA (CONF)

0/213 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

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0/1 VC/PW

0/62 DETAINEES

0/52 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT. (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 26TH MARINES, WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, 26TH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY) ON 21 JUNE A RECON TEAM ENGAGED 2 ENEMY NEAR (XD 943317). TWO ENEMY WERE KIA (P). DURING THE DAY 1 ENEMY WAS FOUND KIA (C) AND A SCOUT SNIPER KILLED 1 ENEMY (P).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMA-311, VMA-223, VMFA-115 AND VMFA-314 FLEW 12 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 8 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 27.4 TONS OF ORDNANCE. HELICOPTERS FROM HMM 265 & VMO 3 FLEW 6 SORTIES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 37 MISSIONS AND 245 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/28 KIA

ENEMY

1/149 KIA (CONF)

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1/250 KIA (PROB)
0/1 NVA/PW
0/1 DETAINEE
0/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)
(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS
(SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES AND THE FIRST BATTALION THIRD
MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN
PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. (LATE
ENTRIES) ON 20 JUNE, COMPANY F, SECOND BATTALION, 26TH MARINES
JOINED OPERATION CHOCTAW. ON 21 JUNE COMPANY B HAD 1 USMC WIA
BY SMALL ARMS FIRE (END LATE ENTRIES). AT 0540H RECON CALLED
AN ARTILLERY MISSION ON A SAMPAN NEAR (YD 609224). THE
SAMPAN WAS SUNK AND 1 ENEMY WAS KIA (P). AT 0745H, COMPANY G
ENGAGED AND KILLED (C) ONE ENEMY AND CAPTURED 1 AK-47. ONE

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USMC WAS KIA AT 1010H. THE RECON TEAM
(0540H ENTRY) CALLED ARTILLERY FIRE ON 3 ENEMY DIVING IN AREA
OF SUNKEN SAMPAN. THREE ENEMY WERE KIA (P). DURING THE DAY,
IN 4 MINOR INCIDENTS, TWO DETAINEES WERE RECLASSIFIED AS PW/VC,
3 ENEMY WERE KIA (P) AND 4 DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED.

(B) ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 147 MISSIONS AND 416
ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
1/13 KIA	1/29 KIA (CONF)
0/113 WIA (ADJ)	7/219 KIA (PROB)
	0/3 NVA/PW
	2/9 VC/PW (ADJ)
	4/63 DETAINEES
	1/28 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION CUMBERLAND (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION
(FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED CLEARING OPERATIONS
IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE PROVIDING SECURITY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT
OF ROUTE 547 WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. DURING

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AIRCRAFT FROM THE FOLLOWING SQUADRONS: VMA-211, VMA-223, VMA-211, VMA(AW)-535, VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMFA(AW)-232 AND VMF(AW)-235 FLEW 43 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 39 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 76.1 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS 4 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS, ONE SECONDARY FIRE, 44 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 19 STRUCTURES DAMAGED, ONE TRENCH DAMAGED, 3 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 2 AA POSITIONS DESTROYED, AND 1 AW POSITION DESTROYED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 249 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 447 PERSONNEL AND 62.4 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 335 MISSIONS AND EXPENDED 1247 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. THE 175MM GUN FIRED 9 MISSIONS EXPENDING 44 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

1/25 KIA

2/186 KIA (CONF)

5/372 WIA

0/214 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

0/23 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

2/59 WEAPONS CAPTURED

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(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALIONS TWENTY SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0432H, COMPANY M RECEIVED ONE GRENADE (XD 950348) FROM AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ENEMY. THREE MARINES WERE WIA.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM THE FOLLOWING SQUADRONS: VMA-311, VMA-223, VMFA-542, VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMF(AW)-232 AND VMA(AW)-242 FLEW 20 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 10 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 10 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (8 VISUAL AND 2 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 46.9 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THERE WAS NO REPORTED BDA. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 63 MISSIONS AND EXPENDED 164 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. DURING THE PERIOD, 175MM GUNS FIRED 7 MISSIONS EXPENDING 29 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/28 KIA

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3/81 WIA

0/250 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 DETAINEES

0/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS, (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES AND THE FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. DURING THE PERIOD, TWENTY-FIVE DETAINEES WERE CLASSIFIED AS INNOCENT CIVILIANS. ONE DETAINEE WAS CLASSIFIED AS A RETURNEE/VC. TWO DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED AND THEN TURNED OVER FOR FURTHER CLASSIFICATION. AT 1200H, COMPANY F, SECOND BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES LEFT OPERATION CHOCTAW.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING

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AIRCRAFT FROM SQUADRONS VMFA-314 AND VMF(AW)-235 FLEW 5 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (1 VISUAL AND 4 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 13 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THERE WAS NO REPORT ON THE BDA. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 170 MISSIONS AND EXPENDED 368 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/13 KIA

0/118 WIA

ENEMY

0/128 KIA (CONF)

0/219 KIA (PROB)

1/4 NVA/PW

0/10 VC/PW

3/70 DETAINEES (ADJUSTED)

1/1 RETURNEE/VC

25/47 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

0/29 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION CUMBERLAND (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED CLEARING OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE PROVIDING SECURITY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF ROUTE 547 WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT

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DESTROYED, ONE STRUCTURE DAMAGED, ONE AA POSITION DESTROYED,
ONE GUN POSITION DESTROYED, 12 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 11 TRENCHES
DAMAGED AND 2 BUNKERS WERE DAMAGED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 81
SORTIES TRANSPORTING 33 PERSONNEL AND 2.4 TONS OF CARGO.
ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 353 MISSIONS AND 1,448 ROUNDS OF
AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. 175MM GUNS
FIRED 23 MISSIONS EXPENDING
38 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION. NAVAL GUNFIRE FIRED 7 MISSIONS
AND EXPENDED 21 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/25 KIA

5/377 WIA

ENEMY

5/191 KIA (KIA)

10/224 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

3/94 DETAINEES

1/24 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

1/52 WEAPONS CAPTURED

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(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY
BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES)
CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG
TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD.
AT 2035H, A RECONNAISSANCE TEAM CALLED AN ARTILLERY MISSION
ON AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ENEMY (XD 941312). THREE SECONDARY
EXPLOSIONS WERE OBSERVED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED
WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMA-223, MFA-
314, VMFAW-235, AND VMFAW-232 FLEW 17 SORTIES, CONSISTING
OF 2 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 15 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (12 VISUAL
AND 3 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 20 TONS OF ORDNANCE.
THE BDA WAS UNKNOWN. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 28
MISSIONS AND 36 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY
OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/28 KIA

0/81 WIA

ENEMY

0/149 KIA (CONF)

0/250 KIA (PROB)

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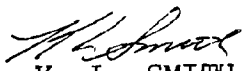
Subj: Spot Report

Source: Major THOMPSON, FMFPAC Command Center

1. Operation CROCKETT. From 270035H to 270105H, units in the Khe Sanh area, 1/26, 3/26, CAC-03 and Lang Vei Special Forces Camp, received unknown number 82mm and 60mm mortar rounds. CM plan executed. Casualties: 4 USMC, 1 ARVN KIA, 83 USMC WIA (34 MedEvacs).

2. Operation CROCKETT. At 270525H, the Khe Sanh combat base vicinity XD845415, received 15 rounds of unknown caliber rocket fire. Returned artillery fire on suspected enemy positions. Casualties: 1 USMC KIA, 9 USMC WIA.

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REF KHE SANH MORTAR ATTACK BETWEEN 270035H AND 270105H,
MAJOR DONNALLY, FMFPAC CC PROVIDED UPDATE RESULTS OF THE ATTACK.
FRIENDLY: 9 KIA (8 USMC, 1 ARVN); 125 USMC WIA (59 MED EVAC),
ENEMY: UNKNOWN.

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 125 USMC, ONE ARVN, ONE CIV, 128 WIA (125 USMC, THREE CIV)
 125 USMC; EN: UNK. FOL ITEMS DAM: ONE WATER TRAILER, ONE
 FLAME, FOUR 2 1/2 TON TRKS, FOUR 2 1/2 TON TRKS, 31 TENTS AND FIVE FLAME
 POWERS.

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B. OP CROCKETT: IN QUANG TRI PROV (XD803408) FIVE KM W OF
 KHE SANH AT 271232H CAC PTL INVEST PROBABLE MORT POS RECD HV SA FIRE.
 SA AND ARTY FIRES RTND AND EN BROKE CONTACT. RES: FRD: THREE KIA,
 ONE WIA; EN: TWO KIA. AT 271635H AND 400 METERS TO THE NORTH OF CAC
 CONTACT, B/1/20 USMC OBSR TEN EN. ASTIKES CALLED. RES: FRD: NONE;
 EN: FIVE KIA. CUM RES: FRD: THREE KIA, ONE WIA; EN: SEVEN KIA. NO
 REPT OF EN WPNS CPTD.

C. ALL OTHER OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.

2. (U) II CTZ: ALL OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.

3. (C) III CTZ:

A. IN BINH DUONG PROV, (XT885383) FIVE KM E LAI KHE AT
 271910H A CIV BUS HIT A MINE. RES: (VN) 23 CIV KILLED, 10 CIV INJURED.
 1ST INF DIV FURN MED ASST AND HEL EVAC.

B. IN LONG KHANH PROV, (YT330325) SIX KM NW TUC TRUNG AT
 271610H, THE 520 RGR BN (ARVN) MADE CONTACT WITH UNK SIZE EN FORCE.
 1ST, ARTY AND TAC AIR SPTD AND A AND B/1/11 CAV REINF. EN BROKE CON-
 TACT 280245H. INTERIM RES: FRD: FIVE KIA (ARVN), 28 WIA (ONE US, 27
 ARVN); EN: UNK

C. ALL OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.

4. (C) IV CTZ:

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A. OP CUU LONG 61, A 7TH ARVN DIV S/D OP IN KIEN HOA PROV
 (XS424297) NINE KM W TRUC GIANG COMM 270700H AND TERM 271700H W/LIGHT
 CONTACT REPTD. RES: FRD: TWO WIA; EN: 36 KIA (BY ARMD HEL) 79 DET
 CPTD; ONE INFO STATION AND TWO STRUCTURES DEST. UNITS: 2/11, 3/11,
 4/10 INF, 1 RE BN, 1 PF PLAT, 2 RECON CO'S; RES: 3/10 INF, 41 RGR
 BN, 2 RAB CO'S.

B. REF PARA 3A MY MSG 262140Z JUNE 67, OP PHI HO 15 COMM
 260530Z JUNE AND TERM 271530H JUNE W/LIGHT CONTACT REPTD RES: (27
 JUNE) FRD: ONE WIA; EN: 16 KIA, THREE MINES, 1,000 RDS SA /MMO CPTD.
 TOTAL CUM RES: FRD: FIVE WIA; EN: 28 KIA, 29 DET, FIVE I/WPNS, 42
 BRN, FOUR MINES, 1,000 RDS SA AMMO, MISC MEDICAL SUPPLIES AND MISC
 DOCUMENTS CPTD.

C. ALL OTHER OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.

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Subject: Operation CROCKETT

Source: Colonel NOCITA, NMCC Pac Desk

1. MACV reports L/3/26 made contact with an enemy force of unknown size at 271610H. "L" Company was reinforced and the enemy broke contact at 272100H. Casualties: USMC - 7 KIA, 26 MIA; Enemy- 21 KIA.

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311, VMA(AW)-533, VMFA-542, VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMF(AW)-232, AND VMF(AW)-235 FLEW 27 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 22 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (22 VISUAL AND 1 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 50.1 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS 3 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS, 4 SECONDARY FIRES, 14 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 4 STRUCTURES DAMAGED, 11 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 7 BUNKERS DAMAGED AND 3 TRENCHES WERE DAMAGED. HELICOPTERS FLEW 383 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 815 PERSONNEL AND 44.7 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 400 MISSIONS AND 1,489 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. 175MM GUNS FIRED 4 OBSERVED MISSIONS AND 13 UNOBSERVED MISSIONS EXPENDING 63 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION. NAVAL GUNFIRE SUPPORTED THE MARINES WITH TEN MISSIONS AND EXPENDED TWENTY ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/26 KIA (ADJUSTED)	1/192 KIA (CONF)
0/376 WIA (ADJUSTED)	1/225 KIA (PROB)

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0/1 NVA/PW
0/1 VC/PW
4/100 DETAINEES
1/24 INNOCENT CIVILIANS
2/62 WEAPONS CAPTURED

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(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1300H, AN AO CALLED AN AIR STRIKE (VMA-211) ON TWENTY-FIVE ENEMY (XD 736444) RESULTING IN TWELVE ENEMY KILLED (PROB).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMA211, VMA223, VMA311, VMFA323 AND VMF(AW)235 FLEW 20 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 16 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (16 VISUAL AND 6 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 41.7 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE BDA WAS UNKNOWN. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 42 MISSIONS AND 80 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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12/262 KIA (PROB)

0/1 VC/PW

0/1 DETAINEES

0/13 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0320H, COMPANY H FIRED SMALL ARMS AT SIX ENEMY (YD 496329), FOUR ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF), TWO ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB), AND THREE CARBINES WERE CAPTURED. AT 0600H, FIRST BATTALION, THIRD MARINES LEFT OPERATION CHOCTAW. AT 0800H, THREE MARINES WERE WIA FROM COMPANY F (YD 598290).

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WHEN A MINE DETONATED. AT 1300H, COMPANY F FIRED SMALL ARMS AT TWO ENEMY (YD 609279). ONE ENEMY WAS KILLED (CONF).

DURING THE PERIOD, 450 POUNDS OF RICE WAS FOUND (YD 534294) AND TEN DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED. TWO DETAINEES WERE LATER CLASSIFIED AS INNOCENT CIVILIANS.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMA-223, VMA-311, VMF(AW)-235, AND VMFA-115 FLEW 5 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 3 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 2 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (2 TP0-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED TONS OF ORDNANCE 11.7. HELICOPTERS FLEW 49 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 46 PERSONNEL AND 15 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 258 MISSIONS AND 273 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/13 KIA

3/121 WIA

ENEMY

5/133 KIA (CONF)

2/221 KIA (PROB)

0/4 NVA/PW

0/9 VC/PW

10/80 DETAINEES

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(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY

BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0035H, THE SANH BASE RECEIVED APPROXIMATELY FIFTY ROUNDS OF 82MM MORTAR FIRE FROM (XD 820895) RESULTING IN FOUR MARINES KIA AND SEVENTY-SIX MARINES WIA. AT 0105H, COMPANY I RECEIVED TWO ROUNDS OF 82MM MORTAR FIRE FROM (XD 818412). SEVEN MARINES WERE WIA. AT 0525H, THE KHE SANH BASE RECEIVED APPROXIMATELY FIFTY ROUNDS OF 102MM ROCKETS RESULTING IN TWO MARINES KIA AND THIRTEEN MARINES WIA. AT 1230H, COMBINED ACTION COMPANY PATROL 0-3 DISCOVERED ENEMY MORTAR POSITIONS (XD 803408) AND ENCOUNTERED HEAVY SMALL ARMS FIRE. ARTILLERY WAS CALLED IN AND SMALL ARMS/

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AW FIRE WAS RETURNED ON THE ENEMY'S POSITION. AS A RESULT OF THIS CONTACT, THREE MARINES WERE KIA, ONE MARINE WAS WIA. TWO ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF). IN RESPONSE TO THIS CONTACT, COMPANY I MOVED OVERLAND TO HILL 689. COMPANY L WAS LIFTED BY HELICOPTERS INTO THE AREA AND BOTH COMPANIES COMMENCED A COORDINATED ASSAULT AGAINST AN ESTIMATED TWO REINFORCED ENEMY COMPANIES. THE ENEMY WAS IN A WELL PREPARED POSITION LOCATED ON HILL 689 (XD 805409). THE ENEMY EMPLOYED NUMEROUS MINES AND TO PROTECT THEIR POSITIONS. THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE CONTACT, AIR STRIKES FROM VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMFA-542, VMA-211, VMA-223, VMA-311, VMF(AW)-232 AND VMA(AW)-242 AND ARTILLERY WERE DIRECTED AGAINST THE ENEMY IN SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES. AT 1900H, BOTH COMPANIES RECEIVED ENEMY MORTAR FIRE FROM THE NORTH. THE CONTACT TERMINATED AT 1930H, WITH BOTH COMPANIES CONSOLIDATING THEIR POSITIONS ON HILL 689. INITIAL CASUALTY REPORTS, INCLUDING THE PATROL FROM COMBINED ACTION COMPANY 0-3, WERE: 10 MARINES KIA, ONE PF KIA, 27 MARINES WIA, 23 ENEMY KILLED (CONF), 68 ENEMY KILLED (PROB). DURING THE ENGAGEMENT THE FOLLOWING WEAPONS WERE CAPTURED: FOUR AK-47, 1 CHICOM CARBINE, 1 RPG ROCKET LAUNCHER, 6 MINES, 2 ROUNDS OF 82MM MORTAR AMMO, 4

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CHICOM GRENADES, 18 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 2 MORTAR POSITIONS DESTROYED, AND ONE MORTAR POSITION DAMAGED. AT 1635H, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT WERE CALLED ON TEN ENEMY (XD 801411). FIVE ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMFA-542, VMA-2111, VMA-223 VMA-311, VMF(AW)-232, VMA(AW)-242, AND VMA(AW)-533 FLEW 50 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 27 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 23 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (20 VISUAL AND 3 TPQ-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 78.6 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 122 MISSIONS AND 1,206 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. 175MM GUNS FIRED TEN MISSIONS EXPENDING 36 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
19/47 KIA	28/177 KIA (CONF)
152/233 WIA	68/330 KIA (PROB)
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/2 DETAINEES
	6/19 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

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(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1430H, COMPANY E ENGAGED FIVE ENEMY (YD 613236) WITH SMALL ARMS FIRE. THREE ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF). AND ONE CARBINE PLUS 407,470 PIASTERS WERE CAPTURED. DURING THE PERIOD, TWO DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED (YD 560311).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-314 FLEW ONE SORTIE CONSISTING OF ONE DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (TPQ-10) SORTIE, WHICH EXPENDED 3 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION AND 15 KBA (PROB). ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 151 MISSIONS AND 271 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/16 KIA	3/138 KIA (CONF)
0/127 WIA	0/221 KIA (PROB)
	0/4 NVA/PW
	0/11 VC/PW
	2/98 DETAINEES

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A. ALL OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.

B. REF PARA 1B, MY MSG 280950Z JUN 67; RES OF DUC PHO AMMO
 DUMP FIRE: TWO USA WIA (ONE EVAC), 1,500 RDS 155MM AND 2,000 RDS 105MM
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C. IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE VIC YD343699 13 KM NE DONG HA AT

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290110H THE USS COCONINO COUNTY (LST 603) WAS HOLED BY AN EXPLOSION OF
 UNK ORIGIN ON THE PORT SIDE WHILE LOADING AT CUA VIET LST RAMP.
 MAIN AND AUXILLIARY ENGINE ROOMS FLOODED. IN NO DANGER OF SINKING
 DUE TO POSITION ON RAMP. RES: ONE USN WIA.

D. CUM RES: OP CUMBERLAND - NO CHANGE.

	CIMARRON	<u>CROCKETT</u>	CHOCTAW	CALHOUN	MALHERU II	BEACON TORCH
	US	US	US	US	US	US
KIA	29	51	16	4	19	10
WIA	405	242	129	18	147	66
MIA	0	0	0	0	0	0
AIR						
SORTIES	920	992	253	22	226	30
NGF	193	0	0	1	40	19
ARC						
LIGHT	0	168	9	0	0	0
			ENEMY			
KIA	211	182	146	15	206	67
DET	106	5	113	9	22	19
RET	0	0	3	0	0	0

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1. (C) 1 CTZ:

A. IN QUANG NAM PROVINCE (AT974717) EIGHT KM SW OF DANANG
 AT 300030H THE HOA CAM ARVN TRNG CENTER RECD 25 - 30 RDS 82MM MORT.
 RES: FRD: ARVN: TWO KIA, 28 WIA; EN: UNK.

B. ALL OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.
 C. CUM RES: OP CUMBERLAND - NO CHANGE.

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	CIMARRON	<u>CROCKETT</u>	CHOCTAW	CALHOUN	MALHEUR II	BEACON TORCH
	US	US	US	US	US	US
KIA	32	51	17	5	20	10
WIA	425	244	134	35	151	69
MIA	0	0	0-	0	0	0
AIR						
SORTIES	939	1009	254	32	241	30
NGF	204	0	0	1	40	19
ARC LIGHT	0	177	9	0	0	0
			ENEMY			
KIA	223	186	147	20	212	77
DET	124	5	113	20	22	31
RET	0	0	3	0	0	0
IND/WPNS	58	19	33	5	71	0
C/S WPNS	8	4	1	0	5	0

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IN AND TWO ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF). ONE MARINE WAS WIA. AT 1830H, A PATROL FROM COMPANY D, FIRST BATTALION, NINTH MARINES EXCHANGED SA/AW FIRE WITH AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC (YD 124724). THREE ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF) AND TWO ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB). DURING THE CONTACT, TWO MARINES WERE WIA. AT 2045H, ONE MARINE WAS WIA FROM COMPANY E, SECOND BATTALION, NINTH MARINES WHEN A MINE DETONATED (YD 137674).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMA-211, VMA-223, VMA-311, VMF(AW)-232, VMF(AW)-235, VMA(AW)-242, AND VMA(AW)-533 FLEW 19 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 2. CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 17 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (14 VISUAL AND 3 TPG-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 44.3 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS, 21 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 1 GUN POSITION DESTROYED, 1 GUN POSITION DAMAGED, 1 AA POSITION DESTROYED, 1 AA POSITION DAMAGED, 1 ROAD CUT, 2 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 5 BUNKERS DAMAGED, 4 TRENCHES DESTROYED, 1 MORTAR POSITION DESTROYED, 1 MORTAR POSITION DAMAGED, 1 AW POSITION DESTROYED AND 1 AW POSITION DAMAGED. HELICOPTERS FROM HMM-363, VMA-6, AND H&MS-16 FLEW 73 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 27 PERSONNEL AND 2.3

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TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 434 MISSIONS AND 1639 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. 175MM GUNS FIRED 24 MISSIONS EXPENDING 60 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION. IN SUPPORT OF THE OPERATION, NAVAL GUNFIRE FIRED 11 MISSIONS AND EXPENDED 33 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/29 KIA

12/405 WIA

ENEMY

5/211 KIA (CONF)

2/258 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

0/104 DETAINEES

0/24 CIVIL DEFENDANTS

0/63 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) ~~THE TWENTY-SIXTH~~ MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1005H, COMPANIES I AND L FOUND TWO ENEMY BODIES (XD 803408). AT 1320H, BT

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TWO MARINES WERE WIA FROM COMPANY B BY FRAGMENTS FROM A 81MM ROUND. AT 1600H, COMPANY M CALLED A FIXED WING AIR STRIKE FROM VMA-311 ON TEN ENEMY IN THE VICINITY OF (XD 785405). ONE ENEMY WAS KILLED (CONF) AND SEVEN ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB). AT 1700H, COMPANY M CALLED AN AIR STRIKE ON AN ENEMY POSITION (XD 798406) RESULTING IN ONE ENEMY KILLED (CONF) AND NINE ENEMY KILLED (PROB). AT 1735H, TWO ENEMIES WERE FOUND DEAD AND ONE PW/NVA (WIA) WITH A WEAPON WAS CAPTURED BY COMPANY I. AT 1940H, TWENTY-FIVE ROUNDS OF 102MM ROCKETS HIT THE KHE SANH BASE RESULTING IN TWO MARINES WIA. DURING THE PERIOD, IN FOUR MINOR AND UNRELATED INCIDENTS, TEN ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB) FROM ARTILLERY AND AIR STRIKES.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-542, VMFA-115, VMA-211, VMA-223, VMF(AW)-232,

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VMF(AW)-235, AND VMA(AW)-242 FLEW 17 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 10 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 7 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (4 VISUAL AND 3 TPO-10) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 47.9 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS 2 KBA (CONF), 20 KBA (PROB), 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION, ONE SECONDARY FIRE, 11 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 4 BUNKERS DAMAGED, AND 1 MORTAR POSITION DESTROYED. HELICOPTERS FROM MAG16 FLEW 69 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 7 PERSONNEL. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 157 MISSIONS AND 845 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/47 KIA	6/183 KIA (CONF)
4/237 WIA	26/356 KIA (PROB)
	1/1 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/2 DETAINEES
	1/20 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY

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3/32 KIA

20/425 WIA

12/223 KIA (CONF)

15/273 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

18/122 DETAINEES

0/24 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

3/66 WEAPONS CAPTURED (ADJUSTED)

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0545H, COMPANY M PERIMETER POSITION (XD 778409) RECEIVED ONE GRENADE. A 60MM MORTAR MISSION WAS FIRED AND M-26 GRENADES WERE RETURNED AT THTPBRU

Y'S POSITION, KILLING ONE ENEMY (CONF) AND CAPTURING ONE AU-47. AT 0800H, COMPANY I FOUND TWO ENEMY BODIES AND ONE AK-47 IN THE

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VICINITY OF (XD 797413). AT 1330H, COMPANY M CALLED AN ARTILLERY MISSION ON TEN ENEMY (XD 786425). THREE ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB). AN AIR STRIKE WAS THEN CALLED AND AN ADDITIONAL THREE ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB). ONE BUNKER WAS DESTROYED AND ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION WAS OBSERVED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-542, VMA-223, VMA-311, AND VMF(AW)-235 FLEW 18 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 16 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 6 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 23.9 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS 3 KBA (PROB), SEVEN BUNKERS DESTROYED AND ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 220 MISSIONS AND 1,925 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. 175MM GUNS FIRED 13 MISSIONS EXPENDING 39 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/51 KIA (ADJUSTED) 3/186 KIA (CONF)

0/244 WIA (ADJUSTED) 6/363 KIA (PROB) (ADJUSTED)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/2 VC/PW

0/2 DETAINEES

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2/50 WEAPONS CAPTURED (ADJUSTED)

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0215H, COMPANY H KILLED ONE VC (CONF) AND CAPTURED ONE M-1 CARBINE (YD 378452). AT 0845H, COMPANY H HAD ONE MARINE KIA BY SNIPER FIRE. AN ARTILLERY MISSION WAS CALLED RESULTING IN THREE ENEMY KILLED (PROB). AT 0924H, ONE MARINE WAS KIA AND FOUR MARINES WERE KIA FROM COMPANY F WHEN THEIR PATROL RECEIVED AW FIRE (YD 624326).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-314 FLEW ONE DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIE, WHICH EXPENDED 3 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 111 MISSIONS AND 236 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

1/17 KIA

5/134 WIA

ENEMY

1/147 KIA (CONF)

3/248 KIA (PROB)

0/4 NVA/PW

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0/11 VC/PW

0/98 DETAINEES

0/3 RETURNEES/VC

5/63 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

1/34 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION CUMBERLAND (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES, WITH ONE BATTALION, (FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUE CLEARING OPERATIONS AND PROVIDING SECURITY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF ROUTE 547 IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT 2100H, ONE MARINE FROM COMPANY A WAS KIA (YD 716094) FROM ARTILLERY SHRAPNEL.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CUMBERLAND, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-314 FLEW 4 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 6 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 50 MISSIONS AND 547 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

1/17 KIA

5/134 WIA

ENEMY

1/147 KIA (CONF)

3/248 KIA (PROB)

0/4 NVA/PW

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0/1 NVA/PW

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23/150 DETAINEES (ADJUSTED)

0/24 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

1/67 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. ONE ENEMY KIA WAS FOUND DURING THE DAY.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMA-223, VMA-311, VMF (AW) 232, VMF (AW)-235 AND VMA (AW)-242 FLEW 11 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 11 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (3 TPQ) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 25 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS 3 KBA (PROB). ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 237 MISSIONS AND

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728 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/51 KIA

1/187 KIA (CONF)

6/250 WIA

3/366 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

0/3 DETAINEES (ADJUSTED)

0/50 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0040H, AN 81MM MORTAR MISSION ON 12 ENEMY (YD 547328) RESULTED IN 4 ENEMY KIA (PROB). AT 1250H, TWO MARINES FROM COMPANY F, WERE WIA BY A MINE (YD 598318). AT 1800H, AN AIR STRIKE BY F-4B AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-314 ON 20 ENEMY (YD 403393) RESULTED IN 4 ENEMY KIA (CONF).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-314 FLEW 2 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES.

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~~1735 KIA~~ 6/245 KIA (CONF)

~~19/464 WIA 26/333 KIA (PROB)~~

~~0/1 NVA/PW~~

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0/24 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

1/68 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES)

CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG

1-1 PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD.

URING THE DAY, ONE ENEMY WAS KIA (CONF); ONE ENEMY KIA (PROB)
AND THREE RIFLES WERE FOUND.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-542, VMFA-314, VMA-211, VMF(AW)-235

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2ND VFA(W)-242 FLEW 13 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 8 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 5 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (3 TPQ) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 39 TONS OF ORDNANCE. NO BDA WAS REPORTED. ARTILLERY BATTAL FIRED 22 MISSIONS AND 943 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE, 175MM GUNS FIRED 1 MISSIONS EXPENDING 11 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(00) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/51 KIA

1/188 KIA (CONF)

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1/367 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW.

0/1 VC/PW

073 DETAINEES

3/53 WEAPONS CAPTURED

~~(S) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION).~~

~~(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. DURING THE DAY TWO DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED AND TWENTY-ONE PREVIOUSLY APPREHENDED DE-~~

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EXPLOSIONS. HELICOPTERS FROM HMM-265, AND HRMS-16 FLEW 24 SORTIES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 453 MISSIONS AND 2473 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE, 175MM GUNS FIRED 11 MISSIONS EXPENDING 54 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION. NAVAL GUNFIRE SUPPORT CONSISTED OF 36 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 142 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
51/189 KIA	55/300 KIA (CONF)
190/654 WIA	88/421 KIA (PROB)
34/34 MIA	0/1 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/150 DETAINEES
	0/24 INNOCENTS CIVILIANS.
	0/68 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALIONS, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT

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0900H, THREE MARINES FROM COMPANY M RECEIVED MINOR WOUNDS DURING AN AIR STRIKE ON ENEMY POSITIONS (XD 777427). AT 1040H, A RECON TEAM ENGAGED AN ESTIMATED FOUR ENEMY WITH GRENADES AND SMALL ARMS FIRE (XD 854311). THREE ENEMY WERE KIA (PROB) WHILE THE MARINE TEAM SUSTAINED THREE WIA. IN TWO ADDITIONAL INCIDENTS DURING THE DAY ONE ENEMY WAS KIA (CONF) AND ONE ENEMY BODY WAS FOUND.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-542 VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMA-211, VMA-223, VMA-311, AND VMF(AW)-232 FLEW 23 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 14 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 9 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 10 TONS OF ORDNANCE. TWENTY BUNKERS WERE DESTROYED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 323 MISSIONS AND 1044 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/51 KIA	2/190 KIA (CONF) (ADJUSTED)
6/250 WIA	3/370 KIA (PROB)
	0/1 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/26 WEAPONS CAPTURED

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0/3 DETAINEES

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(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THREE TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALIONS, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH NO SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-542, VMFA-314, VMA-211, VMA-311, VMA-223, VMA(AW)-242 AND VMF(AW)-235 FLEW 23 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 19 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (2 TPO) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 49 TONS OF ORDNANCE. FOUR BUNKERS WERE DESTROYED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 208 MISSIONS AND 1546 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESS, 175MM GUNS FIRED 2 MISSIONS EXPENDING 151 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/51 KIA

0/250

ENEMY

0/190 KIA (CONF)

0/370/KIA (PROB)

0/111 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

0/3 DETAINEES

CROCKETT

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0/26 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. IN THREE UNRELATED INCIDENTS, ONE LATE ENTRY OF 2 JULY, TWO ENEMY WERE KIA (CONF) TWO WERE KIA (PROB) AND THREE DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-115 AND VMA(AW)-242 FLEW 2 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 7 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 229 MISSIONS AND 289 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/17 KIA

0/136 WIA

ENEMY

2/153 KIA (CONF)

2/225 KIA (PROB)

0/4 NVA/PW (ADJUSTED)

0/11 VC/PW (ADJUSTED)

3/103 DETAINEES

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(4) OPERATION CUMBERLAND (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES, WITH ONE BATTALION, (FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUE CLEARING OPERATIONS AND PROVIDING SECURITY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF ROUTE 547 IN THUA

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1 USMC WIA. DURING THE DAY ONE DETAINEE WAS APPREHENDED AND
A SECOND DETAINEE WAS RECLASSIFIED PW/VC.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CIMARRON, FIXED WING
AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-542, VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMA-211, VMA-223
VMA-311, VMA(AW)-242, VMA(AW)-533, VMF(AW)-232 AND VMF(AW)-235
FLEW 65 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 30 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 35 DIRECT
AIR SUPPORT (19 TPQ) SORTIES, EXPENDING 154 TONS OF ORDNANCE.
BOA WAS 39 BUNKERS AND 7 ROCKET POSITIONS
DESTROYED, 14 TRENCHES AND 3 BUNKERS DAMAGED, 7 SECONDARY EX-
PLUSIONS AND 6 SECONDARY FIRES. HELICOPTERS FROM HMM-363, H&MS-
16 AND VMO-2 FLEW 624 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 452 PERSONNEL AND 121
TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 600 MISSIONS AND 3544
ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF
THESE, 175MM GUNS FIRED 9 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 14 ROUNDS OF
AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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USMC

16/115 KIA (ADJ)

83/733 WIA (ADJ)

5 MIA

ENEMY

2/475 KIA (CONF)

3/392 KIA (PROB)

0/2 NVA/PW

0/2 VC/PW

ENEMY

1/153 DETAINEES

0/24 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

3/85 WEAPONS CAPTURED (ADJUSTED)

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS
(FIRST AND THIRD BATTALIONS, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED
SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE
WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1430H, A RECON
TEAM DIRECTED AN AIRSTRIKE RUN BY F-4B AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-542
ON AN ESTIMATED 40 NVA ON A TRAIL (XD 736465). TWO ENEMY
WERE KIA (CONF), 16 WERE KIA (PROB) AND 16 BUNKERS WERE DESTROYED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING
AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-542, VMA-211, VMA-223 VMA-311, VMF(AW)-232
AND VMF(AW)-235 FLEW 17 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 6 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT

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AND 11 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (3 TPQ) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 27 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BQA WAS 5 KBA (CONF), 16 KBA (PROB), 16 BUNKERS DESTROYED, THREE DAMAGED AND ONE SECONDARY FIRE. HELICOPTERS FROM MAG-16 FLEW 26 SORTIES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 307 MISSIONS AND 787 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC
0/51 KIA
0/250 WIA

ENEMY
7/197 KIA (CONF)
16/386 KIA (PROB)
0/1 NVA/PW
0/1 VC/PW
0/3 DETAINEES

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. IN THREE UNRELATED INCIDENTS FOUR ENEMY WERE KIA (PROB) AND ONE USMC WAS WIA BY A MINE. ADDITIONALLY, TWO TONS OF RICE WERE CAPTURED AND ONE DETAINEE WAS RECLASSIFIED A

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RETURNEE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-115, VMFA-314, AND VMF(AW)-235, FLEW 5 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 1 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (TPQ) SORTIE, WHICH EXPENDED 12 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS 1 SAMPAN AND 1 BUNKER DESTROYED. HELICOPTERS FROM MAG-16 FLEW 26 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 32 PERSONNEL AND 2 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 137 MISSIONS AND 403 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC
0/17 KIA
1/137 WIA

ENEMY
0/153 KIA (CONF)
4/229 KIA (PROB)
0/4 NVA/PW
0/11 VC/PW
0/102 DETAINEES (ADJUSTED)
0/2 RETURNEES (ADJUSTED)
0/84 INNOCENT CIVILIANS
0/34 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION CUMBERLAND (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

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(A) THE FOURTH MARINES, WITH ONE BATTALION, (FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUE CLEARING OPERATIONS AND PROVIDING SECURITY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF ROUTE 547 IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH NO CONTACT.

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2/19 WEAPONS CAPTURED (ADJUSTED)

(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH NO CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-314 AND VMF(AW)-235 FLEW 4 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 8 TONS OF ORDNANCE. TWO BUNKERS WERE DESTROYED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 240 MISSIONS AND 1030 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/51 KIA	0/197 KIA (CONF)
0/250 WIA	0/336 KIA (PROB)
	0/1 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/3 DETAINEES
	0/25 WEAPONS CAPTURED

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(4) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

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(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. IN THREE SMALL AND UNRELATED INCIDENTS ONE ENEMY WAS KIA (CONF) SIX WERE KIA (PROB) AND 6 USMC WERE WIA BY SMALL ARMS FIRE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMF(AW)-232 FLEW 2 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 135 MISSIONS AND 275 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/17 KIA	1/154 KIA (CONF)
6/143 WIA	6/265 KIA (PROB)
	0/4 NVA/PW
	0/11 VC/PW (ADJUSTED)
	0/103 DETAINEES
	0/2 RETURNEES
	0/84 INNOCENT CIVILIANS
	0/34 WEAPONS CAPTURED (ADJUSTED)

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(1) OPERATION CUMBERLAND (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES, WITH ONE BATTALION (FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUE CLEARING OPERATIONS AND PROVIDING SECURITY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF ROUTE 547 IN THUA THIEN

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THIRD MARINES RECEIVED 15 ROUNDS OF 60MM MORTAR FIRE (YD 115674)

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RESULTING IN TWELVE USMC WIA. COUNTER MORTAR FIRE WAS RETURNED.
ENEMY CASUALTIES WERE NOT DETERMINED. AT 1730H, COMPANY B,
THIRD MARINES RECEIVED 15 ROUNDS OF ARTILLERY RESULTING IN TWO
USMC WIA. FIVE DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED DURING THE DAY.

(5) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION BUFFALO, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT
FROM VMFA-542, VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMA-211, VMA-223, VMA-311,
VMF(AW)-232, VMF(AW)-235 AND VMA(AW)-533 FLEW 53 SORTIES CONSISTING
OF 14 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 39 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (15 TPQ)

MISSIONS, WHICH EXPENDED 90 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS 6 ROCKET
POSITIONS, 3 AA POSITIONS AND 7 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 2 TRENCHES
DAMAGED, 8 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS AND 1 SECONDARY FIRE. ARTILLERY
UNITS FIRED 809 MISSIONS AND 7717 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT
OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. OF THESE 175MM GUNS FIRED 12 MISSIONS
EXPENDING 33 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION. NAVAL GUNFIRE SUPPORT
CONSISTED OF 182 MISSIONS EXPENDING 475 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
7/105 KIA	43/264 KIA (CONF)
68/445 WIA (ADJ)	41/117 KIA (PROB)
0/5 MIA	0/1 NVA/PW (ADJUSTED)

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0/1 VC/PW (ADJUSTED)
5/8 DETAINEES
2/21 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS
FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH
AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH NO
SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIR-
CRAFT FROM VMFA-542, VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMA-311, AND VMF(AW)-232
FLEW 12 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 22 TONS OF
ORDNANCE. BDA WAS 3 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 4 BUNKERS DAMAGED, 1
SECONDARY FIRE AND 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED
12 MISSIONS AND 732 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY
OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
7/51 KIA	0/197 KIA (CONF)
7/25 WIA	0/336 KIA (PROB)
	0/1 NVA/PW

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B. IN QUANG NGAI PROV (BS698780), EIGHT KM NE OF QUANG NGAI
 CITY, AT 080630H THE 29TH PF PLAT RETURNING FR NIGHT DET POS WAS
 AMBUSHED BY EST EN PLAT FIRING SA/AW. SA FIRE WAS RETURNED. RES:

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 FRD - FIVE KIA, TWO WIA, TWO MIA, 11 1/WPNS LOST: EN - FOUR KIA.
 C. ALL OTHER OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPORTED.
 D. CUM RES: OP CUMBERLAND - NO CHANGE.

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	CROCKETT	BUFFALO	CHOCTAW	LAKE	MALHEUR II
	US	US	US	US	US
KIA	52	142	18	0	23
WIA	254	688	151	0	198
MIA	0	5	0	0	0
AIR SORTIES	1133	381	275	0	363
NGF	0	206	0	1	30
ARC LIGHT	207	9	9	0	0
		ENEMY			
KIA	197	874	157	4	275
DET	5	11	129	0	268
RET	0	0	1	0	0
IND/WPNS	23	39	33	6	88
C/S WPNS	3	10	1	0	5
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2. (C) II CTZ.

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A. IN NINH THUA PROV (BN772862), THREE KM E OF PHAN RANG, AT 082400H THE POL PIPELINE EXTENDING FR THE BEACH TO THE AIR BASE AT PHAN RANG EXPLODED DESTROYING 260 FEET OF PIPE. NO POL WAS BEING PUMPED THROUGH PIPELINE AT TIME OF EXPLOSION. NO CASUALTIES. FIRE WAS EXTINGUISHED AT 090100H. EST TIME OF COMPLETION OF REPAIRS IS 091700H.

B. ALL OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPORTED.

C. CUM RES:

	FRIENDLY			
	FRANCIS MARION	BYRD	PERSHING	GREELEY
	US	US	US	US
KIA	116	16	384	89
WIA	581	202	1655	61
MIA	1	0	0	0
AIR SORTIES	2715	882	3649	362
NGF	0	56	1868	0
ARC LIGHT	207	9	144	75
	ENEMY			
KIA	719	629	2474	145
DET	647	792	8330	10

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IND/LPNS	191	216	607	82
C/S WPNS	29	5	46	14

3. (C) III CTZ:

A. ALL OPS CONTINUE W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPORTED.

B. CUM RES:

	FRIENDLY		
	FAIRFAX	ENTERPRISE	CORONADO
	US/ARVN	US	US
KIA	86/39	145	29
WIA	516/144	571	119
MIA	0/1	0	0
AIR SORTIES	1087	601	0
NGF	N/A	N/A	N/A
ARC LIGHT	6	0	0
	ENEMY		
KIA	851/127	1076	318
DET	1921/427	76	290
RET	37/0	28	7
IND/WPNS	235/110	144	15

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4. (C) IV CTZ:

A. IN CHAU DOC PROV (WS383830), 25 KM E OF CHAU PHU, AT 082305H JUL A FIRE PARTIALLY DEST A VILLAGE IN TAN CHAU DIST. FIRE WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN CAUSED WHEN A LANTERN WAS ACCIDENTALLY TIPPED OVER. 5TH ARVN DIV PROVIDING COMMODITY SPT AND INVESTIGATING INCIDENT. RES: ONE CIV KILLED, FOUR CIV SLIGHTLY BURNED, 75 HOUSES DEST, 11 HOUSES DAM. 20,000,000 SVN DAMAGE.

B. ALL OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPORTED.

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CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 42 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (15 TPG) SORTIES,
WHICH EXPENDED 154 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS 18 BUNKERS, 1 ANTI-
AIRCRAFT POSITION, AND 1 AUTOMATIC WEAPON DESTROYED; 3 TRENCHES,
4 BUNKERS AND 1 CAVE DAMAGED; 13 SECONDARY FIRES; AND 9 SECONDARY
EXPLOSIONS. HELICOPTERS FROM MAG-16 FLEW 112 SORTIES TRANS-
PORTING 32 PERSONNEL AND 10 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS
FIRED 357 MISSIONS AND 3524 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF
INFANTRY OPERATIONS. NAVAL GUNFIRE SUPPORTED THE OPERATION
WITH 24 MISSIONS EXPENDING 27 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
13/118 KIA	153/438 KIA (CONF)
76/514 KIA	91/129 KIA (PROB)
	0/1 NVA/PW

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0/1 VC/PW

0/8 DETAINEES

0/21 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS
(FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED
SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH
LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1432H,
BATTERY G, THIRTEENTH MARINES REPORTED FOUR MARINES WOUNDED BY A
GRENADE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING
AIRCRAFT FROM VFA-314 AND VFA(AW)-232 FLEW 3 SORTIES CONSISTING
OF 2 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 1 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIE, WHICH
EXPENDED 55 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 258 MISSIONS
AND 720 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.
OF THIS TOTAL THE 175MM GUNS FIRED 8 MISSIONS EXPENDING 16
ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/52 KIA	0/107 KIA (CONF)

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4/25 WIA

0/386 KIA (PROB)

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0/1 NVA/PW
 0/1 VC/PW
 0/3 DETAINEES
 0/26 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH NO SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. RECON TEAMS ACCOUNTED FOR 2 ENEMY KIA (CONF) AND 4 KIA (PROB) DURING THE PERIOD.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMF(AW-232 FLEW 1 TPO SORTIE, WHICH EXPENDED 1.5 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 170 MISSIONS AND 341 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/18 KIA	2/156 KIA (CONF)
0/146 WIA	4/276 KIA (PROB)
	0/4 NVA/PW
	0/11 VC/PW

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0/104 DETAINEES
 0/2 RETURNEES
 0/84 INNOCENT CIVILIANS (ADJUSTED)
 0/34 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION CUMBERLAND (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES, WITH (COMPANY A, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUE CLEARING OPERATIONS AND PROVIDING SECURITY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF ROUTE 547 IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH NO SIGNIFICANT CONTACT. ON 7 JULY COMPANIES B, C, AND D DEPARTED FROM THE OPERATION.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CUMBERLAND HELICOPTERS FROM CMAG-16 FLEW 6 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 50 PERSONNEL. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 63 MISSIONS AND 181 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0 KIA	0/1 KIA (CONF) (ADJUSTED)
0/25 WIA.	0/6 KIA (PROB) (ADJUSTED)
	0/1 VC/PW (ADJUSTED)
	0/11 DETAINEES (ADJUSTED)
	0/10 INNOCENT CIVILIANS (ADJUSTED)

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1. (C) I CTZ.

A. IN QUANG TRI PROV (YD247594) AT DONG HA AT 100200H THE
 DONG HA AIRFIELD RECD 18-20 ARTY OR RKT RDS OF UNK CAL. SLIGHT DAM TO
 FIELD REPAIRED AND OPEN TO TRAFFIC. RES: FRD: 12 WIA (ONE EVAC).

B. ALL OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.

C. CUM RES: OPS CUMBERLAND AND LAKE - NO CHANGE.

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	CROCKET	BUFFALO	CHOCTAW	MALHEUR II
	US	US	US	US
KIA	52	156	18	23
WIA	254	840	153	204
MIA	0	5	0	0
AIR SORTIES	1133	474	278	373
NGF	0	244	0	30
ARC LIGHT	207	9	9	0
		ENEMY		
KIA	198	1046	160	277
DET	5	11	132	821
RET	0	0	1	0
IND/ WPNS	23	42	33	89
C/S WPNS	3	10	1	5
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1. (C) I CTZ.

A. OP BUFFALO: IN QUANG TRI PROVINCE (YD070636) EIGHT KM SW
 OF CON THIEN AT 101755H A MARINE FR K/3/4 USMC TRIPPED UNK TYPE EXPLO-
 SIVE DEVICE RES IN TEN USMC WIA (SEVEN EVAC).

B. OP MALHEUR II: IN QUANG NGAI PROVINCE (BS600505) 25 KM
 NW OF DAC PHO AT 102050H RECON 2/502 ABN INF USA ENGAGED UNK NO EN.

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 RECD MORT AND AW FIRES. RTND SA/AW FIRE. AC-47, UH-1D, ARTY AND
 ASTKES SPT. CONTACT CONT AS OF 110700H. INITIAL RES: FRD: TWO KIA,
 18 WIA; EN: UNK.

C. ALL OTHER OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.

D. CUM RES: OP MALHEUR II - NO CHANGE:

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	CROCKETT	BUFFALO	FREMONT	MALHEUR II
	US	US	US	US
KIA	52	159	0	23
WIA	254	866	1	204
MIA	0	81	0	0
AIR SORTIES	1137	555	0	379
NGF	0	286	0	30
ARC LIGHT	207	9	0	0
		ENEMY		
KIA	200	1093	0	284
DET	5	11	0	27
RET	0	0	0	0
IND/WPNS	23	838	0	89
C/S WPNS	3	814	0	5

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AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-542, VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMA-211, VMA-223, VMA-311, VVF(AW)-232, VMF(AW)-235, AND VMA(AW)-533 FLEW 81 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 26 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 55 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (14 TPO) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 168 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS 12 KBA (CONF) 18 KBA (PROB), 11 BUNKERS DESTROYED AND 1 BUNKER DAMAGED. HELICOPTERS FROM MAG-16 FLEW 54 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 24 PERSONNEL AND 0.1 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 949 MISSIONS AND 4666 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. THE 175MM GUNS SUPPORTED THE OPERATION BY FIRING 11 OF THESE MISSIONS EXPENDING 20 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION. NAVAL GUNFIRE SUPPORTED THE OPERATION BY FIRING 86 MISSIONS AND EXPENDING 132 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/156 KIA (ADJUSTED)

17/848 WIA (ADJUSTED)

0/1 MIA (ADJUSTED)

ENEMY

71/1093 KIA (CONF)

39/499 KIA (PROB) (ADJUSTED)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

0/9 DETAINEES

3/52 WEAPONS CAPTURED

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(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALIONS TWENTY SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AN AO DIRECTED THREE SEPARATE AIR STRIKES ON BUNKERS AND NVA SOLDIERS IN THE GENERAL VICINITY OF XD 728467. AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-314 CONDUCTED THE AIR STRIKES, ACCOUNTING FOR 2 NVA KIA (CONF), 5 NVA KIA (PROB), 5 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 1 BUNKER DAMAGED, AND 5 SECONDARY FIRES.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-314 FLEW 4 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 60 TONS OF ORDNANCE. REPORTED BDA WAS 2 KBA (CONF), 5 KBA (PROB), 6 BUNKERS DESTROYED AND 7 BUNKERS DAMAGED. 5 SECONDARY FIRES WERE ALSO OBSERVED. HELICOPTERS FROM MAG-16 FLEW 21 SORTIES LIFTING 0.6 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 292 MISSIONS AND 783 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

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2/199 KIA (CONF)

5/391 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

0/3 DETAINEES

0/26 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CHOCTAW (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1245H, A PATROL FROM COMPANY F, SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES, ENGAGED THREE VC (YD 607283). DURING THE ACTION A MARINE DETONATED AN EXPLOSIVE DEVICE RESULTING IN 2 USMC KIA. IN TWO SMALL AND UNRELATED CONTACTS

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2 VC WERE KIA (CONF) AND 3 DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CHOCTAW HELICOPTERS FROM MAG-16 FLEW 35 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 30 PERSONNEL. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 145 MISSIONS AND 426 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0713 KIA

07153 WIA

ENEMY

3/160 KIA (CONF) (ADJ)

2/237 KIA (PROB) (ADJ)

0/4 NVA/PW

0/11 VC/PW

3/117 DETAINEES

0/2 RETURNEES

0/84 INNOCENT CIVILIANS

0/54 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION CUMBERLAND (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES, WITH COMPANY A, FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES CONTINUED CLEARING OPERATIONS AND PROVIDING SECURITY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF ROUTE 547 IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH NEGATIVE CONTACT.

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1. (C) I CTZ:

- A. ALL OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPORTED.
 B. CUM RES: OP FREMONT - NO CHANGE.

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KIA	52	159	0	26
WIA	254	873	25	230
MIA	0	1	0	0
AIR SORTIES	1151	670	0	396
NGF	0	313	1	30
ARC LIGHT	207	9	0	0
		ENEMY		
KIA	200	1100	6	295
DET	5	11	0	27
RET	0	0	0	0
IND/WPNS	23	84	6	94
C/S WPNS	3	15	0	5

2. (C) II CTZ.

A. IN PHU YEN PROVINCE (CQ200428) FIVE KM SSE OF TUY HOA
 AT 120120H THERE WAS AN EXPLOSION AND FIRE IN THE POL DRUM YARD IN
 THE VICINITY OF TUY HOA. CAUSE OF THE EXPLOSION UNDETERMINED. FIRE
 IS UNDER CONTROL AND THERE WERE NO PERSONNEL INJURIES. DAMAGE:
 38,000 GAL OF MOGAS LOST. SIX COLLAPSABLE TANKS, ONE PUMP, ONE
 FILTER SEPARATOR AND 100 FT OF MISCELLANEOUS HOSES DESTROYED. LOSS
 REPRESENTS TEN PERCENT OF STOCK THIS STORAGE AREA & WILL NOT INTER-

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B. ALL OPS CONT W/O SINGIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.

C. CUM RES:

	FRANCIS MARION US	BYRD US	FRIENDLY PERSHING US	GREELEY US	HONG KIL DONG ROK
KIA	115	16	386	119	4
WIA	583	202	1654	121	7
MIA	1	0	0	0	0
AIR SORTIES	2793	886	3713	403	45
NGF	0	56	1960	0	0
ARC LIGHT	207	9	144	75	18
			ENEMY		
KIA	723	629	2481	152	12
DET	674	792	8358	10	33
RET	8	13	157	0	0
IND/WPNS	193	216	614	84	4
C/S WPNS	29	5	46	15	1

3. (C) III CTZ.

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A. ALL OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.

B. CUM RES:

	FAIRFAX US/ARVN	ENTERPRISE US	FRIENDLY CORONADO US	PADDINGTON US
KIA	88/39	145	31	2
WIA	525/150	576	154	9
MIA	0/2	0	0	0
AIR SORTIES	1108	621	40	122
NGF	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
ARC LIGHT	0	0	0	0
			ENEMY	
KIA	857/127	1077	344	24
DET	1931/427	130	466	6
RET	37/0	31	7	0
IND/WPNS	235/110	145	17	4
C/S WPNS	0/3	7	2	0

4. (U) IV CTZ.

ALL OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.

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15 TONS OF CARGO. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 571 MISSIONS AND 2432 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. THE 175MM GUNS SUPPORTED THE OPERATION BY FIRING 10 OF THESE MISSIONS AND EXPENDING 80 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION. NAVAL GUNFIRE SUPPORTED THE OPERATION BY FIRING 57 MISSIONS EXPENDING 68 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/159 KIA	1/1100 KIA (CONF)
2/873 WIA	2/501 KIA (PROB)
0/1 MIA	0/1 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/9 DETAINEES
	0/100 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION ~~CROCKETT~~ (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 1045H, AN

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OBSERVATION HELICOPTER RECEIVED GROUND FIRE (XD 870428). AN ARTILLERY MISSION WAS CALLED. ONE SECONDARY FIRE WAS OBSERVED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMA-223 AND VMF(AW)-232 FLEW 6 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 2 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 9 TONS OF ORDNANCE. HELICOPTERS FROM MAG-16 FLEW 27 SORTIES TRANSPORTING 10 PERSONNEL. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 260 MISSIONS AND 748 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/52 KIA	0/200 KIA (CONF)
0/254 WIA	0/396 KIA (PROB)
	0/1 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/3 DETAINEES
	0/26 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION FREMONT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION

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NAVAL GUNFIRE SUPPORTED THE OPERATION BY FIRING 2 MISSIONS
AND EXPENDING 40 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/159 KIA	1/1101 KIA (CONF)
11/844 WIA	7/508 KIA (PROB)
0/1 MIA	0/1 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/9 DETAINEE
	0/99 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY
BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY SIXTH MARINES)
CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI
PROVINCE WITH NO SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING

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AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-314 AND VMF(AW)-232 FLEW 4 SORTIES CON-
SISTING OF 2 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 2 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SOR-
TIES, WHICH EXPENDED 5 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS
FIRED 189 MISSIONS AND 681 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF
INFANTRY OPERATIONS. THE 175MM GUNS SUPPORTED THE OPERATION
BY FIRING 11 OF THESE MISSIONS EXPENDING 11 ROUNDS OF AMMUNI-
TION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/52 KIA	0/200 KIA (CONF)
0/254 WIA	0/396 KIA (PROB)
	0/1 NVA/PW
	0/1 VC/PW
	0/3 DETAINEES
	0/26 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION FREMONT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION
(SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND
DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT

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(A) AN ADDITIONAL 187 ENEMY KILLED (CONF) AND ONE
CHIEF SERVED WEAPON WAS CAPTURED AS THE RESULT OF RECONCILIATION
OF SUBORDINATE UNIT REPORTS.

(B) FINAL RESULTS:

USMC

159 KIA

345 WIA

1 MIA

ENEMY

1290 KIA (CONF)

513 KIA (PROB)

12 DETAINEES

1 PW/VC

1 PW/NVA

100 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BAT-
TALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES)

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CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI
PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0800H,
COMPANY K (XD 801410) FOUND ONE NVA KILLED (CONF).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING
AIRCRAFT FROM VMA-211, VMA-311, VMF(AW)-232, AND VMF(AW)-235
FLEW 12 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 2 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 10
DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 13.1 TONS OF ORDNANCE.
THE REPORTED BDA WAS FOUR BUNKERS DESTROYED AND TWO BUNKERS
WERE DAMAGED. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 244 MISSIONS AND 828 ROUNDS
OF AMMUNITION OF SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/52 KIA

0/255 WIA (ADJUSTED) 0/402 KIA (PROB)

ENEMY

1/202 KIA (CONF)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

0/3 DETAINEES

0/26 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION FREMONT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION

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1. (C) I CTZ:
 - A. OP HICKORY II:
 - (1) REF PARA 1B, MY MSG 152230Z JULY 67. UPDATE: CHANGE CAS TO READ: FRD: ONE KIA, 54 WIA (34 EVAC); EN: 48 KIA, 15 IW/WPNS AND ONE C/S WPN CPTD.
 - (2) OP TERM 161600H JULY 67. CUM RES: FRD: FOUR KIA

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 99 WIA; EN: 57 KIA, 17 I/WPNS AND TWO C/S WPNS CPTD. 181 TAS FLOWN AND 42 NGF MSNS SUPPORTED.

B. REF PARA 1D, MY MSG 160942Z JULY 67. UPDATE:
 CARGO INVENTORY OF CAPTURED TRAWLER: 394,560 RDS 7.62MM INCEN-
 DIARY, 311,520 RDS 7.62MM BALL, 1960 ANTI-PERSONNEL MINES, 1734
 HAND GRENADES, 5750 RDS 12.7MM AMMO, 43 RDS B-40 AMMO, 996 RDS
 82MM MORTAR, 6,880 LBS C-4 PLASTIC EXPLOSIVES, 3,102 LBS TNT,
 922 NON-ELECTRIC DETONATORS, 444 ELECTRIC DETONATORS, ASSORTED
 DRUM MAGAZINES, RADIO BATTERIES, DETONATOR CORDS AND 2,046 LBS
 TNT IN SHIP DESTRUCT SYSTEM

C. OP CROCKETT: IN QUANG TRI (XD782520), 12 KM
 NNM OF XHE SANH, AT 162400H JULY OP TERM. FINAL CUM RES: FRD:
 52 KIA, 255 WIA; EN: 226 KIA, FIVE DET, 25 I/WPNS (ADJ), AND
 ONE C/S WPNS CPTD. 1196 TAS AND 207 B-52 SORTIES WERE FLOWN IN
 SUPPORT.

D. IN QUANG NAM PROV (BT101453), 13 KM SW OF HOI AN
 AT 161420H A PLAT CBT PTL FROM A/3/5 USMC RECD SA FIRE FROM UNK
 NO EN. ONE RD OF FRD ARTY FIRE SUPPORT IMPACED OFF TGT. RES:
 FRD: ONE KIA (USN), ONE WIA (USMC). INVESTIGATION UNDERWAY.

E. ALL OTHER OPS CONT W/O SIGNIFICANT CONTACT REPTD.

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FIRING FIFTY MISSIONS AND EXPENDING 63 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

2/2 KIA

3/3 WEAPONS CAPTURED

22/22 WIA

(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 2300H, AN AIR OBSERVER CALLED AN AIR STRIKE FROM VMFA-314 ON AN ENEMY HARBOR SITE (XD 919344) RESULTING IN ONE ENEMY KILLED (CONF) AND UNCOVERING SIX BUNKERS. ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION WAS OBSERVED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT FROM VMFA-314, AND VMF(AW)-232 FLEW 6 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 4 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 2 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 6.8 TONS OF ORDNANCE. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 302 MISSIONS AND 1469 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. 175MM GUNS FIRED 12 MISSIONS EXPENDING

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12 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/52 KIA

1/201 KIA (CONF)

0/254 WIA

6/402 KIA (PROB)

0/1 MVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

0/3 DETAINEES

0/23 WEAPONS CAPTURED

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(4) OPERATION FREMONT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. (LATE ENTRY) AT 131515H, AN ARTILLERY MISSION WAS CALLED ON AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC (YD 568283) RESULTING IN FOUR VC KILLED (PROB). AT 141200H, A COMPANY F PATROL FOUND ONE VC KILLED (CONF) BY SMALL ARMS FIRE (YD 373444). DURING THE PERIOD, TWO MINE INCIDENTS RESULTED IN ONE MARINE KIA (YD 548284) AND ONE MARINE WIA (YD 362447). FOUR DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED DURING THE PERIOD.

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(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION FREMONT, FIXED WING

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SUPPORT (43 VISUAL AND 15 TPG) SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 151 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA WAS 22 KBA (CONF) 19 KBA (PROB), 15 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 10 STRUCTURES DAMAGED, 30 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 10 BUNKERS DAMAGED, 3 GUN POSITIONS DESTROYED, 1 AW POSITION DESTROYED, 5 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS, 3 SECONDARY FIRES AND FOUR TRENCHES WERE DAMAGED. HELICOPTERS FROM MAG-16 FLEW 47 SORTIES. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 489 MISSIONS AND 1858 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF INFANTRY OPERATIONS. 175MM GUNS FIRED 14 MISSIONS AND EXPENDED 27 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION. NAVAL GUNFIRE SUPPORTED THE OPERATION WITH 15 MISSIONS AND 40 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
1/4 KIA	56/57 KIA (CONF)
55/99 WIA	23/23 KIA (PROB)
	16/19 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(2) OPERATION KINGFISHER (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

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(A) AT 161601H, THE THIRD MARINE DIVISION WITH EIGHT INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD BATTALION, THIRD MARINES; FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD BATTALION NINTH MARINES; FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) COMMENCED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN NORTHERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH NEGATIVE CONTACT FOR THE PERIOD. THE AREA OF OPERATION IS THE SAME AS OPERATION HICKORY II.

(3) OPERATION CROCKETT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) AT 162400H, THE TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS (FIRST AND THIRD BATTALION, TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES) TERMINATED SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD

AT 1340H, AN AIR STRIKE FROM MAG-12 AND ARTILLERY WAS CALLED IN BY A RECON PATROL (XD 743440). FOUR ENEMY WERE KILLED (CONF), THREE BUNKERS WERE DAMAGED AND ONE SECONDARY FIRE RESULTED FROM THE ABOVE MISSION. ANOTHER AIR STRIKE FROM VMA-311 WAS CALLED IN THE VICINITY OF (XD 747443) THAT RESULTED IN NINE VNA KILLED (PROB). AN AO CALLED IN AN ARTILLERY MISSION ON AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ENEMY (XD 747443). SIX ENEMY WERE KILLED (PROB).

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION CROCKETT, FIXED WING

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 AIRCRAFT FROM VMA-211, VMA-223, VMA-311, VMF(AW)-232, VMF(AW)-235,
 VMA(AW)-533, AND VMA(AW)-242 FLEW 28 SORTIES CONSISTING OF 12
 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND 16 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT (8 VISUAL AND 8 TPQ)
 SORTIES, WHICH EXPENDED 44 TONS OF ORDNANCE. THE REPORTED BDA
 WAS 4 KBA (CONF), 9 KBA (PROB), 1 BRIDGE DESTROYED, 1 BRIDGE
 DAMAGED AND ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION. ARTILLERY UNITS FIRED 275
 MISSIONS AND 664 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT INFANTRY
 OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/52 KIA

0/255 WIA

ENEMY

4/206 KIA (CONF)

15/417 KIA (PROB)

0/1 NVA/PW

0/1 VC/PW

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0/3 DETAINEES

0/26 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(4) OPERATION FREMONT (THIRD MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FOURTH MARINES WITH TWO INFANTRY BATTALION
 (FIRST AND SECOND BATTALION, FOURTH MARINES) CONTINUED SEARCH
 AND DESTROY OPERATIONS IN THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT
 REPORTED FOR THE PERIOD. AT 0415H, THE HAI LANG VILLAGE RECEIVED
 APPROXIMATELY 50 ROUNDS OF 82MM FIRE. ONE MARINE WAS WIA. AT
 1500H, ONE VC WAS KILLED (CONF) AND ONE VC WAS KILLED (PROB)
 BY COMPANY F (YD 607268). ONE DETAINEE WAS APPREHENDED AND ONE
 AK-47, ONE CHICOM RIFLE, GRENADES, AMMO AND ASSORTED DOCUMENTS WERE
 CAPTURED. DURING THE PERIOD ONE OTHER WEAPON WAS CAPTURED AND ONE
 DETAINEE WAS APPREHENDED. AT 1930H, THE FIRST BATTALION, FOURTH
 MARINES (-) ENTERED OPERATION FREMONT.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION FREMONT, ARTILLERY UNITS
 FIRED 156 MISSIONS AND 201 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION IN SUPPORT OF
 INFANTRY OPERATIONS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/1 KIA

ENEMY

1/26 KIA (CONF)

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