

HEADQUARTERS
Marine Wing Support Group 17
1st Marine Aircraft Wing, FMF, Pacific
FPO San Francisco 96602

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From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding General, 1st Marine Aircraft Wing (Attn: G-3)

Subj: Command Chronology (U)

Ref: (a) MCO 5720.2A
(b) WgO 5720.1C (Report Symbol 1st MAW 5750-1)

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1. In compliance with reference (a) and (b), enclosures (1) through (5) are submitted for the period 1 through 31 December 1967.
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1st Marine Aircraft Wing, FMF, Pacific
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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

Unit Location - Danang Air Base, RVN (1-31 December 1967)
Reporting Period - 1 through 31 December 1967

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PART ONE - Organizational Data

1. (U) Listing of Commanders and Staffs

a. Marine Wing Support Group 17

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>T/O BILLET ASSIGNMENT</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>
Col	John E. HANSEN	Commanding Officer	1-31 Dec 67
LtCol	James L. LILLIE Jr.	Executive Officer	1-31 Dec 67
1stLt	Robert E. SPIKER	S-1	1-31 Dec 67
LtCol	Robert E. MILLER	S-3	1-31 Dec 67
LtCol	Robert L. GOVER	S-4	1-31 Dec 67
2ndLt	Billie R. NEWMAN	Adjutant	1-31 Dec 67
SgtMaj	Keith B. FOX	Sergeant Major	1-31 Dec 67
LCdr	Richard E. DWYER	Chaplain	1-31 Dec 67
Lt USN	John J. FINN	Senior Medical Officer	1-31 Dec 67
Lt USN	Leon C. HODGES	Medical Officer	1-31 Dec 67
LtCol	James L. LILLIE Jr.	Civil Affairs Officer	1-31 Dec 67
WO	Samuel H. HOPE	Postal Officer	1-31 Dec 67
Capt	Roger P. PILCHER	Disbursing Officer	1-31 Dec 67
Maj	Charles A. WIMMLER	Fiscal Officer	1-14 Dec 67
1stLt	James R. REICHLER	Fiscal Officer	15-31 Dec 67
LtCol	Daniel B. SMIGAY	Supply Officer	1-31 Dec 67
Capt	Henry R. GENTRY	Data Processing Officer	1-31 Dec 67
Capt	Gordon L. GRAHAM	Security Officer	1-31 Dec 67
2ndLt	Billie R. NEWMAN	Legal Officer	1-31 Dec 67
1stLt	Donald C. LACEY	Exchange Officer	1-31 Dec 67
1stLt	Allen M. SWEENEY	EOD	1-31 Dec 67
Maj	Wilbur W. DINEGAR	Base Services Officer	1-31 Dec 67
Maj	Wilbur W. DINEGAR	Industrial Relations	1-31 Dec 67

b. Headquarters and Maintenance Squadron 17

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>T/O BILLET ASSIGNMENT</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>
LtCol	Eugene V. GOLDSTON	Commanding Officer	1-31 Dec 67
Maj	Paul C. MOGENSEN	Executive Officer	1-11 Dec 67
Maj	Frank E. GRAHAM	Executive Officer	12-31 Dec 67
2ndLt	Donald H. GALVIN	Administrative Officer	1-31 Dec 67
Maj	William P. ARNOLD	Operations Officer	1-31 Dec 67
Maj	Joseph CASTRO	A/C Maintenance Officer	1-10 Dec 67
1stLt	Ted D. HOFFER	A/C Maintenance Officer	10-31 Dec 67
WO	Wenceslao U. AQUINO	Material Officer	1-31 Dec 67

c. Wing Equipment and Repair Squadron 17

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>T/O BILLET ASSIGNMENT</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>
LtCol	John R. HANSFORD	Commanding Officer	1-31 Dec 67

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Maj	Paul B. HUNTER	Executive Officer	1-31 Dec 67
Maj	George H. MILLER	Motor Transport Officer	1-31 Dec 67
2ndLt	Robert O. ATHERTON	Administrative Officer	1-31 Dec 67
WO	David B. DORN	Material Officer	1-31 Dec 67
CWO	Cecil V. WINCHESTER	4th Echelon Repair Officer	1-31 Dec 67
1stLt	Edmond W. REEDER	Motor Transport Maint Officer	1-31 Dec 67
Capt	John C. SMITH	Motor Transport Operations Officer	1-15 Dec 67

d. Headquarters and Maintenance Squadron 17 Det. #1

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>T/O BILLET ASSIGNMENT</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>
MSgt	Clyde E. POWERS	NCO-in-Charge	1-31 Dec 67

2. (C) Task Organization and Unit Location

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>
Marine Wing Support Group 17 Headquarters and Maintenance Squadron 17	Danang AB, RVN	1-31 Dec 67
Wing Equipment and Repair Squadron 17	Danang AB, RVN	1-31 Dec 67
Headquarters and Maintenance Squadron 17 Det. #1	Danang AB, RVN	1-31 Dec 67
	MCAS Iwakuni	1-31 Dec 67

3. (C) Average Strengths

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>OFFICERS</u>	<u>ENLISTED</u>
Marine Wing Support Group 17 Headquarters and Maintenance Squadron 17	57	879
Wing Equipment and Repair Squadron 17	49	651
Headquarters and Maintenance Squadron 17 Det. #1	8	223
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4. (U) Important Visitors:

None

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PART TWO - Narrative Summary

- (U) 1 December 1967, 2310 MWSG-17 EOD assisted in the crash of an Air Force F-4C.
- (U) 3 December 1967, MWSG-17 EOD inspected a Vietnamese theater in Danang for possible explosive devices.
- (U) 4 December 1967, 1410 MWSG-17 EOD removed 2-750 lb bombs and one sidewinder from wreckage of Marine F-4B on runway 17R. After the ordnance was removed the MWSG-17 Fire Department assisted in extinguishing the fire.
- (U) 7 December 1967, CWO Vismont, (MWSG-17 EOD), went to Dong Hoa at the request of FMAW G-4 to investigate a bombing accident.
- (U) 11 December 1967, 1930 MWSG-17 EOD searched the Bamboo Restaurant in Danang at the request of Armed Forces Police.
- (U) 17 December 1967, CHAFCAP held a Christmas party for 50 children from the Refugee Center at the Golden Gate USO.
- (U) 18 December 1967, MWSG-17 EOD assisted in searching the Freedom Hill Theater prior to the Bob Hope Show.
- 18 December 1967, Dispatched a D-4 Tractor in support of CAP "B-1" at Du 'o' ng Lam accompanied by one squad from security.
- (U) 19 December 1967, Civic Action donated 600 gallons of milk, 2 cases of apples, 2 cases of spam and 2 cases of kool aid to Father Nguyen Xuan Van at Phuoc Thanh Hamlet.
- (U) 20 December 1967, Set Condition I A at 2330. Secured at 0400, 21 December.
- (U) 25 December 1967, The MWSG-17 Fire Department was first on the scene of a RF4C crash on the South end of runway 35L.
- (U) 25 December 1967, Civic Action arranged a party for 50 children from Tin Lanh Church at the USO. Also held a Christmas Concert at the Tin Lanh Church.

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PART THREE - Significant Events

1. Personnel. (C) H&MS-17 maintained a C-1 status and WERS-17 went to a C-2 status.

2. Awards.

Good Conduct Medals - 2

Meritorious Masts - 5

Air Medals:

1st Award - 1

2nd Award - 1

3rd Award - 1

13th Award - 1

3. Civic Action.

a. Four MEDCAPS were conducted at Ap Bo Tay treating 315 people. An additional 8 people were treated at the MWSG-17 Dispensary.

b. 227 hours of English instruction were given to 1,112 people at; the Danang Baptist Mission, Danang Police Station, Duy Tan Hospital, Catholic School, and Danang Cultural Center.

c. 223 men performed 263 hours of work in support of CHAFCAP.

d. Four (4) deliveries of material, food, and clothing were made.

4. Morale and Welfare Programs.

a. Fifty nine (59) personnel were authorized 30 days special leave to CONUS and 58 personnel participated in the R&R program.

b. The Chaplain delivered 7 Moral Guidance Lectures to 71 personnel, counselled 26 men, and gave 2 indoctrination lectures to 75 men.

c. I.S.O. sent out 107 Home Town News releases.

CONFIDENTIAL5. Intelligence. (U) S-2 completed the following:

Clearances Requested:

Top Secret	2
Secret	2
Confidential	2

Clearances Returned:

Top Secret	0
Secret	0
Confidential	2

Briefings Conducted:

Staff Officers	13
Flight Line Briefs	3

6. Training. (U) 7 Persons attended the following schools:

NCO Leadership	1
Inftry. Wpns. Repair	1
Flt. Physiological	2
KY 28 Limited Maint. Course	1
MACV'S Staff EOD Officers Orientation Course	2

The following additional training was conducted within the Group:

	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Attending</u>
Religion in Viet Nam	3	117
Fire Fighting Techniques and Equipment Procedures	9	156
Radio, Wire, and Message Center Cross Training (OJT)	72	9
Medical, First Aid, and Health GMST	7.5 470	152 392
EOD Procedures and Explosives Lectures	32	7
Supply Procedures	4	150

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7. Data Processing.

a. (U) Computer meter readings indicate a usage of 217 hours for the month of December.

b. Four more card punch machines were installed and three more machines were decentralized to Phu Bai, MAG-16 and the Wing Comptroller.

c. This section will train card punch personnel from CEO for the "Autodin" program.

d. MAG-12 Supply will become mechanized. A programmer, computer operator and card punch machines will be made available for this purpose to MAG-12.

e. A Systems Study was conducted and programming initiated to convert FLC 1401 card Personnel Programs to 1401/1311 disk programs in order to implement the processing of all 1stMAW Personnel Reports during the month of January 1968. The card programs were converted to disk to provide a more efficient and timely personnel reporting system to the 1stMAW.

8. Postal. (U) During the month of December, Money Order Business in the amount of \$1,191,875.21 was conducted with 22,439 Money Orders being issued. Stamp sales totaled \$40,469.00 for this same period. There was a total of 679,482 pounds of Mail received for 1st Marine Aircraft Wing elements and 357,653 pounds dispatched.

9. Communications. (U) The message volume is as follows:

<u>Type</u>	<u>In</u>	<u>Out</u>
Unclassified	1,972	513
Classified	358	1
Total	2,330	514
Service	52	62

10. Supply. (U)

Supply Effectiveness

Navy Gross	43.2%	Marine Corps Gross	91%
Navy Net	61.3%	Marine Corps Net	93%

Excesses Released

Navy APA	NONE
Navy NSA	NONE
Marine Corps ASA	\$293.00
Marine Corps SFA	NONE

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11. (U) 1st Marine Aircraft Wing Helicopter Staging Activities

<u>ACFT TYPE</u>	<u>OUTGOING RECEIVED FROM OPERATING ACTY</u>		<u>INCOMING TRANSFERRED TO OPERATING ACTY</u>	
		<u>FAWPRA</u>		<u>FAWPRA</u>
H1	1	1	1	2
H34	11	1	0	8
H46	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	12	2	1	10

12. In Country Calibration Complex (IC³).

a. During the period 1-31 December 1967 ICE CUBE processed 1208 pieces of support equipment. 30% required calibration, 43% were repaired and calibrated and 27% were carried forward/awaiting parts or passed to other laboratories out of country.

b. Personnel TAD to MAG-36 returned 15 December 1967. The report from MAG-36 indicates that the phase in of the qualification package was successful and that future qualification packages should be handled in the same manner.

c. Spectrometer arrived for the Oil Analysis Program, utilities section built a temporary addition on the present van and connected power to the project. A message was sent to NAVAIRSYSCOM HQ requesting a technical representative be sent to check, align and calibrate spectrometer. MWSG-17 will be the first Group scheduled into the Oil Analysis Program in mid January 1968.

13. Industrial Relations.

Vietnamese Employees by Pay Catagory

Appropriated Fund Employees - 17

Personal Fund Employees (Houseboys, etc) - 88

Club Employees - 19

Barber shop and exchange - 7

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- ✓13. **COMMUNICATIONS** " "

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 Marine Wing Support Group 17
 1st Marine Aircraft Wing, FMF, Pacific
 FPO San Francisco 96602

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 5750
 1 January 1968

From: Logistics Officer
 To: S-3 Officer
 Subj: Command Chronology Report
 Ref: (a) GruO 5750.1D

1. IAW reference (a) the following report is submitted.

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>T/O BILLET ASSIGNMENT</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATE</u>
LT.COL.	GOVER, ROBERT L.	LOGISTICS OFFICER	1-31 DEC. 67
MAJ.	DINEGAR, WILBUR W.	BASE SERVICES OFFICER	1-31 DEC. 67
MAJ.	COX, GEORGE F.	EMBARKATION OFFICER	1-31 DEC. 67
S/SGT.	KAHL, HOWARD R.	LOGISTICS CHIEF	1-31 DEC. 67

2. N/A

3. Average Strength

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>OFFICER</u>	<u>ENLISTED</u>
HEADQUARTERS AND MAINTENANCE SQUADRON 17	3	6

4. Important Visitors. N/A

PART II

PART III

1. Logistics.

- 3 December 1967 - Transferred Generator, PU-482, Serial Number 304291, to MATCU, 62 Det., Khe Sanh.
- 8 December 1967 - Transferred (2) Truck Tractors, M-52 to MAG-13, Chu Lai, Serial Numbers 96-17390 & 96-20289.
- 18 December 1967 - Dispatched a D-4 Tractor in support of C.A.P. "B-1" at Du'o'ng Lam with one squad of security.
- 18 December 1967 - MMSG-17 began Check-in control over 9,400 cubic meters of rock under 1st MAW contract.

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2. Construction.

- 5 December 1967 - Public Works began laying cement deck in Command Bunker.
- 6 December 1967 - Public Works completed cement deck in Command Bunker.
- 7 December 1967 - Public Works completed installation of skirts on DPI building.
- 12 December 1967 - Public Works completed roof over Inflatable Shelter at DPI.
- 15 December 1967 - Public Works started construction on HEMS-17 Materiel office.
- 16 December 1967 - Public Works started construction on C&I Shop at 4th Echelon.
- 18 December 1967 - Public Works started construction on leech field at Messhall.
- 24 December 1967 - Public Works started construction on Water Tower at MWSG-17 well.
- 26 December 1967 - Public Works started construction on new Utilities Shops.


R. L. GOVER

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From: Group Medical Officer
 To: S-3, Marine Wing Support Group 17
 Subj: Command Chronology Report
 Ref: (a) GruO 5750.1D
 Encl: ✓(1) In-service Training Report

1. In compliance with reference (a), the following information for the month of December 1967 is submitted.

a. The following enlisted personnel reported on board for duty on the date indicated.

(1) DAVIS, Ivan G., HM1, 958 70 92/8406, USN, on 6 DEC 1967.

(2) LEWIS, Joe S., HM2, 661 70 41/8462, USN, on 18 DEC 1967.

(3) ANDERSON, Gary L., HM3, 919 69 02/8412, USN, on 29 DEC 1967.

b. Medical Civic Action Program was conducted at Ap Bo Tay. A total of 315 Vietnamese were treated. In addition 8 Vietnamese were seen at the MWSG-17 Dispensary.

c. A total of 952 visits were made to military sick call, 30 flight physicals and 26 other complete physicals were conducted. 268 laboratory test were performed, 106 x-rays were taken, 623 prescriptions were filled and 1202 inoculations were given.

d. A total of 14 cases of Venereal Disease were treated.

e. All in-service training received by this section is included in enclosure (1).


 J. J. FINN, JR.
 LT, MC, USN

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Appendix-5

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT
 Marine Wing Support Group-17
 1st Marine Aircraft Wing, FMF Pacific
 FPO San Francisco 96602

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 30 Dec 67

From: Group Medical Officer
 To: Wing Medical Officer
 Subj: In Service Training; report of; month of December.
 Ref: (a) Medical Newsletter # 10, 15 Oct 1966

1. In accordance with reference (a), the following report is submitted.

DATE-TIME-DURATION	OF LECTURE	SUBJECT	REFERENCE	INSTRUCTOR	ATTEND
6 Dec	1000-1030	Treatment of Strains and Sprains.	HM3&2	HM3 Thalheim	9
6 Dec	1000-1030	Emergency Treatment of Eyes and Ears	HM3&2	HM3 Vanderwall	9
7 Dec	1000-1030	Treatment of Snake Bites	H of HC	HN Southers	5
7 Dec	1000-1030	Laboratory Procedures	H of HC	HM3 Sawma	6
19 Dec	1000-1030	Prevention and Treatment of Immersion Foot	H of HC	HN Coler	10
19 Dec	1000-1030	Proper Suturing Procedures and Material	H of HC	HM3 Johnson	11
19 Dec	1000-1030	MMT Cathartics		HM3 Rodgers	11
22 Dec	1000-1030	Medical Civic Action Forms		HM2 Lemons	8
22 Dec	1000-1030	Bandages and Bandaging	HM3&2	HM3 Schermerhorn	9
27 Dec	1000-1030	Record Office Procedures		HM2 Haimbaugh	9

The Following First Aid Lectures were given:

3 Dec	0930-1030	Gunner School Attend-	5	16 Dec	0900-1000	3rd Ech.	30
17 Dec	0900-1000	MAG-11 Fire Dept.	35	23 Dec	0900-1000	4th Ech	35
24 Dec	0930-1030	Gunner School	6				

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 J.J. FINN JR.

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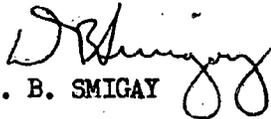
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SUPPLY DEPARTMENT
Marine Wing Support Group 17
1st Marine Aircraft Wing, FMF, Pacific
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5750/5213/6
1 January 1968

From: Group Supply Officer
To: Commanding Officer, Marine Wing Support Group 17
Subj: Command Chronology
Ref: (a) GruO 5750.1C
Encl: ✓(1) Command Chronology Report

1. In compliance with reference (a), enclosure (1) is submitted.


D. B. SMIGAY

Appendix 9

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

PART ONE: Organization Data

1. Key Personnel

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>T/O BILLET ASSIGNMENT</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>
SMIGAY, Daniel B.	LtCol	GSO	1-31 Dec 67
MIKSAD, John R.	Capt	Pur & Contracting Officer	1-31 Dec 67
ROBERTSON, John T.	1st Lt	OIC Supply Response Section	1-31 Dec 67
ROMINE, Donnie L.	1st Lt	GASSC Officer	1-31 Dec 67
PERKINS, Richard M.	1st Lt	Mar Corps Property Officer Unit Property Officer	1-31 Dec 67
ROMEY, Paul K.	1st Lt	P&A Officer, OIC Wing Shipping & Receiving, Wing AIK Imprest Cashier, AIK Custodian	1-31 Dec 67
GRACIA, R. J.	1st Lt	H&MS-17 Material OIC	7-31 Dec 67
REICHLER, James R.	2nd Lt	Fiscal Officer	1-31 Dec 67
BUTLER, Harley A.	WO-1	OIC Warehouse	1-31 Dec 67
DORN, David B.	WO-1	OIC WERS-17 Material	1-31 Dec 67
AQUINO, Wenceslao U.	WO-1	H&MS-17 Material	1-31 Dec 67
METZ, James J.	MSgt	NCOIC, H&MS Detachment	1-31 Dec 67
HEDBERG, Howard W.	MSgt	Group Supply Chief	1-31 Dec 67
WOOD, Kellie R.	MSgt	NCOIC Shipping & Receiving	1-31 Dec 67
CONTRERAS, Richard J.	GySgt	NCOIC GASSC	1-31 Dec 67
HALL, James N.	GySgt	NCOIC Section "M"	1-31 Dec 67
SUTTON, Donald	GySgt	Purchasing & Contracting Chief	1-31 Dec 67
MELLINGER, Paul J.	GySgt	Marine Corps Property Chief	1-31 Dec 67
CARMICHAEL, Fay	GySgt	NCOIC Material/Warehouse Chief	1-31 Dec 67
HOLLINS, J. H.	SSgt	Shipping & Receiving Chief	1-31 Dec 67
GLASS, Alfred M.	SSgt	NCOIC WERS-17 Material	1-31 Dec 67
PEREZ, Genaro A.	SSgt	Asst. NCOIC Typewriter Repair Section	1-31 Dec 67
EVERETT, Thomas N.	SSgt	NCOIC Section "M" 4th Echelon	1-31 Dec 67
DOUTHETT, R. L.	SSgt	Operation NCO, Shipping and Receiving	1-31 Dec 67
DEFRANCESCO, M. S.	SSgt	NCOIC Fourth Echelon Float	1-31 Dec 67
PENTER, James E.	SSgt	Supply Response Section	1-31 Dec 67
SPENCER, Homer	SSgt	NCOIC H&MS-17 Material	1-31 Dec 67
LAFORGE, William	Sgt	Group Fiscal Chief, SAS NCOIC	1-31 Dec 67

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2. Task Organization and Unit Location:

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATE</u>
Group Supply Section	Danang RVN	1-31 Dec 67

3. Average Personnel Strength as of 31 December 1967.

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>OFFICERS</u>	<u>ENLISTED</u>
Group Supply Section (includes both H&MS & WERS - Material)	11	139

4. Personnel

Newly Joined Officers

GARCIA, R. J.	1st Lt	096732/3060	Assigned as
H&MS-17 Material Officer			

Staff Non-Commissioned Officers

DIROSA, V. A.	MSgt	555266/3241	Assigned as
NCOIC Typewriter Repair Section			
SLAYDON, C. F.	SSgt	1402561/3042	Assigned as
Warehouse Chief			
COOK, T. S.	SSgt	1333640/3051	Assigned as
Asst. Operation NCO Shipping & Receiving			

Part II Summary of Events

1. Training—All personnel received four hours training in related jobs and General Military Subjects.
2. Saving Program—We currently have 100% in Saving Program.

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3. Correspondence Courses—80% of the Supply Personnel are enrolled in Correspondence courses related to their work.

4. Supply Effectiveness

	Gross	Net
Navy	43.2	61.3
Marine Corps	91%	93%

5. Excess Program

Navy	APA	Negative Report
Navy	NSA	Negative Report
Marine Corps	ASA	293.00
Marine Corps	SFA	-0-

6. Common Component Status

Engines In	17
Engines Out	29
Cumulative In	146
Others In	23
Others Out	4
Cumulative Others In	257
T.A.T. Engines	120.97
T.A.T. Others	23.06
Oldest Engines	221

7. BER Costs

3rd Echelon BER	46
3rd Echelon Value	1,234.89
4th Echelon BER	15
4th Echelon Value	8,810.60

8. Vehicle Maintenance Cost

3rd Echelon	34,977.73
4th Echelon	158,975.17

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9. Wing Shipping & Receiving Section

Total tonnage handled during the month of December was 7,546,508 lbs. This figure represents an increase in excess of 1 million pounds due to the accelerated handling of rolling stock.

Total tonnage during the past six months was 12,176 short tons.

10. GASSC and Navy Warehouse

Coding card system has been started for the COSAL.

Completed AVCAL run.

Navy Warehouse completely rewarehoused for better utilization of space.

The waterproofing and tactical marking of boxes is being continued to improve our embarkation data.

11. Supply Accounting System

12. During the month of December the following important tasks were completed:

a. Submission of O&MN-11 FY-68-69 Budget

b. Submission of O&MM-11 FY-68-69 Budget

CIVIL AFFAIRS CHRONOLOGY

PART I

1. LtCol J. L. LILLIE Jr.	CAO	1-31 December
1stLt J. E. MILNE	ACAO	1-31 December
SSgt A. D. SPERRY	NCOIC	1-31 December

PART II

1. MEDCAPS were conducted on four Saturday afternoons during the month of December; 12 men, 59 women, and 244 children were treated during the period. Two children's cases, a 13 year old girl with congenital cataracts and a 2 year old boy with congenital heart disease have come to the attention of the group doctor. Arrangements are being made for consultation with specialists at the NSA Hospital. Progress will be recorded in next months Chronology.

2. The CHAPCAP featured the following:

a. 72 hours of English conversation instruction at the Danang Baptist Mission (BT 030777) - 261 adults attended these classes.

b. 23 hours of English conversation instruction at the Danang Police Station (BT 034794) - 88 adults attended these classes.

c. 18 hours of English conversation instruction at Duy Tan Hospital (BT 018767) - 65 adults attended these classes.

d. 10 hours of English conversation instruction at the Father Lay Catholic School (AT 993752) - 410 children attended these classes.

e. New classes were started at the Danang Cultural Center (BT 034778) - 104 hours were taught with 288 adults attending.

f. Movies were shown at the Duy Tan Hospital (BT 018767) - 206 patients attended.

g. Fresh milk, apples, canned meats and other foods were given to the orphanage located on Red Beach (AT953797). Two loads of scrap lumber were also delivered there. It is being used for small repair projects.

h. Arrangements were made to have 50 children from the Tin Lanh Church attend a Christmas party at the Golden Gate USO Danang A.B.

i. 150 children from the Protestant Refugee Center at Red Beach were given a Christmas party. 8 boxes of toys, clothing, foods were distributed.

j. 2 boxes of clothing, 1 box of soap, 3 boxes of miscellaneous medical supplies (all donated from individuals in CONUS) and 3 boxes of books and games were delivered to the USOM Hospital (BT 029782).

Appendix 9

3. The Civic Action Team accomplished the following:

- a. Initiated work on the School play ground project, ~~is~~ 30% completed at this time.
- b. Delivered odd pieces of lumber, corrugated roofing, and other building materials for small repair projects in the Hamlet.
- c. Completed work on the doors of the second school in the Hamlet. This School project was started by another unit which left prior to completing the project.
- d. Made a christmas visit to the Hamlet with presents for the children, school supplies, and some childrens clothing all of which were received from donors in CONUS.
- e. Delivered two Barbers kits to the Hamlet.

J. L. LILLIE Jr.
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In Country Calibration Complex (IC³)
Marine Wing Support Group-17
1st Marine Aircraft Wing, FMF, Pacific
FPO San Francisco 96602

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7 January 1968

From: Officer in Charge
To: Commanding Officer Marine Wing Support Group-17 Attention: S-3
Subj: Command Chronology Report Submission of;
Ref: MWSG-17 order 5750.1D of 18 February 1967
Encl: ✓(1) Command Chronology report
1. In accordance with reference (a) enclosure (1) is hereby submitted


P. UNDERWOOD

COMMAND CHRONOLOGY ICE CUBE

Part 1. Organizational Data

a. In Country Calibration Complex (IC³)

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>T/O BILLET ASSIGNED</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>
1st Lt.	Paul UNDERWOOD	Officer in Charge	1-31 Dec 67
WO-1	Martin M. BRADLEY	ASS't OIC/OIC ICE CUBE ANNEX CHU LAI	1-31 Dec 67
M/Sgt	Dennis C. DADE	NCOIC ICE CUBE	1-31 Dec 67
M/Sgt	Kennith L. HARRINGTON	NCOIC ICE CUBE ANNEX	1-31 Dec 67

2. Task Organization and unit location.

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>
ICE CUBE	Danang, RVN	1-31 Dec 1967
ICE CUBE ANNEX	Chu Lai, RVN	1-31 Dec 1967

3. Average Strengths

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>OFFICER</u>	<u>ENLISTED</u>	<u>CIVILIAN</u>
ICE CUBE	1	30	9
ICE CUBE ANNEX	1	8	2

4. Important Visitors

- a. U.S. Navy Captain SNEAD, A6 programs officer from NAVAIRSYSCOM HQ Washington, visited the laboratory the second week of the month and was accompanied by Major Frank CLINE A6 coordinator First Marine Aircraft Wing.

5. Summary of laboratory activities during the reported period.

- a. During the period 1-31 December 1967 ICE CUBE processed 1208 pieces of support equipment 30% required calibration ~~43%~~ 43% were repaired and calibrated and 27% were carried forward/awaiting parts of passed to other laboratories out of country.
- b. Personnel TAD to MAG-36 returned 15 December 1967. The report from MAG-36 indicates that the phase in of the qualification package was successful and that future qualification packages should be handled in the same manner.

- c. Spectrometer arrived for the Oil Analysis Program, utilities section built a temporary addition on to the present van and connected power to the project. A message was sent to NAV-AIRSYSCOM HQ requesting a Technical Representative be sent to check, align and calibrate spectrometer. MWSG-17 will be the first group scheduled into the Oil Analysis Program in mid-January 1968

ENCLOSURE (1) PAGE (2)

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS OFFICE
 Marine Wing Support Group 17
 1st Marine Aircraft Wing, FMF, Pacific
 FPO San Francisco 96602

4:WWD:ct
 12000
 2 Jan.68

From : Industrial Relations Officer

To : S - 3

Subj : Command Chronology

Ref : (a) Group Order 5750. 1 D

1. In accordance with reference (a) the following report submitted ;

Part I :

<u>1. Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>T/O Billet</u>	<u>Inclusive date</u>
Major	Dinegar, Wilbur W.	IRO	1-31 December 1967
SSgt	Conners, Willie J.	NCOIC	1-27 December 1967
SSgt	Sperry, Alfred S.	NCOIC	28-31 December 1967
SSgt	Dinh, Tran van (RVNMC)	Interpreter	1-31 December 1967
Cpl	Calhoun, Kenneth E.	Interpreter	1-31 December 1967

2. IRO MWSG - 17, Danang RVN

3. Officer-1, Enlisted-2, RVNMC-1, Vietnamese Civilian employees-131.

Part II None.

Part III A listing by category of Vietnamese employees

- A listing of Vietnamese employees according to pay category.
 Appropriated fund employees - 17
 Personal fund employees (Houseboys, etc..) -88
 Club employees - 19
 Barber shop & Exchange - 7
- Appropriated fund employees are classified as follows; Seven (7) V-1 and V-2 (non graded) employees with an average pay of approx. \$ 4500 VN per month; Six (6) VGS-3 to VGS-7 (graded) employees with an average pay of approx. \$ 7500 VN per month.
- Personal fund employees are the equivalent to V-1 appropriated fund employees with an average month pay of approx. \$ 4000 VN per month .

Appendix 11

4. Club employees are paid by the various clubs with an average guaranteed monthly pay of \$ 3000 VN. In some cases waitresses in this category receive tips which are considered part of their pay, this puts them in a pay category well above average. As a result their pay ranges from approx. \$ 10,000 VN to approx. \$ 25,000 VN per month.
5. Barber shop and exchange employees are paid by the exchange at an average monthly pay equivalent to the wages of an appropriated fund employees of equal grade.

Part IV None.


W. W. DINEGAR

MARINE WING SUPPORT GROUP 17
 First Marine Aircraft Wing
 FPO San Francisco 96602

5213/2
 RKD:eps
 3 January 1968

From: Group Chaplain, Marine Wing Support Group 17
 To: Commanding Officer, Marine Wing Support Group 17
 Subj: Monthly Chronological Report for December 1967; submission of
 Ref: (a) Group Order 5720.1F

1. In accordance with reference (a), the following report of the Group Chaplain's activities for the Month of December is hereby submitted.

2. Religious Activities:

A. Protestant

Sunday Services - - - - -	10
Attendance - - - - -	337
Offerings - - - - -	\$205.70
	and 830 Piasters
Midweek Services - - - - -	3
Attendance - - - - -	33
Choir Practice - - - - -	5
Attendance - - - - -	25
Sunday Fellowship - - - - -	2
Attendance - - - - -	19
Communion Services - - - - -	2
Communed - - - - -	74

B. Catholic

Sunday Masses - - - - -	5
Attendance - - - - -	320
Offerings - - - - -	\$156.60
	and 220 Piasters
Midweek Masses - - - - -	3
Attendance - - - - -	83

3. Command Activities

Check in - - - - -	68
Check out - - - - -	38
Interview Incoming Personnel - - - - -	29
Letters to NOK of Incoming Personnell - - - - -	64
Letters to Home Church of Incoming Personnel -	17
Counselling cases - - - - -	26
Red Cross messages delivered - - - - -	5
Moral Guidance Lectures - - - - -	7
Attendance - - - - -	71
Religions of Vietnam Lectures - - - - -	3
Attendance - - - - -	117

Indoctrination Lectures - - - - - 2
 Attendance - - - - - 75
 Hospital Calls - - - - - 2
 Visited - - - - - 3
 Brig Calls - - - - - 1
 Visited - - - - - 2
 CO's Briefings attended - - - - - 13
 Squadron CO's meetings attended - - - - - 5
 Accompanied Inspecting Parties - - - - - 1
 Wing Chaplain's meetings attended - - - - - 2
 S/NCO's meetings attended - - - - - 2

Miscellaneous

Arranged for 1st MAW Band Christmas Concert at Flarelight Theater.
 Six men from Group Chapel participated in 5 III MAF Christmas Choir
 concerts and one Television appearance.

4. Civic Action

- 1 Dec. 3 men taught 6 hours Conversational English at Baptist Mission.
 2 men taught 2 hours Conversational English at Police Station.
 1 man taught 2 hours Conversational English at RVN Hospital.
- 2 Dec. Donated \$30.00 to Baptist Mission.
- 3 Dec. 23 men attended CMA service.
- 4 Dec. 3 men taught 6 hours Conversational English at Baptist Mission.
 2 men taught 2 hours Conversational English at Police Station.
 1 man taught 2 hours Conversational English at RVN Hospital.
- 5 Dec.
- 6 Dec. 3 men taught 6 hours Conversational English at Baptist Mission.
 2 men taught 2 hours Conversational English at Police Station.
 1 man taught 2 hours Conversational English at RVN Hospital.
- 7 Dec.
- 8 Dec. 3 men taught 6 hours Conversational English at Baptist Mission.
 2 men taught 2 hours Conversational English at Police Station.
 1 man taught 2 hours Conversational English at RVN Hospital.
- 9 Dec.
- 10 Dec.

- 11 Dec. 3 men taught 6 hours Conversational English at Baptist Mission.
2 men taught 2 hours Conversational English at Police Station.
1 man taught 2 hours Conversational English at RVN Hospital.
- 12 Dec. 9 men attended planning session for English classes at Cultural Center.
- 13 Dec. 3 men taught 6 hours Conversational English at Baptist Mission.
2 men taught 2 hours Conversational English at Police Station.
1 man taught 2 hours Conversational English at RVN Hospital.
- 14 Dec.
- 15 Dec. 3 men taught 6 hours Conversational English at Baptist Mission.
2 men taught 2 hours Conversational English at Police Station.
1 man taught 2 hours Conversational English at RVN Hospital.
2 men taught 3 hours Conversational English at Catholic School.
- 16 Dec. 1 man taught 2 hours Conversational English at Catholic School.
- 17 Dec. Transported 50 Children to Golden Gate USO from Refugee Center, for Christmas Party.
- 18 Dec. 3 men taught 6 hours Conversational English at Baptist Mission.
2 men taught 2 hours Conversational English at Police Station.
1 man taught 2 hours Conversational English at RVN Hospital.
7 men taught 10 hours Conversational English at Cultural Center.
- 19 Dec. Donated 600 Gallons of milk, 2 cases of apples, 2 cases of Spam, and 2 cases of Kool-Aid to Father Nguyen Xuan Van at the Phuoc Thanh Hamlet at Red Beach.
4 men taught 4 hours Conversational English at Cultural Center.
- 20 Dec. 3 men taught 6 hours Conversational English at Baptist Mission.
2 men taught 2 hours Conversational English at Police Station.
1 man taught 2 hours Conversational English at RVN Hospital.
7 men taught 10 hours Conversational English at Cultural Center.
- 21 Dec. Scheduled III MAF Choir Christmas Concert at Duy Tan Hospital.
Donated Christmas Tree with ornaments, also two loads of scrap lumber to Phuoc Thanh Hamlet at Red Beach.
4 men taught 4 hours Conversational English at Cultural Center.
Transported Chapel Piano to Duy Tan for Christmas Concert.
- 22 Dec. 3 men taught 6 hours Conversational English at Baptist Mission.
2 men taught 2 hours Conversational English at Police Station.
1 man taught 2 hours Conversational English at RVN Hospital.
7 men taught 10 hours Conversational English at Cultural Center.
2 men taught 4 hours Conversational English at Catholic School.
Arranged for 1st MAW Band Concert at Tin Lanh Church.

- 23 Dec. Arranged for 1st MAW Band Christmas Concert at Cultural Center in Danang.
- 24 Dec.
- 25 Dec. Arranged for party at USO for 50 children from Tin Lanh Church. Arranged for Christmas Concert by III MAF Choir at Tin Lanh Church. Took Chapel piano to Tin Lanh Church for Christmas Concert.
- 26 Dec. Sponsored Christmas Party at Protestant Refugee Center. 9 men distributed 150 gifts and 8 boxes of clothing. 3 men taught 6 hours Conversational English at Cultural Center.
- 27 Dec. 6 men taught 10 hours Conversational English at Cultural Center. 2 men taught 2 hours Conversational English at Police Station.
- 28 Dec. Arranged for Christmas Concert by 1st MAW Band at Duy Tanh Hospital. 3 men taught 6 hours Conversational English at Cultural Center.
- 29 Dec. 6 men taught 10 hours Conversational English at Cultural Center. 2 men taught 2 hours Conversational English at Police Station. Donated 7 boxes of candy, toys, medical supplies and miscellaneous items to USOM Hospital.
- 30 Dec.
- 31 Dec.
5. Item of Interest
Thanks to the splendid cooperation and assistance of the Aircraft Maintenance Department and members of Maintenance Battalion the bell has been installed and rang for the first time on New Year's Eve.
6. During the period of this report a minimum of 223 men from this Chapel have been active in the Chapel Civil Affairs Program. The above men donated 260 hours to the Chapel Civil Affairs Program, (CHAPCAP).

MARINE WING SUPPORT GROUP 17
 1st Marine Aircraft Wing, FMF, Pacific
 FPO San Francisco 96602

From: Communication Officer
 To: Operations Officer

1 January 1968

Subj: Command Chronology Report, submittal of

Ref: (a) GruO 5750.1D

PART I Organizational Data.

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>T/O BILLET ASSIGNED</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>
Capt.	Roland J. BRUNELLE	Communication Officer	1-31 December 1967
MGySgt	Edward J. SLICK	Communication Chief	
SSgt.	Frank K. AMES	Technician Chief	
SSgt.	Dwight D. WHITMERE	Message Center Chief	

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>
Communication Section, MWSG-17	Danang, RVN	1-31 December 1967

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>OFFICER</u>	<u>ENLISTED</u>
Communication Section, MWSG-17	1	30

PART II Summary of Activities.

ELECTRONICS REPAIR

The Electronics Repair Shop accomplished the following:

1. Work orders processed 40
2. Work orders completed 26
3. Work orders awaiting parts 42
4. Work orders sent to higher echelons 3
5. Work orders completed by higher echelons 3
6. Work orders pending higher echelons 6
7. Requisitions processed 28
8. Requisitions completed 26
9. Requisitions outstanding 251
10. PM of AN/TSC-15 semi-monthly.
11. PM AN/TIQ-2 weekly.
12. PM of AN/PRC-25's, 3rd echelon and quality control, monthly.
13. PM of Special Services projector equipment.

14. Installed 3 station TOM-10's on 14 December 1967.
15. Added 1 station TOM-10 on 30 December 1967.
16. Repaired EM club microphone.
17. Generators:
 - a. PU-454's provided 87 hours of 400 Hertz power for AN/TRC-75's and RT-524.
 - b. PU-239 provided 104 hours of 60 Hertz power for Message Center.

MESSAGE CENTER

The Message Load Report is as follows:

<u>TYPE</u>	<u>IN</u>	<u>OUT</u>
Unclassified	1,972	513
Classified	<u>358</u>	<u>1</u>
Totals	2,330	514
Service	52	62

Miscellaneous: One radio message.

RADIO SECTION

In addition to normal preventative maintenance the following services were provided:

1. Radio Operator and AN/TRC-75 for VMGR-152 Air Control Net for the entire month of December.
2. Two Radio Operators and two AN/GRC-125's for radio relay on flare runs for the entire month.
3. Radio Operator and AN/PRC-25 for the reactionary force.
4. Phone patch to Iwakuni on 26 December at 1300H.
5. Phone patch to Iwakuni on 28 December at 1300H.
6. Checked out secure Tactical Net daily.
7. Three Radio Operators and AN/PRC-25's on standby for Commanding Officer, MWSG-17.
8. Two Radio Operators and AN/PRC-25's on standby for Task Force Alfa.
9. Four Radio Operators sent to Commanding Officer on the night of the alert.

WIRE SECTION

The following services were provided:

1. Twenty-four hour switchboard service for the entire month.
2. Answered 35 trouble calls.
3. Relocated switchboard.
4. Normal preventative maintenance of all equipment.

PART III Significant Events.

TRAINING SCHEDULE

The following MOS and GMSP training was held during the month:

1. Normal training schedule was followed for GMSP training for a total of 6 hours of training.
2. On the job training was conducted throughout the month in all sections.


R. J. BRUNELLE
Capt. USMC