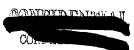
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/(4) PART THREE - Significant Events

f(5) List of Appendixes

- 1. In compliance with references (a) and (b), enclosures (1) through (5) are submitted for the period 1 through 31 January 1969.
- 2. This letter is downgraded to UMCLASSIFIED upon removal of the enclosures.

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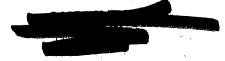
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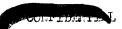
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Unit Location - Danang Air Base, RVW, (1-31 January 1969)
Reporting Period - 1 through 31 January 1969



ENCLOSURE (1)



PART ONE - Organizational Data

- 1. (U) Listing of Commanders and Staff
 - a. Marine Wing Support Group 17

| RANK | NAME | T/O BILLET ASSIGNMENT | INCLUSIVE DATES |
|--------------------------|---|--|---|
| LtCol. Capt. Major | Richard S. RASH Robert A. STEINWAY Bobby G. GIRVIN Truman G. BUNCE Thomas D. BROOKS | Commanding Officer Executive Officer S-1 S-3 S-4 | 1-31 January 1969 1-31 January 1969 1-31 January 1969 1-31 January 1969 1-31 January 1969 |

b. Headquarters and Maintenance Squadron 17

| RANK | NAME | T/O BILLET ASSIGNATION | INCLUSIVE DATES |
|-------|---|------------------------|---|
| Major | Edward S. JOHN Richard W. ILLEWELLYN | Executive Officer | 1-31 January 1969 1-31 January 1969 1-31 January 1969 |

C, Wing Equipment and Repair Squadron 17

| RANK MAME | T/O BILLET ASSIGNMENT | INCLUSIVE DATE |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|
| ItCol Stanley M. WILLIAMS Major Duane R. VAN MOTH | Commanding Officer Executive Officer | 1-31 January 1969 1-31 January 1969 |

2. (C) Task Organization and Unit Location

| OKGANIZATION | LOCATION | INCLUSIVE DATES |
|---|----------------|-------------------|
| Marine Wing Support Group 17 Headquarters and Maintenance | Danang AB, RVN | 1-31 Jenuary 1969 |
| Squadron 17 Wing Equipment and Repair | Danang AB, RVN | 1-31 January 1969 |
| Squadron 17 | Danang AB, RVN | 1-31 January 1969 |

3. (C) Average Strength

| ORGANIZATION | OFFICERS | ENLISTED |
|--|------------|------------------|
| Marine Wing Support Group 17 Headquarters and Maintenance | 50 | 880 UNCLASSIFIED |
| Squadron 17 | 42 (USN 2) | 668 (USN 16) |
| Wing Equipment and Repair Squadron 17 | 8 | 2 ₁ 2 |

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PART TWO - Narrative Summary

- 1. At 0600 on 22 January, Danang Air Base came under rocket attack. Thirty two rockets were delivered on the base, four of which impacted on or near H&NS-17 flight line. There were no casualties nor equipment damage.
- 2. On 23-24 January, 36 officers and 686 enlisted participated in a Gas Chamber Exercise.

ENCLOSURE (3)
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PART THREE - Significant Events

- 1. Personnel. HENS-17 joined 32 dropped 68. WES-17 joined 14 dropped 14.
- 2. Administration. Promotions 11:
- 3. Awards

Air Medal - 7 Navy Commendation Medal - 1

- 4. Medical Department. The Medical Department handled 1208 persons this month at Sick Call. Seven of those were V.D. cases.
- 5. Morale/Welfare/Chaplain. The Chaplain counselles 26cases
- 6. <u>Civic Action</u>. During the month of January the Civic Action Team discussed the construction of a Telapia Fish Pond with the elder from the Trung-Luong Hamlet.
- 7. Fire Department. The Fire Department answered 13 calls.
- 8. Intelligence. None
- 9. Air Operations

Total Hours Flown - 355.2 Total Passengers - 1051 Total Cargo Tons - 19.6 Total Flares Dropped - 2808

- 10. Photo Lab. Filled 595 work requests.
- 11. Training. None.
- 12. Logistics/Base Development/ Construction. 27 January MSA contractor started construction on shipping and receiving lot.
- 13. Supply/Naterial. Shipping and Receiving processed 8,307,753 lbs of cargo.
- 14. Postal
 - a. Money Orders numbered 16,416 and amounted to \$886,745.89.
 - b. Stamps amounted to \$24,461.21.
- c. The post office received 335,445 pounds of mail and dispatched. 160,587 pounds.

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- 15. Aircraft Maintenance. Maintenance maintained a 58.3% availability of the 7 aircraft on hand.
- 16. TAFIS. Issued 1,423,005 gallons of JP-4 at the Danang Marine Air Freight Terminal.

17. Communications

- a. Message volume was 1,280 incoming and 480 outgoing.
- b. Switchboard handled 24,000 telephone calls.

18. Disbursing

- a. Checks issued totalled \$2,153,548.53.
- b. A total of \$6,955.00 was entered in the savings program.
- c. Piaster sales totaled \$38,528.98.
- 19. In-Country Calibration Complex IC3
 - a. ICE CUBE processed 1,822 pieces of support equipment.

20. Industrial Relations

- a. The total Vietnamese employed is as follows:
 - 45 Appropriated 129 Personnel Fund
- 24 Club Employed
- 3 Exchange Employed
- 21. Explosive Ordnance Disposal Section. The section responded to 114 calls for assistance.

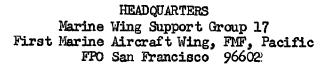
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- 12. Wing Equipment and Repair Squadron 17
- /3. Communications Center
- 14. Fire Department
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- 6. Group Supply

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APPENDIX 3

Work orders outstanding by higher echelon

Req submitted in January 1969 02 05 20 12 & 17 13 walk thru TOTAL $\overline{10}$

Req. completed in January

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Req. outstanding for January

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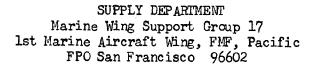
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- 1. Provide 24 hour switchboard service, answering in excess of 24,000 calls
- 2. Performed required maintenance on all phones and gear.
- 3. Answered in excess of thirty-five trouble calls
- 4. Assisted in preparation for Wing Dial system.
- Assisted VMCR-152 in reinstalling lines after lines were knocked down.
- Provided speaker system for one awards ceremony.

RADIO

- 1. Construct bunker around TSC-15 van
- 2. Maintained TAC-II 0800 every morning
- Maintained four radio nets in condition 1
- Supplied man to Wing Distribution (TAD)
- Rebuilt bunker beside huts
- 6. Maintained PM records
- Supplied three persons for group working parties
- Supplied one man for contingency plt
- Supplied two men for reactionary
- 10. Two men TAD wire
- 11. One man TAD special services
- 12. Supplied Comm for LtCol Steinway
- 13. Construct antenna tower
- 14. Supplied tow men to wire for switchboard watch
- 15. Supplied men for civic action
- 16. Relocated operations antenna
- 17. Supplied one man for flight orders18. Monitored security radio net
- 19. Supplied one man TAD Group-17 Comm Center
- 20. Held section training. Corpsman gave First Aid class

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From: Group Supply Officer

To: Commanding Officer, Marine Wing Support Group 17

Subj: Command Chronology

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Ref: (a) Gru0 5750.1C

Encl: (1) Command Chronology Report

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

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

PART ONE: Organization Data

1. Key Personnel

| NAME | RANK | T/O BILLET ASSIGNMENT | INCLUSIVE DATES |
|---------------------|--------|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| MORLAND, Arthur L. | Capt. | Group Supply Officer | 1-31Jan69 |
| STARZYNSKI, P. M. | Capt. | Pur & Contracting Officer | 1-31Jan69 |
| SCHULER, Melburn F. | Capt. | Clubs Officer | 1-15Jan69 |
| SHULTZ, R. J. | 2d Lt. | Fiscal Officer | 1-31Jan69 |
| GRANDIN, J. L. | 2d Lt. | OIC H&MS-17 Material | 1-31Jan69 |
| GOODALL, G. M. | 2dLt. | OIC WERS-17 Material | 1-31Jan69 |
| MIRANDA, Anthony | CWO-3 | GASSC Officer | 1-31Jan69 |
| CARPENTER, W. J. | CWO-3 | Gru. Mat. Division OIC | 1-31Jan69 |
| HURLEY, D. J. | CWO-3 | Marine Corps Property Officer | 1-31Jan69 |
| , | | Unit Property Officer | , |
| BROWN, B. M. | CWO-2 | OIC Supply Response Section | 1-31Jan69 |
| MARINKO, E. F. | MSgt. | Group Supply Chief | 1-31Jan69 |
| SIEG, Vernon M. | GySgt. | Marine Corps Property Chief | 1-31Jan69 |
| BATTLE, Linnie G. | GySgt. | NCOIC GASSC | 1-31Jan69 |
| JENKINS, C. | GySgt. | Supply Response Section Chief | 1 - 31Jan69 |
| MASSIE, Allen L. | GySgt. | NCOIC WERS-17 Material | 1 - 31Jan69 |
| COOK, Thomas S. | GySgt. | NCOIC Section "M" | 1-17Jan69 |
| BLACK, James E. | GySgt. | NCOIC Shipping & Receiving | 1 - 31Jan69 |
| RITTER, A. S. | GySgt. | NCOIC Material/Warehouse Chief | 1-31Jan69 |
| CHAPMAN, Cleo | GySgt. | Asst Warehouse NCO | 1 – 31Jan69 |
| GCMEZ, Rudy N. | SSgt. | Marine Corps Property Admin. | 1 - 31Jan69 |
| HARRIS, R. | SSgt. | NCOIC H&MS-17 Material | 1 - 31Jan69 |
| BRUENING, J. A. | SSgt. | Pur & Contracting Chief | 1 - 31Jan69 |
| MIOTKE, S. | SSgt. | Operations NCO | 1 - 31Jan69 |
| BOWLES, Howard G. | SSgt. | NCOIC Marine Corps Property | 1-31Jan69 |
| CLEMONS, H. | SSgt. | Transportation Clerk | 9-31Jan69 |
| SMITH, M. W. | Sgt. | Group Fiscal Chief, SAS NCOIC | 1-15Jan69 |
| WADROSE, P. L. | Cpl. | Group Fiscal Chief, SAS NCOIC | 16 - 31Jan69 |

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2. Task Organization and Unit Location

ORGANIZATION

LOCATION

INCLUSIVE DATE

Group Supply Section

DaNang, RVN

1-31Jan69

3. Average Personnel Strength as of 31 January 1969

ORGANIZATION

OFFICERS

ENLISTED

Group Supply Section (includes both H&MS & WERS Mat.) 9

103

4. Personnel

Newly Joined Officers

BROWN, B. M.

CWO-2

098435/3060

Assigned as

OIC Supply Response Section

Newly Joined Staff NCO's

CLEMONS, H.

SSgt.

1561330/3071

Assigned as

Transportation Clerk

PART II Summary of Events

- 1. Training——All personnel received five hours training in related jobs and General Military Subjects.
- 2. Savings Program --- We currently have 12% in Savings Program.
- 3. Correspondence Courses---50% of the Supply Personnel are enrolled in Correspondence Courses related to their work.
- 4. Supply Effectiveness

| | | Gross | Net |
|--------|-------|-------|------|
| Navy | | 65.0 | 82.2 |
| Marine | Corps | 79.0 | 83.0 |

5. Common Component Status

| Engine In | 11 |
|-------------------------------|------|
| Engine Out | 24 |
| Cumulative totals to date in | 377 |
| Cumulative totals to date out | 24.8 |

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| Remaining at FLC Power Transfer parts in Power Transfer parts out Cumulative totals to date in Cumulative totals to date out Remaining at FLC | 129 24 34 644 448 196 |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| Oldest Engine | 582 |

6. BER Costs

| 3rd Echelon BER | 94 |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| 3rd Echelon Value | 3,011.36 |
| 4th Echelon BER | 34 |
| 4th Echelon Value | 24,635 , 52 |

- 7. Wing Shipping and Receiving Section
 - a. Supplies and Equipment handled for January:
 - (1) 8,307,753 lbs of cargo processed.
- (2) 10,865 separate pieces handled of which 5,488 were incoming and 5,377 represented outgoing shipments.
- 8. Group Aviation Supply Support Center

a. Navy Warehouse Section

(1) The Group Supply Navy Warehouse and Motor Transport Supply Unit processed approximately 2500 line items of excess in January. Approximately 5500 excess documents remain to be processed. Total receipts were 3700 of which 1900 were for direct turn over, 1400 were receipts for stock and 400 were receipts not from due. Total issues were 3640 of which 1900 were direct turn over from incoming shipments and 1740 issues were made from stock. A total of 1800 line items were inventoried by the inventory team.

b. Supply Response Section Section

- (1) Receipt Audit Process (JP 2805) completed for Appropriation Purchase Account (APA) items.
 - (2) All balance cards for aeronautical spares were updated.

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- (3) A review of demands for non stock items was conducted which resulted in inducting 400 new items for stock.
- (4) Continuing excess program resulted in 6000 line items being purged from stock.
- (5) A review of allowances for vehicles supported by MWSG-17 for Wing Units was instituted. To date 1000 balance cards have been updated.
- (6) During the month of January 2625 requisitions were processed by this section.

9. Marine Corps Property Section

- a. The Marine Corps Property clothing store was re-located during the month of January. This move enables the clothing store to function more effectively.
- b. The Wing Garrison Property CMR was received during January and is presently being reviewed.
- c. A Reconciliation was conducted between the Formal-Informal Accounts and the Requisition clerk for outstanding obligations.
- d. Newly Approved Class II Type II allowance list items screened and put on requisition.

10. Fiscal Section

a. Adapted procedures to comply with the new Wing Fiscal SOP.