

EXTRAS

CID REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

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PREPARING CID AGENCY

1st MP Detachment (CI)
USACIDA, DA
Washington D. C. 20315

TYPE OF REPORT

1st Progress

REPORT NUMBER

69-CID001-00069

OFFENSE
Rape
Murder

PERIOD COVERED

J7 - 19 Dec 69

DATE OF REPORT

22 Dec 69

SUBJECT(S) (Last name - First name - Middle name - Grade - SSAN - Organization or address and ZIP Code)

HUTTO, Charles Edward; SGT: ; Hq & Hq Co. 3d A&F Bde, Ft Lewis, WA 98433

HUTSON, Max Dean; PVT: ; Co A, Inf Sch Bn, Ft Benning, GA 31905

WRIGHT, Floyd D; Civ; ; whereabouts unknown

MOWER, John Richard; Civ;

"Cont'd. see attached sheets"

BASIS FOR INVESTIGATION Investigation initiated upon information developed during the course of investigation surrounding alleged atrocities committed by former members of C Co, 1st Bn, 20th Inf, Americal Division, APO SF 96217.

INVESTIGATIVE SUMMARY

Investigation disclosed that on 16 March 1968, in the village of My Lai (4), Republic of Vietnam, HUTTO, HUTSON, WRIGHT, MOWER, RUCKER, TORRES and JOLLY, allegedly raped and killed an unidentified Vietnamese female. The incident took place during a combat assault operation by members of Co C, 1st Bn, 20th Inf, Americal Division, APO SF 96217. To date, the Vietnamese female has not been identified.

SUBSTANTIATION.

Mr Varnado SIMPSON, a former member of C/I/20 stated he witnessed HUTTO, HUTSON, WRIGHT, MOWER and RUCKER rape and murder an unidentified female during a combat assault mission on the village of My Lai (4), RVN, on 16 March 1968. HUTTO denied the allegations; however, he admitted that he observed JOLLY and TORRES raping a Vietnamese female during the combat operation. HUTTO denied knowledge of the girl being killed. HUTSON, MOWER and JOLLY denied being involved in the alleged rape and murder.

To date, TORRES and WRIGHT have not been interviewed regarding the allegations and investigation has failed to fully identify RUCKER.

Investigation continues.

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File	1	<i>H. H. Tufts</i>
		TYPED NAME, GRADE, TITLE, AND ORGANIZATION
		HENRY H. TUFTS
		Colonel, MPC
		Commanding, US Army CID Agency

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CID REPORT OF INVESTIGATION - ADMINISTRATIVE DATA
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69-CID011-00069

SUBJECT(S) (Show last name and following personnel data in order listed; Service number; Security clearance; DOB; POB; Sex; Race; Height; Weight; Hair color; Eye color; Build; Identifying marks; Former name, alias(es), or service number; Disposition of subject; Results of repository check.)

HUTTO: RA 15 978 456; 17 Dec 48; Tallulah, LA; M: Cauc; 70; 160; Brown; Blue; Medium; on duty with unit; USAIRR - Negative.

HUTSON: RA 16 884 903; None; 13 Jul 47; Williamsport, IN; M: Cauc; 69; 175; Brown; Green; Medium; on duty with unit; USAIRR - Pending.

WRIGHT: M: former ASN: RA 67 100 601; whereabouts unknown; USAIRR - Pending.

MOWER: None; 3 Apr 47; Chambersburg, PA; M: Cauc; 72; 150; Brown; Gray; Slender; former ASN US 51 915 844; presumed at residence; USAIRR - Pending.

JOLLY: None; M: Cauc; former ASN US 53 701 203; presumed at listed residence; USAIRR - Pending

TORRES: RA 25 869 032; M: on duty with unit; USAIRR - Pending.

RUCKER: Not further identified

VICTIM(S) (Show full name and following personal data in order listed; SSAN; Service number; Organization or address; Position occupied; Grade or title; Sex; Race; DOB; POB; Former military rank or service number; Location of victim.)

UNKNOWN (Deceased); Vietnamese National; F: formerly residing in My Lai (4), RVN.

AGGREGATE DOLLAR VALUE OF PROPERTY

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PRIVATE				

COORDINATION

INTELLIGENCE	DATE INITIAL NOTIFICATION	NAME OF PERSON RECEIVING NOTIFICATION
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TOTAL AMOUNT OF CID FUNDS EXPENDED ON INVESTIGATION (Enter on repository and file copies only.) \$

REMARKS

REVIEW

EXHIBITS

Attached:

- A. Stmt of Mr. SIMPSON, 9 Nov 69
- B. Stmt of PVT HUTSON, 28 Oct 69
- C. Stmt of SGT HUTTO, 17 Nov 69
- D. Stmt of SGT HUTTO, 18 Nov 69
- E. Stmt of Mr. MOWER, 6 Oct 69
- F. Stmt of Crim Inves KASH, 20 Nov 69

Not Attached:

Originals of Exhibits A - F, above, are retained in the case files of this agency.