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PART II

COMMANDER'S NARRATIVE SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

During the month of October the average monthly strength in the III MAF Detention Facility was 36. The average monthly strength in the III MAF Brig was 234. Med Caps were held in the hamlet of Thach Nham, and the total attendance for the month was 733. Medications and immunizations were given to the ill, and the weekly Dent Cap was reduced to twice monthly treated 15 children. Armed Forces Police continued to fulfill its mission of providing Law Enforcement in Danang, RVN, and security for the I Corps Advisory Facilities during the month of October. The accident rate for the month of October decreased slightly from that of September. There were 133 accidents in October as compared to 153 in the month of September, but the fatality rate for October remained at 4 as it was for September. The Combined Narcotics Team conducted 7 operations which resulted in 11 arrests and the seizure of 5 1/2 kilograms of bulk marijuana, 4246 marijuana cigarettes, 6 sticks of opium, 15 bottles of Binocet tablets, and 40 Ansional tablets. On 15 October 1969, there was a Change of Command Ceremony held at the 3d Military Police Battalion cantonment with LtCol W. E. CHEATHAM being relieved as Commanding Officer by LtCol C. FIMLAN. Pfc T. R. SORCI, 2537964, WIA, Quang Nam Province, RVN, 16 October 1969. Pfc J. P. SOUTHWICK, 2552715, died (Non-hostile), Quang Nam Province, RVN, 19 October 1969. Pfc T. R. SORCI, 2537964, received his injury while serving in the capacity of a Scout Dog Handler attached to USMC units throughout the I Corps.

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