

Laos trip -

Wash trip

1. Thurs. & ^{Friday} ~~afternoon~~ meetings of prov. staff. - no obvious changes - Quang Ngai least affected, prov. was smart in handling this - Budd high & school closed
2. Thua Thien - diversion of interest by civil servants - Quang Tri (some interest in hamlets & villages) Govt sponsored demon - 5000 people - cheering restrained -
3. Quang Nam - 15,000 instead of 20 to 40 - quota - sacred fish (identified as Buddhist) 100 times a day (five from Phu Yen) - 4-5000 people - friend is now postmaster (heart of intellectuals is broken)
5. Hoang Nhai - people are agitated, worried.
6. Quang Tri - made little effect
7. Phu Yen - little effect - mainly due to Hoi leadership -
8. Kontum - Pleiku (officials upset, everything is fine - looking to Laog)
9. Dalat - morale of prov. officials dropped (elections, VC activity, Budd) 23 July attack, Complaints about donating funds @ permission for Budd holiday - people in the town very upset - Phu Bon - no effect (8 bouzou come down the road with mine to them)

10. Binh Long - 1 month in the prov. - called a demonstration, people gathered 4 Montags officers arrested (for stating their views in a staff conference) & sent to Saigon. News that Lodge visited the Bonger (was called Mr. America) ~~that~~ police very active
11. Gia Binh (meetings called constantly - activity ceased). Bien Hoa ~~also~~ beginning next week on second develop.
12. Longe M - Cao Dai not affected (also Phuoc Long & Thanh)
13. Tuyen Duc, Binh & Minh Thuan - concerned but not serious. Phuoc Tuy - upset because ~~that~~ the Buddhist situation is interfering ~~set not serious~~ ~~impression is that~~ morale is low in Tuyen Duc.
- 15 Delta - if Am pos. continues uncertain it wouldn't be long before prov. officials would play away - Vinh Binh (

Time Line

Sat Sept 5
Thurs/Fri Meeting at 1st and 1st 1955

Sat Sept 7 Mudrikell / Kurlat arrive (evening)

8-9 - Kurlat - Mudrikell visit

Sun Sept 8 RP leave VN

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Mon Sept 9 - RP leave H. Island

Tues Sept 10 integrate w

Wed Sept 11

Thurs Sept 12

Fri Sept 13

Sat Sept 14

Sun Sept 15 - RP leave to B

Mon Sept 16 to Bo

Tues Sept 17 RP move to Forwarder

Wed Sept 18

Thurs Sept 19 Boarsane letter (RP 9/15 letter arrived)

Fri 20 Bo letter leaves

Sat 21 RP return Saigon -

Sunday 22 - Taylor

Monday 23 - M. N. N. departs to Saigon

Tue 24

Wed 25