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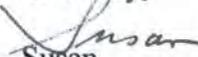
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Tom -
Let me know if there
is an issue with playing
any of these disks. All should
play in a DVD player or computer.
- but some could be "rough" in parts

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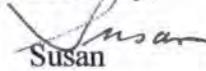
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Subject: NARA reference copies
From: Susan Hormuth (susanhormuth@verizon.net)
To: wtmjr0413@gmail.com;
Date: Thursday, September 29, 2016 5:49 PM

Hi Tom,

I went ahead and dubbed what was readily available as reference copies from the list of captured Viet Cong footage we discussed on the phone recently. I also grabbed much of what was already digitized or on reference tape for the list of films relating to the battle of Khe Sahn and the Tet Offensive, and some of General Abrams. I've got nine DVD's of NARA material here to send you. Some are compilations, and some are individual titles (if the reference copy was already on DVD, it's easier to copy DVD to DVD). I've made up log sheets for each compilation and also printed out the NARA catalog entries for each title, which I'll send with the disks. But in the meantime, I'm attaching an Excel document of what I've got here (see all five sheets).

Again, I was first concentrating on digitized reference copies, then I was looking at what I could dub from VHS or 3/4 inch tape (I didn't review most of this first, other than looking at descriptions). There's some more Khe Sahn and Tet Offensive on tape or film, although you have plenty here.

Also, I called for "Viet Cong Weapons Test , CuChi, Vietnam" (342-USAF-48493) which was only on film, and got something entirely different (something on military weather prediction). I'm not sure was the problem was there. If you need more captured weapons, I'll get back to it. Also, there is a History of the U.S. Navy film which may work as a post-war prospective for you, which you can view online. I dubbed a similar film from the Air Force. Here's the link for the NAVy film:

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I can mail what I have to you on Friday (priority mail, unless you prefer another method). Let me know if you have any questions about any of this, or if you have other subjects to add to the search list.

Best,

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Attachments

- NARA copies to send 9-30-16.xls (53.00KB)