

GIs Answer the Call to Lon



There are many lonely jobs in the military, and one of the loneliest might be that of an Army radio man atop a 3,000-foot mountain near the Cambodian border in Vietnam. Some 150 men are serving at the isolated outpost 60 miles northwest of Saigon. Above, a supply heli-



BRISTLING WITH RADIO ANTENNAS, MOUNTAIN BASE PROVIDES A VITAL COMMUNICATIONS CENTER FOR ARMY TROOPS IN AREA.



RADIO OP

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sets down sentry watches. (U.S. Army Photos Special to S&S)



A SHRINE SITS ATOP THE BLACK VIRGIN MOUNTAIN, KNOWN TO VIETNAMESE AS NUI BA DEN.



RADIO OPERATOR MANS TRANSMITTER ON THE MOUNTAIN.



SOLDIER PHONES A REPORT TO A FORWARD OPERATIONS BASE.