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1. In accordance with reference (a), enclosures (1) through (12) are submitted.

2. Downgraded to unclassified upon removal of enclosures (1) through (12).

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ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

Designation: Third Tank Battalion (Rein), FMF, Third Marine Division
 (Rein), FMF

Location:

Headquarters, 3d Tank Battalion	DaNang AT 989708
A Company, 3d Tank Battalion	DaNang AT 946762
B Company, 3d Tank Battalion	DaNang AT 067719
C Company, 3d Tank Battalion	Chulai BT 531094
A Company, 1st Tank Battalion	Chulai BT 533080
B Company, 1st Tank Battalion	Chulai BT 548060

Period Covered by Report: 1-28 February 1966

Commanding Officer: Lieutenant Colonel Milton L. RAPHAEL

Subordinate Commanders:

E&S Company, 3d Tank Battalion	Captain Arthur E. LEE
A Company, 3d Tank Battalion	Captain Fidelas W. JARNOT
B Company, 3d Tank Battalion	Captain Wayne A. COOMES
C Company, 3d Tank Battalion	Captain Eldon L. ERICKSON
A Company, 1st Tank Battalion	1stLt James D. SPARKS
B Company, 1st Tank Battalion	Captain Horace A. BERTRAND

Principal Staff Officers:

Battalion Executive Officer	Major James G. DOSS
Battalion Adjutant/S-1/Legal O	1stLt Donald J. ROBINSON II
Battalion S-2/CAO	1stLt Dan P. BECKNER
Battalion S-3	Major Allen W. LAMB
Battalion S-4	Major Franklin W. COATES

Average Monthly Strength:

Marine Officers	35
Marine Enlisted	784
Navy Officers	1
Navy Enlisted	15

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PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATION

The Battalion's personnel posture continues at an acceptable level in relation to the overall strength authorized in the M Series T/O. The Battalion's chargeable strength as of 28 February 1966, was 34 Marine Officers and 772 Marine Enlisted, together with 1 Naval Officer and 15 Naval Enlisted.

As stated previously the Battalion is presently experiencing an almost critical shortage in the 01 Occupational Field. The shortage of trained clerks (0141) has handicapped our administrative effort. In many cases tank repairmen (2141) are serving as clerks due to the shortage. The accuracy of personnel reports and related administration continues to be satisfactory, but in some cases only marginally so. Replacements in this field are sorely needed, however none seemingly are to be had. A legal clerk (0121) is needed also, as the volume of legal business conducted by the Battalion is such as to make the possession of a legal clerk (0121) an absolute necessity.

The Battalion is still short 21 tank crewmen (1811). This problem has been partially alleviated through the substitution of tank repairmen (2141) in order to make full tank crews. This solution is only possible so long as the Battalion retains its slight overage in the 2100 Occupational Field, and in no instance should this expedient be interpreted as anything but the emergency stop-gap measure it is. Tank crewmen who do not possess a qualified primary MOS of 1811 are not acceptable. The 21 tank crewmen (1811) are badly needed by this Battalion.

Replacements in the 35 Occupational field are also needed. The Battalion Motor Transport platoon is short 12 drivers (3531) for their M-54, 6X6 Trucks. This shortage has caused the Battalion to administratively deadline motor vehicles due to the lack of qualified drivers to operate them.

The Battalion is presently short 14 Officers, (1-Lt 0130, 1-WO 0130, 1-Lt 2010, 1-WO 2010, 1-Lt 3510, 1-WO 2805, 1-WO 2025, 1-Capt 0202, 1-Capt 2002 and 5-Lts 1802). As stated previously this shortage has necessitated some officers performing the duties normally performed by two or more.

The Battalion has had no breaches of discipline requiring judicial punishment during this reporting period.

Morale remains outstanding. Continued improvement of living conditions is in evidence. The Battalion Special Services Officer has organized both volleyball and softball games. The R&R trips to Hong Kong, Manila, Bangkok, Okinawa, Tokyo, Taipei and Saigon RVN are well received by all hands. There is however, a drop in the number of quotas allotted to the Battalion during the month of February as the Battalion received 12 less R&R quotas than it did the previous month. Whether or not this will be recurring can not be determined at this time.

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In accordance with the provisions of MCBul 1133 of 31Dec65, the Battalion is exerting a maximum effort to retain personnel in the Marine Corps whose enlistments are soon to expire. The Battalion Career Advisory Section has been completely reorganized to assure the most vigorous and productive reenlistment program possible. Two of our biggest selling points are the variable reenlistment bonus and the bright promotion picture for the future that will accompany the current Marine Corps expansion.

Closely related to the reenlistment effort is the program to seek Marines to extend their overseas tour in country. As stated previously, pursuant to CG 3dMarDiv msg 010551Z a maximum effort by the Battalion has resulted in many requests by Marines to extend their RTDs. No less than 17 Marines have requested extensions during this reporting period. Ten Marines have extended for 6 months, four Marines have extended for 3 months, 1 Marine has extended for 4 months and 2 Marines have extended for a 1 month period.

It should be noted that the Battalion will within the next 8 months face a tremendous rate of personnel attrition due to rotation to CONUS. There are at the present time several large blocks of personnel having a like RTD, particularly in June and September. The two attached companies from the 1st Tank Battalion are primarily responsible for these blocks of RTDs since they were deployed to WestPac from CONUS as units. In order to alleviate the problem of these two companies rotating back to CONUS as units, and thus losing the effectiveness of two tank companies at once, the Battalion has sought to distribute personnel with like RTDs equitably throughout each of its six companies. While personnel reassessments within the Battalion will partially alleviate the problem of losing, en masse, an entire company in a given month, it will not alleviate the prospect of losing vast blocks of personnel who have the same RTD. Such losses will certainly result in a critical personnel shortage unless a like number of personnel are programmed into the Battalion on a timely basis.

The Battalion received a Commanding General's inspection during the early portion of this month. The Battalion S-1 and Adjutant's Section was inspected on 8-9 February inclusive with satisfactory results. The Battalion Legal Section was inspected on 12 February with satisfactory results also.

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During the month of February 1966 the 3d Tank Battalion experienced the same basic Viet Cong Modus Operandi which has prevailed for the past 8 months. The only change seems to be technical changes in equipment and mines rather than tactical changes in their approach to defending against and combating our tanks.

In Chronological order the mine incidents during February were as follows:

1. On 15 Feb 66 a tank detonated a mine estimated to contain 40-lbs of TNT at coordinates (BT 058661). Reports indicated that the mine detonator was of the pressure/electrical type. The tank sustained only moderate damage.
2. On 16 Feb 66 a tank detonated a mine estimated to contain 30-40-lbs of TNT at coordinates (BT 062633). Analysis revealed that it was a manufactured anti-tank mine employing a pressure type detonating device. Though the crater left by the mine was 4' deep and the size of the mine was large, the sustained only minor damage.
3. On 19 Feb 66 a tank detonated a mine at coordinates (BT 059661). No description of size or weight was available but the crater created by the blast measured 4' by 4' in diameter. The device was detonated with a pressure type mechanism. The tank suffered moderate damage to batteries and control linkages.
4. On 22 Feb 66 a tank detonated a mine at coordinates (BT 070630). The mine consisted of 20-lbs of TNT with an unknown type of detonating device. The tank sustained only minor damage. This Mine is believed to have been anti-personnel or anti-wheeled vehicle.

In general the size of mines used by the Viet Cong is increasing. The number of mine incidents decreased from 6 in Jan to 4 in Feb. It is felt that this is due to increased vigilance on the part of tank commanders and drivers rather than a decrease in Viet Cong efforts. Increased efficiency by engineers has resulted in discovery of more mines without vehicles making contact with them.

Viet Cong reaction to USMC employment of tanks remains the same. At such time as tanks are employed against the Viet Cong, they break contact as quickly as possible. This is assumed to be because of the small number of anti-tank weapons in Quang Nam Province, and the fear the Viet Cong have of the powerful tank weapons.

Only 3 tank crewman casualties have resulted from mining incidents. Of these 3, two resulted in evacuation though neither were critical. The fact of so few casualties among tank crewman is credited to the excellent ability of the M6A3 to withstand a great deal of concussion punishment. No casualties among recovery personnel have occurred due to the fact that the Viet Cong have failed in all but one instance to cover a mine by fire.

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Only one conclusion can be drawn from Feb 66 activity of the Viet Cong against tanks. It would seem that the Viet Cong realized that the 15-25-lb mines in use from July 65 - November 65 were inadequate. They attempted, beginning in December 65, to increase the effectiveness of the anti-tank mines by first doubling and now often quadrupling their size. These mines are an effective means of temporarily disabling a tank.

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TANK COMBAT OPERATIONS

The 3d Tank Battalion continued to provide tanks in general support of the 3d Marine Division.

Natural terrain obstacles continued to inhibit tank operations. Through training and experience of tank drivers and commanders the marsh, paddy type areas were more readily negotiated or bypassed but streams and rivers continued to seriously restrict mobility, shock action and fire power inherent in the tank.

Company B, supporting 9th Marines, had the majority of tank offensive action and enemy contact. The area in which they operated is primarily flat, open terrain with few water obstacles. The company participated in 31 search and clear and search and destroy missions, 18 armored patrols and once as a mobile reserve. These actions resulted in 30 enemy contacts for a total of 47 VC KIA and 2 WIA.

Company A continued to support 3d Marines. Primary employment consisted of occupying strong points on the MLR, maintaining blocking positions on the MSR and Route 1 and participating in planning and employment of a mobile reserve force. Forward positions have been selected and occupied to provide H&I fires as required.

Company C remained in support of 4th Marines in the Chu Lai TAOR but had no operational tank platoons in that area. Their 1st Platoon supported 3/3 in the Da Nang TAOR and their 3d Platoon operated with the BLT 3/4 SLF. The 2d Platoon arrived in Da Nang with the BLT 2/3 SLF. While assigned to BLT 2/3 the platoon operated ashore during "Operation Double Eagle" as part of a composite infantry unit while their tanks remained aboard ship. This type employment is not desirable since replacement tank leaders and crewmen are not available nor easily trained. Combat operations of tanks require complete crews and casualties sustained would result in deadlined tanks. The Tank Platoon Leader was severely wounded in action and is not expected to return to this organization. Subsequent employment of tanks during "Double Eagle" would have necessarily been under the command of the Platoon Sergeant. Since the battalion is short officers, the Platoon Sergeant commands the platoon.

Company A and Company B of the 1st Tank Battalion continued to provide tank support to the 1st Marines and 7th Marines respectively, in Chu Lai. The An Tan River to the north and the Tra Bong River to the south remain as formidable obstacles to tank operations in that TAOR. Again, a bridging capability or sufficient lighterage must be made available to fully exploit the offensive capability of this weapon.

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Since the mobility and shock action characteristics are reduced by terrain limitations the fire power characteristic has been emphasized. During February, tank units in the Da Nang TAOR fired the following 90mm missions:

<u>NUMBER OF MISSIONS</u>			<u>SUPPORTING</u>	
Observed	H&I	Total	MAF	RVN
54	94	148	67	81

ROUNDS EXPENDED

HE	WP	Cannister
1267	201	9

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During the month of February, H&S Company conducted 23 security patrols and 5 night ambushes in the vicinity of the Battalion Cp. Two platoon-size search and clear operations were conducted in the Phong Bac Hamlet complex adjacent to the Cp. The Battalion continued to provide one infantry platoon on stand-by for immediate employment in the Da Nang TAOR. This platoon was employed on two occasions during the month to reinforce infantry battalions.

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TRAINING

Tactical commitments and maintenance and technical requirements continue to preclude an extensive training program. Most training is conducted on a small unit level and through practical application.

Required instruction is given primarily on Company level. Emphasis continues to be placed on troop indoctrination, individual and crew served weapons and direct and indirect fire procedures.

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CONFIDENTIALLOGISTICS1. General

- a. The period covered by this report is from 1 - 28 February 1966.
- b. During the month of February the over all Logistic Support provided the command has been good. There are still problem areas however and they are amplified below.
- c. During the month of January the command received a Commanding General's Inspection. The results were satisfactory in every case, however some minor discrepancies were discovered. It was found that all the service support personnel of the command are accomplishing their assigned tasks in an excellent manner and that continuous service support is being provided the subordinate elements.

d. The following is a up-to-date list of tank losses since being in country.

<u>Tac No.</u>	<u>Ser No.</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Disposition</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Doc No.</u>	<u>Pri</u>
A-42	201933	27Jun	Evac	Submerged	00433	02 (Received)
C-22	201925	18Aug	Evac	Enemy/ Action	04084	02
A-34	202047	18Aug	Code X	Enemy/ Action	01799	02 (Received)
B-42	201879	4Sep	Evac	Submerged	02067	02
B 1st 22	201912	16Jul	Evac	Submerged Action	05690	02
B-12	201946	20Nov	Code X	Enemy/ Action	05688	02
B-41	202122	16Feb	Code X	Enemy/ Action	10098	12

e. The main logistic efforts during this period were as follows:

- (1) An aggressive attempt to procure critically required tank spare parts.
- (2) Helicopter resupply of a tank plt (Rein) on Hill 55.
- (3) Inter-transfer of equipment and service support personnel between five tank companies.
- (4) To correct the deficiencies noted during the CG's Inspection.

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(5) Continued development of the Battalion Cantonement.

2. Supply

a. Determination of Supply requirements

(1) The increase in enemy mine activities mentioned in the January Chronology is still aggravating the serious resupply problem of suspension parts. Usage of these parts has increased sharply. Our stockage objectives have increased accordingly.

(2) Many items of Supply such as canvas cots, water cans, and electric light bulbs were received in large issues back in July and August of 65. These items are now becoming unserviceable at a rapid pace. Requisitions for replacement items are on order. It is felt that within six month usage will smooth out and a reliable stockage objective will result.

b. Procurement, Availability, and Distribution of Supply.

(1) The availability and distribution of Class I, III, and V Supply is excellent.

(2) The availability and distribution of Class IV Supply has improved greatly.

(3) The availability and distribution of Class II Supply is improving steadily, however the shortage of tank suspension parts is still critical. Items on critapak and light weight mailable items are arriving in excellent time. Heavy and bulky items take much longer. Most suspension parts fall into this category. The increased enemy mining activity mentioned in paragraph 2. a. (1) above compounds this problem a great deal. Suspension parts are on "Red Ball". This program has been ineffective in the past however it is now beginning to produce.

(4) The fill percentage on all priority requisitions is increasing. This is due directly to the use of parcel post and critapak. These figures do not reflect the low fill rate for heavy and bulky items. The following is a fill percentage on all Documents made by this organization while in country which are older than 30 days. The % of increase represents the increase since the previous report.

	<u>Pri 02</u>	<u>Pri 05</u>	<u>Pri 12</u>	<u>Pri 17</u>
Documents	193	903	2817	338
Completed	115	347	537	127
Fill Rate	59.5%	38.4%	19.6%	37.5%
% Increase	14.5%	1.2%	6%	3.4%

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b. Supply Administration

(1) Reconciliation listings have been received from FLSG, 3d FSR, and MCSC Barstow. A priority of work effort has been placed on a complete and thorough reconciliation.

(2) The 1st Rotation Platoon has returned from Okinawa. This Platoon was the 2d Platoon, A Co, 3d Tank Bn. It will now become a Platoon in "C" Co, 3d Tank Bn. A complete inventory is in process. Action will be taken to make up shortages. All five tanks are being thoroughly inspected and "Q" checked.

3. Evacuation and Hospitalization

	<u>Air</u>	<u>Surf</u>	<u>Aw Evac</u>	<u>Ret to Duty</u>
KIA	0	0	0	0
WIA	0	0	0	0
Non-Bat	0	6	0	3

4. Transportation

a. The overall effectiveness of the Battalion Motor Transport is excellent.

b. The river crossing problems stated in the January Chronology has been partially solved by installing pull cables across the Song Cau Do. The ferry is slower in crossing now but it is much more reliable. The ferry pontoons are still very old however and must be pumped up each time to carry tanks.

c. The resupply of the six tanks on Hill 55 must be accomplished by Helicopter support. This support has been completely unreliable. Ammo loading parties, fuel handlers, and Staff and Command visitors are forced to waste many man hours waiting for scheduled runs that are always very late or do not show up at all.

5. Service

a. Tank Maintenance

(1) The non-availability of major tank components and spare parts still cripples the maintenance effort.

(2) Crew preventive maintenance and frequent maintenance checks by organizational maintenance personnel have resulted in continued tank support in spite of the severe lack of heavy and bulky spare parts.

b. Cantonement

(1) The cantonement is progressing very well. All personnel, offices, and supplies are off the ground and under shelter.

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(2) Due to the move of "C" Co, 3d Tank Bn from Chu Lai to the battalion C. P. area, 14 additional strong backs will be required.

(3) A new galley was constructed and is in use.

c. Sanitation. Frequent inspection by the Medical Authorities and close command attention to preventive medicine and area policies has resulted in no sanitation problems.

d. Food Services. The availability of Class I supplies and the supervised preparation of meals has continued to be one of the prime reason for the high state of morale which exists in the organization.

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COMMAND AND CONTROL

As in the past, command and control of tank elements in the III MAF area remained decentralized. Tank units were employed throughout the three enclaves as well as deployed afloat in support of the SLF.

3d Tank Battalion exercised complete control of the Battalion Headquarters tanks and the 1st and 2d Platoons of Company 'C'. The Headquarters tanks were employed on the Battalion Command Post perimeter. The 1st Platoon supported 3/3 under the supervision of Tank Battalion Headquarters. The 2d Platoon was in reserve.

Companies 'A' and 'B', 3d Tank Battalion, were in direct support of infantry regiments in the Da Nang Enclave while Company 'C' was attached to 4th Marines in the Chu Lai Enclave.

Companies 'A' and 'B', 1st Tank Battalion, were attached to the 1st and 7th Marines, respectively, in Chu Lai.

Operational control of tank elements was primarily exercised by supported infantry regiments. Administrative control of all five gun companies remained the responsibility of 3d Tank Battalion.

When operational control is exercised by infantry the requirement for close and frequent liaison with the supported unit is paramount. Command and representative liaison is constantly maintained to ensure mutual understanding and to promote coordination and cooperation.

Supervision of tank support continues to be exercised through frequent command and staff visits and conferences, daily communication and submission of periodic reports.

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COMMUNICATIONS-ELECTRONICS

Reliable communications were maintained through out the month of February to support tactical requirements.

One AN/GRC-125 radio set, a vehicular mounted version of the new radio set AN/PRC-25, has been received by this command and two AN/PRC-25 have been requisitioned on authority from the CG 3d MARDIV. The AN/GRC-125 radio set was received by this command minus cable assembly, radio frequency CG-1773/U, and cable assembly, special purpose, electrical EX-4722/VRC, which precludes the use of the radio set in the vehicular mounted version. These cables are on order.

Division tactical net #3, and the tank battalion's tactical net have been remoted into the battalion's newly constructed command bunker. The switch-board and radio central remain in the communications bunker.

The battalion's electronics-maintenance shop is temporarily without an adequate electrical power source to operate the electronic testing equipment necessary to perform 2d echelon maintenance. The PU-482, 30 KVA generator presently providing camp power is not adequate power to maintain a constant voltage source high enough to operate electronic testing equipment. Radio equipment evacuated from the field to the battalion's electronic-maintenance shop is being readily replaced if the like item is available in the limited electronic-maintenance float of this battalion.

Two metal telescopic telephone poles have been modified with climbing steps and retaining brackets, whereby a MP-68 can be mounted atop the pole. This will give additional height to the radiating antenna element, providing greater communications range and reliability and precludes the necessity of striking the RC-292 antenna for perodical preventive maintenance. By using a metallic telescopic pole as a mounting support for the MP-68, this precludes the necessity for guy wires which could possibly be cut by enemy smallarms and bursting shrapnel.

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Medical and Dental

Battalion sick call for the month of February was consistent with previous months. A total of 443 outpatients were treated. Colds and fungus infections of the skin were the most prevalent complaints.

One admission referral was made to "C" Med. Three patients were admitted to the sick list and hospitalized in this battalion aid station. Total sick days for the persons admitted was 30.

The civil action program for Phong Bac Village is being continued three times a week. A total of 720 treatments were given to 446 patients. Diseases of the skin and upper respiratory conditions were the majority treated.

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The 3d Tank Battalion continued to extend and intensify its Civic Action effort during February 1966. The Battalion Commander recognizing present demands and foreseeing the future demands of the Civic Action program has assigned a staff sergeant primary duties as NCOIC of Civic Action. The battalion Civic Action team now consists of the following: one 1stLt S-2/Civic Action Officer; one 1stLt Assistant Civic Action Officer (additional duty); one staff sergeant NCOIC; and one fireteam or squad as required for security and labor assistance. The obvious advantages accrued from this Civic Action team have afforded the Battalion broader horizons in the Civil Affairs field.

The following is a chronological summary of Civic Action projects and events which transpired during the month of February 1966.

On 4Feb66 the battalion distributed 200 lbs of clothing to the people of Phong Bac. About 200 people were on hand to receive these gifts. The distribution was accomplished through the chief with primary emphasis being placed on the need of individuals asking for the clothes.

On 5Feb66 the Civic Action team visited a different section of the hamlet and distributed 25 lbs of clothes to about 50 people. In addition 1000 bars of soap were passed out to 400 people while the patrol was enroute to the clothes distribution point. These bars were the small hotel size.

On 7Feb66 the battalion was approached by the Phong Bac Hamlet chief and five of the quarter chiefs concerning help in construction of a "Strategic Hamlet". The battalion commander in answer to the chiefs request for wire and metal stakes made it clear that the battalion was willing to help, but desired some time in which to plan the operation and gather the materials. The idea was discussed with 9th Marine Regiment who has overall cognizance of this area. The 9th Marines agreed to the battalion's plan to aid the villagers. Then the plan was taken to 3d Marine Division Civil Affairs where it was approved.

There are several problems associated with the construction, however, initially the problem is procurement of the barbed wire to construct the fence. GVN sources are unwilling to issue the wire from stock they have on hand. If the Marine supply system is called upon to supply the wire it could cause serious shortages. To completely build a five-strand fence around the hamlet would call for an estimated 6,000 meters of wire. It is felt that to do any good at all this is the minimum amount necessary. The battalion is continuing with the planning stages of this operation.

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On 12Feb66 an invitation was extended to the battalion commander to attend an annual prayer for peace celebration held at a historic Buddhist Pagoda in the hamlet of Phong Bac. The invitation was accepted. This is the third such invitation during 1966. The battalion has now received invitations to all important hamlet functions which have occurred this year.

On 18Feb66 a new group of officials were chosen/appointed. The following is a list of present appointed officials for the Hoa Tho village and Phong Bac Hamlet:

Hoa Tho Village

- A. Village Chief - NGYUEN CAN
- B. Asst. Village Chief - NGO VAN HOANG
- C. Youth Director - DOAN QUANG HIEN
- D. Psy-War Leader - TRAN NHU
- E. Police Chief - NGUYEN KHACH
- F. Finance Chief - NGUYEN BUT

Phong Bac Hamlet

- A. Hamlet Chief - NGO PHU
- B. Vice Chief - NGUYEN DUONG
- C. Quarter Chiefs -
 - 1. PHUNG HIEN
 - 2. ONG VAN THAN
 - 3. NGO HOAN
 - 4. NGUYEN DUONG

On 19Feb66 the battalion began taking a census of Phong Bac Hamlet. This work was completed on the 24th of Feb66. The total population count was 1,258 persons living in 232 houses. The census included numbering the houses, recording ID's and numbers where applicable, recording the "lien gia" in which the house was located and the date of birth of occupants. The hamlet was also divided into sectors numbered I,II,III. This enhances distribution of aid as well as population control.

On 21Feb66 the commanding officer, civil affairs officer, Sergeant Major, and the NCOIC of civil affairs attended the annual Phong Bac "prayers for peace" ceremony. In view of the recent Viet Cong assassination of the village chief of Le My a similar Buddhist ceremony, the battalion commander invited the village chief, NGUYEN CAN, to accompany him to the ceremony. The battalion commander with a security squad, picked up the chief at his office and provided transportation for the chief's personal security squad of PF's. The tank battalion kept the area surrounding the Pagoda under surveillance for two days preceding the ceremony and had two squads deployed around the area during the ceremony. The village chief and some of the elders who participated in the ceremony expressed appreciation to the battalion commander for this protection during their celebration. The ceremony consisted of an opening worship service followed by a dinner and speeches. This affair has resulted in an even closer relationship between the Marines and the villagers.

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On 23Feb66 the battalion with the assistance of the Phong Bac Hamlet presented 900 lbs of rice and 100 lbs of clothes to the Hoa Tho village chief for distribution to the needy people of Phong Bac Hamlet. It is interesting to note that several months ago, distribution of commodities to the villagers was closely supervised by the battalion to prevent pilferage and illicit selling. At this time it is felt that both chiefs are trustworthy and capable of handling the distribution by themselves only with minimum assistance from the battalion.

On 24Feb66 "Operation County Fair" began. The mission of the operation was threefold:

First, Hoa Vang District suspects that there are guerrillas who live and operate on a permanent basis in Phong Bac Hamlet. They desired to apprehend these people. This battalion accepts the fact that from time to time a few guerrillas do operate in Phong Bac, however, it is difficult to accept the fact that guerrillas are living and operating in the hamlet on a permanent basis for several reasons. First, the 3d Tank Battalion has heavily saturated the hamlet with day and night patrols from which little or no contact has resulted. It would seem highly probable that the battalion's patrols carry a list of the suspected guerrillas' names and are familiar with the people of the hamlet.

Second, from time to time the people of the hamlet report Viet Cong activity to the chief. Which evidences the state of pacification achieved by the battalion. This occurs, however, only occasionally but it is felt that all occasions are reported by the people of the hamlet.

The second part of "Operation County Fair" was to train popular forces in proper methods of searching and clearing a hamlet. This part of the mission was partially accomplished.

The third part of the mission was to conduct psyops designed to create a greater awareness of the GVN. This was probably the successful portion of the operation.

The 3d Tank Battalion participated in "County Fair" in an advisory capacity. Being familiar with the people, members of the Battalion Civic Action Team were able to aid in identification of persons detained by Hoa Vang District. Also the battalion contributed interpreter support to the operation.

It is felt that "County Fair" achieved little save the effect of the psyops which were conducted. The village and hamlet officials were completely ignored by the district during the operation. No use of them was made either in administration or in identification and questioning. It is felt that this breakdown in the GVN chain of command indicates great weakness at the district level.

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On 28Feb66 the concrete deck was laid in the first room of the Phong Bac School. The plans for this civic action project, which will take about 10 days to complete, are 1) to lay a complete concrete deck in the two rooms and on the porch running the length of the school, 2) to furnish tin to complete a portion of the roof which is thatched at the present time and to fill bullet holes in the existing tin roof, 3) to paint the school inside and out, 4) to provide one large map of the RVN for each room of the school and a globe for each room, and 5) to provide one school kit to each pupil.

The battalion continued its MedCap Program this month giving 720 treatments to 446 people. The fact that these figures are lower than January points out two facts. First, the care which the people have received has reduced illness considerably. Second, the month of February was shorter and thus allowed several less sessions.

It is concluded from this month's civic action successes that 1) the civic action team concept currently employed by this battalion is most effective, 2) the civic action program conducted in Phong Bac Hamlet is the dominant influence directing the people away from the Viet Cong and into the folds of the GVN.

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Documents:

Tab A: SITREP #32 - 58

Tab B: S-1 Journal

Tab C: S-2 Journal

Tab D: S-3 Journal

Tab E: S-4 Journal

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3D TK BN SITREP NUMBER 32 AS OF 011800H FEB 66

1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 311800H ONE TANK FROM "B" COMPANY HIT A MINE AT (BT085656). MODERATE DAMAGE TO TANK, AT 311815H TANKS FROM "B" COMPANY AIDING DAMAGED TANK AT (BT085656) RECEIVED SA FIRE INCLUDING AW FROM UNKNOWN LOCATION. FIRE NOT RETURNED BECAUSE OF CLOSE PROXIMITY OF MARINE INFANTRY UNIT. AT 010940H ONE TANK FROM "B" COMPANY FIRED PREP FIRES FOR MARINE INFANTRY ON CANEFIELD AT (AT997638). EXPENDED 24 90MM WP. AT 011230H THREE TANKS FROM "B" COMPANY AT (AT981623) ENGAGED VC AT (BT005630). VC WERE DELIVERING HEAVY SA FIRE ON MARINE INFANTRY. EXPENDED 69 90MM HE AND 17 90MM WP. RESULTS UNKNOWN.
2. OPERATIONS. 3D TK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3D MARDIV.
3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT 3D MARDIV. CONDUCT NIGHT PATROL VICINITY BN CP.
4. N/A
5. MISCELLANEOUS. NEGATIVE

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3D TK BN SITREP NUMBER 33 AS OF 021800H FEB 66

1. HIGHLIGHTS. LATE REPORT. ON 31 JAN, 3D PLT, "B" CO FIRED INDIRECT FIRE MISSIONS FROM (AT970620) ON TARGETS AR (AT967468), (AT982456), (AT947470), (AT945465). EXPENDED 57 RDS 90MM. AT 011525H 3D PLT "B" CO AT (AT970620) FIRED MISSION AT VIC (BT000620) ON SUSPECTED VC POSNS, RESULTS UNKNOWN. AT 011620H TKS FROM "B" CO AT (AT993645) FIRED COVERING FIRE FOR MARINE PATROL. FIRE DIRECTED VIC (AT997638). EXPENDED 13 90MM WP AND 5 90MM HE. RESULTS UNKNOWN. AT 011715 A TK FROM "B" CO AT (BT062632) RECD SA FIRE FROM VC AT (BT062626). RETURNED 2 90MM WP. RESULTS UNKNOWN. AT 011910H 2 TKS FROM "B" CO AT (AT970620) FIRED HKK ON 6 TO 8 VC ARMED WITH AUTOMATIC WPNS AT (AT977600). AO CALLED AND AJUSTED MISSION. AO EST 6 VC KIA. ON 2 FEB 3DPLT "B" CO FIRED INDIRECT FIRE MISSIONS, FROM (AT970620) ON TARGETS AT (AT995471), (AT991492), (AT995471), (AT939499), (AT929456), (AT993502), (AT972460), AND (AT947470) EXPENDED 68 RDS 90MM. ON 2 FEB ONE TK FROM "A" CO AT (AT947754) FIRED INDIRECT FIRE MISSION AT (AT825890) EXPENDED 6 RDS HE AND 2 RDS WP.

2. OPERATIONS. 3D TK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT 3D MAR DIV.

3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT 3D MAR DIV. CONDUCT NIGHT AMBUSH VIC BN CP.

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3D TK BN SITREP NUMBER 34 AS OF 031800H FEB 66

1. **HIGHLIGHTS.** AT 031200H ONE TK FROM "B" COMPANY AT (AT993615) FIRED PREP FIRES ON CANEFIELD AT (AT997638) FOR INFANTRY PATROL. EXPENDED 12 90MM HE. FROM 031100H TO 031445H 3D PLT "B" COMPANY CONDUCTED INDIRECT FIRE MISSION ON TARGET AT (AT945474). EXPENDED 24 90MM HE AND 3 90MM WP WITH AO ADJUSTING. EFFECT ON TARGET UNKNOWN. FROM 021700H TO 030700H PROVIDED ONE INFANTRY PLT (REIN) TO SUPPORT 1/9. FROM 030700 TO 031700 PROVIDED ONE INFANTRY SQUAD (REIN) TO SUPPORT 1/9.
2. **OPERATIONS.** 3D TK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3D MARDIV. 3D TK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE ONE INFANTRY PLT ON STANDBY FOR IMMEDIATE EMPLOYMENT IN 3D MARDIV TAOR.
3. **PLANS SUMMARY.** CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3D MARDIV.
4. N/A
5. **MISCELLANEOUS.** NEGATIVE

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3D TK BN SITREP NUMBER 35 AS OF 041800H FEB 1966

1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 040945H A CO "B" TK AT (AT 993646) FIRED PREP FIRES ON CANEFIELD AT (AT 997644) IN SPT OF INFANTRY. EXPENDED 24 RDS 90 MM HE FROM 031700 TO 040700 PROVIDED TWO INFANTRY SQUADS (RRIN) TO SPT 1/9.
2. OPERATION. 3D TK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3D MARDIV.
3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3D MARDIV.
4. N/A
5. MISCELLANEOUS. NEGATIVE.

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3D TK BN SITREP NUMBER 36 AS OF 051800H FEB 66

1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 050730H 2 TKS FROM COMPANY "B" IN SPT OF INFANTRY PATROL FIRED ON VC AT (AT950607). VC HAD FIRED ON PATROL. TKS EXPENDED 2 90MM WP AND 5 90MM HE. RESULTS UNKNOWN. AT 051210H 1 TK FROM COMPANY "B" AT (AT993646) FIRED PREP FIRES ON CANEFIELD AT (AT997644). EXPENDED 2 90MM WP AND 10 90MM HE.
2. OPERATIONS. 3D TK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3D MARDIV.
3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT OF 3D MARDIV. CONDUCT SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATION VIC BN CP.
4. N/A
5. MISCELLANEOUS. BN CP LOCATION AT (AT989708)

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1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 051600H 2 TKS FROM CO "B" DESTROYED A VC FORTIFICATION AT (BT075663). EXPENDED 4 RDS 90MM HE. AT 051600H TK BN HQ CONDUCTED A S AND C OF PHONG BAC VILLAGE (AT990705). NEG. RESULTS. AT 061245 A CO "B" TK AT (AT993405) FIRED PREP FIRES ON CANEFIELD AT (AT997638) IN SPT OF INFANTRY. EXPENDED 11 90MM HE AND 1 90MM WP. AT ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ 061400H A CO "B" TK AT (AT993645) FIRED ON UNKNOWN NUMBER VC AT (AT997638). VC WERE FIRING ON MARINE PATROL. TKS EXPENDED 17 90MM HE and 1 90MM WP. VC FIRE CEASED.
2. OPERATIONS. 3d TK BN CONTINUES TK CMBT SPT FOR 3D MARDIV. CONDUCTED DAYLIGHT PATROL. VIC BN CP.
3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT 3D MARDIV.
4. N/A
5. MISCELLANEOUS. NEGATIVE.

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3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER 38 AS OF 071800H FEB 1966

1. **HIGHLIGHTS.** AT 070905H A COB TK AT (AT 970620) FIRED 5 RDS 90MM HE ON UNKNOWN NUMBER VC AT (AT 615975). TARGET MARKED BY AO. RESULTS UNKNOWN. AT 071050H A COB TK AT (AT 993644) FIRED PREP FIRE ON TREE LINE AT (AT 997638) IN SPT OF INFANTRY. EXPENDED 12 RDS 90MM HE. FROM 061900H TO 070500H THE 3D PLAT COB FIRED INDIRECT H&I's ON TARGETS AT (AT 972460) AND (AT 970450). EXPENDED 29 RDS 90MM HE.
2. **OPERATIONS.** 3D TANK BN CONTINUES TK CMBT SPT FOR 3DMARDIV.
3. **PLANS SUMMARY.** CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT 3DMARDIV.
4. N/A.
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1. **HIGHLIGHTS.** AT 071914H A COB TK AT (AT 966618) REC'D 15 RDS SA FIRE FROM VC AT (AT 962624). AT 081145H A COB TK AT (AT 993645) FIRED PREP FIRES ON CANEFIELD AT (AT 997638) IN SPT OF INFANTRY. EXPENDED 12 RDS 90MM HE. AT 081245H SEVERAL VC WITH WPNS RAN INTO CANEFIELD AT (AT 972627). A COB TANK AT (AT 968622) EXPENDED 3 RDS 90MM WP AND 1 RD 90MM HE AT AREA VC WENT INTO. RESULTS UNKNOWN. AT APPROXIMATELY 081330H A CH-37 HELICOPTER REC'D 1 RD SA FIRE FROM VILLAGE OF PHONG BAC (AT 992707). AREA SEARCHED BY TK BN HQ PERSONNEL WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. FROM 072000H TO 080500H THE 3D PLT, COB AT (AT 970620) FIRED INDIRECT H & I'S ON TARGETS AT (AT 947470), (AT 945474), (AT 918465). EXPENDED 27 RDS 90MM.
2. **OPERATIONS.** 3D TANK BN CONTINUES TK CMVT SPT FOR 3DMARDIV.
3. **PLANS SUMMARY.** CONTINUE TK CMVT SPT 3DMARDIV. PROVIDE AN INFANTRY PLT (REIN) TO SPT 1/9.
4. N/A.
5. **MISCELLANEOUS.** NEGATIVE.

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3D TANK BN. SITREP NUMBER 40 AS OF 091800H FEB 1966

1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 091030H A COB TK AT (AT 993654) FIRED PREP FIRES ON CANEFIELD AT (AT 997638) IN SPT OF INFANTRY. EXPENDED 12 RDS 90 MM HE.
2. OPERATIONS. 3D TANK BN. CONTINUES TK CMBT SPT FOR THE 3DMARDIV.
3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT FOR THE 3DMARDIV.
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1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 091630H AN AO SAW VC ON RAPT AT (AT 945474). A TK FROM COB AT (AT 965617) FIRED ON VC AS THEY DISPERSED WITH AO DIRECTING. EXPENDED 31 RDS 90MM HE AND 5 RDS 90MM WP. RESULTS UNK. FROM 092000H TO 100500H 3DPLT COB AT (AT 970620) FIRED ID H&I's ON TARGETS AT (AT 946472), (BT 022483), (BT 006463), AND (AT 939475). EXPENDED 35 RDS 90MM HE. AT 101105H A COB TK AT (AT 993645) FIRED PREP FIRE ON CANEFIELD AT (AT 997638). EXPENDED 12 RDS 90MM HE.

2. OPERATIONS. 3D TANK BN CONTINUES TK CMBT SPT 3DMARDIV. CONDUCTED DAYLIGHT PATROL VIC BN CP.

3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT 3DMARDIV.

4. N/A.

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3D TANK BN. SITREP NUMBER 42 AS OF 111800H FEB 1966.

1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 111130H A COB TK AT (AT 993644) FIRED ON CANE FIELD AT (AT 997638). INFANTRY WAS RECEIVING SA FIRE FROM CANE FIELD. EXPENDED 7 RDS 90MM HE. RESULTS UNK.
2. OPERATIONS. 3D TANK BN. CONTINUES TK CMBT SPT FOR THE 3DMARDIV.
3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT 3DMARDIV.
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1. HIGHLIGHTS. FROM 111300H TO 120500H THE SDPLT, COB AT (AT 970620) FIRED ID H&I's ON TARGETS AT (AT 962488), (AT 946472), AND (AT 947468). EXPENDED 40 RDS 90MM HE AND 7 RDS 90MM WP. AT 120830H A COB TK AT (AT 993645) FIRED PREP FIRES ON CANEFIELD AT (AT 997634). EXPENDED 15 RDS 90MM HE. AT 120945H A COB TK AT (AT 993645) FIRED DIRECT H&I's ON A CANEFIELD AT (AT 997634). EXPENDED 6 RDS 90MM HE.
2. OPERATIONS. 3D TANK BN. CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR THE 3DMARDIV.
3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3DMARDIV. CONDUCT S & C OPERATION VIC BN CP.
4. N/A.
5. MISCELLANEOUS. TK BN CP LOC (AT 989708) TK BN PERS CONDUCTED SA FIREX HOA CAM RANGE.

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1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 121830H TWO CO B TKS AT (AT993645) FIRED ON AN ESTIMATED 20 VC IN A CANEFIELD AT (AT997634). VC WERE FIRING ON MARINE PATROL. TKS EXPENDED 50 RDS 90 MM HE AND 5 RDS 90 MM WP. RESULTS UNKNOWN. AT 130945H A CO B TK AT (AT993644) FIRED DIRECT H&I's ON CANEFIELD AND TREELINE AT (AT997639). EXPENDED 6 RDS 90 MM HE.
2. OPERATIONS. 3D TK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR THE 3D MAR. DIV. CONDUCTED S & C OPN VIC BN CP.
3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT 3D MAR DIV.
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1. HIGHLIGHTS. FROM 131900H TO 140700H COB TKS AT (AT 970620) FIRED ID H&I's ON TARGETS AT (AT 948462), (AT 947447), (AT 967468). EXPENDED 30 RDS 90mm HE. AT 141000H A COB TK AT (AT 993645) FIRED DIRECT H&I's ON CANEFIELD AT (AT 997638). EXPENDED 10 RDS 90mm HE.
2. OPERATIONS. 3D TANK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3DMARDIV. CONDUCTED DAYLIGHT PATROL VIC BN CP. TM BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE LONG RANGE H&I FIRES OUTSIDE THE TAOR IN SPT OF ARVN UNITS.
3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3DMARDIV.
4. N/A.
5. MISCELLANEOUS. NEGATIVE.

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C O N F I D E N T I A L

3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER ⁴⁶45 AS OF 151800H FEB 1966

1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 141815H TWO COB TKS AT (AT 970620) FIRED ON 10 VC AT (AT 948623) WITH AO ADJ. EXPENDED 8 RDS 90MM HE & 2 RDS 90MM WP. 3 VC KIA (CONFIRMED) AND 3 VC KIA (PROBABLE). FROM 141700H TO 150700H THE 3DPIT COB AT (AT 970620) FIRED ID H&I's ON TARGETS AT (AT 945445), (AT 951445), (AT 960440), AND (AT 990445). EXPENDED 32 RDS 90MM HE. AT 151030H A COB TK AT (AT 993645) FIRED DIRECT H&I's ON A CANEFIELD AND TREELINE AT (AT 993638). EXPENDED 14 RDS 90MM HE.
2. OPERATIONS. 3D TK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3DMARDIV. 3D TK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE LONG RANGE H&I's FOR ARVN UNITS.
3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3DMARDIV.
4. N/A.
5. MISCELLANEOUS. TK BN CP IS INCORRECTLY LISTED IN SITREP CP LOCATIONS. 3D TK BN IS LOCATED AT (AT 989708).

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C O N F I D E N T I A L

3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER ⁴⁷ AS OF 161800H FEB 1966

1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 151930H A COB TK AT (BT 075643) REC'D APPROX 40 RDS SA FIRE FR UNK NUMBER VC AT (BT 064645). MARINE INFANTRY RETURNED FIRE. RESULTS UNK. AT 161230H TWO COB TKS AT (BT 063633) FIRED PREP FIRES ON TRENCHLINE AND RIDGELINE AT (BT 065628) IN SPT D 1/9. EXPENDED 14 90mm HE & 8 90mm WP RDS. AT 161300H A COB TK HIT A MINE AT (BT 064633). LIGHT DAMAGE TO TK. TK RETURNED TO D 1/9 CP UNDER OWN POWER. CRATER 3 FT IN DIA & $2\frac{1}{2}$ FT DEEP. NO INITIATING DEVICE WAS FOUND.

2. OPERATIONS. 3D TANK BN CONTINUES TK CMBT SPT FOR 3DMARDIV.

3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT 3DMARDIV. CONDUCT S&C OPN VIC BNCP.

4. N/A.

5. MISCELLANEOUS. TK BN CP IS INCORRECTLY LISTED IN SITREP CP LOCATIONS. 3D TANK BN IS LOCATED AT (AT 989708).

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3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER ⁴⁸ 47 AS OF 171800H FEB 1966

1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 161845H A CO B TK AT (AT980622) FIRED ON TWO MEN IN A BOAT AT (AT982621). EXPENDED 300 RDS CAL 30 AND 25 RDS CAL 50. RESULTS UNKNOWN. AT 170910H A CO B TK AT (AT993645) FIRED DIRECT H&I'S ON CANEFIELD AT (AT947638). EXPENDED 10 RDS 90 MM HE AND 2 90 MM WP. AT 171155H A CO B TK AT (AT970620) FIRED INDIRECT ON SUSPECTED VC FOOD STORAGE AREA AT (AT945445). EXPENDED 4 RDS 90 MM HE AND 4 RDS 90 MM WP. GOOD EFFECT ON TARGET.

2. OPERATIONS. 3D TK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR THE 3D MAR DIV. CONDUCTED S & C OPN VIC BN CP.

3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3D MAR DIV.

4. N/A

5. MISCELLANEOUS. TK BN IS INCORRECTLY LISTED IN SITREP CP LOCATIONS. 3D TK BN IS LOCATED (AT989708).

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3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER ⁴⁹ AS OF 181800H FEB 1966

1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 171500H A COB TK AT (BT 104643) EXPENDED 2 RDS 90MM CANISTER ON A SUSPECTED VC POSN AT (BT 099647). RESULTS UNK. AT 171930H A COB TK AT (AT 963627) FIRED ON 2 SAMPANS AT (AT 958603). EXPENDED 4 RDS 90MM HE ON FIRST SAMPAN, SINKING IT. ESTIMATE 2 VC KIA. EXPENDED 1 RD 90MM HE ON SECOND SAMPAN RESULTS UNK. FROM 171730H TO 180500H A COB TK AT (AT 970620) FIRED ID H&I'S ON TARGETS AT (AT 947447) AND (AT 951445). EXPENDED 15 RDS 90MM HE. AT 180800H 3 COB TKS DESTROYED A TRENCHLINE AT (AT 956626) BY CRUSHING ACTION.

2. OPERATIONS. 3D TANK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMHT SPT FOR THE 3D MARDIV.

3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMHT SPT FOR THE 3D MARDIV. CONDUCT NIGHT AmbUSHES VTC BN CP.

4. N/A.

5. MISCELLANEOUS. TANK BN IS INCORRECTLY LISTED IN SITREP CP LOCATIONS. 3D TANK BN IS LOCATED AT (AT 989708).

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3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER 50 AS OF 191800H FEB 1966

1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 181705H 3 COB TKS AT (AT 970620) FIRED ON 4 VC RUNNING INTO WOODLINE AT (AT 983618). EXPENDED 9 RDS 90MM WP AND 3 RDS 90MM HE WITH AO ADJ. ESTI 3 VC KIA. AT 181950H A COB TK AT (AT 958603) FIRED ON A SAMPAN AT (AT 963627). EXPENDED 200 RDS CAL. .30. ESTI 1 VC KIA. FR 181800H-190500H COB TKS AT (AT 970620) FIRED ID H&I's ON TARGETS AT (AT 939499), (AT 985493), (AT 982456), AND (AT 991492). EXPENDED 42 RDS 90MM HE & 9 RDS 90MM WP. AT 181330H A COA TK AT (AT 934664) FIRED ID H&I's ON A TARGET AT (AT 881665). EXPENDED 9 RDS 90MM WP. FR 182000H-190700H A COA TK AT (AT 934664) FIRED ID H&I's ON TARGETS AT (AT 856663) AND (AT 862664). EXPENDED 5 RDS 90MM HE & 7 RDS 90MM WP. AT 191015H A COB TK AT (AT 993644) FIRED DIRECT H&I's ON A TREELINE AND CANEFIELD AT (AT 997638). EXPENDED 12 RDS 90MM HE.

2. OPERATIONS. 3D TANK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3DMARDIV. CONDUCTED AMBUSH VIC BN CP.

3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT 3DMARDIV. CONDUCT PATROL VIC BN CP.

4. N/A.

5. MISCELLANEOUS. TK BN CP IS INCORRECTLY LISTED IN SITREP CP LOCATIONS. 3D TANK BN IS LOCATED AT (AT 989708).
TANK BOX SCORES: TK BN UNITS CONDUCTED 3 OBS MISSIONS AND 7 H&I MISSIONS. 6 MISSIONS IN SPT MAF AND 4 MISSIONS IN SPT RVN. EXPENDED 34 RDS 90MM WP & 62 RDS 90MM HE.

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FROM: CO, 3D TK BN
TO: CG, 3D MARDIV

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3D TK BN SITREP NUMBER 51 AS OF 201800H FEB 1966

1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 191615H A COMPANY "B" TANK AT (AT980623) FIRED ON BOAT WITH ONE VC OCCUPANT AT (AT978617). BOAT WAS SUNK AND 1 VC KIA (CONFIRMED). EXPENDED 150 RDS 30 CAL. AT 191730H A COMPANY "B" TANK AT (BT 092624) FIRED ON UNKNOWN NUMBER VC AT (BT 086627). VC POSN MARKED BY AO WITH SMOKE. EXPENDED 8 90MM HE. RESULTS UNKNOWN. AT 192000H A COMPANY "B" TANK HIT AN AT MINE AT (BT 059661). LIGHT DAMAGE TO TANK. TANK RETURNED TO CP UNDER OWN POWER. FROM 191830H TO 200500H COMPANY "B" TANKS AT (AT 970620) CONDUCTED INDIRECT H&I'S ON TARGETS AT (AT 945465), (AT 972460), (AT 970450), AND (AT 993502). EXPENDED 16 90MM HE. AT 201400H A COMPANY "B" TANK AT (AT 993646) FIRED DIRECT H&I'S ON A CANEFIELD AT (AT 997644). EXPENDED 10 RDS 90MM HE.

2. OPERATIONS. 3D TK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR THE 3D MARDIV. CONDUCTED PATROL VIC BN CP.

3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3D MARDIV.

4. N/A

5. MISCELLANEOUS. TK BN CP IS INCORRECTLY LISTED IN SITREP CP LOCATIONS.

3D TK BN IS LOCATED AT (AT 989708).

TANK BOX SCORES: TK BN UNITS CONDUCTED 2 OBS MISSIONS AND 5 H&I MISSIONS. 3 MISSIONS IN SPT MAF AND 4 MISSIONS IN SPT RVN. EXPENDED 34 RDS 90MM HE.

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C O N F I D E N T I A L

3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER 52 AS OF 211800H FEB 1966

1. HIGHLIGHTS. AT 201715H A COB TK AT (AT 966621) FIRED ON 4 VC IN THE OPEN AT (AT 987608). VC ARMED WITH RIFLES AND WEARING PACKS. EXPENDED 4 RDS 90MM HE. 4 VC KIA (CONFIRMED). FR 202000H-202400H COB TKS AT (AT 970620) FIRED ID H&I's ON TARGETS AT (AT 995471), (AT 929465), (AT 918465), AND (AT 939475). EXPENDED 42 RDS 90MM HE. AT 211200H 2 COB TKS AT (BT 064630) IN SPT I, 3/9 FIRED ON VC POSNS AT (BT 062628). EXPENDED 5 RDS 90MM HE, 4 RDS 90MM CANNISTER, AND 10 RDS 90MM WP. 5 BUNKERS DESTROYED.

2. OPERATIONS. 3D TANK BN CONTINUES TO PROVIDE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3DMARDIV. CONDUCTED SEC PATROLS VIC BN CP.

3. PLANS SUMMARY. CONTINUE TK CMBT SPT FOR 3DMARDIV. CONDUCT SEC PATROLS VIC BN CP.

4. N/A.

5. MISCELLANEOUS. TK BN IS INCORRECTLY LISTED IN SITREP OP LOCATIONS. 3D TANK BN IS LOCATED AT (AT 989708).

TANK BOX SCORES: TKBN UNITS CONDUCTED 2 OBS MISSIONS AND 4 H&I MISSIONS. 2 MISSIONS IN SPT MAF AND 4 MISSIONS IN SPT RVN. EXPENDED 51 RDS 90MM HE, 4 RDS 90MM CANNISTER, 10 RDS 90MM WP.

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3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER 53 AS OF 231800 FEB 1966

A. 3D TANK BATTALION**(1) TANK BOX SCORES**

	<u>NUMBER MISSIONS</u>				<u>SUPPORTING</u>		
	<u>OBS</u>	<u>UNOBS</u>	<u>H&I</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>MAF</u>	<u>RVN</u>	<u>OTHER</u>
90MM	1	10	11	11	1	10	

ROUNDS EXPENDED

	<u>HE</u>	<u>WP</u>	<u>CANNISTER</u>
90MM	80		

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3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER 54 AS OF 241800H FEB 1966

A. 3D TANK BATTALION**(1) TANK BOX SCORES**NUMBER MISSIONSSUPPORTING

	OBS	UNOBS	H&I	TOTAL	MAF	RVN	OTHER
90MM	X ¹⁸		14	14		14	

ROUNDS EXPENDEDHE WP CANNISTER

90MM 76

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3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER 55 AS OF 251800H FEB 1966

A. 3D TANK BN

(1) TANK BOX SCORES

	<u>NUMBER MISSIONS</u>			<u>SUPPORTING</u>			
	<u>OBS</u>	<u>UNOBS</u>	<u>H&I</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>MAF</u>	<u>RVN</u>	<u>OTHER</u>
90MM	4			4	4		

ROUNDS EXPENDED

	<u>HE</u>	<u>WP</u>	<u>CANNISTER</u>
90MM	12		

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3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER 56 AS OF 261800H FEB 1966

A. 3D TANK BN

(1) TANK BOX SCORES

90MM	<u>OBS</u>	<u>UNOBS</u>	<u>H&I</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>SUPPORTING</u>		
					<u>MAF</u>	<u>RVN</u>	<u>OTHER</u>
			4	4		4	

ROUNDS EXPENDED

90MM	<u>HE</u>	<u>WP</u>	<u>CANNISTER</u>

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3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER 57 AS OF 271800H FEB 1966

AT: 3D TANK BN(1) TANK BOX SCORES

	<u>NUMBER MISSIONS</u>			<u>SUPPORTING</u>			
	OBS	UNOBS	H&I	TOTAL	MAP	RVN	OTHER
90MM	1		4	5	1	4	

BOUNDS EXPENDED

	HE	WP	<u>CANNISTER</u>
90MM	25	2	

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3D TANK BN SITREP NUMBER 58 AS OF 281800H FEB 1966

A. 3D TANK BN

(1) TANK BOX SCORES

	<u>NUMBER MISSIONS</u>			<u>SUPPORTING</u>			
	<u>OBS</u>	<u>UNOBS</u>	<u>H&I</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>MAF</u>	<u>RVN</u>	<u>OTHER</u>
90MM	3		4	7	3	4	

ROUNDS EXPENDED

	<u>HE</u>	<u>WP</u>	<u>CANNISTER</u>
90MM	13	13	3

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		1		Feb 1 Submitted Semi-Monthly Status Report to Div G-1	SF
0900		1		Feb 2 Battalion Commanders Conference for all Executive and special Staff and Company Commanders	SF
				Feb 3 Nothing eventful to report	
0900		2	020135Z	Feb 4 Fm CG 3d Mar Div REQuest Pickup of ARECOS material by RPS Custodian	SE
0900		2	030925Z	Fm CG 3d Mar Div Visit of Marine Corps on site Exam Team for Disbursing Matters	
0900		3	031128Z	Fm CG 3d Mar Div Applicants for Flight Training	SFT
0900		4	011542Z	Fm CMC Message to Women Marines on 230th Anniversary	SF
0900		5	031138Z	Fm CG 3d Mar Div Request Mast Procedures	SF
0900		6	030800Z	Fm CG 3d Mar Div Report of casualties Fm "B" Co-Lcpl David J SCANLON, Cpl Gary L OWENS and Cpl Richard J GILLIAM receive wounds when Tank hit a mine-Returned to Duty	SF
				Feb 5 Nothing eventful to report	

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0900		1	060635Z	Feb. 7	Incl. 1. MSGs, Orders Fm CG 3d Mar Div DI/Recruiter School Nominees-RTD Feb 66	
0900		2	060602Z		Fm CG 3d Mar Div Report of Casualties PFC BROXSON of "B" Co	STF
0900		3	270511Z		Fm CG 3d Mar Div Casualty reporting- Erroneous Reporting of Personal data	SF
0900		4	040306Z		Fm CG 3d Mar Div Navy League Awards	SF
0900		5	0105512Z		Fm CG 3d Mar Div Extension of overseas tours (DivBul 1300)	STF
0900		6	010550Z		Fm CG 3d Mar Div Conduct of Marines on Liberty (DivBul 1050)	STF
0900		7	030926Z		Fm CG 3d Mar Div Visit by Disbursing on site inspection team,	SF
0900		8	29006Z		Fm SECNAV- SecNav note 7220-Commutted Rations	SF
0900		9	050631Z		Fm CG 3d Mar Div- Joining entries on WESTPAC unit diaries and PARs	STF
0900		10	021605Z		Fm SECNAV- Basegram SECNAV Note 4050-Storage of house- hold goods incident to TAD	STF
0900		11	272032		Fm SECNAV-BASEGRAM SECVAV Note 7220 Waiver of Jump requirements Due to Combat Conditions	SF
0900		12	040109Z		Fm CG 3d Mar Div Temporary Officer Program	SF
0900		13	290802Z		Fm CG 3d Mar Div WESTPAC Personnel Account- ing System--Jurisdiction and Repoting procedures	ENCLOSURE C CONFIDENTIAL

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0900	14	270146Z		
0900	15	060652	Fm CG 3d MarDiv-Div Adjutant will inspect for RTDs in system Ref CG Mesg 050631Z	STF
1300	1	"	Feb 8 Commanding Generals inspection of Bn S-1 Section by Div G-1 Section-Results were Satisfactory	SF
0900	1	0809464	Feb 9 Fm CG 3d MarDiv-RPS Training	SF
0900	2	060352Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv Recommendations for meritorious promotion to Sgt Due to Div by 25 Feb	STF
0900	3	071210Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Storage of Household goods	STF
0900	4	061404Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Readdressal of CG FMFPac MSG pleased with visit well done	STF
0900	5	"	Inspection of Bn Adjutant section By Div Adj on CO inspection- Results were Satisfactory	SF
			Feb 10 Nothing eventful to report-	
			Feb 11 Fm CMC- ALMAR-MCO 7220.24 CH#/ Variable Reenlistment Bonus program	STF

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TN	OUT	NO	GROUP		Fm CG 3d Mar Div	
0900		2	081000Z		Immunization Certificate for Phillipine R&R	STF
0900		3	080320Z		Fm CG 3d Mar DIV Awards and Decorations	STF
0900		4	080340Z		Fm CG 3d Mar DIV BGen English CG 3d Mar Div Acting	STF
0900		5	080954Z		Fm CG 3d Mar Div Malaria Prophylaxis Requirements on R&R	STF
0900		6	090550Z		Fm CG 3d Mar Div Report of casualties Pvt. William D. ONEAL B Co 1st TKBn Gunshot rt shoulder condition good	STF
0900		7	100645Z		Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Report of Battle Casualties	STF
1400		1			Feb 12 Commanding General's inspection of Legal Section by Div Legal Officer-Results were Satisfactory	SF
0900		1	121600		Feb 13 Fm Blatsburg-Alpha 6 to SS- Negative on Recommendation for Sgt.	SF
0900		1	131226Z		Feb 14 Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Early rotation Apr-Jun66 RTD	SF
0900		2	140057Z		Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Missing SRB's	SF
0900		3	130636Z		Fm CG 3d MarDiv- DANang clean-up Campaigne	STF

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IN	OUT	NO.	GROUP	Fm CNO- Separation Policy for Naval Pers	STF
0900	4	081934Z		Fm CNO- Separation Policy for Naval Pers	STF
0900	5	110151Z		Fm CINCPACFLT Free postage to Canada	STF
0900	6	120248Z		Fm CMC- Basegram- MC6 1900.12A CH2- Separation policy for regular Marine Corps Personnel	STF
0900	7	110235Z		Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Assignment to NROTC Instructor Duty for GySgt/SSGT	STF
0900	1	140830Z		Feb 15 Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Ch1 to Div Bul 1650 of 21Jan65	SF
0900	1	151233Z		Feb 16 Fm CNO- FDHDP for Flight deck crews	SF
0900	2			Submitted Semi-monthly Status report to Div G-1	SF
				Feb 17 Nothing eventful to report	
0900	1	080520Z		Feb 18 Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Typewriters	SF
0900	2	160656Z		Fm CG 3d MarDiv- April Rotation	SF
0900	3	160209Z		Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Report of casualties 1st Lt John B. MATHEWS of B Co Fracture left foot when tank hit mine	STF
0900	4	171450Z		Fm CG 3d MarDiv- nomination for ASG to MARBKs Subic Bay	STF

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TIME TIME IN OUT	SERIAL SERIAL NO	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS MESSAGES ORDERS	ACTION TAKE
1000	5		Bn Adj to 3days TAD Okinawa, Camp Buttler	S
			Feb 19	
0900	1	031603Z	Fm MARBKs NAVSTA SFRAN Sgt R. A. WALLACE will not apply for Humanitarian trasfer	SF
			Feb 20	
			Nothing eventful to report	
			Feb 21	
0900	1	171831Z	Fm CINCPACFLT note 1730 Ash Wednesday	SF
0900	2	190410Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv traffic offenders	STF
0900	3	200925Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv Reassignment of supply personnel	STF
0900	4	190241Z	Fm CINCPACFLT- Basegram- notice 5840- Duty on Alcoholic Beverages & Tobacco	STF
			Feb 22	
1100	1		Bn Adj returned from TAD	S
			Feb 23	
0900	1	222345Z	CG Ad MarDiv- Assignment to instructor duty NROTC- nominated GySgt CORNWELL GySgt FIERROS	SF
0900	2	222345Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv operational reports	SF
0900	3	220047Z	Fm CINCPAC- Passing of Fleet Admiral NIMITZ	SF
0900	4	220640Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv- rpt of casualties PFC L. D. BYERS & L/Cpl V. R. PETERSON B Co 1stTKBn	SF
0900	5	220636Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Audit teams from FMFPac	STF
0900	6	112334Z	Fm SECNAV- Storage of HHG incident to TAD	STF

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0900		7	200627Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Personal Effects	STF
0900		8	191741Z	Fm CMC- MCBul 1133 consolidated reenlistment interview RPT	SF
0900		9	210047Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Purchase of U.S. dollar instruments	STF
0900		10	210353Z	Fm OSD Wash DC- Death of FltAdm NIMITZ	STF
0900		11	220119Z	Fm CINCPACFLT- proficiency pay	SF
				Feb 24 Nothing eventful to report	
				Feb 25	
0900		1	222352Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Staff reports	STF
0900		2	112334Z	Fm SECNAV-Storage of HHG	STF
0900		3	220914Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv-Storage of HHG	STF
0900		4	210729Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv- No Swimming at China Beach	STF
				Feb 26 Nothing eventful to report	
				Feb 27	
0800		1		Bn Adj attended Division Adjutant's Conference	SF
				Feb 28	
0900		1	251247Z	Fm MARBK's Guam- Medical Evac case of HICKS- B Co	STF
0900		2	251246Z	Fm MARBK's Guam- returned to duty case of HICKS	STF
0900		3	280816Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv-Message Drafting improvement	STF
0900		4	280004Z	Fm CG 3d MarDiv- Strike Flights Awards	STF

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			312400 Jan 66-012400 Feb 66	
0700	1	010700H	3d MarDiv weather report	S
0910	2	300633Z	3d Mar Div ISUM# 30	S-M-F
1600	3	011000H	9th Marines ISUM# 32	S-M-F
2230	4	012228H	To: SSB-3 Request information on activity, your area, this time. Send word NEGATIVE if applicable ASAP.	
			012400-022400 Feb 66	
0730	5	020630H	3d MarDiv weather report	S
0930	6	310810Z	3d MarDiv ISUM# 31	S-M-F
0930	7	010750Z	3d Mar Div ISUM# 32	S-M-F
1530	8	021000H	9th Marines ISUM# 33	S-M-F
			022400-032400 Feb 66	
0900	9	030830H	3d Mar Div weather report	S
1600	10	031000H	9th Marines ISUM# 34	S-M-F
			032400-042400 Feb 66	
0725	11	040725H	3d Mar Div weather report	S
0930	12	020744Z	3d Mar Div ISUM# 33	S-M-F
1530	13	041000H	9th Marines ISUM# 35	S-M-F
			042400-052400 Feb 66	
0720	14	050700H	3d Mar Div weather report	S
0945	15	030715Z	3d Mar Div ISUM# 34	S-M-F
1545	16	051000H	9th Marines ISUM# 34	S-M-F
			052400-062400 Feb 66	
0720	17	060605H	3d Mar Div weather report	S
0950	18	040730Z	3d Mar Div ISUM# 35	S-M-F
1500	19	061000H	9th Marines ISUM# 37	S-M-F
			062400-072400 Feb 66	
0720	20	070645H	3d Mar Div weather report	S
1000	21	050930Z	3d Mar Div ISUM# 36	S-M-F
1600	22	071000H	9th Marines ISUM# 38	S-M-F

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			072400-082400 Feb 66	
0800 0940 1030	23 24 25	080700H 060618Z 071030H	3d Mar Div weather report 3d Mar Div ISUM# 37 To: 9th Mar S-2 3d Tank Battalion rpt that the PHONG BAC hamlet chief (hamlet located at coor (AT991705) re- quested (verbally and in writing) that the 3d Tank Battalion assist the vill- agers in fortifying the hamlet against Viet Cong depredations. The S-2 commented that approx fifty percent of PHONG BAC hamlet is a New Life hamlet, but it is in a poor state of repair. 9th Marines ISUM# 39	S S-M-F
1530	26	081000H	082400-092400 Feb 66	S-M-F S-M-F
0730 0930 1600	27 28 29	090700H 070640Z 091000H	3d Mar Div weather report 3d Mar Div ISUM# 38 9th Marines ISUM# 40	S-M-F S-M-F S-M-F
1000 1600 1600 1800	30 31 32 33	080738Z 101000H 03 101800H	092400-102400 Feb 66 3d Mar Div ISUM# 39 9th Marines ISUM# 41 QUANG NAM SPL SECT SPECIAL REPORT 3d Mar Div weather report	S-M-F S-M-F S-M-F S
0745 0900 1600	34 35 36	110730H 090740Z 111000H	102400-112400 Feb 66 3d Mar Div weather report 3d Mar Div ISUM# 40 9th Marines ISUM# 42	S S-M-F S-M-F
0725 1000 1500	37 38 39	120745H 100820Z 121000H	112400-122400 Feb 66 3d Mar Div weather report 3d Mar Div ISUM# 41 9th Marines ISUM# 43	S S-M-F S-M-F

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			122400-132400 Feb 66	
1000 <u>1350</u>	40 41	110740Z 131000H	3d Mar Div ISUM# 42 9th Marines ISUM# 44	S-M-F S-M-F
			132400-142400 Feb 66	
1000 <u>1500</u>	42 43	120725Z 141000H	3d Mar Div ISUM# 43 9th Marines ISUM# 45	S-M-F S-M-F
			142400-152400 Feb 66	
1025 <u>1530</u>	44 46	130800Z 151000H	3d Mar Div ISUM# 44 9th Marines ISUM# 46	S-M-F S-M-F
			152400-162400 Feb 66	
1000 <u>1600</u>	47 48	140803Z 161000H	3d Mar Div ISUM# 45 9th Marines ISUM# 47	S-M-F S-M-F
			162400-172400 Feb 66	
1000 <u>1600</u>	49 50	150745Z 171000H	3d Mar Div ISUM# 46 9th Marines ISUM# 48	S-M-F S-M-F
			172400-182400 Feb 66	
1800 <u>1600</u>	51 52	160740Z 181000H	3d Mar Div ISUM# 47 9th Marines ISUM# 49	S-M-F B-M-F
			182400-192400 Feb 66	
1100 <u>1545</u>	53 54	170810Z 191000H	3d Mar Div ISUM# 48 9th Marines ISUM# 50	S-M-F S-M-F
			192400-202400 Feb 66	
1600 <u>1605</u>	55 56	201000H 180743Z	9th Marines ISUM# 51 3d Mar Div ISUM# 49	S-M-F S-M-F
			202400-212400 Feb 66	
1000 <u>1600</u>	57 58	190719Z 211000H	3d Mar Div ISUM# 50 9th Marines ISUM# 52	S-M-F S-M-F
			212400-222400 Feb 66	
1000 <u>1600</u>	59 60	200737Z 221000H	3d Mar Div ISUM# 51 9th Marines ISUM# 53	S-M-F S-M-F

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			222400-232400 Feb 66	
1000 <u>1630</u>	61 62	210720Z 231000H	3d Mar Div ISUM# 52 9th Marines ISUM# 54	S-M-F S-M-F
			232400-242400 Feb 66	
<u>1600</u>	63	241000H	9th Marines ISUM# 55	S-M-F
			242400-252400 Feb 66	
1000 1000 1000 <u>1600</u>	64 65 66 67	220806Z 230811Z 240805Z 251000H	3d Mar Div ISUM# 53 3d Mar Div ISUM# 54 3d Mar Div ISUM# 55 9th Marines ISUM# 56	S-M-F S-M-F S-M-F S-M-F
			252400-262400 Feb 66	
1600 1600 1600 <u>1605</u>	68 69 70 71	261000H 25 26 250753Z	9th Marines ISUM# 57 3d Marines ISUM# 55 3d Marines ISUM# 56 3d Mar Div ISUM# 56	S-M-F S-M-F S-M-F S-M-F
			262400-272400 Feb 66	
1600 <u>1600</u>	72 73	271000H 27	9th Marines ISUM# 58 3d Marines ISUM# 57	S-M-F S-M-F
			272400-282400 Feb 66	
<u>1630</u>	74	281000H	9th Marines ISUM# 59	S-M-F

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					S-STAFF	M-MAP	T-TROOP	F-FILE
1940	01	311205H	CeA, 1stTRBn. 24PLt Moved fr position (AT 465971) to enemy readbleek at (BT 440091) 6 VC apprehended. These were using infantry fr 1/4, Ccd.					
	02	011325H	CeB. Spot rpt. A. Unit reporting B-31; B. Dtg- 011230H Feb66; C. Lee-Div one 003633. 981623. Dav two 005630; D. Incident- Fire mission in opt of Infantray at coord 003633; E. Action taken- Tks C-13, 14, and B-31 fired in assist of Infantry. Receiving heavy fire fr coord 005630. Tks engaged same fr coord 981623. Expended 69 rds 90mm HE, 17 rds 90mm WP at VC position. Results UNK. F. Friendly KIA-None; Friendly WIA- (1) One.					
	03	011330H	CeB. Spot rpt. A. Unit reporting-B-31; B. Dtg- 011115H Feb66; C. Lee-Div one 985632; D. Incidents- Infantry hit booby trap, no contact w/VC - CeB rpts. C-1. Tks-Nc enemy contact.; E. Action taken- NC0; F. Friendly KIA-None; G. Friendly WIA- 1 HeadKvao.					
	04	011510H	CeB. B3 fired the following ID fire missions: 31Jan66, fired conc's 12, 90mm HE rds expended, conc #12; 9 rds 90mm HE expended, 3 90mm WP, conc #412; 12 rds 90mm HE, 3 rds 90mm WP expended, conc #413; 15 rds 90mm HE, 3 rds 90mm WP expended.					
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1615	05	011520H	CeB.	Fired spot missions c/infantry Tks B-31, C-13.	S-STAFF M-MAP T-TROOP F-FILE
			C-15	fired 60 rds 90mm HE at tree line & supposed VC positions in area 000620. No results avail. Fire adj by infantry.	SP
1655	06	011530H	CO, COR. Ref msg 311515H. State B3 did no ID firing on 31Jan66. Your 011510H lists ID firing f/Jazz, req you send time of firing.	CaB, Acting as blocking force f/sweep sparrow-hawk JD 110632 Swept towards HS No enemy contact.	S
1740	07	011550H			SUMMARY 311600H-011600H Feb66. At 311800H one Tk fr CeB hit a mine at (BT 085656). Moderate damage to Tk. At 311815H Tks fr CeB hitting damaged Tk at (BT 085656) rec'd SA fire including AW fr UNK loc. Fire not returned because of proximity of marine infantry. At 010940H one Tk fr CeB fired prop fires f/marine infantry. At same field at (AT 997538). Expended 24 rds 90mm WP. At 011230H 3 Tks fr CeB at (AT 981623) engaged VC at (BT 005630). VC were delivering heavy SA fire on marine infantry. Expended 69 rds 90mm HE and 17 rds 90mm WP. Results UNK. Results UNK. Continue tk combt esp 34MarDiv.

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						S-STAFF	N-MAP	T-TROOP	F-FILE
1655			01	011620H	CeB. Cover fire f/patrol returning to Cp. Fired 13 rds 90mm WP, 5 rads 90mm HE area well covered. Friend 993645. Enemy 997638.	SP			
1945			02	011645H	CeB. Rec'd several rads sniper fire. Returned fire 2 rads 90mm WP. Snipers observed to be hit. Snipers wearing helmets, green shirts and carrying wpons; sqd VC 062626.	SP			
1750			03	011700H	CO, Cof, 2/9. Thanks to CO, 3ATKFn f/outstanding job done by Tks on Hill #55 in sp of a plt fr Cof on S and c. Possible 10 VC KIA. Trenches collapsed, 3 bkers destroyed. Caused VC to abandon positions.	S			
1755			04	011705H	2-3 S-3. Thanks to CO, 3ATKFn f/job done by Tks on hill #55 in sp of Cof. 2/9. Plans s and c of case field (AT 997638) in near future using tks.	S			
1945			05	011830H	CeA, 1STTKFn. A recon/ln section w/patrol fr Cof, 1/ vic 425090.	S			
1945			06	011910H	CeB. AC spotted GT08 VC w/AW at coord 977600. Tks B-34 and B-14 expended 20 rads 90mm HE and 8 rads 90mm WP. AC verified direct hit estimate 6 VC KIA.	SP			
1945			07	011915H	CeB. Ref msg 011645H NY-B-211515H covered Period 301500H-311500H NY 011510H covered period 311500H	ENCLOSURE C-9			

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0840		09	020745H	CeB.	Effect on targets fr B-Tks and C-Tks this afternoon. 5 houses destroyed, one fencefield, barbwire, one gunfield.			S	
0845		10	020815H	CeB.	Tks B-11 and B-12 now loc at coord 067630. CeB 1/9 sweeping fr coord 062630 to coord 065620. CeB provide left flank security and block to east. Mission			S	
0859		11	020820H	CeB.	One C-tk is supporting patrol on hill #47. No enemy contact at this time.			S	
				DIV TIO.	CeB-3 cleared fr 020900H-021700H on targets 1, 8, and 9. Fr 020800H-030500H on targets 11, and 68. MSG to 9thMar FSOC and 3APt, CeB.		S		
				DIV TIO.	Clearance req fr 030800H-031700H on targets 29, 416, 122, 131. Fr 032100H-040500H on targets 32, 411, and 2.			S	
				XSB.	Rpts a man (Vietnamese) carrying a rifle heading fr 9thMar.			P	
				CeB.	Tks E-15 and B-13 proceeding w/infantry on patrol at coord 076668. New subj. Req 100 gals gas at this Cp. S-4 notified.			S	
				CeB.	B1 units have returned fr sweep w/CeD. 1/9. No enemy contact.			S	
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1405		16	021355H	CeB. At 021300H tks B-15 and B-13 moved to assist 1st fantry pinned down by sniper. Expended 1 rd 90mm HE at house. No results. Friendly WIA-1.	S
1535		17	021500H	CeB. On 2Feb B-3 fired ID fire missions on targets 5, 8, 1, 11, 415, 410, 412. Expended 68 rds 90mm.	S
1520		18	021520H	Div PTO. B-3 cleared to fire ID fr 030800H-031700H on targets 79, 416, 122, 131. Fr 032100H-040500H on targets 7, 62, 411, and 2. CO CeB notified.	S
				SUMMARY 011601H-021600H. On 31Jan 3dPlt, CeB fired ID fire missions fr (AT 970620) on targets at (AT 967 468), (AT 970620), (AT 947470), (AT 945465). Expend- ed 57 rds 90mm. At 011525H 3dPlt, CeB (AT 970620) fired at VC (BT 000620) on suspected VC positions. Results UNK. At 011620H tk fr CeB fired fr marine patrol. Fired directed VIC (AT 997638). Expended 13 rds 90mm WP & 5 rds 90mm HE. Results UNK. At 011715H a tk fr CeB at (BT 062632) rec'd SA fire fr VC at (BT 062626). Re- turned 2 rds 90mm WP. Results UNK. At 011910H 2 tks fr CeB at (AT 970620) fired on 6 to 8 VC armed W/AW at (AT 977600). AO called for and adj fire. Expend- ed 20 rds 90mm HE & 8 rds 90mm WP. AO estl 6 VC KIA. On 2Feb 3dPlt, CeB fired ID fire missions fr (AT 970 620) on targets at (AT 995471), (AT 979 499), (AT 929465), (AT 993502), (AT 972460), (AT 947 470).	

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				Expended 68 rds 90mm. On 2Feb 1 tk fr CoA at (AT 9 ¹ / ₂) 734) fired ID fire mission on suspected VC trng area at (AT 825890). Expended 6 rds 90mm HE and 2 rds 90mm WP. Plans for 021601-031600L continue tk comb sp 3d Wardiv.	SP	

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					S-STAFF	M-MAP	T-TROOP
1655			021655H	COK. SIGHTING AS OF 021500H=fired 2 PLTTS VIG 173			
				Cp this morning. 26Plt fired ID fire W/one tk fr 1/3 Cp. Fired 4 rds 90mm HE & 2 rds 90mm WP at suspected VC trng area. At (AT 825890). Results UNK.			
2400			022400H	H&SCO/ Ambush departed Bn Cp.	SF		
0230		03	030230H	H&SCO. Ambush returned En Cp.	S		
			0750	04 030750H	Div TIO. Req clearance f/B-3 fr 040800H-041700H on targets 413, 33, 122, 50. FR 042100H-050500H on tar- gets 2, 3, 4, 7.	S	
				05 030815H	CC, 3etkDn. CO departed Cp f/hill #55.	SF	
0815				06 030915H	CeB. Req clearance to fire ID and if so, what targets AC will be up at 0930H. Req acknowledgement ASAP.	S	
0945				07 030925H	CeB. 26Plt at 030925H ar coord (BT 107645) Infantry needs resupply same new. At 0830H took same. Return- ed to Cp at 0920H. No enemy contact.	S	
				0946	08 030943H	Dplldr. CeB. Informed of targets to fire ID (See en- try #17. 021500H.).	S
115				09 031115H	1/9. Leave sqd of provisional plt in position till relieved. 2dsgd alerted and briefed. All logistical arrangements have been made.	S	

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1115	10	031115H	9th Mar S-3.	Helicopter on way to hill #55 to pick up			S
1120	11	031120H	CsCo.	CO, returned to Bn Cp.			S
1300	12	031206H	CsB.	Tk B-33 at (993615) in spt of infantry prior to patrol fired 12 rds 90mm HE at enemy st (997638).	SP		
1425	13	031425H	CsB.	Spot report. A. Unit reporting- B-12; B. DTG- 031415H; C. Loc-Millers Ridge; D. Incident- Tk and troops of infantry swept ridge after artillery fired upon it. E. results; F. through N.-N/A.	SP		
1510	14	031445H	CsB.	Fr 1100H-1445H 3dPlt conducted ID fire at target 416. Expended 24 rds 90mm HE, 3 rds 90mm WP. AO observed.	SP		
1550	15	031550H	Div C-3	TkBn to have one T/O infantry sqd at 1/9 Cp by 031700. Have one T/O infantry plt (rein) at 1/9 Cp by 040700H. HASCe and Pillars notified.	SP		S
				SUMMARY 021601H-031600H. At 031200H 1 tk fr CsB at (AT 993615) fired prep fires on canefield st (AT 997638) f/infantry patrol. Expended 12 rds 90mm HE. Fr 031100H-031445H 3dPlt. CsB conducted ID fire mission on target at (AT 945474). Expended 24 rds 90mm HE & 3 rds 90mm WP. AO adj. Fr 021700H-030700H provided 1 infantry plt to spt 1/9. Fr 030700H-031700H provided 1 infantry plt to spt 1/9. Please fr 031601-041600H continue to update info.			CONFIDENTIAL

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1645	01	041615H	CeA. SITREP. As of 041600H. A-14 which has been DS C-1-1 returned to 1stPlt Cpl. C-1-1 has moved to area 8974 to 9071. Plar is making recon to determine trafficability. 3dPlt at Dhu Bai rec'd H-52 this morn. SF		
1735	02	041720H	CeB. Tk B-15 and B-13 delivered 1 VC to water point. S		
1930	03	101750H	CeB. On 4Feb B-3 expended 15 rds 90mm fr (AT 970620) on tree line and canefield (AT 983628) in prep fires f/infantry patrol. SF		
0823	04	050740H	CeB. Infantry Patrol (AT 950607) rec'd fire fr several AW's. Tks B-35 & B-31 returned fire. Infantry marked targets. Exceeded 2 rds 90mm WP & 5 rds 90mm HE. SP		
0931	05	12200H	CeA 1stTkdn. Possible for A-2 units to move to area adjacent to Route #1 on line fr 434105 to 443096. I plck while Delta sweeps fr beach. Date file Jan 3 in morning. Ontos will help and 4 infantry f/each tk. S		
1145	06	051123H	CeB. Tks B-13 & B-15 moving w/infantry on patrol to 75662. S		
1350	07	051250H	CeB. Tks B-15 & B-13 back fr patrol. S		
1345	08	051300H	CeB. Tks B-32 at 051210H (AT 993646) fired H-AT target (997644). Expended 3 rds 90mm WP & 1 HE. Canefield partly destroyed. S		

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1530			09	051505H	C&C. 1stPlt. There is no action at this time.	S
1545			10	051515H	C&B. Tk B-32 moving west w/infantry	S
1550			11	051520H	C&B. Tks B-15 & B-13 on patrol w/infantry at 075663.	S
1625			12	051600H	C&B. Tks B-31 & B-33 transported infantry fr 1500-1600 at (BT 082620) to investigate 4 VC carrying heavy equipment. Neg results.	S

SUMMARY 041601H-051600H. At 050730H 2 tks fr C&B in spt of infantry patrol fired on VC at (AT 950607) VC had fired on patrol. Tks expended 2 rds 90mm WP & 5 rds 90mm HE. Results UNK. At 051210H 1 tk fr C&B at (AT 993646) fired prep fires on canefield at (AT 997644). Expended 2 rds 90mm WP & 10 rds 90mm HE. At 051600H 2 tks fr C&B destroyed VC fortifica-tion at (BT 075663). Expended 4 rds 90mm HE. Plans 051601H-061600C to continue tk combt sp 3d MarDiv.

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					S-STAFF	M-MAP	T-TROOP
1635	01	051620H	CeB. 1600 hrs B-15 & B-13 on patrol w/1 Infantry & t (TP 075663) found VC fortification. destroyed same w/4 rds 90mm HE. SF				
1745	02	051745H	DIV TIO. Targets for tonight are clear. S				
1920	03	051920H	H&SCo. S and C operation in Phong Bac turned up neg contact. pt (rein) returned to Bn Cp at 1645H. S				
0315	04	060315H	H&SCo. Tk H-52 reports sampan on river. JA fire at sampan. Results UNK. S				
0320	05	060320H	9th Mar 73 MAT; S-3. Sampan sighted on river taken fire w/SA. S				
0625	06	060625H	CeB. have marine to send to hill #55. Is flight confirmed. S				
0645	07	060945H	DIV TIO. Req clearance f/B-3 fr 061300H-070500H on targets 122, 131, 410, 33. S				
1110	08	061030H	CeB. 'isks B-13 & B-15 now departing C-2 Co. Enroute Batt." on patrol. S				
1115	09	061045H	CeB. tke B-13 & B-15 have returned to C-2 Co. S ENCLOSURE (X) CONFIDENTIAL				

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1150			10 061150H	JIV TIC. S-3 cleared to fire 061300H-0700H on targets 122, 131, 410, 33. Msg sent to CoB S	S-STAFF M-MAP T-TROOP F-FILE
1314	11	061314H	11	CoB. At 061245H a CoB tk at (AT 993645) fired prep fires on canefield at (AT 997638) in spt of infantry. Expended 11 rds 90mm HE & 1 rd 90mm WP.	
1400			12 061400H	CoB. At 061400H a CoB tk at (AT 993645) fired on VC at (AT 997638) VC were firing on infantry. Expended 17 rds 90mm HE & 1 rd 90mm WP.	SP
1535			13 061505H	CoB. Tks B-31 & C013 new loc at 982623 in spt of CoF.	
				SUMMARY 051601H-061600H. At 051600H 2 tks fr CoB destroyed 2 VC fortification at (BT 075663). Expend 4 rds 90mm HE. At 051600H TkBnHQ conducted a S and C of Phong Bac Village (AT 990705). Neg results. At 061245H a CoB tk at (AT 993645) fired prep fires on canefield (AT 997638) in spt of infantry. Expended 11 rds 90mm HE & 1 rd 90mm WP. At 061400H a CoB tk (AT 993645) fired on VC at (AT 997638) VC were firing on marpatrol. Tks expended 17 rds 90mm HE & 1 rd 90mm WP. VC fire ceased. Plans 061601H-071600H continue tk combt spt 3d Mardiv.	ENCLOSURE (2) CONFIDENTIAL

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0045		01	061610H	CeB. Reports supporting Co.F. 3abPlt at (AT 982623) against VC at (BT 000629). Expended 30 rds 90mm HE & 6 rds 20mm WP. No results.	S
0140		02	061915H	CeB. B-3 & C-1 units will start H&I firing at 2000 until 0400 tomorrow. Firing coming fr Meter area. Notified line of same.	SF
0045		03	070045H	CeC. Tk C-11. At 2145H shot 4 rds 90mm HE. 350 rds Cal.30 at (AT 955661). Esti 3 VC KIA. Secure at 0020.	S
0835		04	070835H	Div TIO. Req clearance f/B-3 fr 071300H-080500H on conc 50, 79, 416, 412.	SF
0045		05	070905H	CeB. Tk C-14 expended 5 rds 90mm HE & 1 rd 90mm AP at 615975. Target marked by AO. Enemy casualties UNK.	S
0045		06	070910H	Div TIO. B-3 cleared to fire fr 071300H-080500H on conc 50, 79, 416, 412.	SF
1055		07	071030H	CeB. Tk B-33 at (AT 93644) fired 12 rds 90mm HE prep fires at tree line at (AT 997638). Partly destroyed.	S
1305		08	071230H	CeB. Tk B-32 rpts have 2 LVT's stuck 1000yds to their right flank. B-33 dispatched by order fr CO F, 2/9 to assist.	SF

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1500	09	071440H		New B-32 is stuck. B-32 unable to move at this time, is standing by in spt of CoE, 2/9 units will be 2 hours before B-32 will be able to assist B-33. LWT's now have R-1 at their position.	S
1555	10	071505H		CoB. Tks B-21 & B-23 now moving west w/infantry Vion Dong.	S
1600	11	071510H		CoB. Tk B-22 report R-1 retrieved B-32. Now back in position.	S

SUMMARY 061601H-071600H. At 070905H 2 CoB tk at (AT 970620) fired 5 rds 90mm HE on UNK number of VC at 071050H a CoB tk at (AT 993644) fired number of fires on tree line at (AT 997633) in spt of 1 Infantry. Expended 12 rds 90mm HE. Fr 061900-070500H the 3aplt CoB fired H&I's on targets at (AT 972460) and (AT 970450). Expended 29 rds 90mm HE. Plans 071601H-081600H, continue tk combt spt 3InfDiv. SF

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0810	01		080750H	C-2. Tk B-31 is now in position setting 2 patrol S at 617967.	
0830	02		080830H	D1 V TIO. Req clearance fr 081300H-090500H on targets 3, 9, 10, 79.	S
0930	03		080930H	C-2B. B-3 cleared fr 081300H-090500H to fire on conc 3, 9, 10, 79.	S
1010	04		080950H	C-2B. Tk B-31 secured fr patrol. No enemy contact.	S
1230	05		081215H	C-2B. At 081145H Tk B-33 at (AT 993645) fired prep fires on canefield at (AT 997633). Expend 12 rds 10mm HE.	SF
1330	06		081313H	2AMTracBn S-3. Copter rec'd sniper fire at Yen Bac fan was sent to run in house. Pilot is at AM-Trac-3 and can identify house. AT's S-3 notified.	S
1355	07		081330H	C-2B. At 081245H several VC w/wpnns were seen running into a canefield at (AT 972627). C-15 fired 3 rds 90mm WP and 1 rd 90mm HE into field. Infantry now getting ready to sweep area.	SF
	08		081355H	H&SOC. Patrol sent to the village of Phong Bac to investigate the house where the copter reported rec'ng SA fire. Village searched w/neg results.	S

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07	01		071815H	Cob. Tk B-21 reports tks moving behind infantry to cover (BT 092657) then moved to blocking position at coord (BT 092642). This happened between 071430H and 071815H. Three friendly WIA's and 1 friendly KIA.	S S S
1900	02		071845H	Cob. Tks B-31 & C-15 now moving on sweep (AT 083662).	coord S
2130	03		072055H	Cob. At abt 2045H tks B-32 & B-33 rec'd 748 sniper pas. No casualties. Did not return fire.	S
2130	04		072100H	Cob. Tk B-35 rec'd 15 rds sniper fire at coord (AT 0966618) (962624) at 071945H.	S
1547	05		081500H	Cob. Spot rpt. A. Unit rptng-B-35. D. DRG-072000H; C. Loc-(AT 0970620); D. Incident ID fire conc 412, expended 10 rds 90mm HE. Conc 416, expended 10 rds 90mm HE. Conc 50, expended 10 rds 90mm HE and 1 rd 90mm WP.	SP
1547	06		081504H	Cob. Tk B-35 for 072000H-080500H fired ID I&I's at conc 412, expended 10 rds 90mm HE. Conc 416 expended 10 rds 90mm HE. At conc 50, expended 5 rds 90mm HE and 1 rd 90mm WP.	SP
1600	07		081600H	DIV G-3: Cancel TkBn's requirement f/plt F&SCO. spt 1/9.	S

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071601H-081600H				SUMMARY 071601H-081600H. At 071945H 2 CCB tk (AT 966618) rec'd 15 rds SA fire fr TIC (AT 962624). At 081145H a CCB tk at (AT 993645) fired prep fires on canefield at (AT 997638) in support of infantry. Expended 12 rds 90mm HE. At 081245H several VC w/WPNS ran into canefield at (AT 972627). A Co3 tk at (AT 968622) expended 3 rds 90mm WP and 1 rd 90mm HE at area VC went into Results TKN. At approx 081330H a CH-37 copter rec'd 1 rd SA fire fr village of Phong Bac at (AT 992707). Area searched by TkBnHQ personnel w/neg results. Fr 072000H-080500H 3APlt CoB at (AT 970620) fired ID H&I's on targets at (AT 947470), (AT 947474), (AT S13465). Expended 27 rds 90mm. Plans 081601H-091600H continue tk combat spt 3Martyrs v. SP	S-STAFF M-MAP T-TROOP F-FILE

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0330	01	081750H		CaB. Swept transported Infantry to above boere. Acted as blocking force.	S
1200	02	082000H		H&SCe. CG arr helo pad.	S
2005	03	082005H		H&SCe bunker Y-4A. Shots came fr AmTracs and that someone seemed to have set off a flare.	S
2020	04	082020H		3DAmTracs-3. Rec'd sounds on STD's. Illuminated they rec'd several incoming rds and returned fire w/neg results.	S
2330	05	082050H		H&SCe. CG dep helo pad.	S
2330	06	082330H		3AmTracBn-3. Fired 4 rds at VCS w/neg results.	S
	07	082330H		H&SCe bunker Y-2 AmTracs in river.	S
	08	090820H		Div TIC. Req clearance f/B-3 fr 091300H-100500H on conc 3, 9, 10, 79.	S
	09	091005H		Div TIO. B-3 cleared to fire fr 091300H-100500H on conc 3, 9, 10, 79. Passed by msg to CCo.	S
1005	10	091045H		CaB. At 091030H B-32 at (AT 992645) fired 12 rds 90mm HE at canefield (AT 997638).	SF
2115	11	092115H		H&SCe bunker Y-4A rpts flare (parachute) set off approx 100 meters to their front. Contacted Sector II units & 9thMar. Neg patrols for all units out of all Cp's.	

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0750	01	911630H	0230	At 091630H an AO saw VC on raft at (AT 945474). At (AT 945617) fired on VC, as they dispersed w/ AO sweep. Expended 31 rds 90mm HE & 5 rdes 20mm HE. Results unk.	S-STAFF M-MAP T-TROOP F-FILE
0822	02	100210H	0300	C/B. TK C-11 started firing at 0030H striped at 0145H. Expended 100 rds Cal. .30. Neg results.	SF
0822	03	100700H	0330	TK 092000H-100500H TK P-3 fired ID H/E's on tar 3, 9, 10, 79. Expendet 30 rds 90mm HE.	SF
0822	04	000705H	0400	C/B. TKS B-24 & B-25 now departing CoA Cpn sweep coarse 103648. Tks acting as blocking force.	S
1230	05	100815H	0430	Div TIO. Req clearance f/B-3 fr 101300H-110500H on tar 122, 131, 65, 68.	S
1230	06	101230H	0500	C/B. TK B-31 leaving position to spt patrol at (AT 982623).	S
1320	07	101320H	0530	Div TIO. B-3 cleared fr 101300H-110500H on conc 122, 131, 65, 68.	S
				SUMMARY 091601H-101600H. At 091630H an AO saw VC on raft at (AT 945474) tk ab (AT 945617) fire 2 on VC w/AO adj. Expended 31 rds 90mm HE & 5 rdes 20mm WP Results unk. FR 092000H-100500H 2&Ptk Co fired H/E's on conc 3, 9, 10, 79. Expended 25 rds 90mm HE. At 101105H a tk (AT 993645) fired prep fires on conc at (AT 997628). Expended 12 rds 90mm HE. Plus 107600H 111600H cont tk comb spt 3d MarDiv.	ENCLOSURE CONFIDENTIAL

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0830	01	101830Z	01	C.P., Cev, 22224, 033, 1STTBK. Subj (SBD-120 S). Submit narrative pt prior 13 Feb 65 to incl number in oper and how utilized, i.e., CoDef, Pattr, S, MLDef, & any comments favorable or unfavorable regard use of this item.	S	
1855	02	101855Z	02	Officers-2. VC Chief of Na Vang District rpt to have planted mines at ferry pt (BT 033734). MT Disp notifies.	S-4	S
03	03	101830Z	03	DIV TIC. B-3 cleared to fire Ar 111300H-120500H da tar 2,3,4. Passed onto CeB. By MSG	S	
1015	04	111156Z	04	CeB. At 111130H & CoB tk at (993654) fired on Sonfield & (AT 997633). Infantry was rec'd fire fr field. Expended 7 rds 90mm HE.	SP	
1245	05	100830Z	05	Plans. SUMMARY 101601H-111600H. At 111130H a CoB tk fired on Sonfield. Expended 7 rds 90mm HE. Results JNK. Plans 111601H-121600H cont th combt spt Devardiv.	SP	

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2200	01	112200H	CAN NE BRIDGE. WANTS OUR TKS TO ILLUMINATE AN AREA ACROSS THE RICE PADDY. TK H-52 WAS INSTR TO ILLUMINATE THE AREA. NOTHING UNUSUAL TO REPORT AT THIS TIME.		S	T-TROOP F-FILE
0910	02	120820H	COB. TK B-3 FIRED ID FR 111300H-120500H ON CONC 2. EXPEND 10 RDS 90MM HE, 4 RDS 90MM WP. ON CONC 3, EXPEND 20 RDS 90MM HE, 3 RDS 90MM WP. ON CONC 4, EXPEND 10 90MM HE. TOTAL RDS EXPEND 40 RDS 90MM HE, 7 RDS 90MM WP. B-31 EXPEND 20 RDS 90MM HE, EXPEND 20 RDS 90MM HE, B-35 EXPEND 7 RDS 90MM WP.		SP	
0940	03	120907H	2dPltCoB. CLEARED TO FIRE FR 120900H-130900H ON TARGETS 122, 131, 65, 413.		S	
1030	04	120907H	COB. TK B-32 AT 0830H FIRED PREP FIRE AT ENEMY AT AT 997634) FIRED 15 RDS 90MM IN CANEFIELD. PARTLY DESTROYED.		SP	
1	05	120945H	COB. TK B-32 AT COORD (AT 997634) CANEFIELD PARTLY DESTROYED.			
			SUMMARY 111601H-121600H. FR 111300H-120500H 3dPlt COB AT (AT 970620) FIRED ID H&I'S ON TARGETS AT (AT 962488), (AT 946472), AND (AT 947468). EXPEND 40 RDS 90MM HE & 7 RDS 90MM WP. AT 120830H A COB TK AT (AT 993645) FIRED PREP FIRES ON CANEFIELD AT (AT 997634). EXPEND 15 RDS 90MM HE. AT 120945H A COB TK AT (AT 997634) FIRED DIRECT H&I'S ON CANEFIELD AT (AT 997634). EXPEND 6 RDS 90MM HE.			EN SF

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				Plans 121601H-131600H- continue tk combt spt for 3dardiv. Conduct S&C operation vic Bn Cp.

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0400	01	121840H	H&SCe	bunker Y-3 rpts blinking light in Phong Bac abt 100 meters fr bunker.	S
0000	02	121930H	CeB. Infantry rec'd AW & SA fire fr estimated 20 VC fr canefield. TK B-32 fired 25 rds 90mm HE, 5 rds 90mm WP. TK H-54 fired 25 rds 90mm HE at coord (AT 997634). SF		
2015	03	122015H	H&SCe	bunker Y-2. Rpts at 121800H saw suspicious Vietnamese male w/white beard come to TKB helo pad outside wire. Draw or write on piece of paper. Seemed to be plotting or drawing TKB perimeter.	S
2220	04	122220H	H&SCe	bunker Y-2 rpts seeing a man in front of bunker near wire when light was shined on him. He dropped a shiny object and ran.	S
0400	05	130400H	H&SCe.	Patrol departed Bn Cp.	S
0420	06	130420H	H&SCe.	Patrol rpts it is at Highway 1 starting sweep.	S
0421	07	130421H	H&SCe.	Patrol-Ambush rpts in position f/ambush.	S
0640H	08	130640H	H&SCe.	Patrol completed sweep. Returned to Cp. No contact.	
0650	09	130650H	H&SCe.	Patrol returned to Cp. No contact.	

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0720	0738	10	130930H	CeB. At 130700H B-31 moved to Coord 959612 in spt of infantry patrol. Returned 130900H. Neg contact. S	S-STAFF M-MAP T-TROOP F-FILE
0730	11	130730H		Div TIO. Req permission to fire fr 130900H-140900H on tar 62, 411, 6, 1.	S
1020	12	130955H		At 130945H B-33 fired 10 rds 90mm HE, H&I at coord 997638 canefield & tree line. Partly destroyed. SP CeB/	S
1240	13	131240H		Div TIO. All tar cleared to fire except 1	S
1335	14	131245H		CeB. 38Plt cleared to fire ID H&I's fr 131300H- (40900H on tar 62, 411, 6.	S
				SUMMARY 121601H-131600. At 121830H 2 CeB (ks (AT 993645) fired on esti 20 VC. VC (AT 997634) were firing on marine patrol. Tks expended 10 rds 90mm HE & 5 rds 90mm VP. At 130945H a CeB tk (AT 993644) fired H&I's on canefield & tree line (AT 997638). Expend 10 rds 90mm HE. Plan 131601H-141600H continue tk combt spt 3amarpiv.	

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0005	01	140005H	Div G-3.	SSgt Armstrong and Sgt New were new officially listed as missing.	S
0750H	02	140730H	CeB.	ID fire conducted fr 131900H-140700H all res fired by C-14. Conc 62 expen 16 rds 90mm HE, Conc 411 expen 10 rds 90mm HE. Conc 6 expen 15 rds 90mm HE. Total res fr 130800H-140700H is 20 rds 90mm HE. SF	
0840	03	140840H	Div G-3.	Hello w/T2BN marines aboard arr at Phu Bai. everyone ok. See entry 1.	
0800	04	140800H	Div TIO.	Req to fire H&I on targets 122, 68. Passed on info contained in entry 02. 140730H.	122, 65, TNG S
00	05	141000H	HQCMDT.	2 explosions in Cam No 2. Call to 3/3. S-3 determined that ARTN were working in this area.	S
1100	06	141015H	CeB.	At 141000H 2 CAB tk at (AT 993685) fire H&I's on canefield at (AT 997638). Expend 10 rds 90mm HE. SF	
1020	07	141020H	Div TIO.	B-3 cleared to fire fr 140900H-150900H on targets 122, 131, 65, 68. passed onto CeB by MSG. S	
1330	08	141330H	EGCMDT.	Boats unloading heavy boxes at Pheng Le 1. 3/3, S-3 notified. They will have river patrol check it out.	

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1400	09	141400H	H&SCe. Patrol departed Bn Cp to patrol village of Phong Bac.			S
				SUMMARY 131601H-141600H. FR 131900H-140700H B-3 fired ID H&I's on targets 62, 411, 6. Expend 30 res 90mm HE. At 141000H 2 CoB tk (AT 996345) fired direct H&I's on canneries (AT 997638). Expend 10 res 90mm HE. H&SCe conducted patrol vic Bn Cp.		SP

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1630	01	141630H		H&SCo. Patrol returned to perimeter w/7 VCS. S-2 Bn Cp.	S-Staff M-MAP T-TROOP P-FILE
2200	02	142200H		H&SCo. Bunker Y-2 rpts one man w/flashlight outside a house to their immediate front, whom investigated this person goes into the house or behind it. At one time the light was blinking.	S
2240	03	141939H		CeB. Tks B-35 respond 1 rd 90mm WP & 4 90mm HE rds B-421 expend 1 rd 90mm WP & 4 rds 90mm HE vic caree AT 948623, AT 943625, AT 948628. Fr 1645H-1915H. Results several VC killed by 90mm HE. 3 confirmed KIA and 3 probable KIA.	SF
	04	150835H		Dv TIO. Rec clearance fr 150900H-160900H on targets S 1,11,413,7.	S
	05	150730H		CeB. Fr 141700H-150700H B-3 (AT 970620) fired ID H&I's on targets 122,131,65,68. Expend 32 rds 90mm HE. SF	
	06	151045H		CeB. At 151030H a CeB tk (AT 993645) fired ID H&I's on carefield and treeline (AT 993638). Expend 14 rds 90mm HE.	SF
	07	151600H		CeB. Atk R-41 has contacted mines, have WIA Med S Evac. Details to follow as rec'd.	
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1513	08	151600H	Ceb. At 1520H Tk B-41 contacted mines at [REDACTED] (BT 059661) XO evac left fast severely damaged. Vn damage was considerable. Tk's new proceeding Cob Cp.	S-STAFF M-MAP T-TROOP F-FILE	
1650	09	151545H	Cob. Req to know detailed damage on Tk B-41 ASAP.	S	

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					T-TROOP	
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1530	01	151630H	Div S-3 & S-3	08 151600H	Incident in vicinity	S
1718	02	151655H	Co3. 3-41 hull cracked, also warped inside. All linkage broken, batteries busted. Mk has to be surveyed.			S
1800	03	151800H	Div TIO. S-3 cleared to fire fr 151800H-160900H on targets 1,11,413,7. Passed to CO CoB by msg.			S
1855	04	151610H	CoB. Correction on -R- coord should be 050661.			S
1955	05	151915H	CoB. At 151930H vic 075643 rec'd 40 rds SA fire. Infantry returned fire abt 25 rds 7.62mm.			SF
2000	06	160000H	CoB. Correction on msg 151930H friendly vic 075643, enemy C64645.			S
0818	07	160818H	Div G-3 & 3dEngr. Incident in entry 08 151600H was reported at 151615E.			S
0924	08	160924H	CoB. No ID fire conducted fr 150700H-160700E. No rds expend.			S
0855	09	160855H	Div TIO. Req clearance fr 160900H-170900H on targets 8,415,12,5.			S

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1115	10	161111H		H&SSCo bunker Y-2. Spots 8 men in civilian clothes on river bank in front of Phong Le. Men are throwing explosives in river and one has rifle. Another has a pistol. 2/3 S-3 notified (is probably village officials fishing). DIV TIC. S-3 cleared fr 161700H-170700H on targets 5, 8, 12, 415.	S
1315	11	161315H		COE. At 161230H 2 CoB tks at (BT 063633) fired prep fires on treeline and ridgeline (BT 065628) in spt COB, 1/9. Spend 14 rds 90mm HE & 8 rds 90mm WP. SF	
1530	12	161420H		COE. At 161230H 2 CoB tks at (BT 063633) fired prep fires on treeline and ridgeline (BT 065628) in spt COB, 1/9. Spend 14 rds 90mm HE & 8 rds 90mm WP. SF	
1530	13	161420H		CoB. At 161300H B-12 hit a mine (BT 064633). Busted batteries. Tk returned to D.1/9 under own power. Crater 3 ft. in dia & 2½ ft deep. No initiating device was found. SUMMARY 151601H-161600H. At 151930H a CoB tk (BT 075643) rec'd approx 40 rds SA fire fr unk number TC (BT 064645). Marine infantry returned fire. Results unk. At 161230H 2 CoB tks (BT 063633) fired prep fires on treeline and ridgeline (BT 065628) in spt D.1/9. Spend 14 rds 90mm HE & 8 rds 90mm WP. At 161300H a CoB tk hit a mine at (BT 064633). Light damage to tk. Tk returned to D.1/9 Cp under own power. Crater 3 ft. in dia & 2½ ft deep. No initiating device was found.	S

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				S-STAFF	M-MAP
				T-TROOP	P-FILE
2015	01		161635H	Div G-3 & 3dEngrn. Passed info contained in entry 13 161420H.	S
2015	02	2045-	161955H	Cob. B-3 at 161845H-161915H at (AT 980621) spotted camouflaged boat at (AT 982621). B-35 moved out to friendly coord. Boat was hidden in river bank, 2 men seen in boat. Expended 300 rds cal. .30, 21 rds cal. .50 boat did not come out. 1-H H/A.	S
0535	03		170535H	H&SSCo bunker Y-3 rpt drum beating in village	S
0740	04		170740H	Div TIO. Req clearance fr 170900H-180900H on targets 122,131,65,68.	S
0808	05		170808H	Div TIO/ PHO . Clearance for targets listed in entry 04 appr.	S
	06	0825	170810H	Cob. 3dPlt cleared fr 170900H-180900H on targets 122,131,65,68.	S
1030	07		171010H	Cob. At 170930H B-34 moved out to spt P. 1/9 on a sweep P-34 now located at 973625.	S
1030	08		171030H	H&SSCo. CO, 3dTdkn departed Bn Cp f/Phong Bac village S	S
1200	09		171200H	H&SSCo. S&C opn in Phong Bac and Yen Bac village, & S Cam Hoa commenced.	S
1350	10		171333H	Cob. PR 1155H-1230H B-35(hill55) fired conc adj. Expend 4 rds 90mm HE & 4 rds 90mm W. H&IO have caused small village to be abandoned. SF	CONFIDENTIAL ENCLOSURE (2)

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				INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	COM	
1510	11	171430H	COR. 2-15 & B-13 on patrol w/infantry at coord 104643.		S	
1550	12	171550H	HSSCO. S/C opn secured. Returned to Bn. Sp. No enemy contact.		S	SUMMARY 1601H-171600H. At 161645H a COB (AT 980622) fired on 2 men in a boat at (AT 982621). Expend 300 rds cal.30 & 25 rds cal.50. Results unk. At 170910H a COB tk at (AT 993645) fired direct H&I's on canefield at (AT 947638). Expend 10 rds 90mm HE & 2 90mm WP. At 171155H a COB tk at (970620) fired ID on suspected VC food storage area at (AT 945445). Expend 4 rds 90mm HE & 4 rds 90mm WP. Good effect on target.

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1620	01	71500H	01	COB. B-34 relieved by COF. returning to base area.	S	
02	71530H	02	At 171500H B-15 (104643) expended 2 90mm cannister SP mns on suspected VC posn (099647).			
1930	03	71915H	03	COB. Tks B-11 & B-14 moved to 062632 W/2 sods of infantry NP contact. Have returned to COI Cp. At 171930H S		
1950	04	72000H	04	COB. Tk C-15 spotted 2 sampans while on OP. First sampan captured 2 armed men. C-15 fired 4 90mm rd at this sam- pan sinking it. Esti 2 VC KIA. Fired 1 90mm HF at second sampan. Results unk. Loc to follow in 2200 sitrep. Sam- pan (AT 958603). Tk (AT 963627). SF		
0745	05	180745H	05	DIV TIO. Req clearance fr 180900H-190900H on targets S 15,7,12.		
0845	06	180845H	06	DIV TIO. B-3 cleared fr 180900H-190900H on targets S 15,7,12.		
0945	07	180900H	07	COB. Tks B-3 conducted ID fire fr 171730H-180500H B-31 fired all ID fire. Fired conc 411-expnd 10 rds 90mm HE. Fired conc 131-expnd 5 90mm HE. Total expend fr 170700H-180700H 24 90mm HE & 4 rds 90mm WP. SF		
1110	08	181045H	08	COB. Tks B-3, B-34, B-35, C-13 reconnoiter the approach to the Song Yen River on the east bank. The tks CP at 180850H and proceeded down the river bank opposite (957629) trafficability good. Destroyed a trench line at (956626-957629) by crushing. Traf capability along east bank good. Tks returned to Cp at 181020H. S		

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1700	1700	1700	170310Z	170310H SIC not clear that target. Cleared targets only may be fired.	S F-FILE

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1800		01	181715H	CoB. Ref CoB msg 172000H-First San Pan sighted by eye prior to dark. After dark white light was used to locate second sampan.	F-FILE	S
1855		02	181815H	CoB. Fr 181705H-181730H CoB tks on hill 55 (AT 970620) fired on 4 VC running into treeline (AT 988618). 10 sighted VC and adj fire. Expend 9 rds 90mm MP and 3 rds 90mm HE. Esti 3 VC KIA.		SF
2020		03	181955H	CoB. Tk B-31 spotted a boat (sampan) in river. Expend 200 rds Cal.30 at the sampan and 1 VC swimming toward shore. Suspect 1 VC KIA.		SF
0245		04	190245H	M&Co. Patrol departed Bn Cp.		SF
0300		05	190300H	M&Co. Checked w/9thMar S-3 on the explosion which came fr up around their area. The explosion came fr across from them down in the housing area, and was either a grenade or mortar rd. they had not confirmed which at this time.		S
0330		06	190330H	M&Co. Patrol has reached and established ambush site.		S
0530		07	190530H	M&Co/ Patrol moving ambush site to new location.		S
0635		08	190635H	M&Co. Patrol returning to Bn Cp.		S
0645		09	190645H	M&Co. Patrol returned to Bn Cp.		S

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0835	0310	EC	Div TIC.	Rec clearance fr 190900H-200900H on targets 413. 15, 410, 33.	S
1045	11	190810H	Div TIC.	CoB. B-3 units conducted ID fire fr 111800H-190500H Conc 1-Expend 15 rds 90mm HE & 3 rds 90mm WP. Conc 7- expend 15 rds 90mm HE & 3 rds 90mm WP. Conc 12- expend 6 rds 90mm HE. B-31, C-13, C-14 fired ID. Each expend 14 rds 90mm HE & 3 rds 90mm WP. Total expend fr 180700H-190700H 45 rds 90mm HE & 13 rds 90mm WP.	SP
1115	12	191015H	Div TIC.	CoB. At 191000H B-33 (AT 993644) fired direct H&I's on treeline and canefield (AT 997638). Expend 12 rds 90mm HE.	SP
1140	13	191100H	Div TIO.	CoB. At 181900H B-3 fired targets. Expend 6 rds 90mm HE & 3 rds 90mm WP.	SP
1140	14	191140H	Div TIO.	B-3 cleared fr 191200H-200900H to fire on targets 413, 415, 410, 33.	S
1140	15	191540H	Div TIC.	CoB. B-12 present loc is (AT 092624) w/p14 of infantry S	
				SUMMARY 181601-191600H. At 181705H 3 CoB kks at (AT 970620) fired on 4 VC running in woodline at (AT 983618). Expend 9 rds 90mm WP & 3 rds 90mm HE W/AO Adj. 1st 3 VC KIA. At 181950H 2 CoB tk at (AT 962622) (AT 95603) fired on a sampan at (AT 963627). Expend 200 rds can. 20. Estj 1 VC KIA. Fr 181800H-190500H CoB tks at (AT 970620) fired ID H&I's on targets at (AT 932499). (AT 985413) (AT 982456) NCLOSURE (P) (AT 991492). Expend 42 rds 90mm HE & 9 rds 90mm WP	

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				INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION	S-STAFF	M-MAP	
				At 1810Z ON a COA tk at (AT 934664) fired ID M&I's on a target at (AT 881665). Expend 9 rds 90mm WP. At 182000Z-190700Z a COA tk at (AT 934664) fired ID M&I's on targets at (AT 856663) & (AT 362664). Expend 5 rds 90mm WP & 7 rds 90mm WP. At 191015Z a CoB tk at (AT 993664) fired direct M&I's on a treeline and came-field at (AT 997638). Expend 12 rds 90mm WP.	T-TROOP F-FILE	ID M&I's		

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00	01	191040H	CoB. 3dPlt at 191040H has reached VILLE 022024, 1MILE N of COBON. S	Sweep.	S-3 STAFF
1815	02	191700H	CoB. 3dPlt at 191615H at (AM 980623) spotted VC in small boats on river at (AM 978617) fired 150 rds Cal.30, boat adrift, infantry searching area. Found one boat sunk, one man jumped up and infantry killed him. Total 3 boats - 1 boat sunk, 1 for inf 1 for tks confirmed.	Found one boat sunk, Total 3 boats - 1 boat sunk, 1 for inf 1 for tks confirmed.	M-MAP
1925	03	191800H	CoB. TK B-12 at 191730H (BT 092624) on steep w/I, 3/9, helos marked enemy w/smoke, tks fired 8 rds 90mm HE. Results unk. Loc of enemy approx (BT 046527) tks now returned to I, 3/9 Cpl. 1 VCS captured by I, 3/9.	Loc of enemy approx (BT 046527) tks now returned to I, 3/9 Cpl. 1 VCS captured by I, 3/9.	T-TROOP
2005	04	192005H	3/3 S-3. A male Vietnamese tried to pass the 3/3 river block on 3/3 side of river was wounded in right hand, tried to evade capture, resisted when put on helo f/evac to C&C Vietnamese came fr village of Yen Bac or that direction. S	3/3 S-3. A male Vietnamese tried to pass the 3/3 river block on 3/3 side of river was wounded in right hand, tried to evade capture, resisted when put on helo f/evac to C&C Vietnamese came fr village of Yen Bac or that direction. S	F-FILE
2040	05	192020H	CoB. At 192000H tk B-12 hit a mine at (BT 059661) while enroute back to I, 3/9 Cp. B-11 & B-12 have towed dead onto fr (BT 084627) to 2-12Cp they were returning to I, 3/9 when hit. Damaged battery, smashed accelerator, linkage broken, fuel leak source unk. Proceeding on own power. to I, 3/9 Cp.	At 192000H tk B-12 hit a mine at (BT 059661) while enroute back to I, 3/9 Cp. B-11 & B-12 have towed dead onto fr (BT 084627) to 2-12Cp they were returning to I, 3/9 when hit. Damaged battery, smashed accelerator, linkage broken, fuel leak source unk. Proceeding on own power. to I, 3/9 Cp.	S
0500	06	200500H	H&SCO. Patrol departed Bn Cp.	H&SCO. Patrol departed Bn Cp.	ST
0520	07	200520H	H&SCO. Patrol is at checkpoint 6.	H&SCO. Patrol is at checkpoint 6.	

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IN					S-STAFF M-MAP T-TROOP F-FILE
0645	09	200645H		MASCO. Patrol is returning to Bn Cp.	S
0655	10	200655H		MASCO. Patrol returned to Bn Cp.	S
1035	11	200900H		CoB. Fr 191830H-200500H B-3 fired 1D on targets 410-expend 5 rds 90mm HE, 33-expend 5 rds 90mm HE. 415-expend 4 rds 90mm HE, 413-expend 2 rds 90mm HE.	S
1145	12	201125H		CoB. B-13 & B-15 on sweep w/infantry & art tracs at (BT 101641).	S
1315	13	201315H		Div TIC. B-3 cleared to fire fr 201400H-210900G-on tar- gets 8,11,50,79. Passed to CoB by radio msg.	S
1440	14	201413H		CoB. At 201400H B-32 (993646) fired direct VCI's on canefield (997644). Expend rds 90mm HE.	S
1500	15	201445H		CoB. B-13 & B-15 have returned to L3/9 Cp for sweep w/infantry and LVT's. No enemy contact.	S
1530	16	201515H		CoB. B-21 & B-23 now moving north fr L3/9 Cp on sweep.	S
				SUMMARY 191601H-201600H. At 191615H a CoB tk at (AT 980623) fired on boat w/one VC occupant at (AT 978617) Boat was sunk & 1 VC KIA (Confirmed). Expend 150 rds GAT 30 At 191730H a CoB tk at (AT 992624) fired on unk pos per GAT 30 (BT 086627). VC pos marked by AO w/smoke. Exp GAT 30 SURE 02 HE. Results unk. At 192000H a CoB tk hit a mine at (AT 10153946A).	

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				Light damage to tk. tk returned to Cp under own power. Fr 191830Z-200500Z CoB txs at (AT 970620) conducted ID M2I's on targets at (AT 970620) (AT 945465). (AT 972450), (AT 970450), (AT 973502). Expend 16 rds 90mm HE. At 201400Z a CoD tx at (AT 973646) fired direct M2I's on a canefield at (AT 97544). Expend 10 rds 90mm HE.	S-STAFF M-MAP T-TROOP F-FILE

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0630	01	201605H	CoB. B-23 & B-21 loc et (B-091618) as blocking force c/infantry. Sweeping fr (B-092610) to (B-088617) no enemy contact. Inf on 2d sweep at (BT 065655).	S	
1740	02	201720H	CoB. At 201715H B-34 (966621) fired on 3 TC (987608) w/rifles&packs. Expnd 4 rds 90mm W.B. Esti 3 VC KIA. SF		
1800	03	201755H	CoB. Ref entry #02-4 VC KIA (Confirmed).	S	
1900	04	201830H	Div TIO. Req clearance fr 210900H-220900H on targets P.13.14,17.	S	
0905	05	210900H	&SSCo. Patrol departed Bn Cp.	SF	
0915	06	210800H	CoB. Fr 200200H-202400H B-3 fired ID H&I's on targets 8-12 rds 90mm HE expnd; 50-14 rds 90mm HE expnd; 79- 0 rds 90mm HE expnd; 11-6 rds 90mm HE expnd. SF		
0920	07	210830H	CoB, 1st tanks. At 210145H CoB tks at (627993) rec'd 0 rds 60mm mortar, 4 hand grenades, & 100 rds SA. Be- gun fire w/31 rds 90mm HE, 100 rds Cal. 30, 300 rds Cal. 30, 300 rds Cal. 45 expnd. Friendly WIA-2. Enemy WIA-1. (Unconfirmed). SF		
0940	08	210940H	Div TIO. B-3 Cleared to fire fr 210900H-220900H on tar- gets 2,13,14.	S	
0945	09	210945H	Div TIO. Target 15 not req, should have been 17. OOMPF will call us back when 17 is cleared.	S	

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1015	10	241010H		CoB. Targets 2,13,14 cleared f/firing fr 210900H-220900H. Target 17 not cleared at this time. Will notify you when it is appr f/firing. Recommend use fuse delay.	S- ST
1300	11	211215H		CoB. At 211200H 2 CoB tks at (BT 064630) in spt of I,3/9 S and C. Fired on VC Posns at (BT 062628). Expend 5 rds 90mm cannister & 10 rds 90mm HE. Destroyed 5 bunkers.	S- SP
1310	12	211255H		CoB. B-13 & B-15 moving out w/inf and L3/9 on sweep at (BT 091631).	S
1430	13	211400H		CoB. B-21 & B-23 have returned tot,3/9 CP. No enemy contact since last rpt.	S
1430	14	211600H		CoB. 1st Tanks. Tks recd 1 short f friendly 60mm mortar rd at (627993). 1 Friendly WIA.	S
				SUMMARY 201601H-211600H. At 201715H a CoB tk at (AT 966621) fired on 4 VC in the open area at (AT 982608). VC armed w/ rifles & wearing packs. Expend 4 rds 90mm HE. 4 VC KIA (confirmed) fr 202000H-202400H CoB tks at (AT 970620) fired IB H&I's on targets at (AT 995471). (AT 929465). (AT 939475). Expend 42 rds 90mm HE. At 211200H 2 CoB tks at (BT 064630). in spt I,3/9, fired on VC posns at (BT 062628). Expend 5 rds 90mm HE, 4 rds 90mm cannister. 10 rds 90mm HE. 5 bunkers destroyed.	CONFIDENTIAL

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1401	02	211555H		Cob. Tks B-34 & B-15 have returned sweep. No enemy contact. Tks going on another sweep w/inf at coord (ST 084644).	13	
1415	02	211600H		Cob. Tks B-21 & B-23 moving to coord ST 080640 on pat- rol.	5	
1715	03	211715H		MSSCO. Patrol departed Bn Cp.	SP	
1830	04	211830H		H&SOC Patrolldr. Have reached destination.	5	
1831	05	211832H		Div TIC. VC Bn moving in vic of coord AT 995575. MSG relayed to CoB.	5	
2145	06	212115H		Cob. Req Y52 wrecker be sent to Hoa Dong Bridge by 220000H to replace transmission oil line on TK B-32	5	
0750	07	220750H		Div TIO. Rec clearance to fire fr 220900H-230800H on targets 16,17,18,19.	SP	
0920	08	210200H		LATE ENTRY CoB. 3dPlt spotted man near wire by using xenon white light. At 220015H to 220120H in vic of coord AT 966623-AT 967625. Tk B-31 was searching area when (1) VC spotted; infantry opened fire at 220045H. Tk B-35 moved out w/one sqd inf to search area. Returned at 220120H.	5	
0945	09	212300H		LATE ENTRY H&SCO. Rpts spotted small craft in river at coord AT 993698. Open fire. Expend approx 50 rds. Craft disappeared.	ENCL (e) CONFIDENTIAL	

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TIME	CUE	10-12NO DTG 220930N	10-12NO DTG 220930N	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, PT ORDERS, ETC. FOR 211601H-220700H.	ACTION S-3 STAFF expond M-MAP T-TROOP F-FILE
1050	11	221030Z	221030Z	COIN. AT 0940H B-23 contacted mine of 8-5 (PT 070660) while on patrol. TK now 84 T 0 enemy contact. No damage to tk or pers.	20 lbs. at 3/9 Sp. S
1305	14	221245Z	221245Z	COS. B-21 & B-23 going on recon w/inf at (PT 075670). S	
1345	15	221330Z	221330Z	COS. COB. B-23 & B-21 back fr recon. Test 1 pts at (PT 075670).	No enemy contact S
1355	16	221355Z	221355Z	DIV G-3. When alert plt is ordered to 2-hour standby status.	ST
1400	17	221400Z	221400Z	DIV G-3. PTEN has Noe Cam ranges (25m, 30m, impact, 20700m on and LING) 261500H-261700H Feb 66. N&SCO CDR notified.	S
1450	18	221500Z	221500Z	COS. Info B-3. B-3 cleared fr 222000H-222300H on targets 50, 16, 17, 79, 416, 2, 14, 415, 7, 1 and coord: AT 944480, AT 918487, AT 926472, AT 954493. Rec max coverage. Rec max of 50 rds at interval throughout night.	SP
1600	19	221600Z	221600Z	SUMMARY 211601H-221600H. At 211255H a comdr was wounded by friendly 60mm mortar fl. At 212300H an N&SCO Security patrol (AT 923668) fired on boat in river. Results. At 220940H a COB tk hit a mine (approx 20 lbs) at (PT 070660). No damage to tk. The noms alert plt was placed on 2hr alert to go OPCON to 2/9.	ENCLOSURE (2) CONFIDENTIAL

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				S	T-TROOP
10		01	221610Z	Div TIC. Ref entry #16 221600H. Rec that a "wall of steel" was placed across the high ground south of highway #1A.	S
1650		02	221650Z	Div C-3. Wave stand-by plt ready to move out by 221720H. Trks are on way to pick plt up.	S
1820		03	221820Z	2&SCO. Plt is in position and trks are returning. CoB. B-32 at 093646 had contact w/VC at 097644. Expend 4 rds 90mm HE & 50 rds Cal.50. Canefield partially destroyed.	SP
2030		04	222030H	H&SCO Bunker Y-3. Rpts sampan in river. Y-3 light up same Y-3 fired. No rpt.	S
2030		05	222030H	H&SCO. Rpts tracers fr Phong Le (1) to east.	S
2110		06	222110H	H&SCO Bunker Y-3. Rpts sampan disappeared.	S
025		07	230025H	H&SCO. Rpts that Bunker Y-3 had rec'd SA fire. Y-3 rpts are negative in rds to same.	S
		08	230805H	Div C-3. Send transportation to 2/9 Cp f/H&SCO plt.	S
		09	230815H	CoB. B-3 fired ID fr 222000H-230500H. B-34 and C-14 fired all targets. Target 415-10 rds 90mm HE expend; 410-10 rds 90mm HE expend; 14-6 rds 90mm HE expend; 14-6 rds 90mm HE expend; 7-12 rds 90mm HE expend; 17-6 rds 90mm HE expend; 416-10 rds 90mm HE expend; 2-6 rds 90mm HE expend; Total expend 2207 OH -230700H 76 rds 90mm HE.	SP

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1535	14	231530	00Z NOV 20 (W 972523)	TO SPOT I, 3/9 ON SWEEP. S SUMMARY 221601H-231600H. AT 221630H B-3-32 (AT 993646) fired prep fires on canefield (AT 997544). Expend 4 rds 90mm HE. Fr 222000H-230500H B-3 conducted M&E's on targets 415, 79, 1, 410, 7, 14, 16, 17, 416, 2. Expend total of 76 rds 90mm HE. Fr 221600H-220900H Team provided one inf platoon (Rein) to 2/3.	S S
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1720	01	231950H	Scuderman. Fireteam w/ Engg. Well rig rads movement in contact across river in front of positions.	S
2000	02	232000H	MASCO Bunker Y-2. Rads beating of drums and bamboo at water point	S
2020	03	232020H	MASCO Bunker Y-2. Rads bamboo beating in white house in village in front of bunker.	S
0850	04	240850H	S-3 ATTN. We are sending out a patrol to Yen Bac to pick up a Vietnamese child f/meed treatment.	ST
1000	05	240930H	CoB. B-3 units conducted ID fire fr 232000H-240500H. B-3 35% C-15 fired all rounds. Fired targets 79, 415, 7, 14, 16, 416, 2, 50, 17, 1. Fired conc 944480, 918477, 924742, 949438, fired total of 76 rds 90mm HE.	SF
1150	06	241140H	CoB. B-13 & B-15 now departing L, 3/9 Cp w/L Company on sword to 101623.	S
1225	07	241225H	CoB, 1st Tanks. Rec details of en contact on 21Feb66.	SF
1450	08	241450H	Div G-3. BG恩 STYLES, ADC, 1st ArDiv, will visit 3d TkBn Cp fr 251600H-251625H. TkBn will furnish jeep to transport ADC to 1st ArDivCdn.	S
			SUMMARY 231601H-241600H. FR 232000H-240500H. ID H&I's on targets. 79, 415, 7, 14, 16, 416, 2, 50, 17, 1. Fired conc 944480, 918477. AT 924742, AT 949488. Expend 76 rds 90mm HE. TkBn provided security f/Engr detachment south of En Cp.	ENCLOSURE key

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1700		01	241800Z	CABCO. Two fireteams have lost 2m CBA due to new well rig.	S
1820	1820	02	241815Z	CAB. Have any ID fire for tonight?	P
1834	1820	03	241830Z	CAB. NO ID fires	P
1922		04	241834Z	M&SOC. Security patrol arrived at engineer position.	S
		05	230755Z	CAB. Status of equipment report. No change.	P
		06	241800Z	COCCOC. Relay to CO, CoB 1st tanks. Request details of tk participation in prominence battle contact of 2130Z. Induce any use of xenon white light or xenon infrared.	P
2100		1930	242100Z	DIV G-4. On 26Feb66 between 0830H and 1100H LtCol NOLAN from G-4 will escort a LtCol PARK from ROK Army in Tk area for 45 min. Col NOLAN will brief Col PARK no requirement on TN 20.	S
		07	242120Z	COB. At 242115H a COB TK (55) sighted 4 or 5 VC at (AM 976623). Illuminated VC with white light and fired 3 rds 90mm HE at them. Estimate 4 or 5 VC KIA (not confirmed)	S
		08	250550Z	COB. TKS D-24 & D-21 going on sweep will give coord later.	S
0715		09	250805Z	DIV TIC. Req clearance from 250900H to 260900H on targets 9,13,18, and 19.	P
0830		10	250830Z	DIV TIC. B-3 cleared from 250900H to 260900H on targets 13,18, and 19.	P

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					observed and fired on 4 or 5 VC (976623). Est 14 or 5 VC KIA. At 250915Z C-13 (Hill 55) obs 4 to 6 VC run into house (966638). Expended 2 rds 90mm HE. Results UNK. At 251115 C-13 obs 3 VC running across rice paddy (989596). Expended 5 rds 90mm HE. Neg results. At 251215Z B-34 (Hill 55) obs 2 VC crawling into haystack (982588). Expended 1 rd 90mm HE. Results unk. S	

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0750		01	251750Z	3dSco. CO, 3dTn returned to Bn Cp.	S
1815		02	251815Z	AMTrac security patrol departed Bn Cp through AT Gate.	SE
0715		03	260715Z	AMTrac security patrol returned to Bn Cp.	SE
0830		04	260730Z	CoB. B-3 units fired ID fm 251600H-260500H fired targets 9,13,18, and 19. Expend 38 rds 90mm WP & 2 rds 90mm WP.	SP
0845	0845	05	260845Z	Div TIC. Req clearance fr 260900H-270900H on targets 313, 314, and 315.	P
0930		06	260930Z	CoB. B-3 cleared fr 260900-270900 on target 313-AT 953448. 314-AT 978451, 315-AT 985461. All targets are suspected rice storage areas.	E
1250		07	261235Z	CoB. Tks B-24 & B-21 moving south to (BT 091615).	S
1400		08	261335Z	CoB. Tks B-21 & B-24 now in blocking position at (BT 100525) no enemy contact.	S
1605		09	261555Z	CoB. B-24 moved to new position at (BT 108627). No enemy contact.	S
				SUMMARY 251600H-261600Z. Fr 251600 to 260500H B-3 fire ENCLURE OF on targets 9,13,18, and 19. Expend 38 rds 90mm WP.	CONFIDENTIAL

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1810		01	261810H	H&SCO. Security patrol reached well.	
1840		02	261840H	CdB. 2 ticks w/inf blocked f/cont' sweep. Inf picked up 93 VCS. S	
2030		03	262030H	H&SCO bunker Y-2. Rpts firing at one man by bushes to their front. Fireteam checked area no evidence of man being hit. S	
2125		04	262125H	H&SCO. S-2 departed w/fireteam to check villagers. ST	ST
2200		05	262200H	H&SCO. Fireteam returned to Bn Cp. No results. ST	ST
2255		06	262255H	H&SCO. Patrol departed Bn Cp. ST	ST
2335		07	262335H	H&SCO. Patrol reached checkpoint 12. S	S
2400		08	262400H	H&SCO. Y-2 & Y-2A reached rendezvous point. S	S
0130E		09	270130H	H&SCO. Patrol returned to Bn Cp. SE	SE
0130E 115H		10	270715H	H&SCO/ ██████████ . Well security returned to Bn Cp. SE	SE
0735		11	270735H	3d Tk Bn XC. Rec'd msg to have guide at museum pier by 0930. VT notified. S	S
0815		12	270815H	DIV DIV. Rec clearance fr 270900H-280900H on targets 10, 15, 65, 68. P	P
0845		13	270810H	CdB. Fired ID fr 262000H-262400H. Conc 315-explosives 90mm HE, 214-5 rds 90mm HE, 313-10 rds 90mm HE. Total exp fr 260700H-270700H 20 rds 90mm HE. ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED	

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0850		14	270815H	Cob. Tks B-24 & B-21 moving south on operation.		
0855		15	270855H	Div SIC. Clearance to fire on targets 10,15,65,68 granted until 280900H.	S	
0900		16	270900H	Cob. Notified on clearance to fire.	P	
0920		17	270910H	Cob. Tk B-24 rts tks B-24 & B-21 moved to coord BT 068635 to recon hill at coord BT 068635 by fire. Moved on hill and fired fire fr 2 dif posns. At 270900H coord BT 062629. Tks fired at target, expend 5 rds 90mm WP, 2 res 90mm HE, 150 rds Cal.30, and 50 rds Cal.50. Target neutralized. 6 VC KIA 4 confirmed by count.	SP	
1030		18	271003H	Cob. Submit to 9thMar by 271200H disposition & status of tks and fl tks in spt of 9thMar incl C-1 tks changes are to be submitted daily.	VII	
1050		19	271040H	Cob. Rpt sent daily to 9thMar S-3 starting yesterday. Will incl C-1 tks on 28Feb rpt.	S	
				SUMMARY 261601H-271600H. At 262030 z Hq Bunker fired on VCS outside perimeter wire. Area searched W/neg results. Fr 262000H-262400H B-3 fired on targets 315,314,313. Expnd 2 rds 90mm HE. At 270900H B-21 & B-24 (BT 068635) rec'd SA fire fr VC (BT 062629). Returned 5 rds 90mm WP. EXPOSURE OF CONFIDENTIAL 45, 150 rds Cal.30, & 50 rds Cal.50. Results unk. CONFIDENTIAL		

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06 0740	01	280657H	1055Co.	Y-1 consented well rec for En Co.				
0845	02	280740H	1055Co.	CO, XO, S-4 departed En Co.				S
	03	280815H	CoB.	Fr 272000H-280800H B-3 fired on targets 10, 15, 65, 68. Expended 10 rds 90mm WP & 15 rds 90mm HE.				SP
0920	04	280920H	Div FSCC.	Req clearance fr 280900H-010900H on targets 3, 4, 6, 412..				S
	05	280930H	CoB.	Info B-3. B-3 cleared fr 280900H-010900 on targets 3, 4, 6, 412.				SP
1125	06	281045H	CoB.	At 270900H B-13 (BT 071614) on a sweep w/I, 3/9, fired on VC running across rice paddy at (BT 062615). Expended 3 rds 90mm cannister. Esti 10 VC KIA. 4 VC confirmed by body count.				SP
11-1 1200	07	281115H	CoB.	At 281000H 2-33 (AM 993645) fired direct HAT's on a canefield (AT 997638). Expended 12 rds 90mm HE & 2 rds 90mm WP.				SP
	08	281130H	CoB.	At 281100H 3-1-3/9 (BT 070629) was pinned down by ITC sniper fire. B-21 & B-24 w/I-3/9 moved to (BT 062638) to cover withdrawal of the 2nd Bt. Tks also rec'd sniper fire. Expended 1 rd 90mm WP, 1 rd 90mm HE, & 100 rds Cal.30. Re-SP				SP
1245	09	281245H	1055Co.	CO returned to En Co.				

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13 1515	10 11	281325H 281430H	003. 003. B-11 & B-14 have returned to B-3/9 Co. No enemy contact.	SUMMARY 271601H-281600H. PR 272000H-280800H B-3 fired on targets 10, 15, 65, 68. Expended 10 rds 90mm RP & 15 rdes 90mm HE. At 270900H B-12 (32 071614) on S sweep W/I-3/9, fired at VC running across rice paddy at (32 062615). Expended 3 rds 90mm gunnister. EST 10 VC KIA. 4 VC KIA. Confirmed by body count. At 281100H B-33 (AT 993645) fired direct hits on a camefield (AT 997638). Expended 12 rds 90mm HE & 2 90mm RP. At 281100H B-21 & B-24 (32 062638) fired on VC snipers at (AT 070629). Expended 1 rd. 90mm RP, 1 rd. 90mm HE, & 100 rds cal.30. Results unk.	S
13 1515	10 11	281325H 281430H	B-11 & B-14 reported B-3/9 on sweep to (32 118633).	SUMMARY 271601H-281600H. PR 272000H-280800H B-3 fired on targets 10, 15, 65, 68. Expended 10 rds 90mm RP & 15 rdes 90mm HE. At 270900H B-12 (32 071614) on S sweep W/I-3/9, fired at VC running across rice paddy at (32 062615). Expended 3 rds 90mm gunnister. EST 10 VC KIA. 4 VC KIA. Confirmed by body count. At 281100H B-33 (AT 993645) fired direct hits on a camefield (AT 997638). Expended 12 rds 90mm HE & 2 90mm RP. At 281100H B-21 & B-24 (32 062638) fired on VC snipers at (AT 070629). Expended 1 rd. 90mm RP, 1 rd. 90mm HE, & 100 rds cal.30. Results unk.	S

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In	Out				M-map S-staff T-trps F-file
				1 February 1966	
0740				B-22 USMC SerNo 201958 hit mine, extensive damage-Evac to Bn CP SSB requests one section track, 30rds 90MM WP and one Pear 2 to Hill 55 and 2 Neoh. Also request Maint assist at HaDong Bridge both transmission oil line leaking on H-54	F
1745				B-22 will be ready for evac to Bn CP 1000 Tomorrow.	F
2155					F
				2 February 1966	
	0800			1 Tank Ser #201880 (H-52) sent to Phu Bai as temp replacement for A-34 Ser #202088. Length of time undetermined at this time.	
0900				SSB requests 15gal 10wt oil and 200 gal diesel at coord 991644 ASAP	
1200	1300			SSB requests 100 gal gas their CP Supply request of 0900 & 1200 arrangements made for same.	
1605				Plattsburg A5 requests following info (1) What RUC should we use on req. (2) Do we use SS Unit Code (P2) in Jon (3) Do we use MCC- A or J (4) Do we submit slit doc to FIST, FISO, SS or BAG Shaw. (5) Can we use Bay Shaw on a Block of Doc Numbers.	

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In	Out				M-map S-staff T-trps F-file
	0700			3 February 1966 2 Trucks w/Trailers Loaded with track and spare parts for Chu Lai on the way.	
0800				4 February 1966 SSB requests 300 gal gas to their CP Refueler on the way. SS4 to Plattsburg A-6 can not understand Question #5. Will give you info after clarification of 5.	
0830	0810				
0830	1830				
0900				5 February 1966 SSB3 expended 20rds HE 90MM request 200rds 90MM HE to Hill 55 tomorrow on resupply. Ammunition section notified SS4 to SSC6-Two high pressure water pumps on loads to arrive your area next week. One for Plattsburg B and for one SSC. Will attempt to get one for Plattsburg A.	
	0830				
	1300			6 February 1966 Resupply to Hill 55 138rds 90MM HE and 50rds 90MM WP	
1100				7 February 1966 C-11 requests replacement of RT 70 Replacement RT 90 on the way	
	1330				

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In	Out				M-map S-staff T-trps F-file
0755				8 February 1966 SSC Doc# 30077 -Ref CG MCSA Phila 232118Z Jan66. Sub reqn sub under wrong FSN. Correct FSN is 4933-723- 8638	
1755				9 February 1966 SSC requests following items for flame tank 225093 1010-60-6127 Qty 1 NIS 1010-605-6289 Qty 2 1 on hand 1010-575-5092 Qty 2 Nis	
0700				10 February 1966 Hill 55 expended 61rds 90MM HE and 5 90MM WP request resupply	
0800				11 February 1966 Resupply of Ammo and other classes of supply to Hill 55 is unstable. Availability of Helicopters for any given period is not reliable.	
1600				12 February 1966 Deadlined tanks still remain on a fairly even keel. Lack of major repair parts still a prime factor.	
1300				13 February 1966 Resupply to Hill 55 175rds 90MM HE and 25rds 90MM WP	

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In	Out				M-map S-staff T-trps F-file
1600				14 February 1966 Deadlined vehicle status remains same at this time.	
1100				15 February 1966 A-41 SerNo 202076 hit mine. Right rear road wheel arm and right inner arm destroyed.	
0900				16 February 1966 B-31 Ser#202122 Hit mine extent of damage not known at this time.	
0925	0940			17 February 1966 SSB to SS4 request 12 drums diesel and 3000 sand bags for Hill 55. Arrangements being made for resupply of above request.	
2215				SSB to SS4 request Turret contact team to repair leak in hydraulic line on B-34	
0730				18 February 1966 Maint Sections notified of 2215 request above. Deadlined equipment remains the same.	
1333					
0500				19 February 1966 SSO to SS4 Two 6x6 w/trailers arrived Chu Lai 172200Z	

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In	Out				M-map S-staff T-trps F-file
1600				20 February 1966 Deadline equipment remains basically the same. Q Service coming due on some vehicles.	
1035	1300			21 February 1966 SSB to SS4 request 300gal gas this CP Refueler dispatched to B CP Deadline reports in from companies in SSB requests wrecker be sent to Ha Dong 220900 to replace transmission oil line on B-32	
1600	1030			22 February 1966 M62 wrecker requested sent to Ha Dong Bridge. Deadline reports from companies are in	
1250	1314			23 February 1966 SSB6 requests info on Helo flights to 55 SS4 to SSB6 neg flights scheduled for 1300 tomorrow. SSB6 to SS4 request I&O Team for B33 to check out Hydraulic System. SSB6 requests 300 gal gas by 1700 contact team and refueler to B CP	
1415	1500				
	1600			24 February 1966 Deadline reports from companies in	

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In	Out				M-map S-staff T-trps F-file
	1600			25 February 1966 Deadlined reports from companies in	
0850	10945			26 February 1966 SSB requests welder and welding mach ASAP SS4 to SSB6 welding machining utilized here can not send at this time X Bridge out and would take 4 hours to arrive X will try to send it tonight when traffic is down. SSB5 request welder and rig at our earliest convience. Also request mach with eady outs to remove broken inject line from head.	
1005				1600 Deadlined reports from companies in	
0845	1000			27 February 1966 SSB requests 300 gal gas by 1700 today Refueler dispatched to B CP	
1215	1340			28 February 1966 SSB requests ETA of resupply run to 55 SS4 to SSB resupply to 55 cancelled for today set up for 1300 1 Mar from ASP/1 1600 Deadlined reports from companies in	

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In	Out				M-map S-staff T-trps F-file
1 February 1966					
0740				B-22 USMC SerNo 201958 hit mine, extensive damage-Evac to Bn CP SSB requests one section track, 30rds 90MM WP and one Pear 2 to Hill 55 and 2 Mech. Also request Maint assist at HaDong Bridge both transmission oil line leaking on H-54	F
1745				E-22 will be ready for evac to Bn CP 1000 Tomorrow.	F
2155					F
2 February 1966					
0800				I Tank Ser #201880 (H-52) sent to Phu Bai as temp replacement for A-34 Ser #202088. Length of time undetermined at this time.	
0900				SSB requests 15gal 10wt Oil and 200 gal diesel at coord 991644 ASAP	
1200	1300			SSB requests 100 gal gas their CP Supply request of 0900 & 1200 arrangements made for same.	
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Time		Serial Number	DTG	Incidents, Messages, Orders, etc.	Action Taken
In	Out				M-map S-staff T-trps F-file
	0700			3 February 1966 2 Trucks w/Trailers Loaded with track and spare parts for Chu Lai on the way.	
0800				4 February 1966 SSB requests 300 gal gas to their CP Refueler on the way. SS4 to Platsburg A-6 can not understand Question #5. Will give you info after clarification of 5.	
	0810				
	1830				
0500				5 February 1966 SSB3 expended 20rds HE 90MM request 200rds 90MM HE to Hill 55 tomorrow on resupply. Ammo section notified SS4 to SSC6-Two high pressure water pumps on loads to arrive your area next week. One for Platsburg B and for one SSC. Will attempt to get on for Platsburg A.	
	0830				
	1300			6 February 1966 Resupply to Hill 55 138rds 90MM HE and 50rds 90MM WP	
1140				7 February 1966 C-11 requests replacement of RT 70 Replacement RT 90 on the way	
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0925	0940			17 February 1966 SSB to SS4 request 12 drums diesel and 3000 sand bags for Hill 55. Arrangements being made for resupply of above request.	
2215				SSB to SS4 request Turret contact team to repair leak in hydraulic line on B-34	
	0730			18 February 1966 Maint Sections notified of 2215 request above. Deadlined equipment remains the same.	UNCLASSIFIED
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1600				20 February 1966 Deadlined equipment remains basically the same. Q Service comming due on some vehicles.	
1035	1300			21 February 1966 SSB to SS4 request 300gal gas this CP Refueler dispatched to B CP Deadline reports in from companies in SSB requests wrecker be sent to HaDong 220900 to replace transmission oil line on B-32	
1600	1030			22 February 1966 N62 wrecker requested sent to Ha Dong Bridge. Deadline reports from companies are in	
1250	1314			23 February 1966 SSB6 requests info on Helo flights to 55 SS4 to SSB6 neg flights scheduled for 1300 tomorrow. SSB6 to SS4 request I&O Team for B33 to check out Hydraulic System. SSB6 requests 300 gal gas by 1700 contact team and refueler to B CP	
1400					
1445	1500				
	1600			24 February 1966 Deadlined reports from companies in	UNCLASSIFIED

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	1600			Deadlined reports from companies in	

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