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From: Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific
To: Commandant of the Marine Corps (Code HD)

Subj: Command Chronology for 5th Communication Battalion
(Rein), FMF for the period 1-30Nov69

1. The subject chronology has been reviewed for completeness
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Via: Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific

Subj: Command Chronology for 5th Communication Battalion
(Rein), FMF for the period 1-30Nov69

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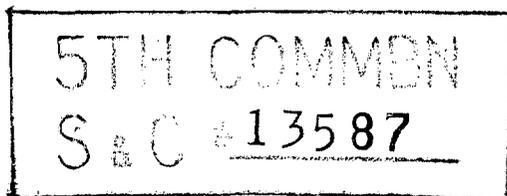
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(2) Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific
Subj: Command Chronology for 5th Communication Battalion (Rein), FMF for the period 1-30 November 1969
Ref: (a) MCO 5750.2
(b) FMFPacO 5750.8
Encl: (1) Command Chronology, 5th Communication Battalion (Rein), FMF

1. In accordance with the provisions of references (a) and (b), enclosure (1) is submitted.

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HEADQUARTERS
5th Communication Battalion (Rein), FMF
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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

1 November 1969 to 30 November 1969

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PART I

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

COMMANDER

5th Communication Battalion (Rein), FMF

LtCol D. E. SHATZER
(1-30 November 1969)

SUBORDINATE UNITS

Radio Relay and Construction Company

Major J. F. BAIER
(1-30 November 1969)

Communication Company

Major J. J. L. YETTER
(1-30 November 1969)

Communication Support Company,
7th Communication Battalion

Major L. E. PETERSON
(1-5 November 1969)

Headquarters Company

Captain M. J. HILSINGER
(6-30 November 1969)

Captain W. T. FARROW
(1-30 November 1969)

Communication Support Company

1stLt R. T. ANDERSON JR.
(1-30 November 1969)

2. LOCATION

1-30 November 1969: Camp Hoa Long, East Da Nang, RVN

3. STAFF OFFICERS

Executive Officer

Major F. W. MARTINO
(1-30 November 1969)

S-1 Officer

Captain F. D. STRONG
(1-30 November 1969)

S-3 Officer

Major R. C. PETERSON
(1-30 November 1969)

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S-4 Officer

Captain C. R. GRIFFIN
(1-30 November 1969)

S-5 Officer

1stLt R. T. ANDERSON JR.
(1-30 November 1969)

4. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

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48 1000

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PART II

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. 5th Communication Battalion (Rein) continued to fulfill its mission of providing communication support to III MAF units during November 1969. Among the organizations receiving support, or assistance, were III MAF Headquarters, the First Marine Division, the First Marine Air Wing and the Republic of Korea's Second Marine Brigade. U.S. Army and Air Force units in the I Corps area received support and assistance when required, and radio stations were maintained on the Third Marine Division's embarkation net to assist in the deployment of that unit.
2. Equipment for a secure voice radio net for CORDS was furnished and the net established during November. This net links CORDS detachments from Quang Ngai to Quang Tri. A communication system with voice and secure teletype equipment was also installed to link III MAF Headquarters with Force Reconnaissance Companies at Da Nang and Phu Bai. Operators are also assigned to operate this net on a 24-hour basis.
3. The Construction Platoon of Radio Relay and Construction Company received a letter of commendation from the Military Assistance Command, Vietnam for their efforts in training ARVN personnel of the 610th Area Signal Battalion Da Nang in heavy construction and cable splicing techniques during the period May to October 1969.
4. The Civil Affairs program provides bi-weekly Medcaps to Damon Hamlet and the Sacred Heart Orphanage. Two hundred ninety five villagers and over three hundred orphans received medical treatment during November. Eleven truck loads of used lumber was given to Damon Hamlet to be used in home improvement programs.

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PART III

SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS1. Combat Operations. NONE2. Routine Operations

a. Radio Relay and Construction Company

(1) Construction Platoon completed the installation of 25-pair cables between the Seventh Engineer Battalion and the Northern Artillery Cantonment, and the First Marine Division Headquarters and the summit of Hill 327. A 25-pair cable was also installed at ASP #1 for a new fire alert system. Over thirty-four thousand feet of cable and ninety-four poles were expended in these projects which consumed four thousand man hours of labor. In addition to this new construction considerable time and effort was expended maintaining the existing cable system. This task was made even more difficult by heavy seasonal rain and shortages of equipment.

(2) Radio Relay Platoon continued to provide Multichannel radio communications throughout I Corps and in Mekong Delta area.

b. Communication Support Company, Seventh Communication Battalion.

(1) Radio Relay and Radio Platoon continued to operate multichannel radio links in support of the Second ROK Brigade and the First Marine Division. In addition personnel and equipment were assigned temporarily to COMNAVFORV for operations in the Delta area.

(2) Wire Platoon provided local-battery telephone service to the Fifth Communication Battalion and the Second ROK Brigade compounds.

(3) Communication Center Platoon continues to operate the communication center at the Second ROK Marine Brigade Headquarters.

c. Communication Company continued to maintain communication systems in support of III MAF Headquarters. A total of 61,691 messages were processed during November by the Communication Center and Combat Operation Center. A total of 407,901 telephone calls were peg counted by the III MAF switchboard.

d. Battalion Supply completed 404 requisitions of a total 1,306 received during November.

e. Motor Transport dispatched 2,216 vehicles during the month. These vehicles logged 67,753 miles while transporting 27,357 passengers and 88 tons of cargo.

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f. Electronic Maintenance completed 581 work orders while Motor Transport Maintenance and Camp Maintenance completed 137 and 31 work orders, respectively.

3. Personnel/Equipment Deployments.

a. Twenty men were assigned to support the requirements of the First Marine Division. These men operated three AN/TRC-97E terminals, two AN/MRC-62 terminals and two AN/TRC-27 terminals. In addition two cable splicers were assigned to assist the Division G-2 Surveillance Section.

b. Nineteen enlisted and one Officer were detailed to operate radio nets in support of First and Third Force Reconnaissance Companies. Three AN/TSC-15 vans, two teletypes and associated ciphering equipment were employed on these circuits.

c. The following men and equipment were assigned to the Republic of Korea's Second Marine Brigade at Hoi An to operate and maintain a communication system: 1 Officer, 46 enlisted, 6 AN/MRC-62, 10 AN/PCC-1, 1 AN/VCC-2, 4 PRC-77's and 10 RT-505's plus teletype and telephone equipment.

d. Second CAG was supported by five men operating one AN/MRC-62, two RT-505's and one AN/PCC-1.

e. MACV at Hoi An employs one AN/PCC-1 and one AN/MRC-62 operated by three men from this battalion.

f. Ten men augmented the communication section of the First Military Police Battalion in the Da Nang area.

g. Three AN/TRC-97E and one AN/MRC-62 terminals on Monkey Mountain were manned by ten operators from this battalion.

h. XXIV Corps at Phu Bai had ten men, one AN/MRC-83, one AN/TRC-97A one AN/MRC-62 and two RT-524's providing communication support during November.

i. Force Logistics Command was assigned three men to operate an AN/TRC-27 terminal on the III MAF-FLC link.

j. Fourteen Officers and one hundred fifty-two enlisted Marines from the battalion operated the communications center, telephone exchange, FCC and RPS at III MAF Headquarters. Operators were also provided for radio and teletype nets in the COC and surveillance and reconnaissance center, and personnel were provided for augmentation to G-6, III MAF.

4. Assistance to Other Organizations.

a. Covered FM radio net linking Quang Tri, Hue, Hoi An, Tam Ky and Quang Ngai with Da Nang was provided to CORDS.

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5. Personnel/Equipment Casualties. None

6. Training.

a. Battalion personnel attended the following schools during November:

<u>No</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Location</u>
1	Career Planning	Okinawa
1-2	Embarkation	Okinawa
2	AN/TRC-97 Operator	Cam Ranh Bay
8	NCO Leadership	FLC
1	Generator Operator	NSA Da Nang

b. Instruction in Field Fortifications and the Civic Action Program was presented by battalion, and two hours of instruction in each T/O MOS field was conducted during November.

7. Significant Events, Equipment and Logistics. Fifth Communication Battalion remained in a C-2 readiness category during November due to equipment maintenance. The target date to reach a C-1 posture is 31 December 1969.

8. Personnel

- a. Joined: 2 Officers; 87 Enlisted
- b. Detached: 10 Officers; 98 Enlisted
- c. Overseas Extensions: 7 for three months; 26 for six months
- d. Reenlistments: 1 two year extension and 1 three year extension.
- e. Off Duty education:

- (1) USAFI: 21
- (2) MCI: 2-83
- (3) University of Maryland: 4

f. Savings Deposits and Bonds: 4% of the battalion participated in the savings program and 70% in the savings bond program.

g. Promotions: A total of three Officers and two hundred thirty-four enlisted were promoted during November.

h. Leaves and R&R:

- (1) Annual Leave 1-2
- (2) Special Leave 12
- (3) Emergency Leave 3
- (4) R&R 4-37

i Hospitalization. Nine men were hospitalized during November. There were no enemy-inflicted casualties or medical evacuations.

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9. Miscellaneous

a. Postal service is provided by the First Marine Air Wing. Average delivery time is five days.

b. Legal

- (1) Special Court Martial: 3
- (2) Summary Court Martial: 0
- (3) Non Judicial Punishment: 6

c. Disbursing support is provided by Force Logistics Command.

d. Morale is good.

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PART IV

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

1. The following are attached as supporting documents:
 - a. ✓ Radio Relay and Construction Company Command Chronology
 - b. ✓ Communication Company Command Chronology
 - c. ✓ Communication Support Company Command Chronology ^(1st) _(7th Comm Bn)
 - d. ✓ Headquarters Company Command Chronology
 - e. ✓ MACV Commendation Letter, 17 Oct 69
 - f. Hoa Vang District Letter of Appreciation, 30 Oct 69

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5th Communication Battalion, (Rein) FMF
FPO San Francisco 96602

COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

1-30 November 1969

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PART I

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ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

COMMANDING OFFICER

Radio Relay & Construction Company
5th Communication Battalion, (Rein) FMF
FPO San Francisco 96602

Major J. F. BAIER
(1-30 November 1969)

OFFICERS

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PERIOD OCCUPIED BILLET

Capt. T. P. OLEARY	Exec Officer	1-30 November 1969
Capt. E. F. MERCER	Opns Officer	1-30 November 1969
1stLt. W. R. EGHOLS	Asst Opns Officer	1-6 November 1969
Capt. T. D. BROWN	Rad Rel Plt Cmdr	1-30 November 1969
2ndLt. D. H. TALIAFERRO	Asst Rad Rel Plt Cmdr	1-30 November 1969
CWO2 F. M. NORDSTROM	Comm Officer	1-30 November 1969
CWO2 R. E. COPELAND	Maint Officer	1-30 November 1969
Capt. I. R. SABLE	Const Plt Cmdr	1-30 November 1969
1stLt. H. J. WEAVER	Asst Const Plt Cmdr	1-30 November 1969

2. LOCATION

1-30 November 1969: Camp Hoa Long, East Danang, RVN

3. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

USMC		USN		OTHER	
<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>
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During the month of November the Construction Platoon completed fourteen work orders. Work is still in progress on an additional twelve work orders. Of the fourteen work orders completed, nine involved trouble-shooting and repairing existing cables in the Danang area. The platoon completed three major construction projects.

a. A new cable was installed from 7th Engineer Bn. to the Northern Artillery Cantonment. Work consisted of installing 54 poles and 10,800 feet of 25 pair cable.

b. Work was completed on two new cables from the 1st Marine Division Command Post to the top of Hill 327. Forty poles and 10,000 feet of 25 pair cable were installed.

c. A cable was installed at ASP #1 for a new fire alert system. Sixty poles and 6200 feet of cable were installed.

d. In addition to the work orders, many man hours were expended in policing existing cables, relashing cables, and straightening poles. The platoon continued to operate under many days of unfavorable weather and with a continuing lack of proper equipment and material.

Total man hours for Construction Platoon for the month of November 1969, were: 4,083 hours, total materials used for the month were; 14,000 feet of messenger cable, 99 poles, 32,388 feet of 25 pair cable, (1) terminal (31-D), and 3 pedestals.

During the month of November 1969, Radio Relay Platoon completed the following commitments;

a. Provided one TRC-97 and team to 1st Marine Division for the period 3 November 1969 to 10 November 1969.

b. LTI'ed and turned into Battalion Supply two PU-278 generators for temporary loan to 5th Marines.

c. Received from Comm. Support, 7th Comm (8) C-7827, (6) C-7674, (10) Th 81's, plus auxiliary equipment to constitute (6) AN/VCC-1's, for Operation SeaLord. One officer and (4) man team with equipment to COMNAVFOR V for installation of Relay links. (6) AN/VCC-1's to be signed on temporary loan to Major Davia, COMNAVFOR V for a period of 180 days.

d. Turn into Battalion Supply (2) TA-807 line units for temporary loan to Comm Support for a period of 90 days.

Total man hours for the above for the month of November 1969 were 60.5 hours. Total materials for the above commitments were: (1) TRC-97, (2) PU-278, (2) TA-807, (6) VCC-1, and (14) AS-2236's.

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PART III~~SECRET~~SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

1. Routine Operations: Construction Platoon continues to install and maintain the III MAF Cable System in the Danang Area. Radio Relay Platoon is now manning (2) each TRC-97, (4) each TRC-97E, (8) each MRC-62, (7) each TRC-27, (2) each VCC-1, and (2) each PCC-1
2. Personnel/Equipment Deployment: Five men at Phu Bai are manning (1) TRC-97 and (1) MRC-62 in support of 24th Army Corps, Ten men at Monkey Mountain are manning (1) TRC-97, (1) TRC-97E, (1) MRC-62, and (1) PRC-25 in support of 5th Communication Battalion, (4) men at III MAF are manning (2) VCC-1, (2) PCC-1, (3) MRC-62, and (5) TRC-27 in support of III MAF, four men at Chu Lai are manning (1) TRC-97E in support of 1st MAW, three men at FLC are manning (2) TRC-27 in support of FLC, six men at Hill 244 are manning (1) TRC-97E and (1) MRC-62 in support of 1st MARDIV, three men at LZ Baldy are manning (1) MRC-62 in support of 1st MARDIV, two men at KMB are manning (2) MRC-62 in support of ROKMC, one man at Danang Control is manning PCC-19 equipment in support of 37th Signal Battalion, one officer and four men at Bong Tau installing (6) VCC-1 and (12) AS-2236 in support of COMNAVFOR V.
3. Other assistance to other organizations: None
4. Personnel/Equipment Casualties: TH-81 dropped from III MAF watertower was a total loss.
5. Status/Significant Events, Training:
 - a. One officer and one enlisted man attended Embarkation School at Camp Hansen, Okinawa.
 - b. Seven men attended TROPO AN/TRC-97 Operator's Course at Cam Ranh Bay, RVN.
 - c. Two men attended NCO Leadership school at FLC.
6. Status/Significant Events, Equipment, & Logistics: None
7. Personnel:
 - a. Joinees: Seven (7) men were joined by this Company during the month of November 1969.
 - b. Detachments: Twenty-six (26) men were detached from this Company during the month of November 1969.
 - c. Overseas Extensions: Three men extended overseas for three months each, and one man extended overseas for six months.
 - d. Reenlistments: One man extended for two years.

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e. Off Duty Education: Twenty-nine men were enrolled in MCI Courses during the month of November 1969.

f. Savings Deposits, Savings Bonds: 4% Savings Deposit, 80% Savings Bonds.

g. Promotions: Sixty-three men were promoted by this Company during the month of November 1969.

h. Special Leave: Three men R&R: Fourteen men Annual Leave: Two men

i. Venereal Disease: No cases

j. Hospitalization: Three men were hospitalized during the month of November 1969.

8. New Techniques Employed: None

9. Miscellaneous: None

PART IV

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

✓ Training Schedule for the month of November 1969.

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RADIO RELAY & CONSTRUCTION COMPANY
 5th Communication Battalion, (Rein) FMF
 FPO San Francisco 96602

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COMPANY BULLETIN 1500

From: Commanding Officer
 To: Distribution List

Subj: Training Schedule

Ref: (a) BnO 1500.1B
 (b) BnBul 1500 3/JAG/cem dtd 29 December 1968

Encl: (1) Training Schedule

1. Purpose: To promulgate a schedule of technical and General Military Subjects Training for personnel of this Company for the month of December 1969.

2. Action:

a. Training will be conducted as scheduled in enclosure (1).

b. Each instructor will prepare a lesson plan which will be submitted to the Company Operations Chief for approval, five (5) days prior to the scheduled instruction.

c. The Operations Chief will insure that the lesson plan covers the scope of the class and is in the proper format. The lesson plan will be returned to the instructor at least three (3) days prior to the scheduled instruction with a rehearsal appointment.

d. The instructor will rehearse his plan as scheduled by the Operations Chief and his period of instruction will be monitored by a member of this Company who is senior in rank to the instructor.

e. Each monitor will be prepared to give the scheduled class if the assigned instructor is unable to do so.

f. Upon completion of the scheduled instruction, the lesson plan and critique sheet will be returned to the Operations Chief for filing.

3. Self-Cancellation: 1 January 1970

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 By direction

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DATE	TIME	SUBJECT	INSTRUCTOR	PLACE	REFERENCE	UD	PERSONS	MONITOR
3 Dec 69	0730-0830	Code of Conduct	Sgt Maj GLEASON	EM Club		UD	Sgt & Below	
7 Dec 69	0830-0930	Personnel & Rifle Inspection	Pvt Cmdr	Co Area		UD	All Hands	
	0930-1030	Air Support	Cpl LONEY	Co ClassRM	F7-3	UD	Sgt & Below	SSgt FANNING
	1030-1130	Counter Guerilla Operations	Cpl HANSEN	Co ClassRM	31-16	UD	Sgt & Below	SSgt FANNING
	1130-1230	Naval Gunfire Support	Cpl FERGERTSON	Co ClassRM	F7-2	UD	Sgt & Below	SSgt FANNING
	1230-1630	Organized Athletics	Pvt Cmdr	Bn Area BnBul	1500	All Hands		
13 Dec 69	1500-1615	Management	Cpl ROYALTY	Elect Maint	Management Data List	UD	Elect Pers	
	1500-1615	Profile Plotting	Cpl PHILLIPS	RR Area	FM 11-8 TM 11-614 NAVMC 60038	UD	Sgt & Below	
	1530-1600	Source of Supply	SSgt ELLIS	5th Supply	III MAF P4400.5B	UD	All Supply	
	1600-1630	Issue Procedures (Gen Art)	SSgt WIELINSKI	5th Supply	BnO P4000.1	UD	All Supply	
	1530-1615	Care & Maint. of Belts & Gaffs	SSgt ODANI	Pole Yard	FM 24-20	UD	All Wire/ Cable MOS	
	1530-1630	Sgt Majors Time	Sgt Maj GLEASON	SNCO Club		UD	All SNCO's	

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DATE	TIME	SUBJECT	INSTRUCTOR	PLACE	REFERENCE	UD PERSONS	MONITOR
11 Dec 69	0830-0930	Personnel & Rifle Inspection	Plt Cmdr	Co Area		UD All Hands	
0930-1030		Operations Against Guerilla Units	Cpl Christian	Co Class Room	FMFM8-2	UD Sgt & Fellow	SSgt Fanning
1030-1130		Explosives & Demolitions	Cpl Bryers	Co Class Room	FMF-25	UD Sgt & Below	SSgt Fanning
1130-1230		Techniques of Will Instruction	Cpl Fischer	Co Class Room	FM21-6	UD Sgt & Fellow	SSgt Fanning
1230-1630		Organized Athletics	Pit Cmdr	Fn Area	Fn Ful 150C	All Hands	
21 Dec 69	0830-0930	Personnel & Rifle Inspection	Co Cmdr	Co Area		UD All Hands	
0930-1030		Combat Intelligence	Cpl Miller	Co Class Room	FM30-5	UD Sgt & Below	SSgt Fanning
1030-1130		Counter Guerilla Operations	Cpl Russel	Co Class Room	FM31-16	UD Sgt & Below	SSgt Fanning
1130-1230		Customs, Courtesies, & Traditions	Cpl Kennedy	Co Class Room	PF-0621	UD Sgt & Below	SSgt Fanning
1230-1630		Organized Athletics	Plt Cmdr	Fn Area	Bn Bul 1500	All Hands	
27 Dec 69	1530-1600	Issue & Recovery of Indiv Equip	SSgt Ellis	5th Comm Supply	Mco P4400.15D	UD All Supp Pers	
1600-1630		Issue & Recovery of Indiv Weapons	SSgt Wielinski	5th Comm Supply	Mco P4400	UD All Supp Pers	

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TECHNICAL TRAINING RADIO RELAY PLATOONDECEMBER 1969

Note:

Weekly schedule will be repeated each week, AN/TRC-97 team members.

MONDAY 0800-1100 Orientation to AN/TRC-97

- a. Safety
- b. Explanation of Van Exterior

1330-1600 Introduction to main groups of AN/TRC-97

- a. Energising Procedure
- b. Channel Alignment

TUESDAY 0800-1330 Transmitter

- a. Multi-lexer
- b. Channel Alignment

1330-1600 Power Amplifier

- a. Klystron and power supply
- b. Functions of the radio test kit

WEDNESDAY 0800-1100 Functions of the antenna alignment kit

- a. Proper use of the meter
- b. Special safety precautions

1330-1600 Erecting Antennas

General review

THURSDAY 0800-1100 Practical Application

1330-1600 Practical Application

FRIDAY 0800-1100 Practical Application

1330-1600 Practical Application

SATURDAY 0800-1600 Practical Application

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TECHNICAL TRAINING RADIO RELAY PLATOONNOVEMBER 1969

Note:

Weekly schedule will be repeated each week, MRC-62 & MRC-63 team members.

MONDAY 0800-1100 Duties & Responsibilities of:

- a. Team Chief
- b. Team members (Class Room)

1330-1600 Site Planning & Selection

- a. Security
- b. Selection 1. "62" 2. "63"
- c. Site Conduct (Class Room)

TUESDAY 0800-1100 Familiarization of Equipment

- a. AN/GRC-10 Capabilities & Characteristics
 1. T-235
 2. R-215
 3. DY-94
 4. C-632
 5. F-237

1330-1600 3-Bay Signal Converters Capabilities & Characteristics

1. AM-682
2. TA-219
3. TA-182

WEDNESDAY 0800-1100 Antennas

- a. Characteristics & Nomenclature
 1. Inventory
 2. Determination of Serviceability
 3. Considerations

1330-1600 Erection of Antenna (Practical Appl.)

1. Xmit Antenna
2. Receiver Antenna

THURSDAY 0800-1100 PU-357 (Class Room Generator Shop)

1. Inventory
2. Considerations
3. PE-75: Characteristics
 - a. Operation
 - b. M.M.'s

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1330-1600 PU-463 (Class Room Generator Shop)
 1. Inventory
 2. Considerations
 3. PU-347 (Characteristics)

FRIDAY 0800-1100 Generator Procedure (Class Room)
 1. Power Connections
 2. Circuit Connections
 3. System Alignment
 4. Radio Procedures
 5. Trouble-shooting
 6. General Conduct while operating equipment

1330-1600 Preparation of Equipment for assignment
 (Practical Application)

SATURDAY 0800-1100 Assignment (Practical Application)
 1. 2-MRC-62's (63's)
 2. Operation
 3. P.M. Gear
 4. Secure Shot

1330-1600 Practical Application

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5th Communication Battalion, (Rein), FMF
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ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

COMMANDER

COMMUNICATION COMPANY
5TH COMMUNICATION BATTALION, (REIN), FMF
FPO SAN FRANCISCO 96602

MAJOR JOSEPH J. L. YETTER

<u>OFFICERS</u>	<u>BILLET</u>	<u>PERIOD</u>
Maj R. C. PETERSON 074631/2502	Commanding Officer	1Nov69-Only
Maj J. J. L. YETTER 081971/2502	Commanding Officer	2-30Nov69
Maj R. B. AUSTENFELD JR 080349/2502	TAD 2ndCAG	1- 4Nov69
	TAD H&SCo, III MAF	5-30Nov69
Maj S. C. WIGGINS 075871/2502	CommCntrPltCmdr	1-30Nov69
Capt C. N. LAVERTY 097200/2502	AsstCommCntrPltCmdr	1-30Nov69
Capt K. D. LEWIS 097217/2805	CommCntrMaintOff	1-30Nov69
Capt R. H. STRUBLE 097996/2502	CommCntrOpersOff	1-30Nov69
1stLt T. E. ROTH 0103771/2502	Executive Officer	1-30Nov69
1stLt T. M. KEEGAN 0102432/2502	RadioPltCmdr	1- 4Nov69
	TAD H&SCo, III MAF	5-30Nov69
CWO4 O. H. DUNCAN 071977/2810	WirePltCmdr	1-30Nov69
1stLt B. J. MCFADDEN 0105976/2502	CommCntrWatchOff	1-30Nov69
1stLt K. B. FORD 0107375/2502	OIC, COC, III MAFCommCntr	1-30Nov69
2ndLt B. A. CERO 0108916/2502	AsstRadioPltCmdr	1- 4Nov69
	RadioPltCmdr	5-30Nov69
2ndLt C. P. KUBAT 0108684/2502	AsstCommCntrMaintOff	1-15Nov69
2ndLt B. S. MEADOWS 0109084/2502	CommCntrWatchOff	1-30Nov69

2. LOCATION

1-30 November 1969: Camp Hoa Long, East Danang, Republic of Vietnam

3. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

USMC		USN		OTHER	
<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>	<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>	<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>
13	278	0	0	0	0

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PART II

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

During the period of this report Communication Company continued to support III MAF Headquarters with Communication Center, Radio and Wire Communication.

Traffic count for reporting period for Communication Center was as follows: Incoming 35,959; Outgoing 14,418; Total: 50,377. Traffic count for Combat Operation Center was as follows: Incoming 4,620; Outgoing 6,694; Total: 11,314.

Major R. C. PETERSON was transferred from this unit to HqCo, 5thCommBn on 1 November 1969.

Major J. J. L. YETTER was joined by this unit from RR&CCo, 5thCommBn on 2 November 1969.

First Lieutenant R. H. STRUBLE was appointed Captain (Temporary) in the USMC with a date of rank of 1 October 1969.

First Lieutenant T. E. ROTH augmented into the Regular USMC on 14 November 1969.

Second Lieutenant C. P. KUBAT was transferred from this unit to 1st Marine Division on 15 November 1969.

Privates R. K. ATZROTT, D. R. BISHOP, R. L. DOLES, W. E. GIBBONEY, and G. C. KIEFFER were promoted to the rank of Private First Class.

Private First Class D. J. ARNOLD, E. E. ARNOLD, R. L. BLAKE, T. N. CALDWELL, R. C. CARROLL, D. L. COSGROVE, P. R. FAFEITA, A. H. GONZALES, S. E. GROSS, M. W. POWELL, T. L. SHICK, N. C. WELCH, and M. F. WILLIAMS were promoted to the rank of Lance Corporal.

Lance Corporals F. K. ATKINS, J. L. GARRETT, P. D. GIDDENS, C. E. JOERSCHKE, R. F. JONES, D. S. PARKER, G. H. PIERCE, M. J. J. PORADZISZ, S. J. RABALAIS, J. REID, M. J. ROMSTADT, D. L. SCHUH, R. A. SMITH, R. E. SPALDING, J. J. ~~WENZLER~~ STRAZZIRE, H. D. STROPP, N. R. VOTER, J. F. WAGES, L. W. WEAVER, and M. C. WENZLER were promoted to the rank of Corporal.

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PART III
 SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

1. <u>Routing Operations</u>	
<u>Traffic Count-CommGen</u>	Traffic Count-COC
In: 35,959	In: 4,620
Out: 14,418	Out: 6,694
Total: 50,377	Total: 11,314

OPERATIONAL
 4 Commitments Completed

Peg-Count - 407,901

2. <u>Personnel/Equipment Depletments</u>	<u>Equipment</u>
4 Mar TAD to Hill 327	2 RT-524
	2 AS-2236
	1 PP-388
4 Mar TAD to Hill 34	2 PRC-77
	1 AS-2236
	1 TSC-15
	1 PU-499
3 Mar TAD to 24th Corps	2 RT-524
	1 AS-2236
	1 MRC-83
	1 PP-388
4 Mar TAD to 3rd Recon	2 TSC-15
	1 RT-246
	1 AS-2236
	1 PP-388
	1 PU-482
	1 PU-565
	1 PU-670
3 Mar TAD to III MAF SRC	2 RT-524
	2-AS-2236
	1 PP-2953
	1 PRC-77
3 Mar TAD to III MAF COC	2 RT-524
	2 AS-2236
	1 PU-565
	2 TRC-75
	2 AN/GRA-6
	1 RC-292
	3 PRC-25
	3 AN/GRA-39
	1 URC-23A

3. Other Assistance to Other Organizations
 None

4. Personnel/Equipment Casualties
 None

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PART IV
COMPANY TRAINING SCHEDULE

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ENCLOSURE 1/2

COMMUNITY RELATIONS DIVISION
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Encl. 1500
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 250069

COMPANK BULLETIN 1500

From: Commanding Officer
 To: Distribution List

Subj: Integrated Company and Battalion Training Schedule for
 November 1969.

Ref: (a) Encl. 1500.1 dtd 26 June 1969.

Encl: (1) Integrated Company and Battalion Training Schedule.

1. Purpose. To publish a training schedule for the month of
 November 1969, and insure that subjects are taught in accordance
 with reference (a).

2. Action. DMS training for Comm Center personnel at III MAF
 will be accomplished by the Comm Center Platoon Commander.
 Enclosure (1) will serve as a guide for conducting this training.

a. Operations will ensure that instructors are prepared
 and available.

b. Instructors listed in enclosure (1) shall submit lesson
 plans to Operations by 1300, three (3) days prior to their
 scheduled class.

c. Instructors that are on watch at the time of their
 scheduled class will be furnished a stand-by for their watch
 during the period of instruction.

3. Self-Cancellation. 1 December 1969.

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ENCLOSURE 1/0

DATE	TIME	SUBJ	PLACE	PKRS	INST	MONITOR
* 1 NOV	1500-1650	AN/PNC-47	Radio Area	2531/33MOS	SSgt Weldner	
* 1 NOV	1530-1630	Sgt Majors' Time	SNCO Club	ALL SNCO	Sgt Maj Gleason	
4 NOV	1030-1130	Interior Guard	Co. C.R.	Sgt Below	Sgt Todd	SSgt Purdon
* 6 NOV	0730-0830	Field Fortifications	EM Club	ALL Pers.	CYSgt Courtney	
7 NOV	0715-0815	Pers/Wpns. Insp.	Co Area	ALL Pers.	Co Cndr.	
11 NOV	0730-0830	First Aid	Co. C.R.	Sgt Below	Sgt Wilber	SSgt Green
14 NOV	0715-0815	Pers/Wpns. Insp.	Co. Area	ALL Pers.	Co Cndr.	
* 15 NOV	1530-1630	VN Employment Regs.	SNCO Club	ALL SNCO	Capt Barrow	
* 15 NOV	1500-1615	MRC-109	Radio Area	2531/33MOS	SSgt Little	
17 NOV	0730-0830	Individual Responsibility	Co. C.R.	Sgt Below	Sgt Redinsky	SSgt Little
* 20 NOV	0730-0830	Civile Action Program	EM Club	ALL Pers.	Lt Anderson	
21 NOV	0715-0815	Pers/Wpns. Insp.	Co Area	ALL Pers.	Co Cndr.	
25 NOV	1000-1100	Troop Indoc Update	Co. C.R.	Sgt Below	SSgt Purdon	Lt Keegan
* 27 NOV	0730-0830	Civile Action Program	EM Club	ALL Pers.	Lt Anderson	
* 28 NOV	0715-0815	Pers/Wpns. Insp.	Co. Area	ALL Pers.	Co Cndr.	
* 28 NOV	1500-1615	MRC-109	Radio Area	2531/33MOS	SSgt Little	
* 29 NOV	1530-1630	Intelligence Briefing	SNCO Club	ALL SNCO	III MAP G-2	

* DEMONERS BATTALION LEVEL CLASSES

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HEADQUARTERS COMPANY
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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

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PART I

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1. DESIGNATION

COMMANDER

Headquarters Company
5th Communication Battalion, (Rein), FMF
FPO San Francisco 96602

Capt. W. T. FARROW

OFFICERS

BILLET

PERIOD

CWO2 Ronald K. BRUMBLE	RPS Officer	1-30 Nov 1969
Capt. Kenneth W. DIAS	Bn Supply Officer	1-30 Nov 1969
1stLt Weldon L. DOTSON	Bn ElectMaint Officer	1-30 Nov 1969
2ndLt William R. GRAYSON	Asst Bn Adjutant	1-30 Nov 1969
Capt. Charles R. GRIFFITH	Asst S-4 Officer	1-30 Nov 1969
1stLt Melvin R. KABLER	FCC Officer	1-30 Nov 1969
2ndLt Robert A. KARST	Exec MT Officer	1-30 Nov 1969
Maj Frank W. MARTINO	Bn Exec Officer	1-30 Nov 1969
CWO2 James P. MILLER	Asst Bn ElectMaint Officer	1-30 Nov 1969
Capt. John D. REXROADE	MTO Officer	1-30 Nov 1969
Maj. Roy C. PETERSON	Bn S-3 Officer	2-30 Nov 1969
LtCol Dale E. SHATZER	Bn Commanding Officer	1-30 Nov 1969
Capt. John J. SNEAD	Asst Bn S-3 Officer	1-30 Nov 1969
Capt. Frank D. STRONG	Bn Adjutant	1-30 Nov 1969
Lt. James M. JOHNSON	Bn Surgeon	1-30 Nov 1969
Lt. David E. SMITH	Bn Chaplin	1-30 Nov 1969

2. LOCATION

1-30 November 1969; Camp Hoa Long, East Danang, RVN

3. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

<u>USMC</u>		<u>USN</u>		<u>OTHER</u>	
<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>	<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>	<u>OFF</u>	<u>ENL</u>
15	271	2	12	0	0

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PART IINARRATIVE SUMMARY

The Headquarters Section has continued its commitment to the Battalion Reaction Force with a platoon sized unit that is available on a standby basis or an immediate basis, bearing on other unit commitments.

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PART IIISEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

1. Combat Operations. None
2. Routine Operations. Headquarters Company has continuously provided support to the Battalion in the areas of Administration, Motor Transport, Food Services, Supply, and Engineer and Electronics Maintenance.
3. Personnel/Equipment Deployments. None
4. Other Assistance to Other Organizations. None
5. Personnel/Equipment Casualties. None
6. Training. Refer to CoBul 1510 of 15 Sep 1969
7. Significant Events, Equipment & Logistics. None
8. Personnel.
 - a. Joinees: Off - 1; Enl - 24
 - b. Detachments: Off - 6; Enl - 39
 - c. Overseas Extensions: 6-6 months; 0-3 months
 - d. Reenlistments: 0 ExtEnl: 1 - 3 years
 - e. Off Duty Education:

	<u>Enrolled</u>	<u>Completed</u>
USAFI	5	0
MCI	24	0
University Extension	2	0
 - f. Savings deposit and bonds: Savings Deposit 03%, Savings Bonds 69%
 - g. Promotions: Officers: 1 Enlisted: 82
 - h. Leaves and R&R: SplLv- 2 Enl, Ann Lv - 0, R&R- 7 Enl, 1 Off
9. Miscellaneous: None

PART IVSUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

1. Company Training Schedule for month of November 1969 (Attached)

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HEADQUARTERS COMPANY
5th Communication Battalion, (Rein), FMF
APO San Francisco 96602

CoBul 1510
JPM:leg
30 Oct 1969

COMPANY BULLETIN 1510

From: Commanding Officer
To: Distribution List

Subj: Company Training for the period 1-30 November 1969

Ref: (a) BnO 1500.3
(b) BnBul 1500 of 15Sep69

Encl: (1) Training Schedule

1. Purpose. To publish the Company Training requirements for the period 1-30 Nov 1969, as required by references (a) and (b).

2. Information. Company training is designed to present instruction on those subjects necessary to qualify personnel in their MOS and to increase overall professional knowledge of personnel within the command.

3. Action

a. Section OICs/NOICs will:

(1) Conduct MOS training in accordance with enclosure (1).

(2) Ensure maximum attendance of section personnel at all scheduled Company training.

b. Instructors will prepare two copies of the lesson plan and submit them to the Company Training NCO at least three days prior to the scheduled class. Lesson plans may be typed or hand written but must be legible and in the correct format.

(1) The original lesson plan will be returned after the period of instruction to the Company training NCO.

(2) The duplicate will be retained in the Training Office.

c. Company Training NCO

(1) Monitor all Company Training.

(2) At Company conducted classes take an attendance roster of all Headquarters Company personnel by name and section.

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ENCLOSURE 1/1

FORM 1510
30 Oct 1969

THE 3100 SERIES (CLASS)

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(3) Prepare two copies of Headquarters Company Training Attendance report on sections, ascertaining from the Section by name those personnel who were absent and reason for said absence.

(4) Total the number of attendees and absentees and submit this data with one copy of each of the Section Training Attendance reports to the Battalion S-3.

(5) Retain on file with Company Training Records a copy of the Company Training Attendance Report for each Section.

4. Self-Cancellation. 1 December 1969

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