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(b) FMFPacO 5750.8

Encl: (1) 9th Motor Transport Battalion Command Chronology

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

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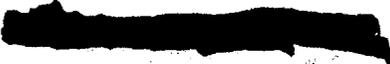
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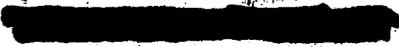
COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

1 July to 31 July 1968

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PART I

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

COMMANDER

9th Motor Transport Battalion

Major R. KULAK (28Jul68)

SUBORDINATE UNITS

H&S Company  
 "A" Company  
 "B" Company  
 "C" Company  
 Transport Company

1stLt R.M. HEMMERT (25Jun68)  
 1stLt M.K. WEST (9Jul68)  
 1stLt C.E. DEARNLEY III (9May68)  
 Capt A.G. SHADFORTH (8Jul68)  
 1stLt J.G. CONRAD (28Apr68)

2. LOCATION

1-31 August 1968: Dong Ha, RVN: H&S, "A", "B", "C", Transport Company

3. STAFF OFFICERS

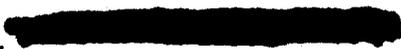
Executive Officer/S-3  
 Adjutant  
 S-4  
 Bn Supply  
 Medical Officer

Capt J.G. SCHIMENECK (28Jul68)  
 1stLt T. PASKEVICH (22Sep67)  
 1stLt A.R. MATTESON (18Jan68)  
 1stLt J.R. DUNCAN (18Dec67)  
 Lt L.M. PARDEE (9Jun68)

4. Average Monthly Strength

<u>USMC</u>		<u>USN</u>	
<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>
19	381	2	7

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PART IINARRATIVE SUMMARY

During the period 1-31 July 1968, this Battalion participated in seventy-six (76) tactical movements and one hundred six (106) Rough Rider operations in support of the Third Marine Division, FIEG-B, MCB-5, MAG-39, MASS II, CBMD-301 and AAVN. During the same period this Battalion has driven 73,220 miles, transported 5,869 tons of supplies and 22,278 troops. During this period, Motor Transport Platoon, Truck Company, FLC, drove 5,739 miles, transported 1,855 tons of supplies and 174 troops. On 17 July 1968, Motor Transport Platoon, Truck Company, FLC was transferred OPCON to FIEG-B. The maintenance deadline is at twenty-three (23) prime movers of which ten (10) are at third echelon.

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PART IIISEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

a. Combat mission assigned: To provide Motor Transport Support to the 3d Marine Division (Rein) FMP.

b. Significant operations conducted:

(1) Nine (9) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 1 July 1968, to A2, in support of 3rd Marines.

(2) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 1 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq 3rd MarDiv.

(3) Fifteen (15) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 1 July 1968, to A4, in support of 12th Marines.

(4) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 1 July 1968, to A4-C2, in support of 12th Marines.

(5) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 1 July 1968, to Khe Sanh, in support of 1st Marines.

(6) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 1 July 1968, to Con Thien, in support of FLSC-B.

(7) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 1 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

(8) Nine (9) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 July 1968, to Gio Linh, in support of 3d Marines.

(9) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq 3d MarDiv.

(10) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 July 1968, to Con Thien, in support of Hq 3d MarDiv.

(11) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 July 1968, to Cam Lo-A4, in support of 12th Marines.

(12) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 11th Engineers.

(13) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

(14) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 July 1968, to A4 in support of 11th Engineers.

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- (15) Nine (9) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 3 July 1968, to Gio Linh, in support of 3d Marines.
- (16) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 3 July 1968, to C3, in support of 12th Marines.
- (17) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 3 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq 3d Marine Division.
- (18) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 3 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.
- (19) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 3 July 1968, to Cua Viet-Camp CARROLL in support of 3rd Marines.
- (20) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 3 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.
- (21) Ten (10) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 3 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Task Force Hotel.
- (22) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 3 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 11th Engineers.
- (23) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 3 July 1968, to Con Thien, in support of 11th Engineers.
- (24) Nine (9) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 4 July 1968, to Gio Linh, in support of 3d Marines.
- (25) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 4 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq 3d MarDiv.
- (26) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 4 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq 3d MarDiv.
- (27) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 4 July 1968, to Cl, in support of 12th Marines.
- (28) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 4 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 11th Engineers.
- (29) Nine (9) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 5 July 1968, to Gio Linh, in support of 3d Marines.
- (30) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 5 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq 3d MarDiv.
- (31) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 5 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 12th Marines.

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- (32) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 5 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 11th Engineers.
- (33) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 5 July 1968, to Con Thien, in support of 12th Marines.
- (34) Nine (9) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 6 July 1968, to Gio Linh, in support of 3rd Marines.
- (35) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 6 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d MarDiv.
- (36) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 6 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.
- (37) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 6 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.
- (38) Twelve (12) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 6 July 1968, to C2, in support of 9th Marines.
- (39) Eleven (11) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 6 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 11th Engineers.
- (40) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 6 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.
- (41) Nine (9) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy On 7 July 1968, to Gio Linh, in support of 3d Marines.
- (42) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 7 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d MarDiv.
- (43) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 7 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.
- (44) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy 7 July 1968, to A2, in support of 12 th Marines.
- (45) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 7 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.
- (46) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 7 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 11th Engineers.
- (47) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 7 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.
- (48) Nine (9) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 8 July 1968, to Gio Linh, in support of 3rd Marines.

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- (49) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 8 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq 3d MarDiv.
- (50) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 8 July 1968, to AA, in support of 12th Marines.
- (51) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 8 July 1968, to Cam Lo, in support of Hq, 3d MarDiv.
- (52) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 8 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.
- (53) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 8 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d MarDiv.
- (54) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 8 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq 3d MarDiv.
- (55) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 9 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d MarDiv.
- (56) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 9 July 1968, to Con Thien, in support of 12th Marines.
- (57) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 9 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.
- (58) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 9 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.
- (59) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 9 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 12th Marines.
- (60) Thirty (30) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 9 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 3rd Marines.
- (61) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 10 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d MarDiv.
- (62) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 10 July 1968, to AA, in support of 12th Marines.
- (63) Twenty-eight (28) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 10 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 3rd Marines.
- (64) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 10 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 3rd Marines.
- (65) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 11 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d MarDiv.

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(66) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 11 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 1st Marines.

(67) Thirty (30) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 11 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of 3rd Marines.

(68) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 11 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of FLSG-B.

(69) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 11 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of MCB-5.

(70) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 11 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

(71) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 11 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(72) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 12 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(73) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 12 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(74) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 12 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

(75) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 12 July 1968, to G-1, in support of MCB-5.

(76) Fifteen (15) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 12 July 1968, to Yankee Station, in support of 9th Marines.

(77) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 12 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of 12th Marines.

(78) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 12 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

(79) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 12 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of M1G-39.

(80) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 12 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(81) Eleven (11) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 12 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of FLSG-B.

(82) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 13 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

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(83) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 13 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(84) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 13 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(85) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 13 July 1968, to Cam Lo, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(86) Ten (10) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 13 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 3rd Marines.

(87) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 13 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

(88) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 13 July 1968, to Cl, in support of MCB-5.

(89) Ten (10) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 13 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

(90) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 13 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of 3rd Shore Party.

(91) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 13 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

(92) Ten (10) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 14 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(93) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 14 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(94) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 14 July 1968, to Cl, in support of 12th Marines.

(95) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 14 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 3rd Engineer Battalion.

(96) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 14 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

(97) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 14 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(98) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 14 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 1st Marines.

(99) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 14 July 1968, to Cl, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

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(100) Twenty (20) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 15 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of ARVN.

(101) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 15 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(102) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 15 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 3rd Engineer Battalion.

(103) Nine (9) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 15 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

(104) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 15 July 1968, to Cl, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

(105) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 16 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(106) Ten (10) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 16 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 1st Marines.

(107) Fifteen (15) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 16 July 1968, to CP #92, in support of 9th Marines.

(108) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 16 July 1968, to Cam Lo, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

(109) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 16 July 1968, to Cl, in support of 12th Marines.

(110) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 16 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of 12th Marines.

(111) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 16 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of MCB-5.

(112) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 16 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

(113) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 16 July 1968, to Cl, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

(114) On 17 July 1968, 1st Platoon, Truck Company, FLC, was transferred OPCON to FLSC-B.

(115) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 17 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(116) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 17 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

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(117) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 17 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(118) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 17 July 1968, to Camp EAGLE, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(119) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 17 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(120) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 17 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(121) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 17 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of MCB-5.

(122) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 17 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of M/G-39.

(123) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 17 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of 12th Marines.

(124) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 17 July 1968, to C1, in support of 12th Marines.

(125) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 17 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Task Force Hotel.

(126) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(127) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 18 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(128) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 18 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(129) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 3rd Marines.

(130) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

(131) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 July 1968, to C2, in support of 12th Marines.

(132) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

(133) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of 12th Marines.

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(134) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 18 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(135) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 18 July 1968, to Phu Bai, in support of 3rd Marines.

(136) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of MCB-5.

(137) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 19 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(138) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 19 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(139) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 19 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

(140) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 19 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 9th Marines.

(141) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 19 July 1968, to Con Thien, in support of 12th Marines.

(142) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 19 July 1968, to A2, in support of 26th Marines.

(143) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 19 July 1968, to C2, in support of 12th Marines.

(144) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(145) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 July 1968, to Phu Bai, in support of 26th Marines.

(146) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

(147) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(148) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 20 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 12th Marines.

(149) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 July 1968, to C2, in support of 12th Marines.

(150) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 21 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

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(151) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 21 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(152) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 21 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

(153) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 21 July 1968, to Con Thien, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(154) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 22 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(155) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 22 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 1st Marines.

(156) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 22 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 9th Marines.

(157) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 22 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of 12th Marines.

(158) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 22 July 1968, to C2, in support of 12th Marines.

(159) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 22 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(160) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 22 July 1968, to Phu Bai, in support of 26th Marines.

(161) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 22 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(162) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 22 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 3d Engineer Battalion.

(163) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 22 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(164) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 22 July 1968, to Phu Bai, in support of 26th Marines.

(165) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 22 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(166) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 23 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(167) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 23 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

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(168) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 23 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(169) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 23 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(170) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 23 July 1968, to A4, in support of 1st Marines.

(171) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 23 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(172) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 23 July 1968, to C1, in support of 12th Marines.

(173) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 23 July 1968, to A3, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

(174) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 24 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of 12th Marines.

(175) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 24 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(176) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 24 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 12th Marines.

(177) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 24 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(178) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 24 July 1968, to Phu Bai, in support of 26th Marines.

(179) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 24 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 9th Marines.

(180) Twelve (12) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 24 July 1968, to Con Thien, in support of 26th Marines.

(181) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 24 July 1968, to C2, in support of 12th Marines.

(182) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 24 July 1968, to Phu Bai, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(183) Forty-four (44) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 25 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 3d Engineer Battalion.

(184) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 25 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

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(185) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 25 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(186) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 25 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(187) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 25 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

(188) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 26 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(189) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 26 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 12th Marines.

(190) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 26 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(191) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 26 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(192) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 26 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of 12th Marines.

(193) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 26 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(194) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 26 July 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(195) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 26 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(196) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 26 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(197) Sixteen (16) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 26 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of 1st Marines.

(198) Twenty-nine (29) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 26 July 1968, to A4, in support of 1st Marines.

(199) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 27 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 1st Marines.

(200) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 27 July 1968, to A3, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

(201) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 27 July 1968, to C3, in support of 12th Marines.

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(202) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 27 July 1968, to C2, in support of 12th Marines.

(203) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 27 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(204) Forty-four (44) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 27 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 3d Engineer Battalion.

(205) Seventeen (17) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 28 July 1968, to A3, in support of 26th Marines.

(206) Twenty (20) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 28 July 1968, to A4, in support of 26th Marines.

(207) Thirteen (13) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 28 July 1968, to C2, in support of 26th Marines.

(208) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 28 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 9th Marines.

(209) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 28 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(210) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 28 July 1968, to C1, in support of 12th Marines.

(211) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 29 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(212) Six (6) vehicles participated in tactical convoy on 29 July 1968, to A3, in support of 12th Marines.

(213) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 29 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of Hq, 3d Marine Division.

(214) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 29 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of CBMU-301.

(215) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 29 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of MASS II.

(216) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 29 July 1968, to A3, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion.

(217) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 30 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of CBMU-301.

(218) Forty-seven (47) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 30 July 1968, to Phu Bai, in support of 26th Marines.

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(219) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 30 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 3rd Shore Party.

(220) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 30 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of HQ, 3d Marine Division.

(221) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 30 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 4th Marines.

(222) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 30 July 1968, to Camp CARROLL, in support of MASS II.

(223) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 30 July 1968, to C1, in support of 12th Marines.

(224) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 30 July 1968, to C2, in support of 11th Engineer Battalion

(225) Thirty-six (36) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 31 July 1968, to LZ Stud, in support of 9th Marines.

c. Casualties inflicted on the enemy. None

d. Casualties sustained. None

e. New techniques employed. None

f. Command relations:

(1) 9th Motor Transport Battalion - ADCON - 3d Marine Division

(a) H&S, "A", "B", "C", Transport Company - OPCON - 3d Marine Division

g. S-4: During the month of July the S-4 section processed for turn in of all M54's (gas models) for replacement by M54A2C's. Most discrepancies noted in the last FMFPac inspection have been corrected. The S-4 section continues to monitor all work orders for 3rd echelon work. Embarkation preparedness has been increased and all company embarkation personnel have been instructed in the MEDS system. With the receipt of our last set of punch-cards, the MEDS system will have been completely implemented.

h. Supply: During the period 1-31 July 1968, 60 new M54A2C 5 Ton Cargo Trucks were received in this Battalion. All of the M54's were turned in. In addition, nine (9) M54A2C's were received under the R&E program. Due to the receipt of the new vehicles, there exists an excess of repair parts peculiar to the M54. These parts are being turned in to the proper supply activity. Monsoon requirements which are not being force-fed have been placed on requisition. Several monsoon items have already been received. The supply warehouse has been rearranged to comply with field warehousing procedures.

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i. Administrative/Personnel:

(1) Joined: Eight USMC Enlisted; One USN Enlisted

(2) Transferred: Four USMC Officers; Thirty-four USMC Enlisted; Three USN Enlisted

(3) Morale: Excellent

(4) Personnel services:

(a) PX facilities are adequately stocked with essential items. Postal service continues to be satisfactory.

(5) Discipline:

(a) Three violations of Article 91 UCMJ; Two violations of Article 92 UCMJ; One violation of Article 111 UCMJ; Two violations of Article 113 UCMJ; One violation of Article 121 UCMJ; One violation of Article 128 UCMJ; Two violations of Article 134 UCMJ.

Close Combat:

(1) At approximately 311330H July 1968, a 9th Motor Transport Battalion convoy staged at A3, awaiting return trip to Dong Ha, came under Artillery attack, causing damage to one (1) M52A2 tractor, repairable at organizational level.

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