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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

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PART I

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

1st Battalion, 26 Marines	Lt. Col. J. C. GOODIN	1-12 Jan 70
	Lt. Col. A. J. ORR	13-31 Jan 70

SUBORDINATE UNITS

H&S Company (-) (Rein)	1st Lt. P. S. COURTIN	1-31 Jan 70

Det, 2nd Plt, Co A, 5th SP Bn. (HST)

Company A (Rein)	Capt. B. H. BAILEY	1-31 Jan 70

Company A
Det. H&S Co.

FO Team, 81mm Mortar Plt.
Det. Comm Plt.
Det. Med Plt.
S-2 Scout

FO Team, "A" Btry 1/13
Det. 1st Plt., Co. A, 5th Engr Bn (1-23 Jan 70)
Det. 4th Plt., Co. A, 1st Engr. Bn. (24-31 Jan 70)
Det. 2nd Plt., Co. A, 5th SP Bn. (HST)

Company B (Rein)	1st Lt. D. P. McADAMS	1-31 Jan 70

Company B
Det. H&S Co.

FO Team, 81mm Mortar Plt.
Det. Comm Plt.
Det. Med Plt.
S-2 Scout

FO Team, "A" Btry 1/13
Det. 1st Plt., Co. A, 5th Engr. Bn. (1-23 Jan 70)
Det. 4th Plt., Co. A, 1st Engr. Bn. (24-31 Jan)
Det. 2nd Plt., Co. A, 5th SP Bn. (HST)

Company C (Rein)	Capt. P. A. KUGEL	1-22 Jan 70
	1st Lt. J. W. BELOW	23-31 Jan 70

Company C
Det. H&S Co.

FO Team, 81mm Mortar Plt.
Det. Comm Plt.
Det. Med Plt.
S-2 Scout

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FO Team, "A" Btry 1/13
Det. 1st Plt., Co. A, 5th Engr. Bn. (1-23 Jan 70)
Det. 4th Plt., Co. A, 1st Engr. Bn. (24-31 Jan 70)

Company D (Rein)	Capt. E. J. LLOYD	1-31 Jan 70

Company D
Det. H&S Co

FO Team, 81mm Mortar Plt.
Det. Comm Plt.
Det. Med Plt.
S-2 Scout

FO Team, "A" Btry 1/13
Det. 1st Plt., Co. A, 5th Engr. Bn. (1-23 Jan 70)
Det. 4th Plt., Co. A, 1st Engr. Bn. (24-31 Jan 70)

81mm Mortar Plt.	1st Lt. C. BALIK	1-31 Jan 70
106mm RR Plt.	SSgt. G. A. BENIZIO	1-14 Jan 70
	1st Lt. C. E. STOCKS	15-31 Jan 70

ATTACHED UNITS

Det. Regt. Scout Sniper Plt., 26 Marines	1-31 Jan 70
Det. Kit Carson Scouts, III MAF	1-31 Jan 70
Det. Vietnamese Interpreters, III MAF	1-31 Jan 70
Det. Comm. Plt., Hq. Co., 26 Marines	1-31 Jan 70

DIRECT SUPPORT

"A" Btry 1/13 (Rein) w/Rein Fires from "W" Btry 1/11	1-31 Jan 70
3rd Plt., Co. A, 5th Tank Bn, (Rein)	1-31 Jan 70
1st Plt., Co. A, 5th Engr. Bn. (-)	1-23 Jan 70
4th Plt., Co. A, 1st Engr Bn.	24-31 Jan 70
2nd Plt., Co. A, 5th SP Bn. (-)	1-31 Jan 70
Det. Scout Dog Plt., 3rd MP Bn.	14-21 Jan 70
Sub Team, 5th CIT, FMF	1-31 Jan 70
Sub Team, 15 ITT, FMF	1-31 Jan 70
Det. Company B, Huskie Plt., 11th MT Bn.	1-31 Jan 70

2. LOCATION. 1-31 January 1970 - DaNang, RVN

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3. STAFF OFFICERS

Executive Officer	Maj. T. W. RICH	1-31 Jan 70
S-1/Adjutant	2nd Lt. C. F. MARTIN	1-31 Jan 70
S-2	1st Lt. J. H. BARNEBEE 2nd Lt. W. R. AUE	1-10 Jan 70 11-31 Jan 70
S-3	Maj. J. F. FLYNN	1-31 Jan 70
S-3A	1st Lt. J. F. FRASER	1-31 Jan 70
S-4	1st Lt. C. N. BYRNES	1-31 Jan 70
S-5	1st Lt. J. E. RUFHS	1-31 Jan 70
CommO	1st Lt. S. D. RAMSPERGER	1-31 Jan 70
MTO	2nd Lt. L. H. JACOBS	1-31 Jan 70

4. AVERAGE STRENGTH

USMC		USN	
OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL
42	1070	3	55

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PART II

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. Enemy activity increased during the reporting period as the enemy continued to gather rice to strengthen his men for the upcoming Tet offensive. In the later part of the period increased enemy movement was detected that indicated the enemy was moving to positions from which to launch attacks. Throughout the period the Battalion continued saturation patrols during the day and ambushes at night to deny the enemy access to previously recorded rocket/mortar launch sites.

2. Throughout the reporting period the Battalion also continued its assigned mission that includes: Providing defense of the DaNang Vital Area and adjacent Military Installations, providing security for assigned top/high priority bridges and roads, and preventing movement of enemy supplies and munitions into the AO. In addition a platoon-size OP was established on Hill 270 (AT 866682) with three (3) 4.2" mortar tubes in direct support on the hill.

3. There were two (2) Company-size operations conducted. One was a Reconnaissance in Force operation in the Sherwood Forest area (AT 9070). The second was a helicopter-borne Reconnaissance and Strike operation code-named KINGFISHER. Contact during both operations was light. Several enemy bunker complexes were discovered and destroyed. Two caches of ordnance and miscellaneous clothing and equipment were also uncovered. In addition, two (2) platoon-size Cordon and Search operations were conducted in hamlets in close proximity to friendly positions. Results were negative.

4. From 3 January through 10 January 1970 three (3) companies were rotated through the 1st Marine Division STACK ARMS center at China Beach. The fourth company was cancelled due to increased enemy activity in the Battalion AO.

5. On 20 January 1970, the Battalion assumed responsibility for the following OPs and the adjacent operating areas in accordance with 1st Mar Div msg 090935Z Jan 70: BARRICUDA (943718), MANTA (945721) and PIRANHA (950727).

6. On 13 January 1970 Lt. Col. J.C. GOODIN was relieved as Battalion Commander by Lt. Col. A.J. ORR.

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PART III

LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

1. MISSION/OPERATIONS

a. Major Operations. The Battalion participated in no major operations during this reporting period.

b. Command Relations

(1) From 1 January to 31 January 1970 the Battalion was OpCon to CG, 1st Mar Div.

(2) Effective 091600H January 1970 until 101400H January 1970 the 2nd Platoon, Company G, 2nd Battalion, 26 Marines was OpCon to this Battalion to bolster the defenses of Fire Support Base SIXSHOOTER.

c. Combat Missions Assigned

(1) Occupy and defend all existing positions in assigned AO.

(2) Conduct patrols and ambushes with minimum of 2/3 available forces assigned night acts.

(3) Conduct unilateral and combined offensive operations in AO to locate and destroy enemy forces, material, and installations with primary emphasis on security of important population and economic centers and friendly military installations.

(4) Deploy forces in AO to provide for defense of the DaNang Vital Area with emphasis on routes of approach to probable mortar and rocket launch positions.

(5) Support accelerated pacification in AO.

(6) Be prepared to commit reaction forces in defense of Hieu Duc District, CAPs and resettlement hamlets in AO.

(7) Deny enemy use of all waterways in AO. Enforce curfews and restrictions on waterway traffic.

(8) Perform inspections top/high priority bridges in AO.

(9) Provide security and support for installations of line sensors on DaNang Anti-Infiltration barrier in AO as required.

(10) Employ RF and line sensors in tactical operations and on DaNang Anti-Infiltration barrier integrated with fire, night optical devices and reaction forces to deny enemy movement through barrier.

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(11) Be prepared to conduct operations outside assigned AO on order.

(12) Conduct psychological operations within capabilities.

(13) Continue participation in combined action program with CAP 218, [illegible].

(14) Continue rice denial operation in accordance with 26 Marines Frag Order 37-69. (Reference 26 Marines Frag Order 39-69.)

(15) Establish a permanent OP atop Hill 270 at grid AT 865911.

d. Command Control

(1) The Battalion Command Post was located at Hill 10 (AT 924690) during the entire reporting period. The Battalion Aid Station was co-located with the Battalion CP at Hill 10.

(2) Company A CP was located at Fire Support Base SIXSHOOTER (AT 923737) from 1-14 January 1970, and at Hill 10 (AT 924690) from 15-31 January 1970. Company B CP was located at Hill 10. Company C CP was located at Hill 10 from 1-14 January 1970, and at Fire Support Base SIXSHOOTER from 15-31 January 1970. Company D CP was located at Hill 41 (AT 934664). "W" Battery 1/11 was located at Hill 10 from 1-27 January 1970, and at OP 270 from 28-31 January 1970. "A" Battery 1/13 was located at Fire Support Base SIXSHOOTER from 1-27 January 1970, and at Hill 10 from 28-31 January 1970.

(3) All attached units were located at Hill 10.

(4) There were no major control problems encountered.

e. Organic Operations. Small unit operations conducted during this period were:

(1) Company Operations: 2

(2) Platoon Combat Patrols: 26

(3) Squad Combat Patrols: 180

(4) LP/OP: 61

(5) Night Ambushes: 338

f. NBC Warfare. There were no NBC type devices or warfare employed by either enemy or friendly units during this reporting period.

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2. INTELLIGENCE

a. Enemy Situation

(1) General Situation at the beginning of the period: With the rice harvest over, the enemy continued to move down out of mountain base camp areas on rice resupply runs. Enemy initiated ground activity was light due to both the offensive action and defensive capabilities of the 1st Battalion, 26th Marines against the enemy.

(2) General situation at the end of the period: During the reporting period, enemy activity continued at a low level, but increased slightly during the last week. The increase in enemy activity has primarily been reconnaissance, counter-reconnaissance, and logistical procurring movement in preparation for the Winter-Spring/Tet Offensive. Enemy counter-reconnaissance efforts were indicated by the seven (7) anti-air incidents within our A.O.

b. Enemy Initiated Incidents/Actions

(1) The OP on Hill 270 was probed on three (3) separate occasions.

(2) At 2000 on 25 January 1970 SHADOW recieved small arms fire from two (2) locations while operating in the vicinity of Hill 270.

(3) On 17 January Hill 41 was probed. Inspection revealed that a claymore in front of bunker #32 (north side of Hill 41) had been turned around.

c. Enemy Losses

(1) Number of casualties: ten (10)

(2) Number of captured VC/NVA: two (2) (Both died after capture)

(3) Equipment captured: 70 lbs. of rice, approximately 15 lbs. of documents, assorted clothing, 782 gear, and munitions.

(4) Individual weapons captured: four (4) AK-47's, two (2) .45 pistols, and two (2) 9mm pistols.

(5) Crew served weapons captured: 0

(6) Detainees: 0

d. Enemy Trends. There have been no significant trends or changes in tactical methods used by the enemy during this reporting period. The enemy seems to be concentrating primarily on reconnaissance/counter-reconnaissance missions in preparation for the Winter Spring/Tet Offensive.

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e. Weather Conditions. The overall weather conditions this month failed to hinder or effect enemy or friendly units in any way. The maximum temperature for the month of January was 90 degrees and the minimum was 63 degrees. The total rainfall this month was 3.77 inches in the DaNang area.

f. Combat Missions Assigned. There were two (2) company-size operations during this reporting period. Also two (2) platoon-size Cordon and Search operations were held on 27 and 28 January by Company D.

g. VIP Fund Expenditures

(1) The following is a report of expenditures of VIP funds by this command during the month of January 1970:

(a) 011840H - D Co. - Paid 400 $VN for one (1) 61mm mortar round.

(b) 021025H - A Co. - Paid 100 $VN for one (1) CHICOM.

(c) 030935H - B Co. - Paid 400 $VN for two (2) CHICOMs.

(d) 081030H - B Co. - Paid 900 $VN for five (5) anti-personnel mines and two (2) CHICOMs.

(e) 081310H - B Co. - Paid 100 $VN for one (1) CHICOM.

(f) 140930H - D Co. - Paid 600 $VN for two (2) CHICOMs.

(g) 141625H - D Co. - Paid 200 $VN for one (1) CHICOM.

(h) 161015H - B Co. - Paid 200 $VN for six (6) blasting caps, two (2) CHICOMs, and 50 AK-47 rounds.

(i) 161200H - D Co. - Paid 400 $VN for two (2) CHICOMs.

(j) 161320H - D Co. - Paid 200 $VN for one (1) CHICOM.

(k) 201200H - B Co. - Paid 400 $VN for two (2) homemade explosive devices.

(l) 201320H - D Co. - Paid 200 $VN for one (1) CHICOM.

(m) 211100H - D Co. - Paid 600 $VN for one (1) 61mm round and one (1) CHICOM.

(n) 221100H - D Co. - Paid 200 $VN for one (1) CHICOM.

(o) 221300H - D Co. - Paid 900 $VN for one (1) manufactured mine.

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(p) 231200H - D Co. - Paid 500 $VN for three (3) CHICOMs.

(q) 241340H - B Co. - Paid 1,900 $VN for three (3) B-40 rockets.

(r) 241400H - B Co. - Paid 1,800 $VN for three (3) B-40 rockets.

(s) 241430H - D Co. - Paid 3,300 $VN for ten (10) CHICOMs, one (1) mine, and 400 rounds of AK-47 ammunition.

(t) 251320H - D Co. - Paid 200 $VN for one (1) 61mm CHICOM mortar round.

(u) 251500H - D Co. - Paid 200 $VN for 62 AK-47 rounds.

(v) 260940H - D Co. - Paid 200 $VN for one (1) CHICOM.

(w) 261430H - D Co. - Paid 400 $VN for one (1) command detonated mine.

(x) 261630H - D Co. - Paid 200 $VN for one (1) CHICOM.

(y) 271020H - D Co. - Paid 200 $VN for one (1) CHICOM.

(z) 271100H - B Co. - Paid 400 $VN for four (4) small booby traps.

(aa) 271130H - D Co. - Paid 400 $VN for two (2) CHICOMs.

(bb) 271730H - D Co. - Paid 800 $VN for four (4) CHICOMs.

(cc) 281100H - D Co. - Paid 400 $VN for two (2) CHICOMs.

(dd) 281430H - D Co. - Paid 1,300 $VN for one (1) B-41 rocket, two (2) CHICOMs, and 200 AK-47 rounds.

(ee) 291715H - D Co. - Paid 200 $VN for one (1) CHICOM.

(ff) 301645H - H&S Co. - Paid 1,000 $VN for five (5) CHICOMs.

(2) Monthly Recapitulation

(a) Total Funds drawn FY 70 .....130,000 $VN

(b) Total Expenditures FY .....95,900 $VN

(c) Total Funds expended January 1970 .....19,500 $VN

(d) Total Funds on hand 31 January 1970 ....34,100 $VN

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3. SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

a. 010001H to 012400H January 1970

(1) 010235H First Platoon, Company D sighted four (4) VC moving at grid AT 934655 and opened fire with M-60 and M-79. A sweep of the area was conducted. Results: Negative.

b. 020001H to 022400H January 1970

(1) 022150H Third Platoon, Company C sighted 17 enemy in the open at grid AT 927668. Fired 65 rounds of 81mm. Enemy moved to west. Troops were moved to make contact. A sweep was made of the area. Results: Negative.

c. 030001H to 032400H January 1970

(1) 032005H CAP 217 at grid AT 925705 while moving to ambush site suffered one (1) Marine killed when he became separated from the patrol. The Marine was shot in the chest by a PF while attempting to rejoin unit.

d. 050001H to 052400H January 1970

(1) 051940H Second Squad, Second Platoon, Company C at grid AT 921708 observed personnel approaching at grid AT 922707 and took them under fire. A firefight ensued with CAP 217 resulting in eight (8) Marines and one (1) PF WIA; seven (7) Marines and one (1) PF medevaced. After firing stopped, a dud M-26 detonated resulting in four (4) more Marines WIA, two (2) medevaced. The PF later died of wounds.

e. 060001H to 062400H January 1970

(1) 060449H First Platoon, Company A set in ambush at grid AT 894700 sighted one (1) NVA moving toward their position. The Platoon opened fire with small arms and claymores. A sweep of the area was conducted with the following results: One (1) NVA KIA and one (1) AK-47, five (5) CHICOMs, 18 pounds of rice, one (1) bag of chicken and one (1) bag of chopped meat. Captured gear was turned over to the S-2.

f. 080001H to 082400H January 1970

(1) 080645H Second Platoon, Company A at grid AT 897708 opened fire with small arms and claymores on three (3) VC at grid AT 897709. Results: Two (2) VC KIA and one (1) AK-47 with magazine and five pounds of rice captured.

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g. 090001H to 092400H January 1970

(1) 092100H Company D at grid AT 934663 sighted three (3) or four (4) VC/NVA carrying weapons and what appeared to be a mortar tube at grid AT 933653. Tanks illuminated the area and fired 90mm. A sweep was then conducted of the contact area. Results: Three (3) NVA KIA and one (1) AK-47 with magazine, one (1) CHICOM and 40,000 $VN and a list of names were captured.

h. 100001H to 102400H January 1970

(1) 100730H First Platoon, Company D reswept area of contact (Reference: DTG 092100H January 1970) and found the following: Two (2) CHICOMs, one (1) can of pre-cooked rice, 20 blasting caps, documents and pills. These were turned over to the S-2.

i. 110001H to 112400H January 1970

(1) 111230H Third Platoon, Company C found one (1) NVA body at grid AT 903711. Individual had been dead about two (2) days and appeared to have died of fragmentation wounds.

(2) 112325H Marines from First Platoon, Company D, standing perimeter watch at grid AT 933665 heard noises like someone cutting wire. The area was illuminated and two (2) indigenous personnel running north were sighted. A reaction squad swept the area. Results: Negative.

j. 150001H to 152400H January 1970

(1) 151350H Second Squad, Third Platoon, Company C found a VC/NVA base camp and spotted four (4) VC/NVA at grid AT 940730. The Squad opened fire with small arms resulting in one (1) NVA KIA and one (1) AK-47, two (2) caliber .45 pistols Model 1911 USA, six (6) CHICOMs, six (6) M-26 grenades, three (3) AK-47 magazines, four (4) caliber .45 magazines, ten (10) pounds of documents and papers, one (1) pair binoculars, 40 pounds of rice and assorted medical supplies captured.

(2) 151900H Second Platoon, Company A tripped a M-26 boobytrap at grid AT 890705. Results: One (1) Marine WIA (minor) non-medevac.

k. 170001H to 172400H January 1970

(1) 172250H Marines from Company D on perimeter watch at grid AT 934663 heard movement. Investigation showed that one (1) claymore had been moved 20 feet to the west and turned around facing one of the bunkers. At the claymore's original position was found a burned log with a messhall knife pointing toward the bunker.

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l. 190001H to 192400H January 1970

(1) 190500H Second Platoon, Company C at grid AT 926742 received 30 rounds of AK-47 fire. The Platoon returned fire and swept area under illumination. Results: Negative.

m. 21000H to 212400H January 1970

(1) 211130H Company C reported VN civilians tripped a boobytrap at grid AT 923731 believed to be a Bouncing Betty type, resulting in one (1) VN child KIA and one (1) child WIA medevaced.

n. 220001H to 222400H January 1970

(1) 221800H Company B reported that a sniper had fired on a US truck at grid AT 943688. The round went through the windshield. There were no casualties.

o. 230001H to 232400H January 1970

(1) 231925H First Platoon, Company A sighted twelve (12) VC/NVA with weapons and packs at grid AT 898711. The Platoon opened fire with small arms and grenades. The contact area was swept under illumination. Results: Negative.

p. 240001H to 242400H January 1970

(1) 240755H First Platoon, Company A sighted two (2) enemy carrying packs and rifles at grid AT 891700. The Platoon called a fire mission and swept the area. Results: Negative.

(2) 241030H First Platoon, Company A found a large bunker complex twelve (12) feet underground at grid AT 892711. This bunker complex had connecting tunnels and numerous trench lines. The Platoon searched the complex and found two (2) AK-47 magazines, 175 AK-47 rounds, 25-.32 caliber pistol rounds, one (1) RPG, 21 CHICOMs, one (1) satchel charge, one (1) pack, two (2) belts, one (1) mess kit, three (3) CHICOM carriers, one (1) bowl of salt, two (2) bottles of kerosene, one (1) entrenching tool, one (1) canteen, one (1) poncho, 100 pots and pans, ten (10) sand bags, three (3) RPG propellants, one (1) saw and numerous water proofing gear.

q. 250001H to 252400H January 1970

(1) 252000H Second Platoon, Company B sighted three (3) enemy at grid AT 865680. The Platoon received four (4) incoming CHICOMs at the same grid and returned fire with M-79, M-26s and ten (10) rounds of 60mm. Artillery and 'SHADOW' were called in. The gunship 'SHADOW' received small arms fire from two (2) locations. Results: Three (3) Marines WIA (minor) non-medevac.

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r. 260001H to 262400H January 1970

(1) 262015H First Squad, First Platoon, Company A sighted one (1) VC/NVA at grid AT 898716 and opened fire with grenades and small arms. A sweep of the area was conducted. Results: Negative.

(2) 262350H Marines from H&S Company standing perimeter watch on Hill 10 at grid AT 923690 sighted one (1) enemy moving in the perimeter wire and opened fire with small arms. The enemy was observed to fall to the ground. A sweep of the area was conducted in the AM. Results: Negative.

s. 270001H to 272400H January 1970

(1) 271020H Village at grid AT 932667 was searched with Company D providing a cordon, CAP 215 providing the search force and CIT, with NPFF, providing the screening element. 37 women, nine (9) men, and 47 children were screened. Villagers said the VC had been there about two (2) weeks before and had warned them to build bunkers for their own protection.

t. 280001H to 282400H January 1970

(1) 280645H Village at grid AT 935660 was searched with Company D again providing the cordon. CIT, ITT and NPFF provided the searching and screening elements. There were 56 villagers screened. One (1) VN female was detained by the NPFF.

u. 290001H to 292400H January 1970

(1) 291315H Second Squad, Third Platoon, Company A sighted three (3) indigenous personnel at grid AT 895704. They carried no equipment or weapons. The Squad fired small arms and swept the area. Results: Found one (1) belt of 100 rounds M-60 ammunition.

(2) 292005H First Squad, Third Platoon, Company A sighted five (5) VC/NVA moving west to east at grid AT 899712. The Squad opened fire with small arms and M-26 grenades. A sweep of the contact area was conducted. Results: Found drag marks, one (1) claymore and one (1) rain jacket.

v. 300001H to 302400H January 1970

(1) 301000H Second Platoon, Company D sighted four (4) VC/NVA at grid AT 882675. Air gunships and spotter planes were called in. Artillery and tank 90mm were fired. A sweep of the contact area was conducted. Results: Found one (1) bandolier of 5.56mm ammunition and four (4) magazines.

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(2) 302115H Second Squad, Third Platoon, Company A sighted three (3) NVA crossing a river at grid AT 908710. The Squad opened fire with claymores and small arms. Forty (40) rounds of 81mm was fired. A sweep of the contact area was conducted. Results: One (1) NVA KIA. The area was reswept at first light. Results: One (1) NVA WIA captured. Prisoner died of wounds while awaiting medevac aircraft. Weapons and equipment captured included one (1) AK-47, one (1) 9mm pistol, two (2) 82mm rounds, two (2) AK-47 magazines, one (1) pair of field glasses and one (1) pack with a five (5) day supply of food. ITT questioned the prisoner prior to death and determined he held the rank of Captain and was commander of an NVA Battalion.

4. FIRE SUPPORT COORDINATION

a. Battery A, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines

(1) Types of fire support employed:

(a) Prep Fires

(b) Harassing and Interdicting Fires

(c) Counter-mortar/rocker fires

(d) Zone Fires

(e) Shifting Fires

(f) Time-on-target fires

(g) Targets of Opportunity

(h) Illumination

(2) During the month of January, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines fired a total of 6,839 rounds on 1,048 targets.

(3) Type of ammunition expended:

(a) HE 5,870

(b) ILL 453

(c) WP 169

(d) FQ 342

(e) SMK 5

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b. 4.2 Mortar Battery, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines

(1) Types of fire support employed:

(a) Prep Fires

(b) Harassing and Interdicting Fires

(c) Counter-mortar/rocket Fires

(d) Zone Fires

(e) Shifting Fires

(f) Time-on-target Fires

(g) Targets of Opportunity

(h) Illumination

(2) The 4.2 mortar battery fired a total of 810 missions expending 3,746 rounds.

(3) Type of ammunition expended:

(a) HE 3,257

(b) ILL 434

(c) WP 55

c. Naval Gunfire

(1) Ships firing in support of 1st Battalion, 26th Marines during the month of January included:

(a) USS Oklahoma City - CLG-5

(b) USS Repertus - DD-851

(c) USS Hoel - DDG-13

(2) Types of missions fired:

(a) Harassing and Interdicting fires

(3) While on station:

(a) USS Oklahoma City - CLG-5 fired 111 rounds on 35 targets.

(b) USS Repertus - DD-851 fired 21 missions expending 102 rounds.

(c) USS Hoel - DDG-13 fired 40 rounds on three (3) targets.

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(d) Total Naval Gunfire was 59 missions expending 253 rounds of HE.

d. 81mm Mortar Platoon

(1) Types of missions:

(a) Prep Fires

(b) Harassing and Interdicting Fires

(c) Targets of Opportunity and N.D.F.

(d) Illumination

(2) The 81mm Mortar Platoon fired a total of 1,539 rounds on 128 targets.

(3) Type of ammunition expended:

(a) HE 774

(b) ILL 775

(c) WP 40

e. General Support

(1) The batteries firing in general support of 1st Battalion, 26th Marines included:

(a) 155mm Howitzer, K Battery, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines

(b) 155mm Howitzer, L Battery, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines

(c) A and C Platoon, 3rd 8" Battery

(d) 3rd 175mm Gun Battery

(2) Numbers of missions and rounds expended:

(a) 155mm; 971 rounds, 160 targets

(b) 8"; 440 rounds, 185 targets

(c) 175mm; 20 rounds, 5 targets

f. Significant Events

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(1) On 30 January 1970, a Company A activity sprung an ambush and received a heavy volume of return fire. 105mm Firecracker (FQ) was employed as a blocking force on suspected enemy escape routes. No surveillance was available due to the heavy vegetation and terrain. A total of 44 rounds were fired covering the area. The 81mm Mortar Platoon also provided blocking fires. A total of 100 rounds of 81mm HE was fired resulting in one NVA KIA.

(2) During the month of January, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines, 4.2 Mortar Battery, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines and 81mm Mortar Platoon fired a total of 118 rounds in reaction to DANang Anti-infiltration System activations.

(3) In support of CACO 2-1 and CAP 2-5-2 the following number of missions and round expenditure was recorded. 81mm mortars fired a total 13 missions and 139 rounds of illumination, 105mm Howitzers fired 76 illumination rounds on four (4) missions. 4.2" mortars fired 88 illumination rounds on five (5) missions.

(4) During this reporting period several changes were made in the supporting ability of the various direct support batteries. The 4.2" Mortar Battery, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines moved its firing battery to OP 270, where it has become an effective deterrent to the enemy's efforts to make any sizeable build up in this area. Battery A, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines has assumed a position at Hill 10 to better cover the AO of 1st Battalion, 26th Marines. The installation of an Integrated Observation Device on Hill 270 will also improve the observer's ability to get accurate data for fire missions.

(5) Numerous grid saturations were employed as H&I fires on high priority intelligence targets. This effectively covered the area and further discouraged the enemy.

5. AIR SUPPORT

a. Units. All direct air support was provided by the 1st MAW.

b. Missions

(1) Resupply - 20 Helo resupplies

(2) Close air support

(a) Number of missions-three (3) flights

(b) Types of ordnance - eight (8) - 500 pounds Napalm
20mm and 2.75 Rockets

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(3) TPQ's requested-five (5) flights.

(4) Beacon Missions - one (1) Beacon dropping a total of nine (9) 500 pounds bombs.

(5) Flare support - two (2) missions dropping a total of 139 flares.

(6) Observation - eleven (11) VR mission were completed, AO's flying in area were used numerous times without being requested.

(7) Medevac - twelve (12) medevac missions.

(8) Troop lifts - eight (8) troop lifts.

c. Significant Events. A CH-54 SKYCRANE was used to replace a tower on Hill 10. A SHADOW was also used during a contact mission providing supporting fires for an OP.

6. PERSONNEL

a. Combat Losses

	OFF	ENL
WIA		
EVAC	0	9
MINOR	0	6
KIA	0	2
MIA	0	0

b. Non-Combat Losses

	OFF	ENL
Injured		
EVAC	1	18
MINOR	1	3
Killed	0	0

c. WIA's Returned to duty - seven (7)

d. R&R Trips - 119

e. Personnel Rotated (PCS) - OFF - five (5); ENL - 106; TOTAL - 111

f. Replacements Recieved - OFF - five (5); ENL - 36; TOTAL - 41

7. ADMINISTRATION

a. Personnel Accounting. On 13 January 1970, Lt. Col. A.J. ORR assumed command of 1st Battalion, 26th Marines from Lt. Col. J.C. GOODIN, in a special ceremony at the cantonment atop Hill 10.

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b. Awards

Two (2) Bronze Star
Two (2) Naval Commendation
Two (2) Naval Achivement
Ten (10) Purple Hearts
Ten (10) Meritorious Mast

c. Promotions

E-4 - four (4)
E-3 - 121
E-2 - eleven (11)

d. Significant events transpired other than those mentioned above.

8. LOGISTICS

a. Supply/Resupply. During the month of January the policy of force feeding was continued. This enabled the letter companies to maintain a three (3) day reserve of class III and V items, while Hill 10 maintained a twelve (12) day reserve of the same. The letter companies have been drawing a sufficient amount of class I items to enable them to feed three (3) meals per day. Company A and Company C carried with them on their operations a sufficient amount of long range rations for three (3) days and a three (3) day supply of ammunition. This command's outpost at Hill 270 is resupplied by air twice a week. Outpost 270 has been supplied with wire, culvert material, and engineer equipment by air.

b. Food/Water. The battalion messhalls; Hill 41, Fire Support Base SIXSHOOTER, and Hill 10 were utilized by letter companies when applicable. Company A and Company C were issued long range rations, SP packs, MCI's, and juice. Noon meals at the Hill 10 messhall has been temporarily cancelled due to a faulty drainage system. At the Hill 41 cantonment the company is presently existing with the water provided by the Regimental water tanker. However this means of resupply has proved unreliable due to many breakdowns. Water trailers are used as a emergency back up. An engineer request was approved by Division in December for a water point to be constructed at Hill 41. Outpost 270 is resupplied by air utilizing water trailers.

c. Maintenance. Due to the inability to obtain sufficient motor transport spare parts at all echelons, a number of vehicles were deadlined on a NORS basis. Transmission seals for platform trucks were obtained on a walk through basis alleviating part of the problem. One (1) M-151 vehicle is deadlined pending investigation. This command remains in a C-1 state of readiness, with 85% of its equipment operationally ready.

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d. Embarkation. Unit Cargo Manifests for all sections have been submitted and have been coded. The MDS portion of embarkation is up to date and the data is correct. Boxes are marked properly to coincide with the Unit Cargo Manifest. This command is prepared for embarkation both materially and administratively.

e. Camp Facilities Development. The battalion messhall has been screened and a new chapel has been constructed at Hill 10. The entire cantonment is in the process of being renovated by 1st Engineer Battalion. SEA huts have been constructed and rebuilt. Urinals have been constructed along with burn-out type heads for the indigenous personnel working on the hill. Bunkers have been torn down and replaced by twenty-three (23) two (2) man fighting positions. Wire has been erected around this command's positions on Hill 10, Hill 41, Cobb Bridge, and Outpost 270. A gatehouse at Hill 10 has been built to facilitate two-way traffic control at the main gate. One (1) Bulldozer was temporalily procured to improve the tactical security of Hill 10, and Hill 41. Outpost 270 has been supplied with engineer equipment and materials to secure its position and is equipped with a night observation spotting device. Fire Support Base SIXSHOOTER is being dismantled; Alpha Battery, 1/13 is relocated to Hill 10. Engineer requests have been submitted to repair the drainage and plumbing system in Hill 10's messhall. It has been requested that personnel from 7th Engineer Battalion construct a lighting system to consist of fifteen (15) "See-Mor" lights with five (5) back up lights on Hill 10. It has been requested that bridge gates be constructed at Cobb Bridge in order to improve the tactical security of that position. It has also been requested that ten (10) burn-out type wooden heads be constructed to meet the current sanitation requirements of this cantonment.

9. NEW TECHNIQUES. There was nothing significant during this reporting period.

10. TRAINING

a. A total of 22 newly joined personnel attended indoctrantion classes.

b. A total of 35 personnel attended formal schools as follows:

(1) Officers Advance Orientation Course - 1 - DaNang, RVN

(2) SNCO Advance Orientation Course - 2 - DaNang, RVN

(3) NCO Leadership School - 4 - DaNang, RVN

(4) Cable Splicers Course - 1 - Long Binh, RVN

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(5) Basic Ammo Tech - 1 - Camp Hansen, Okinawa

(6) Helicopter Support Team - 3 - DaNang, RVN

(7) 16mm. Projectionist School - 4 - DaNang, RVN

(8) Landmine Warfare Booby-Trap School - 19 - DaNang, RVN

c. The above is in addition to a Platoon Concentrated Training Program conducted under the direction of the Battalion S-3, a total of 40 personnel have attended.

d. A weekly training schedule is being conducted on company level. A total of 240 handouts were distributed to the companies to assist in this training program.

e. On 11 January 1970, Communication MOS Training Classes were conducted; 19 personnel attended.

11. CIVIC ACTION/PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE

a. MEDCAPS

(1) A total of 315 persons were treated during MedCaps conducted as stated below:

(a) Tuy Loan (AT 944701). A total of 166 people were treated; 93 males and 73 females. Ninety were under 13 and 76 were over 13 years of age.

(b) Huong Son (AT 940674). A total of 95 people were treated; 49 males and 46 females. Thirty-nine were under 13 and 56 were over 13 years of age.

(c) BAS (Hill 10). A total of 54 people were treated; 26 males and 28 females. Fourty were under 13 and 14 were over 13 years of age.

b. DENTCAPS

(1) A total of twelve (12) persons were treated during DentCaps conducted as stated below:

(a) Tuy Loan (AT 944701). A total of nine (9) people were treated; eight (8) males and one (1) female. Eight (8) were over 13 and one (1) was under 13 years of age.

(b) Dental Clinic (Hill 10). A total of three (3) people were treated; all were females, one (1) being over 13 and two (2) being under 13 years of age.

c. Solatium Payments/SIR's/Claims

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(1) Solatium Payment was made to Nguyen Nhi in the sum of 2000 $VN for a chest wound received when fired upon by members of this Battalion.

(2) Solatium Payment was made to Mrs. Dinh Thi Lam in the sum of 4000 $VN for her husband, Tan Hien, who was accidently shot and killed by members of this Battalion.

(3) SIR was submitted on Tan Hien ID #443054, PF, deceased, who was mortally wounded on 5 January 1970 by members of this Battalion.

(4) Initial SIR was submitted on Le Thi Hong who was seriously injured on 10 January 1970 when strudk by a jeep belonging to 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines. Follow-up reports will be submitted by 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines.

d. Leaflet Drops/Tapes

(1) Two (2) leaflet drops per day were requested for the month of January in this unit's TAOR. Due to inclement weather and priority drops only 18 drops were made up to and including 17 January 1970. Feedbacks for the remainder of the month have not been received.

(2) No tapes were broadcasted in this units TAOR during January.

e. Projects Underway and Supplies Distributed

(1) The school in Goc Kha (AT 944664) is in the process of being repaired, awaiting receipt of more supplies.

(2) Armory in Tuy Loan (AT 944701) is being built.

(3) A MedCap building is now in the process of being built at Hieu Duc District headquarters.

(4) The bridge leading into Tuy Loan hamlet (AT 944701) and the bridge crossing the Tuy Loan river are in the process of being repaired.

(5) Erecting Dispensary at Cam Toai Tay (AT 927687).

(6) Following supplies were distributed as indicated.

(a) Tuy Loan (AT 944701)

(1) Twelve hundred (1200) sandbags to build bunkers.

(2) Fifty (50) ammo boxes to make propaganda signs.

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(b) Phu Son (AT 957662)

(1) Ten (10) sheets of tin, one (1) bag of cement, 15 ammo boxes to rebuild house damaged by illumination round.

(c) Huong Son (AT 940674)

(1) Seventy-five (75) ammo boxes to build houses for families moving and being displaced from other areas.

(2) Thirty-five (35) pieces of plywood and 62 sheets of tin to build school.

(3) One (1) 55 gallon drum and 75 bars of soap to help clean children in hamlet and teach local people proper way of bathing.

(d) An Tan (AT 925705). Twenty-five (25) ammo boxes to make propaganda signs.

(e) An Phuoc High School, Seven (7) sheets of tin and six (6) bags of cement to repair heads.

(f) Cam Toai Tay (AT 927687). Twenty-one (21) sheets of plywood, 29 sheets of tin and assorted lumber to build desks for school, erect dispensary and make propaganda signs.

(g) Forty (40) pounds of rice given to Mrs. Tan Thi Dang, wife of PF killed by members of this Battalion.

(h) A total of 21720 $VN was paid to local civilians for work done in accordance with the Local Daily Hire Program.

f. Projects Planned

(1) Plan to start a rabbit project in An Tan Hamlet (AT 926704).

(2) Plan to repair well in Phu Son Hamlet (AT 957662).

g. Armed Propaganda Team (APT)

(1) An APT was used by this Battalion from 8-11 January 1970. During this time they conducted combined US/Vietnamese MedCaps and broadcasted propaganda as shown below.

(a) 8 January 1970 - Held MedCap in Goc Kha (AT 947660). Held MedCap in Huong Son (AT 940674). Broadcasted propaganda during MedCaps. Propaganda speechs were also broadcasted 2100-2200 hours from vicinity of Hill 41 (AT 934663) towards Son Ca mountains.

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(b) 9 January 1970 - Combined US/Vietnamese MedCaps held in Huong son (AT 940674) and Tuy Loan (AT 944701). Propaganda speeches were made during the MedCaps and from 2100-2200 hours from the vicinity of Hill 10 (AT 923301) towards suspected enemy concentrations.

(c) 10 January 1970 - MedCaps held in An Tan Refugee Camp (AT 929707). Propaganda speechs were made during MedCap and from 2100-2200 hours from the vicinity of Hill 10 (AT 923691) towards suspected enemy concentrations.

(d) 11 January 1970 - Propaganda speechs were broadcasted from 1000-1100 hours from the vicinity of Hill 41 (AT 93663) towards Son Ca mountains and from 2200-2300 hours from the vicinity of Hill 10 (AT 923691) towards suspected enemy concentrations.

12. COMMUNICATIONS

a. Radio. 220001H all radio circuits were activated on a full time crypto system. This is an increase of monthly BA-386 battery usage from 1000 to 3000.

(1) An increased effort for proper radio procedure was made throughout the entire month, resulting in satisfactory performance.

(2) Frequency problems for the 81mm COF was experienced on 29 January but solved by obtaining a new frequency from Regiment.

b. Radio Relay. Regimental Headquarters continued to support 1/26 with a Radio Relay Team. Two (2) common user lines, as well as a COC&FSCC to COC& FSCC were operated from the Battalion to Regiment. Occasional aligment difficuties were encountered but swiftly corrected. On 22 January helicopter rotor wash knocked down the antenna on Hill-10. This was repaired after a delay in obtaining repair parts from Regiment.

c. Wire. All bunker lines were installed and cabled back to H&S COC. The line to Hill-41 was cut on two (2) seperate occasions but quickly repaired by an efficient trouble shooting crew. Barbed wire was wrapped around each individual pole to disinterest any would be line cutters.

d. Maintenance/Supply. All dry cell battery supply continues to be handled by Communication Section Supply. Due to our increased requirement for BA-386 batteries, a closer supervision for timely resupply to sections has been initiated with significant success. Requisitions are being filled faster, and resupply has largely improved.

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e. Significant Events. On 5 January a Division Communication LTI was conducted by the Division CEO Shop. Overall grade was satisfactory with discrepancies. The discrepancies for the most part have been corrected. On 7 January the new COI dtd 1 January 1970 was distributed.

13. MEDICAL/DENTAL SUPPORT

a. Medical

(1) Location of the BAS: 1 January 1970 to 31 January 1970 (Hill 10).

(2) Number of Doctors/Corpsman:

(a) Doctors - two (2)

(b) Corpsman - 51

(3) Casualties/Injuries Treated:

(a) Combat: one (1)

(b) Non-Combat: twelve (12)

(c) Routine sick call: 698

b. Dental

(1) Location of Dental Clinic: 1 January 1970 to 31 January 1970 (Hill 10).

(2) Number of persons treated: 142

c. Significant Events

(1) Advancement in rates: Advanced to HM3 - eleven (11)

(2) Medevacs of personnel: Combat - one (1); Non-Combat - one (1)

(3) Personal awards recieved: ZEMBLEDGE, R.E. - Purple Heart

14. RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

a. Personnel

(1) LCDR Ted E. EDWARDS, CHC USNR 645368/4105

(2) CPL Ronald D. ROMSEY, 229 1218, USMC

b. Services Conducted/Activities

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(1) Protestant - 16 - Attendance: 297

(a) Communion - four (4) - Attendance: 87

(b) Private Communion - three (3)

(2) Roman Catholic - 16 - Attendance: 185

(3) Hospital visits (Mail was taken to the patients by the Chaplain at each visit)

(a) 1st Med. - six (6) - Patients visited - 43

(b) NSA - six (6) - Patients visited - 31

(4) Brig visits - 0

(5) Counselling cases - 47

(6) Red Cross cases - three (3)

(7) Letters written - Families of men - five (5); Professional - two (2)

(8) Civic Action: 0

c. Facilities. Construction of the chapel at Hill 10 has been completed and as soon as the painting is finished, a date for dedication will be set.

d. Significant Events. A Memorial Service was held on Hill 10 for three (3) men of the 1st Battalion on 10 January 1970. Two hundred (200) men were present for the service.

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1st Bn, 26th Marines
DaNang, RVN
040001H January 1970
042400H January 1970

040510H To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. CAP 212 B. 040510H C. (a) 926711 (b) 926712 D. Spotted three (3) NVA/VC 100 meters from pos. moving from east to west. E. Initiated small arms fire resulting in one (1) NVA KIA, one (1) NVA WIA detained and later died of wounds. F-H Negative. I. One (1) NVA. J. Neg. K. One (1) NVA WIA. L. Two (2) AK-47 and 12 CHICOMs. M. Two (2) NVA packs.

040537H To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B 040537H C. (a) 924690 (b) 914695 D. Received 40 activations on BPS Box 6. E. Fired 10 rounds 90mm Beehive. Swept in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
Spotted three (3) NVA/VC 100 meters from pos. and initiated small arms fire resulting in one (1) NVA KIA and one (1) NVA WIA who died after interrogation. Captured were two (2) AK-47s and 12 CHICOMs. Received 40 activations on Box 6. Fired 10 rounds 90mm Beehive and swept in AM, results: Negative.

PLAN FOR 5 January 1970.
Continue with present mission.

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1st Cn, 26th Marines
DaNang, RVN
050001H January 1970
052400H January 1970

DTG	Information
050109H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 050109H C. (a) AT 934663 D. Received numerous activations from all BPS Boxes along the Barrier, caused by sonic beam. E. Fired illuminat on and observed area, results: Negative. F-M Negative
050628H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D-2-1 B. 050628H C. 927665 D. Spotted three (3) VC to the S W. E. alled in 60mm HE to W and S W after opening fire causing the VC to flee to S W. Swept area to north, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
050805H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B. 050805H C. AT 906693 D. Found three (3) bamboo bunkers reinforced with engineers stakes, capacity 15 persons. Had two (2) entrances and false bottom, recently used. E. Searched bunkers and found medical bottles, tattered khaki clothing, hoe, saw, rice pans with dried rice and small stove. Destroyed bunkers. F-M Negative.
051940H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. (a) C-2-2 (b) CAP 217 B. 051940 C. AT (a) 921708 (b) 922707 D. C-2-2 observed personnel approaching their pos. and took them under fire. Firefight ensued with CAP 217, Resulting in eight (8) Marines WIA (seven (7) Medevac) and one (1) PF medevac. After firing stopped, dud M-26 detonated resulting in four (4) Marines WIA (two (2) Medevac). E. Medevac completed for nine (9) Marines and one (1) PF. Three (3) Marine WIA remained with units. F. 11 Marines and one (1) PF who later died. G-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
Received numerous activations from all BPS Boxes along the Barrier, caused by sonic beam. Spotted three (3) VC and opened fire from 150 meters. Called in 60mm HE. Swept area, results: Negative. Found three (3) recently used bunkers. Searched and found tattered khaki clothing and various utensils. Destroyed bunkers. C-2-2 and CAP 217 got in firefight with each other. 11Marines and one (1) PF WIA.

PLAN FOR 6 January 1970.
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1st Bn., 26th Mar.
DaNang, RVN
060001H January 70
062400H January 70

No	Date Time Group	Information
1	060103H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 060103H C. (a) 922672 (b) 793697 D. Mike Tower reported approx. ten (10) rocket flashes at 1030 mills and 4000 to 5000 meters. Caco 2-1 reported sightingflashes at grid 793697. E. Notified all units in AO of launch outside AO. F-M Negative.
2	060449H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 1-1 B. 060449H C. 894700 D. Spotted one (1) NVA moving west toward ambush site. F. Opened up with small arms and claymores, swept area, results:a NVA KIA. F-H Negative. I. One (1) NVA. J-K Negative. L. One (1) AK-47, five (5) CHICOMs. M. Pack with 18 pounds of rice, a first aid pack, one (1) can of milk, one (1) bag chicken, one (1) bag chopped meat, all items were turned to S-2.
3	061957	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 061957 C. (a) 922675 (b) 922668 D. Received ten (10) activation on Box 6 south. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTIVITY: Mike tower and CaCo 2-1 reported ten (10) rocket flashes at grid 793697, outside of the AO. Company A 1-1 spotted one (1) NVA and opened fire with small arms and claymores. Swept area, results; one (1) NVA KIA and a pack with 18 pounds of rice and various food items and personel gear. Received ten (10) activations on Box 6 south. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE. Swept area in AM results: Negative.

PLANS FOR 7 January 1970. Continue with present mission.

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1st Bn., 26th Mar.
Da Nang, RVN
070001H January 1970
072400H January 1970

No	Date Time Group	Information
1	071100H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 2-1 B. 071100H C. (a) 929672 (b) 929672 D. Came across enemy cache and two (2) tunnels. E. The ARVNs came up while the Marine were at the cache and took the contents, the two (2) tunnels were blown. One (1) tunnel had a secondary explosion. F-M Negative.
2	072325H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. CAP 213 B. 072325H C. 944688 D. Received one (1) incoming explosive device at above grid. E. Returned small arms fire. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F. Negative. G. Two (2) Marines (minor). H-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: Company D 2-1 came across enemy cache and two (2) tunnels. The ARVN came and took the contents of the cache. Company C 2-1 blew tunnels causing one (1) secondary explosion. CAP 213 received an explosive device wounding two (2) Marines (minor). H-M Negative.

PLANS FOR 8 January 1970. Continue with present mission.

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1st Bn., 26th Mar.
Da Nang, RVN
080001H January 70
082400H January 70

No	Date Time Group	Information
1	080228H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 1 B. 080228H C. (a) 922675 (b) 927665 D. Had 12 activations on BPS Box 9 south. E. Fired 60mm HE, swept area in AM results: Negative.
2	080645H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 2-1 B. 080645H C. (a) 897708 (b) 897709 D. Spotted three (3) VC. E. Fired claymore and small arms, results: two (2) VC KIAs. F-H Negative. I Two (2) VC J-K Negative. L. One (1) AK-47 with magazine. M. Two (2) packs with a total of five (5) pounds of polished rice.
3	081030H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co B 3 B. 081030H C. 947700 D. Five (5) antipersonel mines, two (2) CHICOMs were turned in. E. Paid the VN males 900 $VN for the ordnance. The ordnance was blown. F-M Negative.
4	081200H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B. 081200H C. 906693 D. Found three (3) bunkers reinforced with engineer stakes and bricks. E. Destroyed bunkers. Checked out area and found one (1) CHICOM and cleaning solvent can. F-L Negative. M. One (1) CHICOM, one (1) cleaning solvent can.
5	081310H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co B 3 B. 081310H C. (a) 945707 (b) 953705 D. A VN boy turned in a CHICOM. E. Paid 100 $VN for it. CHICOM was blown. F-M Negative.
6	081630H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. CAP 2-1-8 B. 081630H C. (a) 944654 D. Was notifed of one (1) female that was ill. E. Went to check on the VN female. She had spinal meninigitis. Medevac was called and completed. F-M Negative.
7	082100H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co B 3 B. 082100H C. (a) 945707 D. Spotted two (2) personnel moving south to north on the road toward the bridge. E. The personnel were detained and turned over to Hieu Due District. The personnel were ARVN recruits. F-M Negative.
8	082220H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B. 082220H C. (a) 923690 (b) 916689 D. Received six (6) activations on Box 1. E. Fired three (3) rounds 81mm HE, swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: BPS Boxes recived 12 activations on Box 9, and six (6) activations on Box 1. Fired 60mm and 81mm HE, swept area, results: Negative. Company D 1 spotted three (3) VC and opened fire; results; two (2) VC KIAs. CAP 2-1-8 received a report of a ill VN female with spinal meninigitis Medevac was called and completed. Company B 3 stop two (2) person on the road and detained them and turned them over to Hieu Duc. The detainees were ARVN recuits.

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No	Date Time Group	Information
1	091938H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 091938H C. (a) 934663 (b) 934659 D. Spotted three (3) or four (4) VC/NVA carrying weapons and what appeared to be a mortar tube. E. Dispatched reaction squad, swept area, results; Negative. Reswept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
2	092100H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 092100H C. (a) 934663 (b) 933655 D. Spotted personnel running SW. E. Illuminated area with tank light and fired 90mm; swept area results: three (3) NVA KIAs. F. Negative. G. One (1) Marine medevac. H. Negative. I. Three (3) NVA KIA. J-K Negative. L. One (1) AK-47 with magazine, one (1) CHICOM. M. 40,000 $VN and a list of names.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: Company D spotted three (3) or four (4) VC/NVA carrying weapons and what appeared to be a mortar tube. Swept area, results: Negative. At grid AT 933655 Company D spotted personnel running SW and fired 90mm. Swept area, results: three (3) NVA KIAs and one (1) Marine medevac.

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No	Date Time Group	Information
1	100120H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 100120H C. (a) 934663 (b) 934659 D. For past few nights observed flashing of light, believed to be sending messages to unknows source. E. Conducted search of Ville south of grid 934663 with CAP 218 results: Negative. F-M Negative.
2	100730H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 1 B. 100730H C. 933655 D. Reswept area of contact, day time group 092100H E. Found the following: two (2) CHICOMs a can of rice pre-cooked, 20 blasting caps, documents and pill. F-K Negative. L. Two (2) CHICOMs M. A can of rice pre-cooked, 20 blasting caps, documents, pills.
3	100920H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 3-2 B. 100920H C. 914673 D. Found a spider hole with incomplete floor, a box type door. The door lead totwo (2) very small room, built for one (1) or two (2) small people. Search area results: Negative. F-M Negative.
4	101059H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Platoon Commander, 5th Tank B. 101059H C. 94368 D. Came upon a VN child that was struck by a US military jeep. The jeep that hit the child was still present. E. The platoon commander directed the dilivery of the child to BAS, medevac was called and completed. F-M Negative.
5	101845H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. "W" 1/11 B. 101845H C. 923694 D. A member of the guard removed fuse assembly from a M-26 grenade. The man then proceeded to pull the pin and let the spoon fly. The cap exploded and the Marine was wounded. E. The Marine was given first aid and then medvac. F-M Negative.
6	102040H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 102040H C. (a) 923675 (b) 917688 D. Received ten (10) activations on BPS Box 14 north. E. Fired ten (10) rounds 60mm HE and four (4) rounds 105mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
7	102319H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B. 102319H C. (a) 923690 (b) 906705 D. Received 12 activations on BPS Box 19. E. Negative fire due to friendies in the area. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: Company D observed flashing of light believed to be a type of message. CAP 218 swept the area in the AM; results: Negative. Company D 1 reswept area of contact of date time group 092100H. Found two (2) CHICOMs, a can of rice, 20 blasting cap and some wood. Company D 3-2 found a tunnel complex, search and than completly destroyed the tunned complex. 5th Tank platoon commander direced a medevac of a VN child, who was struck by a US jeep. "W" 1/11, a Marine was wounded while disassembling an M-26 grenade. BPS had ten (10) activations on Box 14 north, and 12 activations on Box 19. Fired 105's and 60mm HE.

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No	Date Time Group	Information
1	111005H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 111005H C. 917685 D. Found a 20 foot hole in barrier wire caused by an 81mm HE round. E. Dispatched fire team to repair the hole. F-M Negative.
2	111230H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co C 3 B. 111230H C. 905711 D. Found a (1) NVA body. E. Searched surrounding area and found five (5) pounds of rice, four (4) cans of milk, two (2) cans mackeral. Body had been dead about two (2) days, died of fragmentation wounds. F-M Negative.
3	111345H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. CAP 215 B. 111345H C. 938675 D. Spotted three (3) enemy moving south to north. E. Fired five (5) 60mm HE rounds. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
4	111920H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 3-3 B. 111920H C. 925675 D. Found a bunker with a small tunnel. The tunnel had a small room. E. Bunker were destroyed. F-M Negative.
5	112030H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 3 B. 112030H C. (a) 922675 (b) 917688 D. Had eight (8) activations on Box 14 north. E. Fired five (5) 60mm HE rounds. Swept in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
6	112325H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 1 B. 112325H C. 933665 D. A defensive pos. on the perimeter heard noises like someone cutting wire. Fired illum. and spotted two (2) indigenous personnel running north. E. Sent a reaction squad to sweep the area, results: Negative. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: Company C 3 found one (1) NVA body, died from fragmentation wounds. The body had been dead about two (2) days. CAP 215 spotted three (3) enemy. Opened fire with small arms, swept area, results: Negative. Platoon D heard wire being cut on the perimeter. Fired illumination and spotted two (2) indigenous personnel running. Swept then and again in the AM; results: Negative.

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120001H January 70
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No	Date Time Group	Information
1	120235H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B. 120235H C. 924686 D. Two (2) defensive positions reported hearing wire being cut, then a splash and a dark form running. E. Pop-up illum., 81mm illum. and a starlight scope were employed results: Negative. Check out area in AM wire was cut and sticks were placed to hold the wire off the ground. Sticks were destroyed and wire was repaired. F-M Negative.
2	120930H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 3-2 B. 120930H C. 925678 D. Found two (2) bunkers 50 meters apart. Each bunker hadasmall room, that could hold four (4) small people. E. Destroyed bunker completly. F-M Negative.
3	121750H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 121750H C. 925678 D. Apprehended two (2) suspected narcotic pushers, civilian type. E. Questioned by S-2 and then turned over to Hieu Due District Headquarters. F-M Negative.
4	122159H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 3 B. 122159H C. (a) 922675 (b) 917687 D. Received ten (10) activations on BPS Box 13 north. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE. Swept in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: H&S Company, two (2) defensive poistion heared wire being cut and then a dark form running. Shot illum. and surveillance of the area was make results: Negative. Wire was checked in the AM, results: the wire was cut H&S Company repaired the wire. Company D 3-2 found two (2) bunkers 50 meters apart. Each bunker had a small room that could hold four (4) small people. The bunkers were destroyed. BPS Box 13 north had ten (10) activations. Fired five (5) rounds of HE 60mm .

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No.	Date Time Group	Information
1	131245H	To 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. C-2-2 B. 131245H C. 897708 D. Found a boobytrap poorly camouflaged. E. Blew in place. F-M Negative.
2	132005H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 132005H C. (a) 934663 (b) 922647 D. Spotted lights signalling with one (1) long and two (2) short flashes. E. Fired 90mm HE and beehive. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
3	132028H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. D-3 B. 132028 C. (a) 922675 (b) 920682 D. Had ten (10) activations on Box 13 north. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mmHE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
4	132141H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. D-3 B. 132141H C. (a) 922675 (b) 917687 D. Had six (6) activations on Box 13 north. E. Fired five (5) rounds of 60mmHE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
Company C-2-2 found a boobytrap at grid AT 897708, it was blown in place. Company D spotted light signalling. Fired 90mm, swept area, results; Negative. BPS Boxes received a total of 16 activations. Fired 60mm HE, swept area, results: Negative.

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140001H January 1970
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No.	Date Time Group	Information
1	140930H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D. B. 140930H C. 934663 D. VN children brought in two (2) CHICOMs. E. Paid 600 $VN. CHICOMs blown. F-M Negative.
2	140945H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. D-3-3 B. 140945H C. 926679 D. Found two (2) bunkers, one of which was reinforced with engineer stakes and steel planks, the other was made of hard dirt. Also three (3) spider holes and two (2) empty cement rice bins. E. Destroyed the bunkers, spiderholes and rice bins. F-M Negative.
3	141445H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. CAP 213 B. 141445H C. 935702 D. Received word from villagers that three (3) VC were hiding in a bunker. E. Went to the bunker and made contact, results: three (3) VC KIA. One(1) PF KIA and one (1) PF and Marine WIA. F. One(1) F G. One (1) Marine. H. Neg. I. Three (3) VC. J&K Neg. L. Two (2) AK-47s and 15 CHICOMs. M. Various documents and medical supplies.
4	141625H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 141625H C. 934663 D. VN child brought CHICOM to pos. E. Paid 200 $VN for it. CHICOM was blown. F-M Negative.
5	141800H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A-2 B. 141800H C. 887702 D. Found a pressure firing device boobytrap. E. Boobytrap was blown in place. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
VN children turned in the following ordnance: three (3) CHICOMs. A total of 800 $VN was paid for the ordnance. Company D-3-3 found two (2) bunkers, three (3) spider holes, and two (2) empty cement rice bins. All the items were destroyed. CAP 213 made contact at grid AT 935702, resulting in three (3) VC KIA and one (1) PF KIA. Company A-2 found a boobytrap at grid AT 887707. The boobytrap was blown in place.

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No	Date Time Group	Information
1	150920H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 2 B. 150920H C. 889708 D. Found three (3) CHICOMs, 50 rounds pistol ammo wrapped in a poncho. E. CHICOMs were blown in place. F-M Negative.
2	151100H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 1-1 B. 151100H C. 932672 D. Found two (2) bunkers, made of concrete and engineer stakes, both large enough for one (1) or two (2) people. E. The bunkers were destroyed. F-M Negative.
3	151210H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 3-1 B. 151210H C. 926679 D. Found a spider hole hidden in the treeline. E. Destroyed the spridder hole. F-M Negative.
4	151350H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co C 3-2 B. 151350H C. 940730 D. Found VC/NVA base camp with four (4) VC/NVA. E. Opened fire with small arms, resulting in one (1) NVA KIA. F-H Negative I. One (1) NVA J-K Negative. L. One (1) AK-47, two (2) cal. .45 pistols model 1911 USA, and (1) NVA pistol. M. Six (6) CHICOMs, six (6) M-26 grenades, three (3) AK-47 magazines, four (4) cal..45magazines, ten (10) pounds of documents and paper, one pair binoculars, and 40 pounds of polished rice and assorted medical supplies.
5	151645H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 2-1 B. 151645H C. 889707 D. Found what looked like a rock in the trail, had wire wrapped around the rock and extending across the trail, beleive to be a boobytrap. E. Blew in place. F-M Negative.
6	151900H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 2-2 B. 151900H C. 890705 D. Point man tripped wire of a M-26 boobytrap. Marine was wounded (minor) E. First aid was given. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: Found three (3) CHICOMs, 50 rounds pistol ammo wrapped in poncho. Blew CHICOMs in place. Found two (2) bunkers, each large enough for one (1) or two (2) people, made of concrete and engineer stakes. Bunkers destroyed. Found spider hole hidden in treeline and destroyed. Found VC/NVA and opened fire on four (4) VC/NVA. Results one (1) NVA KIA, one (1) AK-47, two (2) .45 cal. pistols M1911 USA, one (1) NVA pistol, six (6) CHICOMs, six (6) M-26 grenades, three (3) AK-47 magazines, four (4) .45 cal. magazines, ten (10) pounds of documents and papers, one (1) pair binoculars, 40 pounds of polished rice and assorted medical supplies. Found possible boobytrap in trail and blew in place. Point man tripped M-26 boobytrap and received minor wound.

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1st Bn., 26 Mar.
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160001H January 70
162400H January 70

No	Date Time Group	Information
1	161015H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co B 3 B. 161015H C. (a) 945707 (b) 937701 D. A VN boy brought to B-3 pos. two (2) CHICOMs, six (6) blasting caps, five (5) spring loaded detonators and 50 rounds of AK-47 ammo found at grid AT 937701. E. Paid 200 $NV and blew in place. F-M Negative.
2	161200H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 161200H C. 934663 D. A VN child brought two (2) CHICOMs to main gate. E. Paid 400 $VN and blew with demo. F-M Negative.
3	161320H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 161320H C. 934663 D. A VN child brought one (1) CHICOM to main gate. E. Paid 200 $VN and blew with demo. F-M Negative.
4	162015H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 162015H C. 934665 D. Movement in wire. E. Fired illumination and 80 rounds 60mm HE at suspected enemy positions. Swept area in AM and found one (1) shower shoe and a trip flare tied off. F-M Negative

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: A VN boy brought to B-3 pos. two (2) CHICOMs, six (6) blasting caps, five (5) spring loaded detonators and 50 rounds of AK-47 ammo found at grid AT 937701. Paid 200 $VN and blew in place. Two (2) CHICOMs to main gate. Paid 400 $VN and blew with demo. A VN child brought one (1) CHICOM to main gate. Paid 200 $VN and blew with demo. Company D had movement in wire and fired illumination and 80 rounds 60mm HE at suspected enemy positions. Swept area in AM and found one (1) shower shoe and a trip flare tied off.

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No	Date Time Group	Information
1	171113H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A.Co A 1 B. 171113H C. 909702 D. Spotted dud M-79 round at side of trail. E. Blew in place. F-M Negative.
2	171145H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 1 B. 171145H C. 909706 D. NV children brought part of firecracker round to pos. E. Blew in place. F-M Negative.
3	171240H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 1-2 B. 171240H C. 914706 D. Found M-26 boobytrap with tripwire across trail. E. Blew in place. F-M Negative.
4	171520H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A -2 B. 171520H C. 893714 D. Three (3) VN children brought one (1) 82mm HE round to pos. E. Blew in place. F-M Negative.
5	172010H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A 1-2 B. 172010H C. 904670 D. Had movement. E. Threw frag and swept under 60mm illum., results: Negative. F-M Negative.
6	172210H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. CAP 2-1-6 B. 172210H C. (a) 906745 (b) 905747 D. Initated small arms fire at six (6) enemy at 150 meters. Received two (2) incoming RPGs. E. Swept area under illum. finding two (2) blood trails. Reswept area in AM, results: Negative.
7	172250H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 172250H C. 934663 D. Bunker 12 heard movement. Investigation showed that claymore had been moved 20 foot to the west and turned around facing bunker 12. At the claymore's orignial position was found a burned log with a messhall knife sticking in it at a 90° angle pointing toward bunker 12.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: Found a dud M-79 round at side of trail and blew in place. VN children brought part of firecracker round to pos. Blew in place. Found M-26 boobytrap with trip wire across trail and blew in place. Three (3) VN chidren brought one (1) 82mm HE round to pos. Blew in place. Had movement and threw frag., swept under 60mm illum., results: Negative. Initiated small arms fire on six (6) enemy at 150 meters. Received two (2) incoming RPGs. Swept area; findeng two (2) blood trails. Heard movement, investigation showed that claymore had been moved 20 foot and turned facing bunker. Burned log with messhall knife stuck in it pointing at the vunker was found at original position of claymore.

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No	Date Time Group	Information
1	181630H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 2-2 B. 181630H C. 898708 D. Found a dud 105 round. E. Check for trip wires and surprise mine devices with results of Negative. Blown in place. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: Company A 2-2 found a dud 105 round and blown it in place.

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1st Bn. 26th Marines
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190001H January 1970
192400H January 1970

No.	Date Time Group	Information
1	190500H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. C-2-1 B. 190500H C. (a) 926742 (b) 927742 D. Received 30 round AK-47 burst. E. Returned fire and swept area under illum, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
2	191145H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A-3 B. 191145H C. 934663 D. Found one (1) M-26 and one (1) hand illum. E. Blew in place. F-M Negative.
3	191600H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 191645H C. 934663 D. VN children turned in two (2) CHICOM 61mm mortar rounds and four (4) 81mm illum. rounds. E. Rounds were blown with demo. F-M Negative.
4	192338H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 192338H C. (a) 922672 (b) 927666 D. Received 27 activations on BPS Box 9 south. E. Negative fire due to friendlies in area. Friendlies notified. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
Received 30 round AK-47 burst. Returned fire and swept area under illum, results: Negative. Found one (1) M-26 and one (1) hand illum. Blew in place. VN children brought two (2) CHICOM 61mm mortar rounds and four (4) 81mm illum. rounds. Blew in place. Received 27 activations on BPS Box 9. Negative fire due to friendlies in area. Friendlies notified.

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No	Date Time Group	Information
1	200105H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 200105H C. (a) 922672 (b) 919683 D. Received ten (10) activations on BPS Box 9 north. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE and three (3) rounds 81mm HE. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
2	200258H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 200258H C. (a) 922672 (b) 917687 D. Received 12 activations on BPS Box 13 north. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE. Swept in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
3	200900H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Company B. 200900H C. 915683 D. Four (4) 2.75" rocket warheads (US) and seven (7) propellants, found hidden in a small hole. E. Blown in place. F-M Negative.
4	201100H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. 131st PF, Adivisory Team #15 B. 201100H C. 944654 D. Received intell. of VC at grid 944654. E. Reacted on intell. capturing two (2) VC and one (1) VCS turned over to Hieu Duc. F-J Negative. K. Three (3) L. One (1) AK-47, one (1) M-14. M. 20 rounds B-40, one (1) claymore, pistol belt with CHICOM, various documents.
5	201200H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co B 3 B. 201200H C. (a) 945707 (b) 937702 D. VN boy turned in two (2) larger C-ration cans filled with explosive and a blasting cap. E. VN boy was paid 400 $VN. Ordnance was blown. F-M Negative.
6	201210H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 201210H C. (a) 934663 (b) 934663 D. A captain from the 1st Battalion 5th Marines brought in a VN female with a bullet wound. E. Took her to Hill 10 for treatment. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: BPS Boxes 9 north and 13 north received a total of 22 activations. Fired 81mm HE and 60mm HE. Swept area, results: Negative. H&S Company patrol found four (4) 2.75" rocket warheads (US) and seven (7) propellants. All item were found at grid 915683, all item were blown. 131st PF and Adivisory Team #15 captured two (2) VC and one (1) VCS at grid 944654. They explosive and a blasting cap, the ordnance was blown. A VN female with a bullet wound was brought to grid 923690 for treatment.

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No.	Date Time Group	Information
1	210308H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report * A. Co. D B. 210308H C. (a) 922672 (b) 917688 D. Received eight (8) activations on Box 14 north. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
2	210930H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. ARVN B. 210930H C. (a) 935739 (b) 935739 D. Spotted four (4) enemy. E. Fired small arms and swept area, results: found one (1) pair NVA binoculars, one (1) AK-47 magazine with 20 rounds, 10 lbs. of polished rice, and one (1) ARVN type pack. F-M Negative.
3	211100H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 211100H C. 934663 D. VN children turned in one (1) CHICOM 61mm mortar round and one (1) CHICOM. E. Paid 600 $VN for the ordnance. The ordnance was blown. F-M Negative.
4	211130H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co C B. 211130H C. 923731 D. VN civilians tripped a boobytrap believed to be a bouncing Betty type, resulting in one (1) child KIA and one (1) wounded and medevaced. E. "A" 1/13 S-5 taking action in the hamlet. F-M Negative.
5	211140H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A-3 B. 211140H C. 925719 D. Was shown where CHICOM 61mm mortar round was. E. Round was blown in place. F-M Negative.
6	212050H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 212050H C. (a) 934664 (b) 922647 D. Spotted light flashing. E. Fired three (3) rounds 90mm. Swept area in AM, Results: Negative. F-M Negative.
7	212340H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 212340H C. (a) 922672 (b) 923673 D. Received eight (8) activations on Box 51. E. Fired two (2) rounds illumination. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
BPS Boxes 14 north and 51 had a total of 16 activations. Fired 90mm on Box 14 and illum on Box 51. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. ARVN unit spotted four (4) enemy. Opened fire and swept area and found one (1) AK-47 magazine, 10 lbs. of polished rice, one (1) pair NVA binoculars and an ARVN type pack. VN children turned in the following ordnance: two CHICOM 61mm mortar rounds and one (1) CHICOM. Ordnance was blown. A VN child was killed and one (1) VN was wounded when a boobytrap was tripped at grid AT 923737. Company D spotted a light flashing. Fired 90mm and swept area, results: Negative.

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Date Time Group	Information
220235H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A 1-1 B. 220235H C. 893709 D. Spotted one (1) VC moving west to east, the squad received one (1) incoming CHICOM. E. Swept area and found blood trail. Reswept area in AM, and found ne (1) CHICOM and one (1) M-26. Ordnance was blown. F-M Negative.
220320H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 220320H C. (a) 922672 (b) 917687 D. Received eight (8) activations on Box 13 north. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE and three (3) rounds 90mm canister. Swept a ea, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
221800H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. B-1 B. 221800H C. 943688 D. Sniper shot round through windshield of truck, veh. no. 346227. E. No action. Truck continued to DaNang. F-M Negative.
222120H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. B-2 B. 222120H C. 865681 D. Spotted one (1) enemy through starlight scope. E. Threw M-26 and fired ten (10) rounds 60mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
5 222328H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 222328H C. (a) 923737 (b) 949733 D. Received 15 activations on grid 949733. E. Fired six (6) rounds 81mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
A 1-1 spotted one (1) VC at grid 89309. Swept area and found one (1) CHICOM and one (1) M-26. Ordnance was blown in place. BPS Boxes 13 and grid 949733 received a total of 23 activations. Fired 60mm and 90mm, swept area, results: Negative. Sniper round hit truck at grid 943688. Company B-2 spotted one (1) person through Starlight scope. Threw M-26 and fired 60mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative.

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230001H January 1970
232400H January 1970

No	Date Time Group	Information
1	231100H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A-1-3 B. 231100H C. 890715 D. Round one (1) dud 4.2 round. E. Blew round in place. F-M Negative.
2	231200H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 231200H C. 934663 D. VN children brought two (2) homemade CHICOMs, one (1) factory made CHICOM and one (1) dud 60mm mortar round to main gate. E. Paid 500 $VN and blew with demo. F-M Negative.
3	231925H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A-1 B. 231925H C. 898711 D. Spotted 12 VC/NVA with weapons and packs. E. Opened up with small arms and grenades. Swept area under illum. and again in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
4	232019H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 232019H C. (a) 925690 (b) 892668 D. Sighted rocket flash and bright streak heading toward DaNang. E. Fired 23 rounds 81mm HE and swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
Found one (1) Dud 4.2 round. Blew round in place. VN children turned in three (3) CHICOMs and (1) 60mm dud. Paid 500 $VN and blew with demo. Spotted 12 VC/NVA. Opened fire and swept area in AM, results: Negative. Sighted rocket flash and bright streak heading toward DaNang. Fired 23 rounds 81mm HE. Swept area, results Negative.

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No.	Date Time Group	Information
1	240406H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 240406H C. (a) 923690 (b) 906705 D. Received 44 activations on Box 19. E. Fired five (5) rounds 81mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
2	240658H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. B-1 B. 240658 C. 946707 D.An explosive device of unknown source detonated, seriously injuring a VN male riding a motorbike. E. Medevac called. F-M Negative.
3	240755H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A-1 B. 240755H C. (a) 898711 (b) 891711 D. Spotted two (2) enemy carrying packs and rifles. E. Called in fire mission. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
4	240835H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. B-2 B. 240835H C. 866681 D Received one (1) incoming round of unknown type. E. Called a check fire, no fire missions within 3000 meters. F-M Negative.
5	241030H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A-1 B. 241030H C. 892711 D. Found large bunker complex 12 feet underground. Checked out area and found 13 more bunkers and tunnels and numerous trench lines. F-K Neg. L. Two (2) AK-47 magazines, 175 AK rounds, 25-32 cal. pistol rounds, one (1) RPG, 21 CHICOMs, one (1) satchel charge, one (1) pack, two (2) belts and one (1) messkit M. Three (3) CHICOM carriers, one (1) bowl of salt, two (2) bottles of kerosene, one (1) entrenching tool, one (1) canteen, one (1) poncho, 100 pots and pans, 10 sand bags, three (3) RPG propellents, one (1) saw and numerous water-proofing gear.
6	241140H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A-2 B. 241140H C. 919691 D. Found VN children hiding two (2) M-79 rounds. E. Notified engineers, rounds blown in place. F-M Neg.
7	241340H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A.B-1 B. 241340H C. 945707 D. VN male turned in three (3) B-40 rockets. One found at grid 960696 and two (2) found at 966696. E. Paid 1900 $VN for the ordnance. Ordnance blown. F-M Negative.
8	241430H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 241430H c. 934663 D. VN children turned in a can type mine, 10 CHICOMs, three (3) AK-47 magazines, and 400 rounds of ammo. E. Paid 3300 $VN for the ordnance. The ordnance was destroyed. F-M Negative.
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SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
Box 19 received 44 activations. Fired 81mm, swept area, results: Negative. A VN male was seriously wounded when an explosive device of unknown source detonated while he was riding his motorbike. Medevac was called. A-1 spotted two (2) enemy with packs and weapons at grid 891711, and a fire mission was called. Swept area, results: Negative. B-2 received one (1) incoming round of unknown type. Called a checkfire, results: Negative. A-1 found four (4) bunkers and tunnels with numerous trench lines and various gear at grid 892711, gear and fortifications destroyed. The following ordnance was turned in and destroyed: three (3) B-40 rockets, two (2) M-79 rounds, 10 CHICOMs, three (3) AK-47 magazines and 400 rounds.

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252400 January 1970

1	250040H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 250040H C. (a) 922673 (b) 917687 D. Received 10 activations on Box 14 north E. Fired six (6) rounds 105mm HE at 250043H. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
2	250129H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 250129H C. (a) 923690 (b) 917688 D. Received six (6) activations on Box 14 north. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE and six (6) rounds 81mm HE at 250130H. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
3	250244H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 250244H C. (a) 922675 (b) 916689 D. Received six (6) activations on Box 1. E. Fired six (6) rounds 90mm Beehive, 12 rounds 105mm HE, three (3) rounds 81mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
4	250251H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 250251H C. (a) 922675 (b) 916679 D. Received 15 activations on Box 15 north. F. Fired two (2) rounds 90mm Beehive and three (3) rounds 81mm HE at 250251H. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
5	250259H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 250258H C. (a) 922675 (b) 923673 D. Received six (6) activations on Box 51. E. Fired seven (7) rounds 60mm HE at 250259H. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
6	251320H	To: 26 Marines * Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 251320H C. 934663 D. VN children turned in two (2) M-79 rounds and one (1) CHICOM 61mm mortar round. E. Paid 200 $VN. Ordnance destroyed. F-M Negative.
7	251500H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D. 251500H C. 934663 D. VN children turned in 62 AK-47 rounds. E. Paid 200 $VN. Ordnance destroyed. F-M Negative.
8	251515H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. C-1 B. 251515H C. 935695 D. A Marine, while traveling from Hill 10 to 6 SHOOTER in a 6X6, threw a M-26 at some VN civilians. E. Marine being detained, incident under investigation. F-M Negative.
9	-251700H	To: 26 Marines Spot Report - A. A-1 B. 251700 C. (a) 909708 (b) 891706 D. Received sensor activations (MAGID) at above grid E. Called in 81mm and 105mm fire Mission Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
10	252000H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. B-2 B. 252000H C. 965690 D. Spotted three (3) enemy. Received four (4) incoming CHICOMs. E. Returned with M-79, M-26s and 10 rounds 60mm E. Called in 105mm and "SPOOKY". "SPOOKY" received s/a fire from two (2) locations F. Neg. C. Three Marines minor. F-M Negative.
11	252010H	To 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. B-1 B. 2522010 C. 947698 D. Generator failure at Cobb Bridge. E. 60mm, 105mm and flare ship illum. until 252220H when lights were back on. F-M Negative.
12	252040H	To 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 252040H C. (a) 925690 (b) 905705 D. Received 30 activations on Box 19. E. No fire due to friendlies in area. Friendlies notified. F-M Negative.
13	252258H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. D-2 B. 252258H C. (a) 922675 (b) 917688 D. Received five (5) activations on Box 15 north. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE at 252301H. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

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13	252040H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report- A. H&S Co. B. 252040H C. (a) 925690 (b) 913695 D. Received six (6) activations on Box 8. E. Fired six (6) rounds 81mm HE at 252043H. Swept area in A.M , results: Negative. F-M Negative.
14	252100H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 252100H C. (a) 925691 (b) 968686 D. Received 12 activations on Box 12 north. E. Fired two (2) 106mm rounds at 252101H. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
15	252122H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D. B. 252122HC. (a) 925690 (b) 968676 D. Received 10 activations on Box 13 north. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE and one (1) round 106mm at 252123H. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
16	252252H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 252252H C. (a) 925690 (b) 917689 D. Received eight (8) activations on Box 1. E. Fired six (6) rounds 81mm HE at 252254H. Area swept in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
17	252258H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. D-2 B. 252258H C. (a) 922675 (b) 917688 D. Received 45 activations on Box 14 north. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
18	252258H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. D-2 B. 252258H C. (a) 922675 (b) 917688 D. Received five (5) activations on Box 15 nort . E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE at 252301H. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
Received a total of 159 BPS activations and fired 33 rds. 60mm HE, 24 rds. 81mm HE, 18 rds. 105mm HE, 9 rds 90mm Beehive and 3 rds 106mm. All areas were swept in AM, results: Negative. VN children turned in the following ordnance: Two (2) M-79 HE, one (1) CHICOM 61mm mortar round and 62 AK-47 rounds. A total of 400 PVN were paid out for the ordnance. Marine riding in 6X6 threw M-26 at VN civilian causing no casualties. Marine being detained, incident under investigation. Spotted three (3) enemy and received four (4) incoming explosive devices. Returned with M-79, M-26, and 10 rds. 60mm HE. Called in 105mm and "SPOOKY". Three (3) Marines received minor wounds. Generator failure at Cobb Bridge caused lights to go out from 252010H to 252220H. Received illum. from 60mm, 105mm, and flare ship.

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262400H January 1970

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1	260255H	To: 26 Marines Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 260251H C. (a) 92262 (b) 91767 D. Received 16 activations on Box 13 north. F. Fired five (5) rounds of 60mm. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
2	260450H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A-1 B. 260450H C. 944705 D. Lights at Cobb Bridge were turned off to put oil in engine. E. 60mm illum. was used as light. Lights were back on at 260500H. F-M Negative.
3	260450H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A H&S Co. B. 260450H C. (a) 922660 (b) 907705 D. Received 30 activations on Box 19. F. No fire due to friendlies in area. F-M Negative.
4	260545H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 260545H C. (a) 922690 (b) 912695 D. Received 20 activations on Box 9. E. Fired three (3) rounds 81mm HE. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
5	260641H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A H&S Co. B. 260641H C. (a) 925690 (b) 881709 D. Received 19 sensor activations (MAGID). E. Fired eight (8) 107mm HE. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
6	260800H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A-1 B. 260800H C. (a) 898711 (b) 894887099 D. Napalm air strike called. E. Made eight (8) drops. All had secondary explosions. Swept area, found five (5) CHICOMs. CHICOMs were blown. F-L Negative. M. Two (2) saws and cooking gear.
7	260940H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 260940H C. 934663 D. VN children brought in one (1) CHICOM. E. Paid 200 $VN for it. CHICOM was destroyed. F-M Negative.
8	261240H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 261240H C. 934663 D. Two (2) VN children brought in two (2) 105mm HE dud rounds. E. Ordnance was destroyed. F-M Negative
9	261430H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 261430 C. (a) 934663 D. VN children turned in a command detonate cylindrical mine. E. Paid 400 $VN for it. The mine was destroyed. F-M Negative
10	261630H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 261630H C. 934663 D. VN children turned in one (1) CHICOM. E. Paid 200 $VN for it. CHICOM was destroyed. F-M Negative.
11	262003H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. D-2 B. (a) 922675 (b) 927644 D. Received 14 activations on Box 9 south. F. Fired three (3) rounds 60mm HE. Swept in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
12	262015H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A A 1-1 B. 262015H C. 898716 D. Spotted one (1) VC/NVA. E. Opened fire with s/a and grenades. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
13	262030H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. D-2 B. 262030H C. (a) 922675 (b) 917687 D. Received 10 activations on Box 13 north. F. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm and one (1) 106mm Beehive. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
14	262145H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 262145I C (a) 923690 (b) 892706 D. Sensor (MAGID & MINISID) had activations. E. Negative fire due to friendlies in area. F-M Negative.
15	262145H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Col B. 262145H C. (a) 932690 (b) 911688 D. Sensor (MAGID & MINISID) activations. E. Fired eight (8) rounds of 81mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

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16	262145H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. B-1 B. 262150H C. 944705 D. Lights out at Cobb Bridge. E. Lights back on at 262155H. F-M Negative.
17	262230H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. CAP 213 B. 262230H C. 931695 D. Spotted seven (7) NVA. E. Opened fire with small arms, results: seven (7) NVA KIA. F. Neg. G. One (1) PF (non-medevac). H. NEG. I. Seven (7) NVA. J&K. NEG. L. Three (3) AK-47s. M. Two (2) NVA cartridge belts.
18	262337H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. B-1 B. 262337H C. 944705 D. Lights out at Cobb Bridge. E. Lights back on at 262345H. F-M Negative.
19	262350H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 262350H C. (a) 923690 (b) 926689 D. Spotted one (1) enemy moving in the perimeter wire. Opened fire with small arms. Observed enemy fall to ground. E. Swept in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
BPS MAGID & MINISTD received a total of 109 activations. Fired 13 rds. 60mm HE 11 rds. 81mm HE, eight (8) rds. 107mm HE, and one (1) rd. 106mm. Swept all areas, results: Negative. The lights at Cobb Bridge went out three (3) times. Used illum. for light until lights were repaired. The following ordnance were turned in by VN children: two (2) CHICOMs, two (2) 105mm HE duds and a cylindrical mine. All of the ordnance were destroyed. A-1-1 spotted one enemy at grid AT [illegible]716, opened fire, swept the area results: Negative. CAP 213 opened fire on seven (7) NVA at grid AT 931695: results: seven (7) NVA KIA and one (1) PF WIA (minor). H&S Co. opened fire on one (1) enemy moving in the perimeter wire. Swept area in A.M., results: Negative. Napalm air strike called on grid AT [illegible]87099. Eight (8) drops were made, all had secondary explosions. Swept area and found five (5) CHICOMs. CHICOMs were destroyed.

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No	Date Time Group	Information
1	270025H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co B 1 B. 270025H C. 944705 D. Lights went out at Cobb Bridge twice, once at 270025H and again at 270111H. E. Fired 60mm illumination while repairs were made. They came back on at 270045H. F-M Negative
2	270215H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 270215H C. (a) 922672 (b) 917687 D. Received eight (8) activations on Box 13 north. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm. Swept area. results: Negative. F-M Negative.
3	270428H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B. 270428H C. (a) 925690 (b) 906706 D. Received 13 activations on BPS Box 19. E. Fired ten (10) rounds 81mm. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
4	271020H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 271020H C. (a) 934663 D. VN children turned in one (1) CHICOM grenade. E. Paid 200 $VN for it. The grenade was destroyed. F-M Negative.
5	271020H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 271020H C. 932667 D. Village at grid 932667 was searched Company D provided cordon, CAP 215 provided search force, and CIT with NPFF provided screening element. E. Villager said the VC left about two (2) weeks ago. No detainees were taken. F-M Negative.
6	271130H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 271130H C. (a) 934663 D. VN children turned in two (2) CHICOM grenades. E. Paid 400 $VN for them. Grenades were destroyed. F-M Negative .
7	271130H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co B 1 B. 271130H C. (a) 945707 (b) 932698 D. VN boy turned in four (4) boobytraps made of M-79 with fuse and caps. E. Paid 400 $VN for them. The boobytraps were destroyed. F-M Negative.
8	271645H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 3 B. 271645H C. (a) 898710 D. VN children turned in one (1) M-26 and one (1) firecracker round. E. Ordnance was destroyed. F-M Negative.
9	271730H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 271730H C. (a) 934663 D. VN child turned in four (4) CHICOM grenades. E. Paid 800 $VN for them. The grenades were destroyed. F-M Negative.
10	271942H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B. 271942H C. (a) 942690 (b) 906705 D. Received 22 activations on Box 19. E. Fired four (4) rounds 81mm HE. Swept area in AM results: Negative. F-M Negative.
11	272005H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B. 272005H C. (a) 924690 (b) 917687 D. Received 17 activations on Box 14 north. E. Notified friendly in the area. F-M Negative.
12	272030H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co B 2 B. 272030H C. (a) 865681 (b) 865681 D. Spotted one (1) enemy and a light about 1500 meters west of their pos. E. Fired small arms. Swept area results: Negative. Called fire mission on the light, no sweep was conducted due to the terrain and destance. F-M Negative.
13	272340H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 2 B. 272340H C. (a) 922675 (b) 919683 D. Received eight (8) activations on Box 9 north. E. Fired three (3) rounds 60mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

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SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: Received a total of 68 BPS activations and fired 14 rounds 81mm HE and five (5) rounds 60mm HE on them. VN children turned in the following ordnance: seven (7) CHICOMs, four (4) M-79 boobytraps, one (1) M-26 and part of firecracker round. A total of 1900 $VN was paid for the ordnance. The lights went out at Cobb Bridge from 270025H to 270045H. 60mm illum. was used in the interim. A village was cordoned and searched. Results: VC left village two (2) weeks ago. No detainees were taken.

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No	Date Time Group	Information
1	280210H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 280210H C. (a) 922672 (b) 920681 D. Received 12 activations on Box 7 north. E. Negative fire, because of friendlies in the area. F-M Negative.
2	280645H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 280645H C. (a) 935660 (b) 935660 D. Company D provided cordon and search, CIT, ITT and NPFF provided the screening element. E. Screened six (6) men, 24 women, and 26 children, Villager were building bunkers and had an over abundant supply of rice. Had one (1) female detained. F-J Negative. K. One (1) female. L-M Negative.
3	281100H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 281100H C. (a) 934663 (b) 934663 D. VN children turned in two (2) CHICOM grenades. E. Paid 400 $VN for them. The grenades were destroyed. F-M Negative.
4	281430H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 281430H C. (a) 934663 D. VN children turned in one (1) B-41 rocket, 200 rounds of AK-47 ammo, and two (2) CHICOM grenades. E. Paid 1300 $VN for the ordnance. The ordnance was destroyed. F-M Negative.
5	281700H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 3-1 B. 281700H C. 887713 D. Spotted one (1) indigenous personnel moving west. E. Fired M-79 round. Friendly casuality resulted when M-79 round hit a branch on a tree and exploded. Swept area, results, Negative. F. Negative. G. One (1) Marine. H-M Negative.
6	281915H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 3-1 B. 281915H C. 885712 D. Found a CHICOM. E. Check for booby traps results; Negative. CHICOM was blown in place. F-M Negative.
7	282310H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B. 282310H C. (a) 923688 (b) 923687 D. Trip flare went off in defensive wire, no enemy movement sighted. E. Fired three (3) rounds 81mm illum., small arms and threw one (1) M-26. Swept are in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: BPS Box 7 north received 12 activations. No fire because of friendlies in the area. Company D provided cordon and search and CIT, ITT, and NPFF provided the screening, 56 VN personnel were screened and one (1) female was detained. VN children turned in the following ordnance: four (4) CHICOM grenades, one (1) B-40 rocket, and 200 AK-47 rounds, a total of 1700 $VN were paid for the item. All ordnance was destroyed. Company A 3-1 spotted one (1) indigenous, fired M-79. The M-79 rounds hit a tree and exploded wounding a Marine, Swept area, results: Negative. Company A 3-1 found a CHICOM, check for booby trap. The CHICOM was destroyed. H&S Company had a trip flare go off, no enemy movement sighted, fired illumination, small arms swept area, results: Negative.

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1	291315H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 3-2 B. 291315H C. (a) 897704 (b) 895704 D. Spotted three (3) indiginous personnel, wearing black pajamas, no packs of equipment. F. Fired small arms and swept area, the indiginous personnel had crossed the river. One (1) belt of 100 rounds of M-60 ammo was found. F-M Negative.
2	291320H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 3 B. 291320H C. (a) 901717 D. VN childrer turned in one (1) 61mm mortar round. E. 61mm round was destroyed. F-M Negative.
3	291545H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 3 B. 291545H C. 901717 D. Were shown wher two (2) 106 dud rounds were. E. Rounds were destroyed. F-M Negative.
4	291710H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B. 291710H C. 928690 D. VN boy was cutting grass and hit a dud M-79 round, which exploded. E. VN boy was brought to Hill 10 BAS for treatment. F-M Negative.
5	291715H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. VN child turned in one (1) CHICOM grenade. E. Paid 200 $VN for it. The grenade was destroyed. F-M Negative.
6	292005H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A 3-1 B. 292005H C. 899712 D. Spotted five (5) VC/NVA moving west to east. E. Fired small arms and M-26. Swept area, results: Found drag marks and one (1) claymore. F-L Negative. M. One (1) rain-jacket, one (1) claymore.
7	292034H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B. 292034H C. (a) 925690 (b) 906705 D. Received 15 activations on Box 19. E. Negative fire, because of friendly unit in the area. F-M Negative.
8	292128H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 292128H C. (a) 922675 (b) 917687 D. Received 15 activations on Box 13 north. E. Fired three (3) 60mm HE. Swept in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
9	292308H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 2 B. 292308H C. (a) 922675 (b) 917688 D. Received ten (10) activations on Box 14 north. E. Fired three (3) rounds 60mm HE. Swept area in AM results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION: Company A 3-2 spotted three (3) indiginous personnel at grid 895704 fired small arms, swept area, results: Negative. VN children turned in the following ordnance: one (1) 61mm mortar, two (2) 106 dud rounds, and one (1) CHICOM grenade. All ordnance was destroyed. A VN boy was wounded when he hit a M-79 dud. He was treated at Hill 10 BAS. Company A 3-1 spotted five (5) VC/NVA at grid 899712, fired small arms and swept area, results: found dray marks and one (1) claymore. BPS Boxes received a total of 40 activations. Fired a totall of six (6) rounds HE. Swept all area, results: Negative.

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1	300203H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 300203H C. (a) 924691 (b) 906707 D. Received 14 activations on Box 21. E. Negative fire due to friendlies in area. F-M Negative.
2	300359H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 300359H C. (a) 924691 (b) 906705 D. Received 12 activations on Box 19. E. Fired five (5) rounds 81mm HE. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
3	300523H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 300523H C. (a) 924691 (b) 906706 D. Received 16 activations on Box 16. E. Fired three (3) rounds 81mm HE. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
4	300540H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 300540H C. (a) 924691 (b) 906706 D. Received 37 activations on Box 19. E. Fired three (3) rounds 81mm HE. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
5	300900H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 300900H C. (a) 925690 (b) 869706 D. Received two (2) activations on Box 25. E. Fired four (4) rounds 105mm HE. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
6	301000H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. D-2-3 B. 301000H C. (a) 922675 (b) 882675 D. Spotted four (4) VC/NVA. E. Air gunships and spotter planes were called in. Artillery and tank 90mm were fired. Swept area, results: one (1) bandolier 5.56 ammunition and four (4) magazines. F-L Neg. M. One (1) bandolier 5.56 ammunition and four (4) magazines, 20 rounds each, and 20 loose rounds.
7	301645H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 301645H C. 923690 D. VN children turned in five (5) CHICOM's. E. Paid 1000 $VN for them. CHICOMs were destroyed. F-M Negative.
8	301935H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 301935H C. (a) 925690 (b) 916691 D. Received six (6) activations on Box 3. E. Fired four (4) rounds 81mm HE Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
9	301955H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 301955H C. (a) 925690 (b) 906706 D. Received 33 activations on Box 19. E. Negative fire due to friendlies in area. F-M Negative.
10	3020 5H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. D-2 B. 302035H C. (a) 922674 (b) 927665 D. Received 10 activations on Box 9 south. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
11	302115H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. A-3-2 B. 302115H C. (a) 908710 (b) 908710 D. Spotted three (3) NVA crossing river. E. Fired small arms and claymores. Called in 40 rounds 81mm HE. Swept area and found one (1) NVA KIA. Reswept area in AM, results: one (1) NVA Captain WIA. NVA died later. F-H Neg. I. Two (2) NVA J K Neg. L. Nine (9) CHICOMs, two (2) 82mm rounds, one (1) AK-47, one (1) 9mm pistol, two (2) AK-47 magazines. M. One (1) pair field glasses and one (1) pack with five (5) days supply.
12	302125H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 302145H C. (a) 925690 (b)892706 D. Received over 80 activations on MINISID and MAGID. E. Fired 105mm firecracker mission. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
13	302137H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 302137H C. (a) 925690 (b) 917685 D. Received six (6) activations on Box 14 north. E. Fired four (4) rounds 60mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

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14	302210H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report A. H&S Co. B. 302210H C. (a) 925690 (b) 911668 D. Received 50 activations on MINISID and MAGID. E. Fired 81mm HE, 105mm firecracker and 90mm Beehive. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Neg.
15	302245H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report A. H&S Co. B. 302245H C. (a) 925690 (b) 911668 D. Received 30 activations on MINISID and MAGID. E. Fired 15 rounds 81mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
16	302250H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report A. H&S Co. B. 302250H C. (a) 925690 (b) 906706 D. Received 17 activations on Box 19. E. Fired five (5) rounds 81mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
17	302310H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. B-1 B. 302310H C. 965707 D. Lights on Cobb Bridge went out due to generator failure. E. Illumination was supplied by 60mm and 81mm. Basketball was called but not used. Generator was replaced. Lighting was restored at 310138H. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
BPS Boxes had a total of 313 activations. A total of 20 rounds 81mm HE, nine (9) 60mm HE, four (4) 105mm HE and firecracker were fired. All areas were swept, results: Negative. VN children turned in five (5) CHICOMs. Paid 1000 $VN for them. CHICOMs were destroyed. D 3-3 at grid AT 882675 spotted four (4) VC/NVA. Gunships and artillery were called. Swept area, results: Negative. A 3-2 spotted three (3) NVA crossing a river at grid 908710. Fired small arms and claymores and 40 rounds 81mm HE. Swept the area twice, results: two (2) NVA KIA, one (1) AK-47 and various other gear. The lights at Cobb Bridge went out due to generator failure. A new generator was installed. 60mm and 81mm provided illumination until the lights came back on at 310138H.

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1	310255H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 310255H C. (a) 922670 (b) 911668 D. Received six (6) activations on MAGID 26. E. Fired six (6) rounds 81mm HE at 310259H. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
2	310340H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 310340H C. (a) 922670 (b) 923675 D. Received 21 activations on Box 2 north and six (6) activations on Box 1 north E. Fired nine (9) rounds 60mm HE at both boxes at 310343H. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
3	310414H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 310414H C. (a) 925690 (b) 916694 D. Received six (6) activations on Box 5. E. Fired six (6) rounds 81mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
4	310955H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 310955H C. 943663 D. VN children turned in two (2) 60mm HE duds and one (1) 60mm illum. dud. E. Ordnance blown. F-M Negative.
5	311240H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 311240H C. 943663 D. VN children turned in one (1) CHICOM 61mm mortar round. E. Ordnance blown. F-M Negative.
6	312050H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 312050H C. (a) 925690 (b) 915692 D. Spotted light at grid AT 915692. E. Fired one (1) round 90mm Beehive. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
7	312245H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D B. 312245H C. (a) 922675 (b) 918687 D. Received 24 activations on Box 14 north. E. Fired five (5) rounds 60mm HE and two (2) rounds 106mm Beehive at 312245H. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
8	312355H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. D. B. 312355H C. (a) 922673 (b) 918687 D. Received twelve (12) activations on Box 14 north. E. Fired three (3) rounds 90mm Beehive at 312356H. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
BPS Boxes received a total of 75 activations. 14 rounds 60mm HE, twelve (12) rounds 81mm HE, three (3) rounds 90mm Beehive and two (2) rounds 106mm Beehive were fired. All areas swept in AM, results: Negative. VN children turned in the following ordnance: two (2) 60mm HE, one (1) 60mm illum. and one (1) 61mm CHICOM mortar round. All ordnance was destroyed. Spotted a light at grid AT 915692 and fired one (1) round 90mm Beehive. Swept area in AM, results Negative.

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1	010235H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 1-1 B. 010235H C. 934655 D. Sighted four (4) VC moveing at grid AT 934655. Opened fire with M-60 and M-79. E. Swept area w/illumation, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
2	010235H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D 1-1-1 B. 010235H C. 934655 D. Had eight (8) activations on BPS Box 27. E. Fired on area with M-79. Swept area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
3	010150H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co B. 010150H C. (a) 925690 (b) 906707 D. Received 18 activations on Box 21. E. Negative fire due to friendlies in the area. F-M Negative .
4	011045H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 011045H C. (a) 936664 D. Two (2) VN children turned in the upper part of a ordnance detector type MOD 15. Item unservicable. E. Equipment unidentifiable. F-M Negative.
5	011840H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 011840H C. 934663 D. Two (2) VN children brought a 60mm CHICOM mortar round to Hill 41. E. Paid 400 $VN and blew with demo. F-M Negative. F-M Negative.
6	011900H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co D B. 011900H C. (a) 925690 (b) 916690 D. Received 13 activations on Box 2. E. Fired three (3) 81mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
7	011930H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A H&S Co. B. 012930H C. 915795 D. Company B pay officer in 6X6 truck got stuck. E. Sent B-3-1 and 3-3 to provide security. F-M Negative.
8	012145H	To: 26 Marines - Sp t Rep rt - A. H&S Co B. 012000H C. (a) 923690 (b) 916690 D. Received 18 activations on Box 2. E. Fired eight (8) 81mm HE. Swept area in AM, results: Negative. F-M Negative
9	012145H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. CAP 212 B. 012145H C. 922718 D. Spotted seven (7) NVA 50 meters west. E. Initiated small arms fire and enemy returned fire and fled to west. F. One (1) PF. G. Two (2) PFs. H. Negative I. Four (4) NVA J. One (1) NVA K. Negative L. Two (2) AK-47s, One (1) AK50, one (1) AK47 magazine M. Negative

SUMMARY OF PREVIOUS ACTION:
Sprung ambush on four (4) VC at 150 meters. Results: Negative. Received eight activations on Box 27. Fired M-79 on area and swept in A.M. Results: Negative. Received 18 activations on Box 21. Negative fire due to friendlies in area. Friendlies were notified. Two (2) VN children delivered upper part of ordnance detector to sentr . Equipment unservicable and unidentifiable. Two (2) VN children brought one (1) 61mm CHICOM mortar round to Hill 41. Paid 400 $VN and blew with demo. Received 13 activations on Box 2. Fired (3) 81mm HE and swept in AM, results: Negative. Track with Company B pay officer got stuck.

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B-3-1 and 3-3 sent to provide security. Received 18 activations on Box 2. Fired eight (8) 81mmHE. Swept area in AM. Results: Negative. Spotted seven ( ) NVA 50 meters west of pos. Initiated fire and enemy returned fire killing one (1) PF and wounding two (2) PFs. Four (4) NVA KIA and one (1) NVA detained.

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022400H January 1970

DTG	Information
020950H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co Comm Jeep B. 020950H C. AT 915743 D. Grenade thrown at jeep at above grid. E. Continued to Regt. A-1-2 checked area, results: Negative. F-M Negative.
021025H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co. C B. 021025H C. AT 923737 D. One (1) VN brought one (1) CHICOM to main gate. E. Paid 100 $VN. CHICOM blown. F-M Negative.
021835H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co S-2 Jeep B. 021835H C. AT 943676 D. Jeep received one (1) small caliber round center windshield, driver side from undetermined enemy position. E. Increased sreed and returned one (1) round in general direction of suspected enemy position. F-M Negative.
022150H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. C-3-3 B. 022150H C. AT (a) 915667 (b) 927668 D. 17 enemy sighted in open. E. Fired 65 rounds 81mm HE. Enemy moved to west. Moved troops to make contact. Swept area, results: Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
Grenade thrown at jeep. Checked area, results: Negative. One (1) VN brought one (1) CHICOM to main gate. Paid 100 $VN. CHICOM blown. Jeep received one (1) small arms round in windshield, from undetermined enemy position. Increased sqeed and returned one (1) round in direction of suspected enemy position. Sighted 17 enemy in open and fired 65 rounds 81mm HE. Sent troops to contact. Swept area, results: Negative.

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DTG	Information
030935H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A-1 B. 030935H C. AT 943706 D. One (1) VN boy brought two (2) CHICOMs to pos. E. Paid 400 $VN for CHICOMs. Blown by engineers. F-M Negative.
031330H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. Co A-1 B. 031330H C. AT 920740 D. Report from 'A' Btry concerning VC in village at above grid. E. A-1 checked area and learned from village chief that information was one week old. F-M Negative.
031345H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. CAP 218 B. 031345H C. AT 947653 D. While in Day Haven observed house burning about 50 meters to east. Investigation revealed that VN child pulled parachute from one (1) 81mm dud igniting round. Flames burned child. E. Medevaced child to BAS by vehicle. Child emergency medevaced from BAS at 031500H. F-M Negative.
031945H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. H&S Co. B. 031945H C. AT (a) 925690 (b) 906705 D. Received 30 activations on Box 19 E. Negative fire due to friendlies in area. F-M Negative.
032005H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A.CAP 217 B. 032005H C. AT 925705 D. The point man became separated from the main group of Marines and PFs. The main group stopped movement and when the point man returned, one (1) PF opened fire with an M-16 thinking it was an enemy, wounding the Marine twice in the chest. E. Emergency medevac called at 032005H and completed 032033H. F. Negative G. One (1) Marine H-M Negative.
032355H	To: 26 Marines - Spot Report - A. CAP 214 B. 032355 C. AT 941690 D. Spotted approx. 10 NVA 25 meters west moving from S to N. E. Initiated small arms fire and enemy returned fire. Contact resulted in nine (9) NVA KIA and one (1) detainee who was emergency medevaced and interrogated at Hieu Duc. F-H Negative. I. Nine (9) NVA J. Neg. K. One (1) NVA. L. Three (3) AK-47s, two (2) 9mm CHICOM pistols, 15 CHICOMS. M. Negative.

SUMMARY OF PERIODS ACTION:
One (1) VN boy brought two (2) CHICOMs to B-1 pos. Paid 400 $VN and engineers blew CHICOMS. Report of VC in village found to be one (1) week old after A-1 checked area, results: Negative. VN child pulled parachute from 81mm dud, igniting round that burned house and child who was medevaced to BAS by vehicle where emergency medevac was called. Point man became separated from Marines and PFs and upon returning was mistaken for enemy and shot twice in chest by PF. Medevac called. Spotted 10 NVA and initiated fire killing nine (9) and wounding one (1) NVA detainee who was medevaced.

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