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Encl. ✓(1) 1st Bn, 9th Marines Command Chronology 1-31  
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1. In accordance with references (a) through (c), enclosure  
(1) is submitted.

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY  
1 December through 31 December 1965

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PART I ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. Reporting Unit. 1st Battalion, 9th Marines.
2. Location of Command Post. Vicinity of Marble Mountain (BT 068718).
3. Period Covered by Report. 1-31 December 1965.
4. Commanding Officer and Staff

Commanding Officer	LtCol LUDWIG
Executive Officer (1-2 Dec)	Maj TOLLE
(3-31 Dec)	Maj THATENHURST
S-1 (1-2 Dec)	1stSgt DUDEK
(3-31 Dec)	WO (W-1) JEREMIAH
S-2	Capt MATTIACE
S-3	Capt SHUBERT
S-4	Capt MARADA

5. Principal Subordinate Units

H&S Company	Capt CLAWSON
Company "A"	Capt LLOYD
Company "B" (1-4 Dec)	1stLt CARROLL
(5-31 Dec)	Capt HENRY
Company "C"	Capt FOWLES
Company "D"	Capt HART
2d Plat, Co "C", 3d AT Bn	2dLt WOOD
Company "B" (-), 3d Tank Bn	Capt LEE
4th Plat, Co "B", 1st AmTrac Bn	
(1-10 Dec)	2dLt ST. DOLA
(11-31 Dec)	1stLt BENNETT
Btry "D", 2d Bn, 12th Marines	Capt BAILEY
2d Plat (-), Co "A", 3d MT Bn	Sgt CAMPBELL
3d Plat (-), Co "C", 3d Engr Bn	1stLt RODRIGUEZ

6. Command Structure. Normal.
7. Average Strength 1cr Month of December

Officers USMC	34
Officers USN	3
Enlisted USMC	983
Enlisted USN	57

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PART II GENERAL CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS DURING REPORTING PERIOD

Throughout the reporting period, the Battalion effectively pursued its mission of killing and capturing VC, and denying their influence on villagers indigenous to the T.AOR. This was accomplished primarily through the use of maximum squad-size patrols and ambushes, and mobile platoon and squad bases operating in the various hamlets. These bases, while providing necessary patrols and ambushes, proved effective in providing medical care for the villagers and presented the opportunity for face-to-face persuasion, through the use of interpreters and attached ARVN personnel. The VC contact within the area, especially in the southernmost sector, indicated an increase of hard-core VC - more accurate marksmanship, excellent camouflage discipline, and green or camouflage uniforms. As usual, the terrain provided excellent mobility for tracked vehicles, providing unit commanders with a capability of rapid reinforcement of units in contact.

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

1. Personnel. Detailed personnel data is contained in the S-1 journal submitted as a supporting document. This Battalion had a decrease in strength of 84 enlisted Marines due to rotation and casualties being transferred by service record. During this period there were 41 WIA and four KIA. Replacements of 84 enlisted Marines were received.

2. Administration. Nothing significant.

3. Intelligence. The H-41 Local Force Company conducted minor harassment and sniping for the period 1-8 December. The enemy was principally concerned with developing EEI's on the US military situation in the HOA LONG complex. About 9 December the enemy began to infiltrate the 1st Volunteer Battalion into our area. This battalion was reported first in grid square (BT 0965) in and about the hamlet of VIEM DONG, about 30 hours later they supposedly moved in and about grid square (BT 0564). This battalion moved on or about 12 December to grid squares (BT 0764) and (BT 0763) and to grid square (BT 0662) on or about 15 December. By 19 December information was received that this battalion had dispersed south of our TAOR between east-west grid lines (BT 63) and (BT 59) and north-south grid line (BT 06) and the sea coast. Prior to this dispersal, the 1st Volunteer Battalion traveled intact from the locations listed above. This is a deviation from their standard tactic of breaking into small groups immediately upon entering this battalion's TAOR. This fact plus their reluctance to contact our forces in a large scale battle indicated that the Volunteer Battalion was waiting for orders/equipment to carry out previously programmed attacks.

About 22 December, additional information was received which indicated the VC were reinforced by at least two additional MF companies. It is now believed that one of these additional companies was involved in a "L" shaped ambush (see Isum 27 December) which the VC sprung on a platoon (-) (Rein) of Company "B" (41 VC KIA confirmed (BT 081629)).

The 1st Volunteer Battalion, the H-41 Local Force Company, and the remaining MF Company are currently the objects of an extensive search, since they are believed to be dispersed in the central and southern sectors of the TAOR (east-west (BT 67) to (BT 62) and north-south (BT 04) to China Sea coast). They are still waiting for the orders and/or opportunity to strike at US targets in this TAOR.

a. Psychological Warfare. PsyWar conducted the month of December included the following

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(1) The I Corps 1st Psy-Ops Field Detachment (Prov) Audio Team conducted operations through the use of tape news broadcasts (including local news), newsreels, propaganda, cartoons, speeches from local officials and distribution of leaflets and magazines to the hamlets within the Battalion TAOR. The general theme concerned supporting the GVN with objectives of (1) creating, building, and maintaining confidence in the GVN, (2) to establish a climate of national unity behind the war effort, (3) to expose the true nature of the NLF/SVN objectives, and (4) to insure that the people of Vietnam are aware that allied forces are here at the request of the GVN and that they will depart when peace is restored.

(2) 1st MAW Psychological Warfare Loudspeaker Helicopter was not utilized due to non-availability.

(3) The HOA VANG District Political Action Propaganda Team was not utilized due to their operating solely in support of People's Action Teams activities in the pacification area (2/9 TAOR).

b. Special Operations, None.

c. Employment of AN/TPS-21, SID/150, and the Infrared Sighting Device

(1) AN/TPS-21. The Battalion's two AN/TPS-21's have been in a down status for the reporting period. One set was destroyed in an LVT which struck a mine on 23 October (a replacement was ordered on 1 November but has not arrived as of this date). The second set has had the frequency converter transmitter in FLSG during the reporting period. A set was borrowed from regiment and used for approximately 10 days (17-25 December) overlooking the MSR and the eastern sector of the TAOR, however, it was returned to regiment because of a defective generator. A second set was borrowed from regiment on 24 December and utilized for two days (21, 22 December) overlooking the MSR and the eastern sector of the TAOR, and two days (28-29 December) with one of the forward companies before being returned for repairs. At 200240H, a contact was made at the trash dump at coordinates (BT 073714) but the identity of the contact is unknown.

(2) SID/150. Throughout the period the Battalion utilized 22 SID's during December. Sixteen were utilized by the forward companies on the MLR, five were utilized on the Battalion Command Post Perimeter, one is presently down for repairs. No contact for reporting period.

(3) Infrared Sighting Device. Out of 16 scopes, nine have been utilized by the forward companies in ambush/patrol activities and seven have been down for lack of parts (entire

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period). No contacts for reporting period.

4. Training Periods of instruction were held for all companies concerning the mission and role of US Forces in the Republic of Vietnam. All hands were instructed in the care and handling of captives. Initial training in the nomenclature, functioning, and employment of the .50 calibre machine gun was provided the S-2 scout section by qualified instructors from Company "B", 3d Tank Battalion.

5. Special Operations. On 27 December 1965, a combat patrol from Company "B", and weapons in support of the patrol, accounted for a total of 41 VC KIA confirmed by body count. A complete description of this action is included as a supporting document to this chronology in the form of a special report.

6. Nuclear, Biological, Chemical, and other Special Types of Warfare. Nothing significant.

7. Command and Control. Nothing significant.

8. Communications-Electronics. The most significant happening in communications for this month was the receipt of 15 AN/PRC-10's under the current R&E program. These radios have greatly increased the communications posture of the Battalion. The continued use of five AN/PRC-25's has been a real asset to our Battalion also. The supply of communication parts and equipment has improved slightly this past month over previous months. The loss of two AN/PRC-10's this month through enemy action as compared with one the previous six months seems to signify an increased effort on the part of the enemy to destroy our radios and operators during engagements and it is expected that further increase in losses of this nature will continue in the future.

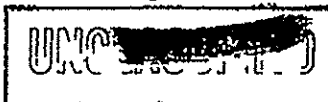
9. Close Combat. The Battalion conducted an ambitious program of squad and platoon combat patrols, ambushes, and long range recon/combat patrols, applying constant pressure on the VC within the TAOR. This aggressive activity resulted in 47 confirmed VC KIA and five confirmed VC prisoners.

10. Fire Support and Fire Support Coordination. Nothing significant.

11. Logistics

a. On 5 December the construction of the Battalion Command Post bunker was completed and it was occupied by the Battalion's operation section.

b. On 10 December resupply of the forward companies was accomplished by use of Otters. These vehicles proved to be very well suited for operation in this Battalion's TAOR. Their use in this role was continued until they were withdrawn by Division on 20 December.

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c. On 21 December a forward line Post bunker was constructed at coordinates (2° 14' 00" N) and occupied by a forward line company.

d. This Battalion's canteen program is nearly completed as of this date. All that remains to be accomplished is the installation of the electrical wiring system to be provided by MCS-9. This electrical wiring has already been installed in all working spaces and the mess hall and mess area. This wire was installed by the organic communication platoon of this Battalion.

e. During the period covered this enclave has received a considerable amount of rain; however, trackability for tracked and wheeled vehicles in this Battalion's TACR has remained very good to excellent.

12. Air Defense. Nothing significant.

13. Combat Air Support. On three different occasions, squads were pinned down and unable to move and in some occasions were not able to be reinforced immediately. Armed UH1E's were called in allowing the squads to either press the attack or hold contact until reinforcements could arrive. During this period, the gun ships were credited with four KBA's, destroyed one house, and one hay stack.

14. Medical and Dental Support. Tri-weekly sick-call with Army Psychological Warfare Team continued. We have treated increasing numbers of wounded and seriously ill civilians. BAS continued to see moderate numbers of minor casualties. In addition, one Vietnamese baby was delivered by BAS.

15. Chaplain Support

a. During December worship services, both Catholic and Protestant, were held regularly in the Battalion Chapel and in the field. In addition memorial services and communion services were held as appropriate. A special carol sing was held on 24 December and a Christmas Mass was held on 25 December.

b. Chaplain continued to deliver packages and post letters and Christmas cards to all hands from "Operation Mail Call" with a continued excellent response from the troops. Several additional letters were selected and answered by the Chaplain.

c. Counseling on personal problems has been held with seven men of the Battalion. Church parties left the Battalion area for Jewish, Latter Day Saint, and Christian Science Church services.

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d. Three boxes of toys, two boxes of soap, and four boxes of clothing were delivered to AN HAI Protestant Church for their work with the refugees. The Chaplain attended the AN HAI Protestant Church Christmas program with six Marines of the Battalion to present 7,300 piasters to be used in building their school for the refugees. The Chaplain presented a gift of 7,300 piasters on 24 December to the Catholic Orphanage Nursery to be used as needed. The Chaplain presented a gift of 7,300 piasters on 24 December to the W.E.C. Children's Home on Chira Beach to be used as needed.

e. The Chaplain escorted the Chief of Chaplains, Rear Admiral KELLY, through Marble Mountain Buddhist Monastery.

16. Civil Affairs. During the month of December the Battalion concentrated its civic action effort in the area of HOA HAI, HOA LAN, and HOA LONG villages. MedCAP treatment was given daily in each of these villages. Numerous medical evacuations were completed from these villages. Clothing, soap, educational materials and toys were distributed in each village. The Chief of HOA HAI village and the members of his family are living within the Battalion CP perimeter.

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PART IV SUPPORTING DOCUMENTSTAB

- 1 ✓ S-1 Journal
- 2 ✓ S-2 Journal
- 3 ✓ S-3 Journal
- 4 ✓ 1st Bn, 9th Marines Frag Order No. 26-65
- 5 ✓ Special Report of Company "B" Patrol of 27 December 1965
- 6 ✓ Essential Elements of Information of 10 December 1965
- 7 ✓ Special Intelligence Report of 10 December 1965
- 8 ✓ Special Intelligence Report 2-65
- 9 ✓ Intelligence Estimate of 160400H December 1965
- 10 ✓ Weekly Operations Overlay Reports for Periods
  - a ✓ 27 Nov-4 Dec 1965
  - b ✓ 4-11 Dec 1965
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0700			010700	Pvt G. M. PARRISH & PFC R. B. REEVES Drop tr to 1stMarDiv(Fwd) for du	
1000			011000	PFC J. E. HALVERSTADT Jd fr SU#2 H&SBn FMFPac for du	
1615			011615	PFC A. S. WOJICK WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1630			011630	LCpl E. JOHNSTON Jd fr RRDet MCB CamLej for du	
1700			011700	Sgt L. B. PETERSON Fr TAD Hong Kong conn w/R&R	
0700			020700	Maj D. S. FOLLE Drop tr to HqBn this Div for du	
0730			020730	Cpl B. N. EARLE To TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	
0800			020800	WO-1 J. B. JEREMIAH Jd fr HqBn this Div for du as BnAdj	
0800			020800	Cpl J. H. BARNES, Cpl F. R. COONS, PFC A. B. PECINA & Cpl J. G. NOYES Drop tr by SR to Camp S. D. Butler (NBC)	
0800			020800	LCpl R. V. HIGHTSHUE & Pvt J. P. PRINCE Drop tr by SR w/sk to Camp S. D. Butler (Battle)	
1330			021330	Cpl J. M. GRAVITT & LCpl H. D. TOWNLEY Fr TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	
1330			021330	Pvt R. R. FORQUER Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	

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0700			030700	LCpl W. T. STUMBO, LCpl W. F. RONLOFF, PFC S. C. WESTGATE, LCpl JARVIS, Pvt G. M. LARSON, PFC D. R. LOERZEL & Cpl R. D. MENDOZA Drop tr to OIC FMFPac TransPac WESTPac Camp S. D. Butler for processing & FFT to CONUS	
0700			030700	SSgt B. L. COOK Drop pro & rpt to OIC FMFPac for furtrans to CONUS EDA to MGB CamLej for du	
0700			030700	SSgt J. I. WATSON Drop pro & rpt to OIC FMFPac TransPac WESTPac Camp S. D. Butler for furtrans to CONUS EDA to MCAS El Toro for du	
0900			030900	Sgt J. J. ADAMS, Cpl E. A. FERGUSON, LCpl T. J. POLIZZI & PFC P. YEAHQO To TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1000			031000	SSgt E. T. WRIGHT To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1300			031330	Maj K. D. THATENHURST Ja fr HqBn this Div for du as Bn XO	
1330			031330	Cpl R. L. DEURMETER Drop tr By SR to Camp S. D. Butler	
1530			031530	GySgt "J" "D" DAVIDSON, Cpl H. J. HULMES, & Cpl M. D. RICHARDS Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1530			031530	Lt(CHC) G. J. FIVIAN Fr TAD Saigon conn w/R&R	
1530			031530	HN J. A. KIRSCHENBAUM Fr TAD Hong Kong conn w/R&R	

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0930			040930 PFC L. E. READY to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1345			041345 Pvt E. R. DUNHAM & PFC P. W. SHEPHERD WIA to C&C Fld Hosp	
1430			041430 LCpl K. B. DIECKMAN WIANE	
1530			041530 PFC J. H. LANG Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/ R&R	
0900			050900 LCpl D. M. AUMOCK, Sgt C. E. FREE & PFC E. M. RAY To TAD Okinawa conn w/ R&R	
1530			051530 PFC L. G. LANDIS & PFC J. MURDOCK Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0700			060700 SSgt A. MARGIOTTA Drop tr to CO near- est MarCorAct CONUS for processing & furtrans to MCS QUANT for du	
0700			060700 Cpl S. C. WISCOMBE Drop tr to OIC FMFPac TransFac WESTPac Camp S. D. Butler for processing & FFT to CONUS	
1200			061200 Cpl W. L. CANDELARIA Jd fr MB Yokosuka Japan for du	
1200			061200 SgtMaj W. J. MASON Jd for H&SCo, 2ndBn, 8thMar, 2ndMarDiv for du	
1820			061820 PFC W. M. MEGLIO Jr. WIA to C&C Fld Hosp	
2005			062005 PFC W. M. MEGLIO Jr DOW C&C Fld Hosp	

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0700			080700	Sgt R. D. SMITH Drop tr to OIC FMFPac TransFac WESTPac Camp S. D. Butler FFT to nearest MarCorAct CONUS FFT to MCB CamLej	
0800			080800	Sgt M. L. LANE Ch loc fr C&C Fld Hosp to USNH Yokosuka	
0830			070830	LCpl D. M. EVANS To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1230			071230	PFC R. C. HOUSER WIANE	
1345			071345	<del>XXXXXXXXXXXX</del> Sgt J. J. ADAMS, LCpl T. J. POLIZZI, PFC P. YEAHQUO & Cpl E. A. BERGUSON III Fr TAD Okinawa comm w/R&R	
1345			071345	Cpl B. N. EARLE Fr TAD Bangkok comm w/R&R	
1610			071610	Cpl G. S. CHAMBERLIN WIA TO sk C&C Fld Hosp	
2130			072130	LCpl T. A. DECUBELLIS WIANE	
0700			080700	GySgt H. E. SANDERS Drop tr to CO nearest MarCorAct CONUS FFT 2nd MAW FMFLant MCAS Cherry Point	

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0700			080700	SSgt S. L. FABYUNKEY Drop tr to OIC FMFPac TransFac WESTPac Camp S. D. Butler FFT To nearest MarCorAct CONUS FFT To MCB CamPen	
0700			080700	Cpl F. P. CARLE, LCpl J. CLIPPER & LCpl D. R. PETERS Drop tr to OIC FMFPac TransFac WESTPac Camp S. D. Butler FFT to nearest MarCorAct CONUS	
1000			081000	Sgt G. C. WALLACE Drop tr by sr to Camp S. D. Butler w/sk USNH Guam	
1100			081100	PFC A S. WOJICH Fr sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0855			090855	Cpl J. W. ROSS WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0900			090900	PFC J. J. FREEMAN & GySgt J. B. LEWIS To TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0900			090900	HM2 M. L. GILFIN To TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	
1000			091000	LCpl D. N. AUMOCK, Sgt C. E. FREE & PFC E. M. RAY Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1040			091040	PFC G. L. METRICK WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1200			091200	Sgt T. E. MURPHY To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1310			091310	Sgt J. C. PACHECO & LCpl D. W. BISHOP WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	

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0700			100700	Sgt R L. CHRISTENSEN Drop tr to OIC FMFPac TransFac WESTPac Camp S. D. Butler FFT to nearest MarCorAct CONUS	
0700			100700	Sgt S. AJIFU Drop pro & rpt to OIC FMFPac TransFac WESTPac Camp S. D. Butler FFT to CONUS EDA 11Dec65 FFT to MCRDep SWIEGO	
0800			100800	Capt G. W. HINTZ To TAD Iwakuni, Japan conn w/Air Matters	
0900			100900	Cpl J. R. CAIN, PFC M. E. DESAUTELS & LCpl R. T. THURMOND To TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	
1000			101000	Cpl J. L. BREWER To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1300			101300	LCpl D. KENNER Drop tr by sr w/sk USAFH Clark AFB PI to Camp S. D. Butler for res only	
1300			101300	Cpl D. L. WALKER Drop tr by sr to Camp S. D Butler	
0700			110700	Cpl D J DIAMOND, LCpl J. P. NEWMAN, Pvt D E. ARTMAN, PFC C. A. CHRISTENSON, Cpl R. E. CONLEY, LCpl W. O PETTY, PFC C. D. FLORES, PFC J. J FLORES, Pvt O G. HAINS, PFC C. JOHNSON III, LCpl C. P. EARNEST, PFC J. E. ELLIOTT, Drop tr & pro to OIC FMFPac TransFac WESTPac Camp S. D Butler FFT CONUS	

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1530			111530	HML H J RAUSON Jr. Fr emerg lv CONUS	
0700			120700	PFC H. R. BLOOM, PFC S N. BURGETT, LCpl J E. CAPUTO, Cpl R. A ESCOVEDO, LCpl F. A. FITZGERALD, Cpl G D. HUTCHISON, PFC. J. P JOHNSON, LCpl R. D. KRAUSE, PFC K W. KUENS LCpl J F. KULA, PFC J. F LANE & Cpl A. R. LEFEBER Drop tr to nearest MarCorAct CONUS FFT	
0800			120800	Sgt M. L. LANE Drop tr to Camp S. D. Butler	
1530			121530	LCpl J. L. SPEAKE WIA to sk BAS	
1530			121530	Cpl P. S. RUTH WIANE	
1830			121830	LCpl J L. SPEAKE To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
2115			122115	PFC J. W MERRIT Jr. WIANE	
0700			130700	LCpl V E BAKER Jr. PFC R A BUCK- WALTER, Cpl J. I L CELESTLIN, PFC K. N. JOHNSON, PFC G. S. LOWE, Sgt D C. MESSERLY, LCpl D J PAWETT, PFC L. D. POWELL, PFC D E SHAW, Cpl C BOGDAN, Cpl J. N. MORGAN, LCpl J D. SPENCER, LCpl W B. AICHER, PFC R. W. ALBRIGHT, LCpl R F. BRINK- HAUS, LCpl J M. DONRETY, PFC S. L. MCDANIELS, PFC J. C. MITCHELL, PFC L. E. LARSONS, Cpl A. L. BRAUCH, Cpl J R. RODRIQUEZ & LCpl R. P. SMITH Drop tr to nearest MarCorAct CONUS FFT	

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0730			130730	GySgt R. OL BEBRUN To emerg lv CONUS
0900			130900	Sgt G. F. BAREFIELD, LCpl B. T. BATCHELOR, PFC K. D. HICKMAN & Cpl R. W. VREELAND To TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R
1000			131000	Cpl G. S. CHAMBERLIN Ch loc fr C&C Flt Hosp to USNH Yokosuka
1200			131200	PFC W. M BARRIS To emerg lv CONUS
1230			131230	Pvt D. A. POWELL & LCpl L. B. PULLINS Jd fr SU#2, H&SBn, FMFPac for du
1400			131400	SSgt E. R. DAVIS & SSgt J. E. GOODROW Jd fr HqCo, H&SBn MCRDep PISC for du
0700			140700	Cpl J. G. MCNEELY & LCpl L. MENDOZA Drop tr to OIC FMFPac TransFac WESTPac Camp S. D. Butler FFT to nearest MarCorAct CONUS
0900			140900	Pvt E. R DUNHAM & PFC P W. SHEPHERD Drop tr by sr to Camp S. D. Butler
0900			140900	SSgt E. T. WRIGHT Drop tr by SR to Camp S. D. Butler w/sk USAH Kue
0700			150700	PFC R. W. DAWSON, Cpl P. E. MACKAY, LCpl T. E. MURRAY, PFC L. PAYTON, Cpl W. M PRZYBYLEKI, LCpl E. J. ROBERTSON, Cpl S. L. STRINGFELLOW, LCpl G. J. EZCZECH, PFC P. R. VIGIL, Cpl L. D. WILLOUGHBY, PFC G. W. BROWN, PFC M. T. BROWN, LCpl L. L. COOK, LCpl J. H CULPEPPER, PFC H. L. EDGE, PFC F. FISHER, PFC G. F. FLORES, Pvt K. E. FREDERICK, PFC R. GHILON, LCpl D. R. GREBE, PFC G. W. HAMNER, LCpl J. W.

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0700			150700	JAMSON, PFC E. TEJERINA, PFC M. REIR- WILLER, PFC J. H. WILSON & PFC W. C. WITHERSON Drop tr & pro to OIC FMFPac TransFac WESTPac Camp S. D. Butler FFT to nearest MarCorAct CONUS	
0730			150730	PFC G. G. SCHNITZER Drop KIA	
0900			150900	SSgt R. G. DYER, Cpl TEMPLE & PFC M. W. SHANLY To TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0930			150930	PFC H. F. THOMPSON Jr. To TAD Taiwan conn w/R&R	
1000			151000	LCpl J. C. MARTINEZ, LCpl E. N. SAGINARIO To TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	
1045			151045	PFC J. M. CAVIN, LCpl J. H. HOSTELKA & LCpl J. M. PAUL WIA To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1630			151630	Cpl J. N. CAIN, PFC M. E. DESAUTALS & PFC R. T. THURMOND Fr TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	
1700			151700	LCpl S. A. ANTON Jd fr MB Yokosuka Japan	
0700			160700	LCpl J. R. FIERE, LCpl J. C. GUTOW- SKI, LCpl G. W. JONES, LCpl A. RU- MEZ, LCpl S. HARDEN, PFC B. E. HEU- LER, Cpl A. R. HILL, LCpl R. D. HOLLIS, PFC J. O. LAPANTE, Pvt J. R. LEFEBURE, LCpl T. M. MAKIELSKI, PFC A. R. NELSON, PFC E. A. RANDOLPH, LCpl R. RODRI- QUES, PFC D. C. SCHWERIN, LCpl K. M. THARP, PFC M. C. TYPPE, Cpl R. J. VEDDER, LCpl J. R. WILEY, PFC F. S. WOMER, PFC V. W. BEACH, LCpl D. E. FIREBAUGH, LCpl C. C. GONZALES (condt)	

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0700			160700 PFC D L JENSEN, PFC R LOPEZ, Drop tr to OIC FMFPac Transient Facility West PAC Camp S D Butler FFT to nearest MarCorAct CONUS	
0800			160800 Pvt D E TAYLOR to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0930			160930 PFC R J SHEWMAN to TAD conn w/emerg lv CONUS	
0930			160930 LCpl L W SHAY Jr to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0730			170730 1stLt P G KNOUSE Jr to TAD conn w/emerg lv CONUS	
0730			170730 Cpl J W ROSS Drop tr to Camp S D. Butler	
0930			170930 Sgt G F BAREFIELD, PFC B T BATCHELOR, LCpl K D HICKMAN, fr-TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0930			170930 PFC W R GRIMES WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0930			170930 LCpl J B JONES, SSgt H L KING, Sgt R L SHOEMAKER WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1000			171000 PFC K Y RAFFEAR Jd fr MatBn MGSC Barstow Calif for du	
1100			171100 LCpl D W BISHOP, PFC G L METRICH, Sgt J C PACHECO, Drop tr by SR to Camp S D Butler	
1130			171130 LCpl J M PAUL Fr sk C&C Fld Hosp	

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1200			171200	LCpl J H BOAST, Cpl J A ROBINSON, to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
2100			172100	Cpl T R THEODORE to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0800			180800	PFC D F SULLIVAN NJP imposed under Art 15 USMJ and forfeit of (7) days pay (\$29 00)	
0830			180830	Pvt W L EDWARDS NJP imposed under Art 15 UCMJ and forfeit of (\$20.00) per mo for one mo	
1000			181000	Pvt D W DILL, PFC D D FERRELL, PFC J E HAMILTON, PFC T R LARSON, PFC T R WHITE, Jd fr HqCo 1stMar 1stMarDiv(Rein) FMF for du	
1030			181030	1stLt G M LEWIS to TAD Iwakuni Ja- pan conn w/Air Matters	
1100			181100	LCpl H L FRENCH Jd fr 2dANGLICO for trs FMFLant CamLej N C for du	
1100			181100	Cpl C A JAMES Jd fr CommCo H&SBn 2dFSR FMFLant CamLej N C for du	
1100			181100	Sgt J A LAWRENCE Jd fr 2d155mmBtry ForTrs CamLej N C for du	
0900			190900	LCpl R J BEAVLIET Jd fr 2dANGLICO ForTrs FMFLant CamLej N C for du	
0900			190900	Cpl D M COULDE Jd fr CommCo 8th CommBn ForTrs CamLej N C for du	
0900			190900	PFC T G MAHLER Jd fr CommCo HqBn (REIN) 1stMarDiv(REIN) for du	

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0900		190900	PFC R A VILAEDES Jd fr HqCo 1stMar 1stMarDiv(Rein) FMF for du	
0900		190900	LCpl L J MOORE Jd fr Su#2 HqCo H&SBn FMFPac Okinawa for du	
0900		190900	PFC R L GORDON, PFC R M GREEN, PFC W T TOWE, PFC G W SCOTT II, PFC R R SCHWIET, Jd fr HqCo 1stMar 1stMarDiv(Rein)FMF for du,	
0915		190915	PFC R GONZALES, PFC R P HARPER, PFC M G HERRIMAN, PFC L J ROD- RIGUEZ, PFC D R WALKER, PFC W H WHITE, Jr Jd fr HqCo 1stMar 1stMarDiv (Rein) FMF (forward) for du	
0930		190930	PFC W R GRIMES, Sgt R L SHOEMAKER Fr sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1000		191000	Sgt R C DYER, LCpl M W SHANLY, PFC J W TEMPLE Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1000		191000	LCpl H F THOMPSON Jr fr TAD Taiwan conn w/R&R	
1030		191030	Capt R LLOYD Jr to TAD Hong Kong conn w/R&R	
0800		200800	LCpl D M EVANS Drop tr to Camp S D Butler	
0900		200900	SSgt K W FERREE, Cpl G R POLING, LCpl W J ROBY, HM I R J BLATCH- FORD to TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	

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0800			210800	Capt G W HINTZ Fr TAD Iwakuna Japan conn w/Air Matters	
0830			210830	Cpl K R DRESEL to TAD Tokyo conn w/R&R	
0900			210900	Cpl A CISNERO Jd fr Camp S D Butler for du	
0930			210930	PFC C D RANSEY WIANE	
1300			211300	PFC L F CHRISTMAN Jr Drop tr to Camp S D Butler	
1400			211400	Cpl T R MOLL fr sk C&C Hosp	
1430			211430	Pvt D E TAYLOR fr sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1930			211930	Sgt L L DOWNEY to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0700			220700	LCpl L W SHAY Jr fr sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0730			220730	Sgt T E MURPHY drop tr to Camp S D Butler	
1045			221045	Cpl L H EVERS WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1300			221300	LCpl F GARCIA WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1330			221330	PFC A G PADILLA, PFC J L JOHNSON, PFC D R LANE, Jd fr B1stCo 2dITR MCB CampPen for du	
0930			230930	PFC D L BOSLEY, Pvt E P JOHNSTON, PFC J POWELL Jd fr BIST Co 2ndITR MCB CampPen for du	

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0700			240700	LCpl B E SPARKS Jr, PFC J W WOLT- HUSEN, Cpl W C. YATES to TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
0900			240900	1stLt J C WAISATH Jd fr SU#2 HqCo H&SBn FMFPac Okinawa for du	
0930			240930	SSgt K W FERREE, Cpl G. R POLING, LCpl W J ROBY Fr TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
1535			251535	PFC D F FABEL, PFC G L KASPER WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
0900			260900	PFC R H JUSTIS, PFC J W KANK, PFC R W LEAR, PFC W R MALLY, PFC C R MCHENRY, PFC T J MEEKER, PFC R. A. MITCHELL, PFC LD D NEWTON, PFC M PHILLIPS, PFC J P RAGSDALE, Jd fr HqCo 1stMar 1stMarDiv(Rein) FMF for du	
0930			260930	LCpl J W POSTON Jr., LCpl L. R CARRIGG, to TAD Bangkok conn w/R&R	
1345			261345	HM3 M A ROSSELL Jr. WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1445			261445	1stLt S E CARRIER Jr, Cpl H R STAIR, Cpl M. S WILSON, WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1500			261500	LCpl J B JONES, SSgt H L KING, Drop tr by SR to Camp S D Butler	
1650			261650	LCpl R O STUART WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	

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1700			261700	Cpl R J. DARTT WIA To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1100			271100	Cpl K R. DRESEL fr TAD Tokyo conn w/R&R	
1130			271130	PFC T. C. BATES WIA To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1130			271130	LCpl G. W. FENDER WIA To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1145			271145	LCpl J H HOSTELKA, LCpl J H BOAST, Cpl J A ROBINSON, Drop tr by SR to Camp S D Butler	
1330			271330	Cpl J. H. HINTZ, Cpl D C. LYONS, PFC W A MITCHELL WIA To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1330			271330	PFC T E GREEN Jr., PFC-R J WRIGHT, Drop tr by SR to Camp S D Butler	
1400			271400	PFC J L DREW, drop KIA	
1430			271430	PFC W F BROWN Drop DOW	
0700			280700	Cpl M S WILSON Fr sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1430			281430	PFC J A. CLAUNCH WIA To sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1230			291230	PFC R L JONES, LCpl K R SPIEGEL WIA to sk C&C Fld Hosp	
1230			291230	LCpl F L SEXTON To sk C&C Fld Hosp	

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0830			300830	SSgt S ALBANO Jr , Cpl H L BUR- ROUGHs, Cpl J D CLARK, Cpl D G CLONCH, Cpl J D FELKER, Sgt E M HARTMAN, Cpl J H LANGER III, PFC D G LEDFORD, LCpl W C MARGARIDO Jr , Pvt J R MCQUAIG, Cpl P E MILLER, Cpl J R MORRELL, LCpl V J PONTILLO, PFC F F SCHWESINGER, PFC J A SCOTTI, Cpl J G SERCOVICH, Cpl W R SHY, PFC H N SOMOLOSKI, Cpl C WHIPPLE Jr , Jd fr 3rdReplCo StgBn MCB CamPen	
0800			310800	LCpl J R SALTER, Pvt D E TAYLOR, PFC J K HEALY To TAD Okinawa conn w/R&R	
2400			312400	CLOSED JOURNAL	

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