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

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

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## PART I

## ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

2nd Battalion, 5th Marines	LtCol T. H. HAMLIN 1-31 August 1970
H&S Company	Capt D. O. FORD 1-15 August 1970 Capt R. O. TILLEY 16-31 August 1970
Company E	1stLt C. E. SCHAEFER 1-22 August 1970 Capt D. O. FORD 23-31 August 1970
Company F	Capt R. F. KANE 1-31 August 1970
Company G	Capt M. B. DARLING 1-31 August 1970
Company H	1stLt L. C. VILLALOBOS 1-12 August 1970 Capt J. W. HOFFETT 13-31 August 1970

2. LOCATION

During the month of August the Battalion conducted operations in the normal AO and Operation "Lyon Valley" was conducted outside the AO in the mountains to the southwest of the Arizona. Also, a temporary AO extension was granted which extended the 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines AO's southern boundary to south of Alligator Lake.

3. STAFF OFFICERS

Executive Officer	Maj J. E. MASTERS 1-31 August 1970
Adjutant	WO1 L. CORPUS JR. 1-31 August 1970
Assistant Adjutant	1stLt B. C. STOUT 1-31 August 1970

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S-1 Officer	WO1 A. JORFUS JR. 1-31 August 1970
S-2 Officer	1stLt A. A. WALTERS 1-31 August 1970
S-3 Officer	Maj D. A. HANSON 1-31 August 1970
S-3A Officer	1stLt T. F. MURRAY 1-2 August 1970 1stLt J. W. KOZAK 3-20 August 1970 1stLt C. E. SCHAFFER 23-31 August 1970
S-4 Officer	Capt D. M. HUTSON 1-31 August 1970
S-4A Officer	1stLt S. D. CURBO 1-31 August 1970
Communications Officer	1stLt P. J. MONAGHAN III 1-31 August 1970
Supply Officer	1stLt J. A. BOGUE 1-31 August 1970
Motor Transport Officer	1stLt D. E. DREW 1-18 August 1970 1stLt R. L. EMERICK 19-31 August 1970
Air Liaison Officer	1stLt J. W. BROOKS 1-31 August 1970
Forward Air Controller	1stLt B. D. LAND 1-31 August 1970
Artillery Liaison Officer	1stLt J. F. HOOTZ 1-31 August 1970
Medical Officer	Lt R. J. FAUST (USNR) 1-31 August 1970
Chaplain	Lt J. C. FARROW (USNR) 1-31 August 1970

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<u>USMC</u>		<u>USM</u>	
<u>OFFICERS</u>	<u>ENLISTED</u>	<u>OFFICERS</u>	<u>ENLISTED</u>
35	1114	2	50

5. CHAPLAINa. Sunday Services

(1) Catholic Services. A total of five Sunday Masses were conducted for 2/5 at An Hoa. The chaplain also held 21 masses for the Regiment and attached units. Total attendance was 296 and 186 received communion.

(2) Protestant Services. Five Protestant Services were held for 2/5 at An Hoa by the Regimental Chaplain.

b. Weekday Services

(1) Catholic Services. A total of 28 weekday services were held for 2/5 at An Hoa and for the companies in the field. A total of 425 attended and 222 received communion.

c. Non-Denominational Prayer Services. A total of three services were held at An Hoa by the 2/5 chaplain.

d. Red Cross Cases. During the month of August, seven cases were referred to the Red Cross for action.

e. Counseling Interviews. The 2/5 chaplain interviewed 39 Marines during the month.

f. Memorial Services. During the month of August, three memorial services were held.

g. Hospital and Brig Visitations. There were two visits conducted by the 2/5 chaplain during the month.

## PART II

## NARRATIVE SUMMARY

Activities for August 1970 continued at a low level. The Battalion continued to provide security for Liberty Road and Liberty Bridge Combat Outpost. It assumed the additional responsibility for the defense of the An Hoa Combat Base when the Regimental Command Post moved to Hill 37 on 17 August.

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Company size reconnaissance in Force operations were conducted in the Arizona, Phu Nhuan, Cu Noi and Lo Bac Island areas. Operation "Lyon Valley" was conducted by the Battalion in the Southern Arizona mountains with noteworthy results. In addition a number of tank/infantry operations were conducted with very good results. The Battalion received three standoff rocket attacks during the month, consisting of a total of 17 rockets, with negative casualties or damage. Casualties during the month were due largely to mines and boobytraps. Preventive measures for countering mines and boobytraps were continuously emphasized to combat the persistent mine and boobytrap threat.

## PART III

SEQUENTIAL LISTINGS OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

On 1 and 2 August, 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines (-) (Rein) with maneuver elements consisting of Company Foxtrot and Company Golf, conducted an operation in the Cu Ban and An Tam areas of the eastern area of operations. This operation resulted in the screening of 72 Civilians, four of whom admitted to being local VC, and the capture of assorted documents, medical gear and two SKS Rifles.

On 2 August, a platoon of Company Golf, while sitting in a ambush site, surprised and captured one VC/NVA. The next day the POW showed the platoon the location of two M-16 Rifles.

On 2 August, a patrol from Company Golf initiated contact with one VC/NVA resulting in one VC/NVA KIA.

On 3 August, a platoon of Company Golf, while searching a village in the Cu Ban (3) eastern area of operations, surprised two VC/NVA sleeping in a hootch, resulting in the capture of two POW's, one NVA pack, 30 pounds of rice and one 175mm round.

On 6 and 7 August, 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines (-) (Rein) with maneuver elements consisting of Company Foxtrot and Company Golf were helo-lifted into the eastern Arizona area of operations. The sweeping force was helo-lifted in two waves. During the first wave the Command and Control helicopter located and directed cobra gunship fire on approximately 10 VC/NVA. Company Foxtrot later found three NVA, three VC, and one NVA Nurse hiding in a spider hole complex. Company Golf captured one VC POW during this search. Both companies continued to search the remainder of the day, resulting in the screening of 98 Vietnamese and the destruction of 9 Chinese Communist Grenades, one 500 pound bomb, six boobytraps, 47 spider holes and two tons of corn.

On the night of 6 August at 2200H, in anticipation of possible enemy action directed at Liberty Bridge during the early August high threat

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period, a practice emergency reinforcement of Liberty Bridge, code word "Blackboard," was smoothly conducted utilizing artillery and air support.

On 8 August, the 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines compound received a standoff attack of three 122mm rockets resulting in negative casualties and/or damage. In response to the attack Company Golf was helilifted to three different zones in the southern Arizona area in search of the possible rocket launch sites with negative findings.

On 14 August, Echo Company assumed security of Liberty Road and Hotel Company returned to An Hoa.

From 16 - 24 August, 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines conducted Operation "Lyon Valley". The task organization was Foxtrot Company, Hotel Company and Lima Company, 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines OPCON during the period. The operation was a search and destroy effort in the mountain passes leading South out of the Arizona Area. Foxtrot and Hotel Companies and the Command Group made helolandings into three zones in the south and west of the target area. Lima Company, 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines was landed in the southern Arizona at the base of the mountains to provide a screening and blocking force against which the other units could drive. The companies were tasked with conducting platoon size detailed searches in the area known to be the base camp or main logistical route for the 38th NVA Regiment. Good trails were found along the water sheds. Movement off the trails was extremely difficult due to heavy undergrowth.

Upon insertion light contact was made by Foxtrot Company resulting in two NVA KIA. The Command Post Group had several sightings resulting in one NVA KBA. During the remainder of the operation only one other contact developed with the enemy, resulting in one NVA KIA by Foxtrot Company. During the remaining seven days of the operation the extensive search efforts of the platoons confirmed that the area was a communication-liaison route for a significant NVA element. All trails showed continuous usage, numerous spider holes and bunkers were uncovered and destroyed. Several elaborate and well planned base camps were discovered and destroyed. Also uncovered were several rocket launching sites, antiaircraft positions, and one 12.7mm automatic weapon.

The individual platoons systematically destroyed all bunkers and base areas encountered and discovered that a VC/NVA logistics carrier, because of the extensive trail and base camp network, would never have to spend the night removed from shelter and food.

As forces reached the Arizona Area on 22 August, they helilifted back to An Hoa. Lima Company, returned to the control of 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines. On 23 and 24 August, 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines (-) (Rein) with maneuver elements of Foxtrot and Hotel Companies, conducted a search and clear operation in the southern Arizona to clear the area of Communist forces believed to be staged in the area as a result of the intensified efforts in the mountains.

In a limited zone preped helolandings the Battalion (-) was rapidly inserted and a cordon was quickly placed around the area. Foxtrot

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quickly captured one NVA with an M-16 rifle. Numerous bunkers, spider holes and boats were destroyed as well as a quantity of foodstuffs.

Accumulative results of "Lyon Valley" were:

- 6 NVA KIA
- 1 CSWC
- 7 IWC
- 10 Boobytraps Destroyed
- 7 Miscellaneous Equipment and Clothing
- 13 Base Camps/45 Huts/34 Reinforced Bunkers Destroyed
- 9 Spider Holes
- 6900 Pounds of Foodstuffs
- 38 Chinese Communist Grenades
- 5 Mortar Rounds
- 1 122mm Rocket
- 2 250 pound Bombs
- 2 M-26 Grenades
- 1 Cave

On 26 August, at 0645H the An Hoa Combat Base received a standoff attack of seven 122mm rockets resulting in negative casualties and/or damage.

On 29 August, in response to an intelligence report, Company Foxrot and local Vietnamese Forces, in a combined cordon and search operation, helolifted into Phu Nhaun (2). The village was quickly cordoned by Foxrot Company allowing the Vietnamese District forces to conduct a thorough search. The results were 7 VC/NVA KIA and 4 POW's.

On 29 August, a patrol from H&S Company found and destroyed seven boobytraps with tripwires.

On 30 August, at 0100H Delta Sector of the An Hoa Combat Base received approximately 25 82mm mortar rounds resulting in negative casualties.

On 30 August, at 0115H an NVA unit of approximately 30 men in full uniform attacked the old German Hospital and Buddhist Orphanage area of An Hoa. The attack consisted of a mortar barrage followed by a grenade, demolition and small arms attack resulting in 15 Vietnamese Nationals killed and 51 wounded. Most of the killed and wounded were children from the orphanage. Artillery and Air were called in on likely withdrawal routes. A thorough search of the AO by airborne forces the following morning failed to locate the enemy.

On 31 August, at 0645H the An Hoa Combat Base received a standoff attack of two 122mm rockets resulting in negative casualties and or damage.

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a. Strength. The Battalion strength at the beginning of August was 33 officers and 1110 enlisted. At the end of the month, the strength was 38 officers and 1122 enlisted. During the month, the Battalion joined 13 officers and 190 enlisted and dropped 10 officers and 180 enlisted from the rolls. Casualties sustained by the Battalion during the month of August were as follows:

<u>BATTLE</u>		<u>NON-BATTLE</u>		<u>TOTAL</u>		
<u>KIA</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>DOW</u>	<u>WLANE</u>	<u>NBD</u>	<u>NBC</u>	
5	31	2	9	1	23	71

b. Discipline, Law and Order. During the month, the Battalion Legal Officer processed one Special Courts Martial, six Battalion Office Hours and 12 Company Office Hours. At the end of the period there were eight Special Courts Martial pending, two Marines on Legal Hold and five Marines confined in the III MAF Brig. One Marine was declared as a deserter and one is presently U. A.

c. Postal. Second Battalion, 5th Marines is now handling mail for all attachments at An Hoa. Mail was delivered on a daily basis by convoy. Registered, certified and insured mail as well as money orders were available on Fridays. The Battalion Mail Room has satisfactorily passed all inspections during the month of August with no discrepancies.

d. Awards. The Battalion process 35 awards consisting of nine Bronze Stars, 1 Navy and Marine Corps Medal, 14 Navy Commendation Medals, and 11 Navy Achievement Medals. A total of 22 awards were received and 14 presented while eight were readdressed and forwarded to the individual's duty station.

2. Intelligence

a. Enemy. During the reporting period, contacts have been both friendly and enemy initiated. There have been fifteen enemy initiated contacts and nineteen friendly initiated contacts. Enemy activity has been generally light and scattered and their main concern has been primarily logistical and reconnaissance activity. This month four different Battalion size operations were held, lasting about three to five days. Overall success was experienced by initiating surprise attacks on areas known to be heavily populated with VC/NVA and/or enemy sympathizers. Enemy initiated contacts, for the most part, were with small groups of three to six enemy.

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b. Weather. Comparing this month to last month, rainfall has slightly decreased. The average daytime temperature for the month was 95 degrees and average low of 78 degrees was experienced during the hours of darkness. The weather did not constitute any problems for the tactical maneuvers of the Battalion.

c. Terrain. For the first part of the month the operational areas were primarily lowland rice paddies with patches of high ground covered with treelines and bushes. The terrain encountered during Operation "Lyon Valley" was very rugged with steep rocky mountains and heavy jungle canopy.

### 3. Organization and Operations

a. The following units were attached or detached during the month of August:

- (1) Foxtrot Company was Regimental Reserve from 1 - 7 August.
- (2) One squad from Golf Company was OPCON to 1st Reconnaissance Battalion on Hill 119 from 1 - 15 August.
- (3) One platoon from Foxtrot Company was OPCON to 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines from 6 - 14 August.
- (4) Golf Company became Regimental Reserve from 8 - 11 August.
- (5) Mike Company, 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines, was OPCON to 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines from 10 - 24 August for defense of An Hoa.
- (6) Hotel Company was Regimental Reserve from 14 - 15 August.
- (7) Golf Company (-) was An Hoa defense from 14 - 31 August.
- (8) Lima Company, 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines was OPCON to 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines for Operation "Lyon Valley" from 16 - 22 August.
- (9) One squad from Hotel Company was OPCON to 1st Reconnaissance Battalion on Hill 119 from 28 - 31 August.
- (10) A search and clear operation was conducted by Foxtrot Company on 29 August in the ~~the~~ (2) area. Three platoons from ~~the~~ District Regional Forces participated in this operation with Foxtrot Company.

### b. Supporting Arms

- (1) Tactical Air Support. Air operations for the Battalion

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included a total of 25 close air support missions. Helicopter gunships and aerial observer aircraft supported the Battalion on numerous occasions. Over 1,900 meters of treeline were destroyed along with six structures. A total of 228 bombs, totaling 105½ tons of ordnance, were dropped on targets and resulted in one secondary explosion. Six beach flights were conducted during the month.

(2) Helicopter Support. A total of 87 Marine casualties were evacuated during the month. The average time for emergency evacuation helicopters to arrive was 36 minutes. Priority evacuations averaged 31 minutes and routine evacuations averaged one hour and fifty minutes. Fourteen troop lifts were accomplished during the month.

(3) Artillery and 81mm Mortars. In August, artillery expended 1,054 rounds on 102 fire missions, while 4,016 rounds were expended on intelligence targets. The 81mm mortars expended 6,517 rounds in direct support of Battalion operations.

4. Schools and Training. During the month of August, 97 Marines attended Indoctrination Training. General Military Subjects Training was conducted every Saturday afternoon in the Battalion Rear at An Hoa. Rifle companies, when in the Battalion Rear area, took advantage of low activity periods for further training and indoctrination. Training was conducted in the following subject areas:

a. Training conducted by S-3 at An Hoa

Handling of POW's and Materials	1
Heat Exhaustion	1
Heat Stroke	1
Communication Security	1
Career Planning/Education	1
Unauthorized Possession/Use of Drugs	1
7.62mm Machinegun	1
VD; Prevention and Control	1
Malaria; Prevention and Control	1
CBR Warfare (Radioactive Materials)	1
Fan Firing of T/O Weapons & Weapons Safety	2

b. Training conducted by rifle companies

60mm Mortar Drill	2
Patrols and Ambushes	2
First Aid and Buddy Aid	3
Drug Abuse	2
Care and Cleaning of Individual Weapons	2
Mapping and Compass	3
UCHI	1
Mines and Boobytraps	2

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c. Division and higher level schools attended by members of the Battalion were as follows:

Basic Arms Tech School	2
Basic Infantry Weapons School	1
Career Planning School	1
Embarkation School	1

## 5. Logistics

a. General. During the past month, the Battalion assumed logistical responsibility for the operation of An Hoa Combat Base. Detachments of Shore Party, Marine Air Group 16, Logistics Support Unit FLC, Engineers, and First Motors were assigned to the Battalion in a direct support role. All of the units provided excellent support. Preparation for embarkation continued with emphasis on an overland move via trucks. The equipment on hand remained at 99 percent of authorized allowance.

b. Administration. There were no administration problems during the month.

c. Cantonment Structures. No major construction was required during the month. All normal maintenance was completed.

d. Mess Operations and Facilities. During the month the Battalion messhall assumed responsibility for feeding all personnel assigned to the An Hoa Combat Base. At the end of the month the messhall was feeding 1,200 personnel at each meal.

e. Transportation. The only major problem encountered was the continued lack of 2nd echelon repair parts for the M274. The deadline rate was satisfactory throughout the month.

f. Supply. Battalion Supply continued to provide excellent support. All the required monsoon gear was picked up at FLC and was ready for issue to troops in anticipation of the upcoming monsoon season.

g. Support of Operations. During the month, the section provided support to Operation "Lyon Valley". Two complicated helicopter re-supplies were conducted into ten different landing zones.

h. Medical. The BAS remained at the An Hoa Combat Base this reporting period. No major changes were made in the physical setup of the BAS. Present strength of the BAS is one medical officer, and 48 hospital corpsman.

a. Malaria: There were no cases reported.

b. Veneral Diseases: 17 cases: 17 CC.

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- o. Heat Casualties: There were 15 cases reported.
- d. Rabies: There were two cases reported.
- c. Routine Medical Complaints: Dermatitis - 171, Gastroenteritis - 53, Orthopedic - 59, Ear Disorders - 55, Cellulitis - 55, Eye Disorders - 37, FUO - 12, Miscellaneous Disorders - 197, URI - 34.
- f. Statistics. A total number of 1,351 patients were seen for an average of 44 per day.

## 7. Communications

a. Radio Transmission. For the period 16 - 31 July 1970, negative communication security violations were committed. Backup communications for the DOC was established by erecting a RC-292 and cypher unit with radio in the Message Center Bunker.

b. Wire Communications. This Battalion assumed control of all wire systems on the Base including the Base Defense Wire Net. With help of equipment temporarily loaned from Regiment and 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines, hot lines were run direct to the Foxtrot Sector COC from towers and sector bunkers.

c. Radio Relay. The MRC-62 and TRC-27 radio relay units have given us voice and teletype capabilities direct to Division and Hill 37.

8. Civic Action. All civic action operations in the An Hoc Area were assumed by 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines on 17 August when 5th Marines Command Post moved to Hill 37.

## 9. Statistics for the period.

- a. Through contacts and fire missions 15 VC/NVA were killed.
- b. During the month 32 people were detained and sent to ITT. ITT classified these detainees as 3 VC POW's, 4 NVA POW's, 19 Innocent Civilians, and 6 Civil Defendants.

### c. Weapons Captured

- 4 SKS Rifles
- 1 7.62 Pistol
- 4 AK-47 Rifles
- 3 M-16 Rifles
- 1 12.7 Anti-aircraft Machinegun

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8 Packs  
 1 Cartridge Belt  
 1 Compass  
 30 M-16 Magazines  
 2 Chinese Communist Arty Sights  
 4 Detonating Fuses  
 1 Bear Trap  
 Sleeping Gear  
 Medical Gear  
 Documents

e. Ordnance Captured

4	Primer Rounds	2	250 Pound Bombs
1	122mm Rocket	10	M-26 Grenades
1	155mm Round	4	RCG Rounds
3	82mm Rounds	2	81mm Rounds
11	Claymores	100	M-60 Rounds
2½	Pounds C-4		
500	AK-47 Rounds		
21	Chinese Communist Grenades		

f. Food Caches

3,295 Pounds of Rice  
 9,100 Pounds of Corn  
 130 Pounds of Salt  
 130 Pounds of Tea

g. Boobytraps

Found: 31                      Detonated: 11

## PART IV

## SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

(1. Tab "A" Staff Journal for period 1 through 31 August 1970.

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AN HOA COMBAT BASE, RVN

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010001H August 1970

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TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	
IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0045		2	0030H	Co G23 had movement in front of position.	S, F
	0205	3	0200H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 312000H to 010200H Aug 70.	S, F
0600		4	0600H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0730		5	0730H	Addition to Day Acts for Co G23.	S, F
0740		6	0740H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
	0750	7	0800H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 010200H to 010800H Aug 70.	S, F
	0800	8	0800H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
0820		9	0705H	S-2 detained 62 VN's.	S, F
0945		10	0945H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
1010		11	1010H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1020		12	1025H	Day and Night Acts for Co F.	S, F
1030		13	1030H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
1055		14	0745H	Co F3 found and destroyed 2 boobytraps.	S, F
1050		15	0705H	Co G follow-up: Detainees question. Neg results	S, F
1100		16	0745H	Co F3 tripped 1 81mm B/T. 2 USMC E/E.	S, F
1120		17	1030H	Co F2 detained 10 VN's.	S, F
1125		18	1045H	Co F2B found and destroyed 1 500 lb bomb.	S, F
1155		19	1100H	Co F2C found sewing machine and misc. gear.	S, F
1200		20	1155H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1230		21	1200H	Co F2 found 2 SKS rifles.	S, F
1420	1400	22	1400H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 010800H to 011400H Aug 70.	S, F
1340		23	1300H	Co F2 detained 4 VN's.	S, F
1445		24	1435H	Addition to Day Acts for Co F.	S, F
1430		25	1400H	Co H2 had 1 VN boy killed by VIP Ordnance.	S, F
1555		26	1545H	Co F spotted 2 VC/NVA & fired small arms.	S, F
1620		27	1618H	Request clearance for Co G and F.	S, F
1630		28	1615H	Day and Night Acts for Co G.	S, F
1645		29	1545H	Follow-up: Co F checked area w/negative results	S, F
1825		30	1745H	Co F2 found and destroyed 1 Chicom shape charge	S, F
1825		31	1800H	BnCP found notabook of intel value.	S, F
1833		32	1817H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1844		33	1820H	Night Acts for Co F.	S, F
1900		34	1900H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
1910		35	1905H	Night Acts for Co G.	S, F
	2015	36	2000H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 011400H to 012000H Aug 70.	S, F
2040		37	1900H	Co G33 detained 1 female.	S, F
2050		38	2040H	Co F destroyed 22 bunkers reinforced.	S, F
2300		39	2230H	Co H2C detained 1 male.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period, 78 VN's were de-	
				tained and sightings of the enemy were slight.	
				Co F detonated B/T resulting in 2 E/E. Co F also	
				found 1 500lb bomb blown in place, sewing mach	

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020001H August 1970

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	0208	2	0200H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 012000H to 020200H Aug 70.	S, F
0630		3	0615H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0805		4	0805H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
	0805	5	0800H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 020200H to 020800H Aug 70.	S, F
	0815	6	0820H	To: MT: CP arrived in An Hoa.	S, F
0830		7	0830H	Fr: MT3: Clearance requested for haven.	S, F
0915		8	0915H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
	0910	9	0910H	To: MT: Troop lift for Co G & CP completed.	S, F
0925		10	0925H	5th Mar Sit-Rep.	S, F
	0955	11	0940H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1000		12	1000H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
	1055	13	0945H	To: MT3: Request clearance for haven.	S, F
1000		14	1000H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1115		15	1035H	Co G11 detained 1 VC/NVA.	S, F
1125		16	1000H	Co G33 spotted 3 VC/NVA & fired small arms.	S, F
1210		17	1100H	Co E1C found and destroyed 105mm illum B/T.	SS, F
1200		18	1200H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1215		19	1100H	Co G12 spotted 4 VC/NVA & fired small arms.	S, F
1236		20	1100H	Co G12 found 1 NVA Poncho. (Follow-up)	S, F
1310		21	1030H	Follow-up: Co G11 detained 1 & cap 2 M-16's.	S, F
1340		22	1340H	Fr: MT3: Request clearance for haven.	S, F
	1400	23	1355H	To: MT: Request granted.	S, F
	1430	24	1400H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 020800H to 021400H Aug 70.	S, F
	1500	25	1500H	To: Co G6: Msg on wms and route activities.	S, F
1535		26	1330H	Co G2 killed 1 VC/NVA & cap misc. gear.	S, F
	1600	27	1600H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1600		28	1605H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1635		29	1635H	Day and Night Acts for Co G.	S, F
1930		30	1930H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
1935		31	1935H	Recon request clearance.	S, F
	1949	32	1940H	Request granted.	S, F
2025		33	1955H	Co GCP received 20-40 rds AK fire.	S, F
	2110	34	2000H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 021400H to 022000H Aug 70.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period Co G11 spotted 1 VC/NVA during cordon and search and also captured 2 M-16 rifles and intell information.	
				Co G33 spotted 3 VC/NVA in field and fired small arms w/neg results. Co E1C found and destroyed 1 105mm illum B/T. Co G2 had 1 confirm VC/NVA with pack and gear. Co GCP received 20-40 rds of AK fire & called 81 & arty support.	
		35	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
	0205	2	0200H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 022000H to 030200H Aug 70.	S, F
0610		3	0610H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0730		4	0730H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0750		5	0545H	Co G32 detained 2 with misc. gear.	S, F
	0750	6	0805H	To: Change on TOR for Co G22 Night Act.	S, F
	0825	7	0815H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 030200H to 030800H Aug 70.	S, F
0855		8	0855H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
0950		9	0950H	Day Acts for Co F.	S, F
0940		10	0940H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
0945		11	0945H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
	1030	12	1015H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1055		13	0930H	Position Report for Co G.	S, F
0955		14	0545H	Co G32 detained 1 VN female.	S, F
1200		15	1200H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1215		16	1215H	Day and Night Acts for Co G.	S, F
1245		17	1245H	Change in Day Acts for Co H.	S, F
	1348	18	1340H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 030800H to 031400H Aug 70.	S, F
1535		19	1515H	Co E3B found and destroyed 10 mortar head&fins.	S, F
1555		20	1555H	Day Acts for CAP.	S, F
1550		21	1550H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1600		22	1600H	Dog Report from Co E.	S, F
1820		23	1820H	Day Acts for CAP, RF & PF.	S, F
1930		24	1810H	Co E3A hit 1 105mm B/T. 1 E/E.	S, F
1945		25	1945H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
2000		26	1825H	Co G13 spotted 5 VC/NVA & opened w/small arms.	S, F
	1855	27	1900H	To: TP: Msg on L. R. traffic.	S, F
	2035	28	1935H	To: TP: Msg on plt pos will sent with D/N Acts	S, F
2150		29	2150H	Em: MT3: Msg on recon AO responsibility.	S, F
	0140	30	0140H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 031400H to 032000H Aug 70.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period Co G32 captured 2 VC/NVA w/packs and misc. gear. E3A hit 105mm B/T res in 1 E/E. G13 spotted 5 VC/NVA & fired small arms with negative results.	
		31	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
	0210	2	0200H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 032000H to 040200H Aug 70.	S, F
0610		3	0600H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0710		4	0720H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
	0801	5	0800H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 040200H to 040800H Aug 70.	S, F
0830		6	0854H	PF's working with Co E.	S, F
0825		7	0745H	Co G1 detained 1 VN.	S, F
0855		8	0855H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
0850		9	0850H	Position report for Co G.	S, F
0917		10	0900H	Co F1A had 1 R/E from frag wounds.	S, F
0930		11	0930H	Fm: MT: Msg on Pacifier.	S, F
0955		12	0930H	Co F1 found & destroyed 2 B/T's.	S, F
	1025	13	1015H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1005		14	0955H	Co F1 found and destroyed 1 60mm B/T.	S, F
1020		15	1020H	Forecast of Ops to be in by 1000 dailey.	S, F
1035		16	1035H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
1100		17	1100H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1130		18	1130H	Day and Night Acts for Co G.	S, F
1140		19	1115H	Co F3 had 1 P/E from frag wounds.	S, F
1200		20	1200H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1250		21	2245H	Co GCP found AK rds and misc. gear.	S, F
1400		22	1340H	Co F2 detonated 1 B/T but didn't go off.	S, F
	1430	23	1415H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 040800H to 041400H Aug 70.	S, F
1135		24	1400H	Co F3 destroyed 10 bunkers.	S, F
1520		25	1430H	Co G33 found and destroyed 2 B/T's.	S, F
1525		26	1500H	Co GCP found and destroyed 10 spider holes.	S, F
1600		27	1600H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1600		28	1600H	Dog Report from Co E. Found 3 B/T's.	S, F
	1600	29	1600H	Day and Night Acts to Regt.	S, F
1600		30	1600H	Fox Co in An Hoa.	S, F
	1700	31	1700H	Msg to all units on Frag grenades.	S, F
1830		32	1830H	Day Acts secured.	S, F
1845		33	1845H	Fm: MT: Msg on Investigation.	S, F
	1945	34	1940H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 041400H to 042000H Aug 70.	S, F
1935		35	1935H	Co F Day Acts.	S, F
1945		36	1945H	Fm: MT: OPCON 1 plt to 3/5.	S, F
2220		37	2130H	Co G received 2 lob bombs or arty.	S, F
				SUMMARY: Co GCP found 10 spider holes containing misc gear and spotted 1 VC/NVA and was captured. Co GCP also received 2 lob bombs.	
				Co G33 found AK rds & 1 VN book in spider hole.	
				Co F3 had 1 P/E from from frag grenade. Co F1 found and destroyed 3 B/T's with tripwires.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened	
	0200	2	0200H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 042000H to 050200H Aug 70.	S, F
0608		3	0608H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0705		4	0700H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
	0807	5	0800H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 050200H to 050800H Aug 70.	S, F
0915		6	0915H	Day and Night Acts from Golf Sector.	S, F
	1050	7	1030H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
0915		8	0900H	Fm: MT: Msg on Tank escort.	S, F
1000		9	0745H	Co G1 tripped 1 60mm B/T, 3 E/E.	S, F
0930		10	0835H	Co G3 spotted 2 VC/NVA & fired small arms.	S, F
1030		11	1030H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1040		12	1040H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
1200		13	1200H	Golf Co in An Hoa.	S, F
1138		14	1138H	Msg on Recon insert.	S, F
1200		15	0950H	Co F spotted 2 VC/NVA & opened up with Tanks.	S, F
1200		16	1200H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1310		17	1240H	Co F3B had 1 P/E USMC & killed 1 VC/NVA.	S, F
1340		18	1240H	Co F3B captured 2 Chicom grenades.	S, F
	1400	19	1400H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 050800H to 061400H Aug 70.	S, F
1405		20	1400H	Position report for Co F.	S, F
1440		21	1440H	Fm: MT: Msg on 6 hour Sit-Reps.	S, F
1545		22	1500H	Co F2 found 1000 lbs of rice, 400 lbs ruined.	S, F
1550		23	1534H	Co F2 detained 1 male POW.	S, F
1625		24	1625H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1650		25	1610H	Co E tripped B/T, 2 E/E & 1 P/E, 1 Dog E/E.	S, F
1645		26	1645H	Dog Report from Co E.	S, F
1900		27	1900H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
2110		28	2050H	Co H1A spotted 1 VC/NVA & called 81 mission.	S, F
	2120	29	2112H	To: MT: Msg on helolift of Co G & F.	S, F
	2000	30	2000H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 051400H to 052000H Aug 70.	S, F
0030		31	0030H	An Hoa received 3 mortar rds.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period Co G tripped 1 60mm B/T resulting in 1 P/E, 1 E/E & 1 dog E/E. Also spotted 2 VC/NVA and fired small arms. Co F spotted 2 VC/NVA and fired small arms & Tank fire, Co F3B also had 1 P/E and killed 1 VC/NVA in bunker capturing 3 Chicom grenades. Co F found 1000 lbs of rice but 400 lbs of which was destroyed. Co F2 detained 1 POW and Co E tripped 60mm B/T resulting in 1 P/E, 1 E/E and 1 dog E/E. An Hoa received 3 mortar rds and action was taken.	
		32	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0605		2	0605H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0705		3	0700H	Co H2CP had 1 VN girl WIA from schrapnel wound	S, F
0705		4	0705H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
	0950	5	0850H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
0855		6	0855H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
0910		7	0910H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
0950		8	0950H	1st & 2nd wave of choppers left.	S, F
1005		9	1005H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1037		10	1037H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1147		11	1025H	ST(-) found and destroyed 1 105mm dud round.	S, F
1200		12	0915H	Co G33 detained 1 male with no I.D.	S, F
1155		13	1055H	ST(-), Co G & F detained 98 VN civilians.	S, F
1315		14	1300H	Co G33 found and destroyed 1 500 lb bomb.	S, F
1210		15	1200H	Msg on Recon new insert.	S, F
1500		16	1445H	Change in Night Acts for Co H2A.	S, F
1440		17	1250H	Co F3B detained 7 VN's.	S, F
1515		18	1515H	Night and Day Acts for Co F.	S, F
1620		19	1600H	Night and Day Acts for Co G.	S, F
1710		20	1650H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1750		21	1750H	Dog Report from Co H.	S, F
1810		22	1807H	Dog Report from Co E.	S, F
1825		23	1730H	Co G2 found and destroyed 3 B/T's.	S, F
1930		24	1250H	Follow-up: detained 7 POW's.	S, F
1955		25	1930H	Co F3C detained 3 VC/NVA.	S, F
2255		26	1930H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
2325		27	2305H	Co H1B spotted enemy movement.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period Co F and G along with the jump CP were lifted into the Arizona. They landed approximately at 0910H. During search operations Co F captured 7 VC/NVA and Golf captured one. They were turned over to ITT for questioning. Golf Co found three B/T's which were blown in place. Co F later captured 3 more VC/NVA.	
		28	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0613		2	0613H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0710		3	0710H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
0735		4	061055H	ST, F & G detained 98 VN's.	S, F
	0900	5	0840H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
0910		6	0910H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
0955		7	0955H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
1015		8	1015H	Day and Night Acts for Co F.	S, F
	1105	9	1105H	Request clearance for Co F D/Act.	S, F
1115		10	1115H	Night and Day Acts for Co E.	S, F
1220		11	1215H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1308		12	062305H	Co HLB checked area with negative results.	S, F
1350		13	1350H	Summary 6&7 of ST, G & F Opn.	S, F
1400		14	1330H	Co E had 1 R/E NBC from 5 gal water can.	S, F
1400		15	1320H	Co F2A killed 1 VC/NVA w/pack and asso cloth.	S, F
1540		16	1535H	Fm: MF: 5th Mar cleared extension of haven.	S, F
1545		17	1540H	Fm: MF: 5th Mar cleared Recon insert.	S, F
	1600	18	1600H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1600		19	1545H	Co F3 found and destroyed 2 M-26 B/T's.	S, F
1600		20	1555H	Bridge and Light Report from Co E.	S, F
1600		21	1555H	Dog Report from Co H.	S, F
1715		22	1604H	Co HLB killed 1 VC/NVA w/packs & clothing.	S, F
1730		23	1530H	Change in Day Acts for Co E.	S, F
1745		24	1600H	Co F found and destroyed 7 bunkers rein.	S, F
1910		25	1600H	Co F found 400 lbs of rice and 600 lbs of corn	S, F
2000		26	1955H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
2025		27	2020H	Fm: MF: 5th Mar cleared clearance for haven. $\frac{1}{2}$	S, F
2215		28	2145H	Co F took 15 s/a rds and 2 RPG's from W.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period the jump CP and G Co returned to An Hoa. Co F remained in the area of football island to conduct a sweep. During their day action they killed 1 VC/NVA captured rice and corn and blew 7 bunkers and fraged spider holes. AT 2145H Co F received 10-15 s/a rds and 2 RPG's & Fire missions was called with negative results.	
		29	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0645		2	0645H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0700		3	0700H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
	0830	4	0825H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
	0912	5	0905H	Change in Forecast in Operations.	S, F
0915		6	0915H	Night and Day Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
0930		7	0930H	Night and Day Acts for Co H.	S, F
1010		8	1010H	Night and Day Acts for Co E.	S, F
1100		9	1100H	Night and Day Acts for Co F.	S, F
1140		10	1140H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
	1330	11	1330H	To: E6: Msg on Radio Bn relocation.	S, F
1300		12	1300H	ST CP received 1 122mm Rocket.	S, F
1625		13	1625H	ST CP: 122mm Rocket landed in three dif zones.	S, F
1710		14	1710H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1735		15	1735H	Dog Report from Co H.	S, F
1900		16	1900H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
2000		17	1625H	S-3 spotted 4 boats in Control Aircraft.	S, F
2000		18	1930H	Co HCP spotted VC/NVA carrying lob bomb.	S, F
2040		19	1640H	Co G found and destroyed 1 tunnel along stream.	S, F
2208		20	2130H	Co FCP received 1 175mm lob-bomb.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period, 2/5 CP received 1 122mm Rocket in which landed in three different zones. There were negative casualties reported. S-3 Opn Off spotted 4 boats in the Control Aircraft and destroyed. Co HCP spotted 1 VC/NVA carrying a lob bomb and called fire mission. Co G found and destroyed 1 tunnel along a stream and Co FCP received 1 175 lob-bomb within CP with negative casualties.	
		21	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0705		2	0700H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0730		3	0730H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
	0825	4	0830H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
	0955	5	0835H	To: MT: Change in Forecast of Operations.	S, F
0845		6	0855H	To: ST: 5th Mar cleared Recon insert.	S, F
0905		7	0905H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1105		8	0955H	Co HCP tripped 1 155mm rd. 1 KIA & 3 E/E.	S, F
0925		9	0925H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
0925		10	0905H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
1130		11	1150H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1150		12	1155H	Fm: MT: Change in Recon extraction.	S, F
	1500	13	1450H	To: MT: Change in Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1505		14	1505H	Fm: MT: Cancel frag order 27-70.	S, F
	1545	15	1545H	To: E & H: Intell report from S-2.	S, F
1620		16	1620H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1800		17	1740H	Co H1A received small arms fire. 1 E/E.	S, F
1820		18	1826H	Fm: MT: Recon team has been extracted.	S, F
1815		19	1815H	Fm: MT: Extended duration of recon team.	S, F
1645		20	1645H	Vietnamese working with STB BST.	S, F
	2000	21	2000H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
1040		22	1040H	Weekly Summary of 2/5 170001H - 232400H Aug 70	S, F
2025		23	9Aug70	Msg from 3/5 on Frag Order 28-70.	S, F
2227		24	2227H	AO extension for 3/5 for 11 Aug 70.	S, F
2110		25	1740H	Follow-up: Co H picked up frag and was B/T.	S, F
	2114	26	2045H	To: SB3: Acknowledge AO Extension.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period in the AO Co H received the heaviest action. At 0955H HCP spotted 15 VC/NVA. They called a fire mission and unit fled after the enemy. While doing so elements of the unit tripped a 155mm rd resulting in 1 KIA and 3 E/E. Co H1B also received small arms fire which resulted in 1 E/E. A follow-up from Co H on the B/T incident was received stating that a grenade was picked up by a member of the unit that had been B/T.	
		27	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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0225		2	0231H	Fm: MT: Msg on Recon insert.	S, F
0650		3	0647H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0720		4	0715H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0835		5	0820H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
0900		6	0925H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
	0945	7	0920H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1020		8	1010H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
1200		9	1200H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1200		10	0815H	SLB received 3 sniper rds.	S, F
1300		11	1245H	Co HCB received sniper rds.	S, F
	1410	12	1410H	To: E&H: Msg on Day/Night Acts.	S, F
1600		13	1600H	To: SB/ST: Co M 3/5 OPCON to 2/5.	S, F
1605		14	1600H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1605		15	1605H	Dog Report from CoH.	S, F
2045		16	2025H	Co E61A observed small arms fire.	S, F
2135		17	2040H	Delta Sector received 13 incoming rds.	S, F
2155		18	2025H	Co H2B received 3 RPG's, 1 E/E & 1 R/E.	S, F
	2155	19	2155H	To: MT: Day Acts for 11 Aug cancelled for Co H.	S, F
2235		20	2235H	Fm: MT: Duration of insert.	S, F
2235		21	2235H	Fm: MT3: Recon team been cleared with 5th Mar.	S, F
2400		22	2400H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
				SUMMARY: SLB and Co H received sniper rds and Co M 3/5 was chopped to 2/5. Co E61A observed small arms fire and Delta Sector received 13 incoming rds. Co H2B received 3 RPG'S resulting in 1 E/E and 1 R/E.	
		23	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0640		2	0625H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0750		3	0750H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
	0810	4	0800H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
0835		5	0830H	Day and Night Acts for Co E1.	S, F
0900		6	0900H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
1000		7	1000H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
	1100	8	1100H	To: E1 & H6: Msg on Regional Force Operation.	S, F
1130		9	1130H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1210		10	1200H	Day and Night Acts for Co G.	S, F
1225		11	1200H	Fm: MF: 5th Mar has cleared insert.	S, F
1430		12	1425H	Fm: MT: 5th Mar has cleared 3/5's extension.	S, F
	1555	13	1500H	To: E(1): Msg on 3/5's AO extension.	S, F
1600		14	1555H	Fm: MT: 5th Mar TAOR extension been approved.	S, F
1635		15	1635H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1650		16	1650H	Dog Report, from Co H.	S, F
1720		17	1710H	Change in call signs in Co H.	S, F
1830		18	1830H	5th Mar has cleared Recon insert.	S, F
1852		19	1852H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period there was no significant activity.	
		20	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0650		2	0635H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0730		3	0730H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0845		4	0845H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
	0935	5	0935H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
	0950	6	0957H	Addition to Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1015		7	1015H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
1015		8	0800H	Co E Road Sweep found and destroyed 1 M-79 rd.	S, F
1025		9	0900H	Co G2 tripped 1 M-26 B/T, 1 P/E.	S, F
1150		10	1150H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
1215		11	1225H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1400		12	1400H	Fm: MT: Msg on firing on the Range.	S, F
1406		13	1406H	Fm: MT: Msg on ARVN Operations.	S, F
	1525	14	1525H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1530		15	1530H	Dog Report from Co H.	S, F
1650		16	1615H	Co G2&G3: Tripped B/T. 5 KIA, 15WIA & 2 WIA(M)	S, F
	1703	17	1700H	To: MT: Change in Night Acts for Co G.	S, F
1825		18	1820H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
1830		19	1820H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
2005		20	1955H	Fm: MT: 5th Mar has cleared Recon insert.	S, F
2125		21	2010H	Co H3A received small arms fire.	S, F
2000		22	2000H	Final Report on Golf Co B/T Incident.	S, F
				SUMMARY: Co E road sweep found and destroyed 1 M-79 grenade and Golf 21 tripped 1 M-26 B/T resulting in one P/E, Co G2 & 3 tripped 1 155mm round resulting in 5 KIA, 15 WIA(E) and 2 WIA(M) Medevac was called and completed. Co H3A in night position received small arms fire and called arty mission. Area was checked with negative results.	
		23	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened	
0615		2	0615H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0710		3	0710H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
	0800	4	0755H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
0915		5	0915H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
1145		6	1145H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1205		7	1200H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1255		8	1250H	Day and Night Acts for Co G.	S, F
1345		9	1340H	Info for Co H on Co E Day Acts.	S, F
1500		10	1500H	Co E has set on the Road.	S, F
1550		11	1535H	Fm: MT:Msg on Day/Night Acts being sent.	S, F
	1555	12	1555H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1640		13	1640H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1740		14	1735H	Msg from Co G on strength.	S, F
	1845	15	1840H	To: MT3: Msg concerning Change of Companies.	S, F
1930		16	1930H	Co G1/RF Night Acts.	S, F
2240		17	2240H	Request AO extension from 5th Mar.	S, F
	2313	18	2315H	To: MT3: AO extension approved.	S, F
2350		19	2350H	LATE: All Day Acts secured.	S, T
				SUMMARY: During this period of reporting, the Battalion remained in a low activity status. There were no significant events during this period.	
		20	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0031		2	0001H	Co G had trip flare go off outside perimeter.	S, F
0625		3	0620H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0710		4	0710H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0820		5	0815H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
	1015	6	1010H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1020		7	1020H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1120		8	1115H	Day and Night Acts for Co G.	S, F
	1135	9	1130H	To: MT: Msg on Co H as Ready Reserve.	S, F
1150		10	1145H	Day and Night Acts for Co F.	S, F
1150		11	1150H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1220		12	1220H	Fr: MT: Request clearance for Recon insert.	S, F
1310		13	1310H	Day and Night Acts for H & F Co's.	S, F
1320		14	1320H	VIP Report from S-2.	S, F
1355		15	1355H	Day Acts for 116 RF Co.	S, F
1405		16	1405H	Change in Day Acts for H & F Co's.	S, F
1435		17	1435H	Recon insert frequencies.	S, F
1600		18	1340H	Co G1 observed two secondary explosions.	S, F
1650		19	1650H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1755		20	1740H	Co E16 spotted 2 VC/NVA & fired small arms.	S, F
1830		21	1750H	Co E16 tripped 1 105mm rd B/T. 1 E/E.	S, F
1840		22	1840H	Day Acts secured.	S, F
2050		23	2000H	Co G1 called evac for RF. Possible appendicitis	S, F
2125		24	2000H	Co E1 spotted flashlight in distance.	S, F
				SUMMARY: Co E spotted 2 VC/NVA and opened fire with small arms with negative results. Co E stepped on a 105mm rd resulting in 1 E/E. Co G observed 2 secondary explosions and Co E16 spotted 2 VC/NVA and fired small arms. Co E also spotted a flashlight believed used in signaling.	
		25	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0630		2	0620H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0700		3	0700H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
	0800	4	0730H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
0725		5	0725H	Night and Day Acts for Co G1.	S, F
0900		6	0800H	2/5 MP detained 1 VN male.	S, F
0950		7	0950H	Addition to Day Acts for Co G1.	S, F
1010		8	1010H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1200		9	1200H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1215		10	1215H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
	1520	11	1530H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1600		12	1505H	D Sector received 1 40mm rd.	S, F
1600		13	0800H	Follow-up: 2/5 MP & ITT detained 3 more.	S, F
1640		14	1640H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1810		15	1130H	Co G requests to hold MEDCAP.	S, F
1825		16	1825H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
	1935	17	1935H	MEDCAP request approved.	S, F
				SUMMARY: 2/5 MP & ITT detained 4 VN's trying steal ordnance. "D" Sector received 1 40mm rd but negative fire was returned due to un- visible target. Sightings of the enemy during this period was negative reporting.	
		18	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0615		2	0608H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0720		3	0720H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0855		4	0855H	Bunker Checklist.	S, F
0935		5	0935H	Fm: ST: Msg on lift of choppers from An Hoa.	S, F
1005		6	1005H	Day and Night Acts for Co G1.	S, F
1005		7	1005H	Day and Night Acts for Co F.	S, F
1035		8	1025H	Co H & F Position report.	S, F
	1045	9	1030H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1150		10	0930H	Co F found and destroyed 1 Chicom B/T.	S, F
1220		11	1120H	Co F2C killed 2 VC/NVA w/packs & misc. gear.	S, F
1245		12	1245H	Change in Day Acts for Co G.	S, F
1215		13	1230H	Co G1 spotted 2 VC/NVA & called fire mission.	S, F
1245		14	1245H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1445		15	1300H	ST spotted 1 VC/NVA & fired small arms.	S, F
1500		16	1415H	ST observed 1 VC/NVA KBA.	S, F
1515		17	1445H	ST found and destroyed 2 B/T's.	S, F
1525		18	1515H	Fm: MT: Msg on Recon clearance.	S, F
1525		19	1500H	Co F3 found and destroyed 3 B/T's.	S, F
	1550	20	1550H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1650		21	1650H	FM: ST6: Msg on E6 to ST5 being transferred.	S, F
1655		22	1655H	Fm: G1: Msg on M Co 3/5 at Liberty Bridge.	S, F
1615		23	1615H	CP position report from Co's H & F.	S, F
1730		24	1730H	Fm: ST: CP report for Co's H & F.	S, F
1805		25	1800H	Fm: ST: Msg on L CO landing.	S, F
1815		26	1325H	Co H1 found and destroyed 1 Chicom B/T.	S, F
1815		27	1100H	Co H3/H2 came upon an enemy base camp.	S, F
1828		28	1828H	Co E VIP Report.	S, F
1900		29	1900H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
1920		30	1845H	Day and Night Acts for Co F & E & H1.	S, F
2000		31	2000H	Day and Night Acts for Co L.	S, F
2005		32	2005H	E67 Night Acts cancelled.	S, F
2035		33	1945H	Co H3 destroyed hootches and bunkers.	S, F
2030		34	2030H	AO report for Co L2.	S, F
2205		35	2145H	CP called fire mission on lights seen.	S, F
				SUMMARY: Co F found 1 Chicom Claymore with T/W device. Co F2C killed 2 VC/NVA and ST(-) spotted 1 VC/NVA & fired s/a with negative results.	
				ST(-) observed 3 VC/NVA & called AO resulting in 1 KIA. ST(-) found 2 M-26 B/T's. Co F3 found 3 Chicom B/T's. Co H1 found 1 Chicom B/T.	
				Co H3 found a 2 sqd. size OP occupied before.	
				Co H3 found bunkers which indicated to be an	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0005		2	0005H	Night Bunker Check-List.	S, F
0608		3	0607H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0710		4	0710H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0825		5	0825H	Night Bunker Check-List.	S, F
0905		6	161845H	Follow-up: Co H3 found and destroyed 3 bunkers.	S, F
1015		7	0920H	Co G1 observed ARVN wound 1 VN w/small arms.	S, F
1000		8	1000H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1110		9	1110H	Day and Night Acts for Co G1.	S, F
1115		10	0925H	Co H3 found and destroyed 4 hootches w/gear.	S, F
1115		11	1000H	Co F3/CP: found speed trail.	S, F
	1140	12	1135H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1150		13	0925H	Co H3 found 3 RPG's and 27 M-16 mags w/ammo.	S, F
1225		14	1125H	Co H2 found C-4 and misc US ordnance.	S, F
1235		15	1155H	Co E3CP observed chopper receive 40-50 rds s/a.	S, F
1315		16	1210H	Co H3 found and destroyed 1 250 lb bomb.	S, F
1315		17	1140H	Co F2 had 1 E/E NBC from falling off cliff.	S, F
1315		18	1310H	Day and Night Acts for Co L.	S, F
	1320	19	1310H	To: L2: Msg on shackle.	S, F
1535		20	1520H	Day and Night Acts for EIA.	S, F
1610		21	1605H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1615		22	1610H	Dog Report.	S, F
1815		23	1815H	Day and Night Acts for Co F.	S, F
1930		24	1930H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
1945		25	1940H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
2000		26	1955H	Addition to Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
1900		27	1900H	Co F3 found and destroyed 1 Chicom B/T.	S, F
2045		28	2045H	Night Bunker Check-List.	S, F
				SUMMARY: Co G observe ARVN hit 1 civilian. Co H3 found 1 AK47, 12 Chicoms, 2 81 mm mortars, 5 RPG rds and 27 M-16 mags with rds. Co E2CP observed chopper receive 50 rds of 50 cal fire. Co F2 had 1 NBC E/E resulting from fall off cliff. Co F3 found and destroyed 1 Chicom B/T.	
		29	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0635		2	0830H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0835		3	0830H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0845		4	0845H	Bunker Check-List.	S, F
1015		5	1015H	Day and Night Acts Co G1.	S, F
1105		6	1100H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1250		7	0900H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1155		8	1155H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1255		9	0730H	Co L1CP had 1 NBC R/E from insect bite.	S, F
1300		10	1125H	Co H2 found assemble area recently occupied.	S, F
1215		11	1030H	Co H3 found bedding area recently used.	S, F
1400		12	1340H	Fm: G1: Msg on recon divers on bridge.	S, F
1430		13	1415H	Day and Night Acts for Co L.	S, F
1445		14	1415H	Msg on photographer from CP.	S, F
1500		15	1435H	Fm: Co G1: Msg on RF patrol.	S, F
1505		16	1300H	Co F2 found and destroyed 15 bunkers.	S, F
1535		17	1535H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1605		18	1500H	Position Report from CP.	S, F
	1545	19	1545H	Night and Day Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1856		20	1615H	Co L2 found and destroyed 1 175mm rd.	S, F
2000		21	2000H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
2000		22	2010H	Night Acts for Co F.	S, F
2030		23	2030H	Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
2045		24	2045H	Night Acts for Co L2.	S, F
2100		25	1945H	Co E23(-) spotted 3 VC/NVA w/wms.	S, F
2200		26	2141H	Co E22 received automatic s/a fire.	S, F
				SUMMARY: CP had 1 NBC P/E resulting from insect bite. Co H2 found possible VC/NVA assembly area. Co F2 found 15 bunkers and E23 spotted 3 VC/NVA at Phu Loc (6) and fired small arms with negative results.	
		27	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0000H	Journal Opened.	
0545		2	0545H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0645		3	0645H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0705		4	0705H	Night Bunker Check List.	S, F
0910		5	0910H	116 RF Co Patrol routes.	S, F
1015		6	1015H	Day Bunker Check List.	S, F
	1020	7	1015H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1040		8	0945H	Co F2 had 1 E/E from cutting his knee. NBC.	S, F
1100		9	1100H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1130		10	0930H	Co F3 found VC/NVA base camp.	S, F
1200		11	1200H	Day and Night Acts for Co L.	S, F
1220		12	1220H	Position reports for Co's in Operations.	S, F
1230		13	1215H	Night Acts for Co G.	S, F
1240		14	0930H	Co G11 Road Sweep found and destroyed 1 B/T.	S, F
1240		15	1100H	Co G1 had 3 RF's wounded from 1 105mm B/T.	S, F
1250		16	1230H	Tanks will move to Co E position.	S, F
1310		17	1305H	Msg on Day and Night Acts for RF's.	S, F
1330		18	1300H	Co E1D found and destroyed 1 81mm illum B/T.	S, F
1420		19	1300H	Co F1 found and destroyed 5 bunkers.	S, F
1430		20	1240H	Co L13 found 1 AK-47, foodstuffs & misc gear.	S, F
1445		21	1330H	Co E1D found and destroyed 2 box B/T's.	S, F
1430		22	0930H	Co F3 follow-up: found misc ordnance.	S, F
1525		23	0930H	Co F3 found and destroyed 1500 lbs foodstuffs.	S, F
1610		24	1240H	Co F2 killed 1 VC/NVA with packs and grenades.	S, F
1620		25	1620H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1630		26	1615H	Dog Report from Co G1.	S, F
1500		27	1500H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1850		28	1400H	Co H2 had 1 heat cas. E/E NBC.	S, F
1850		29	1850H	Night Acts for Co F.	S, F
1855		30	1855H	Change in Day Acts for Co L.	S, F
1815		31	1415H	Co H1 found and destroyed 11 bunkers & ordnance	S, F
1930		32	1930H	Day Acts for Co H.	S, F
1935		33	1935H	Change in Night Acts for Co L.	S, F
1940		34	1940H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
1955		35	1955H	Bunker Check List.	S, F
				SUMMARY: Opn Lyon Valley continued w/Co F3 finding base camp with, clothing, food and various bunkers. They also found ordnance and related materials. Co F3 also spotted 6 VC/NVA and had 1 confirm w/packs and 8 Chicoms. Co H1 found and destroyed 11 bunkers and 1 rocket warhead.	
		36	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0615		2	0615H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0730		3	0735H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0755		4	0755H	Day Bunker Check List.	S, F
	0900	5	0835H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
0907		6	0907H	Day Acts for 116 RF Co.	S, F
1000		7	1000H	Co H LZ sites.	S, F
1005		8	1005H	Day and Night Acts for Co L.	S, F
1010		9	1010H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1010		10	0805H	Co L32 found living area and 1 bear trap.	S, F
1045		11	1045H	Co G requests all Day Acts for 3/5.	S, F
1000		12	1000H	Msg on AO extension.	S, F
1030		13	1030H	Day and Night Acts for Co G1.	S, F
1200		14	1200H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1235		15	1030H	Co H1B found 6 wooden A-Frames & cooking pot.	S, F
1340		16	1330H	Recon clearance for BIG FLOWER.	S, F
1340		17	1340H	Position Report for Co F.	S, F
1420		18	1255H	Co L31 found & destroyed 8 bunkers & 3 RPG rds.	S, F
1615		19	1610H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
	1645	20	1640H	Dog Report sent to Regt.	S, F
1645		21	1640H	VIP Report from Co E.	S, F
	1645	22	1645H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1900		23	1900H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
1835		24	1500H	Co H2 found cave w/misc. gear, clothing & Ord.	S, F
2045		25	2045H	Day and Night Acts for Co F.	S, F
2100		26	2100H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
2115		27	2040H	Co F1A heard movement.	S, F
2200		28	2130H	Duc Duc District received 1 lob bomb.	S, F
2340		29	1845H	Co F3 had 1 man with hypervent & went in shock	S, F
				SUMMARY: Operation Lyon Valley continued with all units moving towards final objective. Co E L & F found various camp sites caves and bunkers indicating usage by VC/NVA. Asso ordnance ammunition, foodstuffs and clothing and asso gear were found. Bunkers and ammunition were destroyed.	
		30	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
	0202	2	0200H	Change in Day Acts for Co G21.	S, F
0615		3	0615H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0740		4	0740H	Night And Day Acts for Co G.	S, F
0745		5	0745H	Bunker Check List.	S, F
0810		6	0810H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
	0815	7	0825H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
0825		8	0825H	Fm: R3: Msg on AO entry.	S, F
0955		9	0955H	Night and Day Acts for Co E.	S, F
1005		10	0700H	Co L33 found and destroyed 2 250 lb lob bombs.	S, F
1040		11	1040H	Fm: R3: Chop OPCON of 3/5 to 3/5.	S, F
1040		12	0940H	Co F3 found 1 fresh grave.	S, F
1045		13	1045H	RF Day Acts.	S, F
1055		14	1055H	Co L Night Acts.	S, F
1135		15	201245H	Follow-up: Co L33 destroyed 7 bunkers.	S, F
1140		16	1045H	Co F3 found 9 bunkers.	S, F
1142		17	202040H	Co F1 Follow-up: Check area, negative results.	S, F
1200		18	1200H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1215		19	1130H	Co F1 destroyed 1 hootch.	S, F
1350		20	1345H	Co F1 found 2 SKS's, 1 .50 cal MG & Chicoms.	S, F
1535		21	1535H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
	1540	22	1540H	Night and Day Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1615		23	1615H	Night Acts for RF 116 Co.	S, F
1735		24	1735H	VIP Report from Co E.	S, F
1915		25	1915H	Day Acts secured.	S, F
2105		26	2105H	Night Bunker Check List.	S, F
2155		27	2155H	Night Acts for Co F.	S, F
2155		28	2155H	Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
2220		29	2215H	Cancel Night Acts for Co L.	S, F
2020		30	2215H	Position Report for CB.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period, Co L found and destroyed 2 250 lb lob bombs. OPCON of L 3/5 back to 3/5 was reported at 1040H. Co L also destroyed 9 bunkers. Co F3 found 9 bunkers, 1 hootch, 2 SKS's, 1 .50 Cal MG, and numerous Chicom grenades.	
		31	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0635		2	0635H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0640		3	0640H	Fm: R: Msg on coordination of patrols w/CAP.	S, F
0645		4	0645H	Day and Night Acts for Co G.	S, F
0750		5	0655H	Bunker Check List.	S, F
0755		6	0755H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
1009		7	1005H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
		8		NO ENTRY	
1040		9	1010H	Fm: R3: 3/5 will be conducting Pacifier.	S, F
1040		10	0845H	Co F2 had 1 NBC P/E from dud M-26 rd.	S, F
1535		11	1510H	Co E1 had 2 VN children E/E from VIP Ordnance.	S, F
1610		12	1610H	CP located in An Hoa.	S, F
	1650	13	1630H	Day Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1645		14	1645H	VIP Report from Co E.	S, F
1700		15	1700H	Dog Report from Co E.	S, F
1715		16	1712H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1740		17	1740H	All units-CP, F, H in An Hoa.	S, F
1745		18	1745H	Fm: R: 5th Mar has cleared Recon insert.	S, F
1825		19	1825H	Night Bunker Check List.	S, F
1915		20	1915H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
2120		21	2120H	Fm: R: 5th Marines has cleared Recon inserts.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period Co F2 had 1 NBC P/E from M-26 grenade (dud). Co E1 had 2 VN children E/E from VIP Ordnance (M-79). All units returning from operation Lyon Valley have staged in An Hoa.	S
		22	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	
IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0650		2	0550H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0750		3	0750H	Day and Night Acts for Co G1.	S, F
0900		4	0900H	All Night Acts secure.	S, F
0945		5	0930H	Position Report for CP(-).	S, F
0955		6	0915H	Co E3 observed chopper crash. 2 ARMY KIA & 1E/E	S, F
1010		7	1010H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1045		8	0900H	Co F3 captured 1 detainee & 1 M-16, 2 M-26's.	S, F
1115		9	0945H	Co F2B found and destroyed 1 60mm B/T.	S, F
1120		10	1025H	S-2 found and destroyed 2 B/T's.	S, F
1125		11	1120H	Pos Report for CP, F & H Co's.	S, F
1130		12	1030H	Co F3 found and destroyed 1 B/T.	S, F
1145		13	0750H	Co E3A detained 2 females & 50 lbs of rice.	S, F
1200		14	1200H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1255		15	1255H	Day Acts for Co F1C.	S, F
1300		16	0945H	VIP Report from Co E.	S, F
1300		17	1300H	Day Act for Co H32.	S, F
1340		18	1320H	Co F detained 12 with negative results.	S, F
1300		19	1300H	Night Acts for Co F.	S, F
1420		20	1340H	Co H1 captured 1 9mm pistol & 1 NVA canteen.	S, F
1510		21	1510H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
1530		22	1520H	CP(-) found and destroyed 1 B/T.	S, F
1454		23	1545H	Change in Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1610		24	1520H	Co F3B found and destroyed 1 82mm B/T.	S, F
1630		25	1645H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1655		26	1555H	Co H2C found and destroyed 1 Chicom B/T.	S, mF
1745		27	1500H	Co H32 found captured 3 boats.	S, F
1800		28	1515H	Co F1C searching for 2 VC/NVA KIA's. Neg res.	S, F
1830		29	1830H	Day Acts for Co G/Tank patrol	S, F
1915		30	1915H	Sit-Rep from B-55 FOB.	S, F
1916		31	1835H	Co E1 found 1 dead VN woman in river.	S, F
1916		32	1916H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
2045		33	2005H	Day Acts for Co G3.	S, F
2015		34	2015H	Night Bunker Check List.	S, F
1955		35	1955H	Co F2B heard movement while in night position.	S, F
2120		36	2120H	Sit-Rep from B-55 FOB An Hoa.	S, F
	1630	37	1630H	Late Entry: Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
2330		38	2330H	Em: R: 5th Mar has cleared Recon insert.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period Co E observed an helo crash resulting in 2 ARMY KIA and 1 USMC E/E. Co E also detained 2 females, 50lbs of rice and Co F captured 1 with 2 M-26's, 1 M-16 and 3 B/T's. CP found 3 B/T's and Co H found	



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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0355		2	0300H	Cond III Alert Notice. Resume normal Cond III.	S, F
0550		3	0550H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0730		4	0730H	Day and Night Acts for Co G.	S, F
0730		5	0730H	Intell Report from 1st Mar Div.	S, F
0740		6	0740H	Night Acts secured.	S, F
0755		7	0755H	Banker Check List.	S, F
0845		8	0845H	Fm: R: Msg on lift of 3/5 to Hill 37.	S, F
	0927	9	0923H	CP returned to An Hoa.	S, F
1035		10	1035H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
	1115	11	1115H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1130		12	1130H	Co H & F back in An Hoa.	S, F
1210		13	1210H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1515		14	1515H	Night and Day Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1610		15	1610H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1612		16	1612H	Dog Report from Co E.	S, F
1740		17	1740H	VIP Report from Co E.	S, F
1820		18	1820H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
1923		19	1923H	Fm: G1: Msg on visiting of Bridge by 5th Mar.	S, F
2030		20	2030H	SUMMARY: During this period Intell Rep indicated condition III. M3/5 returned to Hill 65. CP collected 3 M-79 rds, 3 M-79 HE rds, 2 M-79 BH and 1 .50 cal rd. Ordnance was paid with "C" Rations. Col JUDGE and SgtMaj visited L.B.	
		21	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				S	F
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.		
0620		2	0620H	Bridge and Light Report.	S	F
0645		3	0645H	All Night Acts secured.	S	F
0740		4	0740H	Day Bunker Check List.	S	F
0815		5	0815H	Night and Day Acts for Co G1.	S	F
0925		6	0925H	Night and Day Acts for Golf Sector.	S	F
0950		7	0950H	Emt R: Msg on securing Cond III.	S	F
	1015	8	1005H	Forecast of Operations.	S	F
1020		9	1020H	Night and Day Acts for Co E.	S	F
1210		10	1210H	Co H Night movement.	S	F
1235		11	1230H	Bridge and Light Report.	S	F
1515		12	1515H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S	F
1730		13	1730H	Bridge and Light Report.	S	F
1730		14	1730H	Dog Report from Co E.	S	F
1730		15	1730H	VIP Report from Co E.	S	F
1830		16	1700H	Co E84 detained 1 60 yr old male.	S	F
1900		17	1900H	All Day Acts secured.	S	F
1935		18	1935H	Day Bunker Check List.	S	F
2150		19	2150H	Frag O Elections.	S	F
2255		20	2255H	Frag O on VR Birds.	S	F
				SUMMARY: During this period, the Bn received word on securing the Cond III Alert. Co E detained 1 60 yr old male with no ID Card. Received Frag O Election for the VN's, and also received Frag O on VR Birds.		
		21	2400H	Journal Closed.		

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0600		2	0600H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0700		3	0700H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0715		4	0715H	New Day Acts for Co G11.	S, F
1035		5	1035H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
	1100	6	1100H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
0830		7	0645H	An Hoa Combat Base received 7 incoming rds.	S, F
1210		8	1210H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1450		9	1450H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
1450		10	0645H	Follow-up: Crater analysis resulted 122mm rok.	S, F
1500		11	1450H	Co E1C had 2 P/E from enemy attack on OP.	S, F
	1550	12	1550H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1600		13	1600H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1550		14	1550H	Dog Report from Co E.	S, F
1750		15	1745H	VIP Report from Co E.	S, F
1800		16	1800H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
1920		17	1920H	Night Bunker Check List.	S, F
1940		18	1450H	Interm Spot: Bunker #1 detained 7 VN civilians	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period An Hoa Combat Base received 7 incoming rds believed to be 122mm rockets. Co E1C OP was attacked by VC/NVA with grenades and chicoms which resulted in 2 P/E USMC.	
		19	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	
IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0600		2	0600H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0810		3	0800H	Co H1A captured 8 US canteens, covers & utility	S, F
0810		4	0810H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0845		5	0845H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
	0915	6	0900H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
0900		7	0830H	Co G12 found and destroyed 4 M-79 rds.	S, F
0955		8	0955H	Day and Night Acts for Co G1.	S, F
1020		9	1020H	Day Acts for Co F Road Sweep.	S, F
1040		10	1040H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1215		11	1215H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1215		12	1215H	Change in Day Acts for Co H.	S, F
1340		13	1315H	Co H1 found and destroyed 1 B/T canister.	S, F
	1412	14	1400H	6 hour Sit-Rep from 270800H to 271400H Aug 70.	S, F
	1425	15	1415H	To: R3: Msg on Cordon/Search of Le Nam.	S, F
1445		16	1445H	Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
	1430	17	1430H	To: E6: Co E assumes control of Liberty Bridge	S, F
1520		18	1520H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
	1530	19	1530H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1555		20	1555H	Dog Report from Co E.	S, F
	1555	21	1555H	To E6: Msg on bulldozer to arrive Co E pos.	S, F
1710		22	1710H	VIP Report from Co E.	S, F
1900		23	1900H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
2040		24	1900H	Co HCP found and destroyed 2 box mines.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period, Co H1A spotted 4-5 VC/NVA & fired s/a with neg results, and also captured 8 US canteens, covers & utilities	
				Co G12 found and destroyed 4 M-79 rds and Co H	
				found and destroyed 1 B/T canister filled with C-4. Co HCP found and destroyed 2 box mines	
				found in spider hole.	
		25	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	
IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0150		2	0150H	FM: R3: Msg on CATAWBY FALL OPN AG approved.	S, F
0020		3	0020H	Duc Duc District rpt 2 VN killed by incoming.	S, F
0502		4	0552H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0720		5	0720H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0730		6	0730H	Day Bunker Check List.	S, F
0735		7	0730H	Day Acts for Co H for 28 Aug 70.	S, F
0800		8	0640H	Co H/C found and destroyed 1 81mm illum B/T.	S, F
0820		9	0820H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
	1150	10	0900H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1025		11	1025H	5th Mar has cleared Recon Insert.	S, F
1030		12	1030H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1115		13	1115H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
	1535	14	1535H	Night and Day Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1545		15	1545H	Dog Report from Co E.	S, F
1605		16	1605H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1700		17	1615H	Co H2 had one man w/heat exh. E/E.	S, F
1715		18	1705H	Duc Duc District Night Acts.	S, F
1706		19	1706H	Correction to 24hr. Sit Rep.	S, F
1855		20	1855H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
1900		21	1730H	Co E CP brought in VIP Ordnance to CP.	S, F
1930		22	1930H	Change in Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
2015		23	1615H	Co H had 3 heat cas & 1 dog.	S, F
2010		24	2000H	Night Bunker Check List.	S, F
	2030	25	2025H	To: R3A: Msg on Opn "Katawa Falls".	S, F
2050		26	1900H	Co E52 received small arms fire.	S, F
2120		27	1945H	Change in Night Acts for Co E27.	S, F
2325		28	2315H	EC70: received 5 incoming grenades. Neg cas.	S, F
	1830	29	290940H	Late Entry: Co H sent Frag Order 27-70.	S, F
				Co H acknowledges msg 290940H	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period Duc Duc District had 2 VN killed by incoming rds. Co H found and destroyed 1 81mm illum B/T and had a total of 4 USMC heat cas & one dog. Co E52 received small arms fire and EC70 received 5 incoming grenades. Msg was sent to Regt on Opn Katawa Falls. Co H was sent Frag Order 27-70 and acknowledge receipt of msg.	
		30	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0640		2	0640H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0740		3	0740H	Day Bunker Check List.	S, F
0730		4	282315H	Follow-up: Check area and found 5 holes.	S, F
0835		5	0835H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
0845		6	0845H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
0850		7	0850H	Co F killed 5 VC, det 1, had 2 R/E & cap gear.	S, F
0905		8	1900H	Co E52 captured ordnance and US canteen.	S, F
1005		9	0850H	Follow-up: Co F detained 3 more VC/NVA,	S, F
0925	1023	10	0925H	To: R3: E5 is aboard the Sanctuary.	S, F
	1048	11	1030H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
1050		12	0630H	Co F killed 2 VC/NVA with small arms.	S, F
1150		13	1150H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1156		14	1115H	Co H1A had 1 suffer heat exhaustion.	S, F
1225		15	1220H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1258		16	1258H	Em: R3: Frag Order 31-70.	S, F
1300		17	1300H	Em: R3: Alert Condition Msg.	S, F
1307		18	1307H	Y6 sent message of Condition Alert to E6.	S, F
1240		19	1240H	Day and Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
	1520	20	1500H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1500		21	1345H	Co H1A found and destroyed 1 bunker w/gear.	S, F
1200		22	1200H	Night Acts for Duc Duc.	S, F
1640		23	1615H	Co E43 found and destroyed 2 B/T's.	S, F
1630		24	1630H	Dog Report from Co E.	S, F
1720		25	1710H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1835		26	1835H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
1845		27	0630H	Follow-up: Checking area with negative results	S, F
1900		28	1900H	Co E had children bring in VIP Ordnance.	S, F
2005		29	2005H	Night Bunker Check List.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period, Co F with Duc Duc District Forces killed 7 VC/NVA, detained 1 and had 2 friendly R/E along capturing gear and numerous ordnance. Co H1A had 1 E/E suffer from heat exhaustion. At 1300H, 2/5 received and acknowledged an Alert Condition Message. Also received was Frag Order 31-70 from Regt'1 S-3. Co H1A found and destroyed 1 bunker with misc gear and Co E43 found and destroyed 2 B/T. Co E received VIP Ordnance from VN children.	
		30	2400H	Journal Closed.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0006		2	292350H	Co G had movement and fired 1 M-79 rd.	S, F
1541Z		3	1541Z	5th Mar has cleared Recon Insert.	S, F
1558Z		4	1558Z	5th Mar requests report on injured man.	S, F
0150		5	0100H	"D" Sec rec 25 82mm rds with negative cas.	S, F
0520		6	0115H	2/5 COC reports German Hospital attack by NVA.	S, F
0630		7	0630H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0730		8	0730H	Day and Night Acts secured.	S, F
0845		9	0200H	Co F1 had man bit by insect. Minor evac.	S, F
1005		10	0800H	2/5 CP: The 3 & 6 went on VR.	S, F
1025		11	1025H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1040		12	1040H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
1220		13	1220H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1315		14	1251H	5th Mar has cleared Recon insert.	S, F
	1253	15	1253H	To: R3: Request AO extension.	S, F
1320		16	1310H	Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
1455		17	1300H	Co H1 found and destroyed 2 61mm rds in grass.	S, F
1500		18	1500H	5th Mar Sit-Rep.	S, F
	1515	19	1445H	To: R3: CP back in An Hoa.	S, F
1525		20	1525H	Day Acts for Co H.	S, F
1600		21	1545H	Dog Report from Co E.	S, F
1600		22	1600H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
	1630	23	1600H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1700		24	1700H	5th Mar has cleared Recon insert.	S, F
1705		25	0100H	Co E3A found 1 dud 155mm rd west of LP.	S, F
1810		26	1810H	To R3: Task Org for Opn "Catawaba Falls".	S, F
1930		27	1930H	Day Acts secured.	S, F
2007		28	2007H	Addition to Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
2000		29	1900H	Night Bunker Check List.	S, F
2050		30	1940H	Co E38 spotted 1 VC/NVA and fired small arms.	S, F
	2107	31	2107H	To: R3: Msg on POW captured by Co F.	S, F
2154		32	2150H	Change in Night Acts for Co H.	S, F
2225		33	1815H	Co HCP spotted 2 VC/NVA & called fire mission.	S, F
2225		34	1845H	Co H3 spotted 2 VC/NVA & fired small arms.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period Co G detected movement and fired 1 M-79 with neg res. D Sec rec 25 81mm rds with neg cas. Attack on orange resulted in 15 KIA, 45 WIA and 27 E/E. Co F1 had man bitten by insect and was evac. Co H1 found and destroyed 2 61mm rds and Co E3A found 1 dud 155mm rd. Co E38 spotted 1 VC/NVA with rifle fired small arms with neg res. Co H spotted 2 VC/NVA and called in fire mission.	

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IN	OUT				
		1	0001H	Journal Opened.	
0650		2	0650H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
0740		3	0740H	All Night Acts secured.	S, F
0725		4	0655H	D Sector received 2 122mm rockets.	S, F
0810		5	0800H	Range Sweep reports negative findings.	S, F
0840		6	0745H	Msg to R1/4 on request for gunship.	S, F
0850		7	0705H	Co E2 found and destroyed 1 M-33 B/T.	S, F
0850		8	0805H	Co E1 Road Sweep found and destroyed 1 box mine	S, F
0910		9	0910H	Msg on Golf Sector permanent ambush site.	S, F
0845		10	0830H	To: R1/4: Msg on enemy targets.	S, F
0925		11	0925H	Msg on Staff meeting.	S, F
	0845	12	0845H	To: R1/4: Request helo for FC6 to LZ Baldy.	S, F
	0950	13	0940H	To: RWO: Msg on POW captured by Co F.	S, F
1040		14	1040H	Day and Night Acts for Golf Sector.	S, F
	1056	15	1050H	To: R1/4: Request 2 CH-46's.	S, F
1018		16	1010H	Forecast of Operations.	S, F
	1106	17	1106H	To: E6: Msg on daily OP Sites.	S, F
1050		18	0935H	Golf Sector found and destroyed 7 B/T.	S, F
1050		19	0800H	Golf Sector detained 1 VN male.	S, F
1155		20	1135H	Day and Night Acts for Co E.	S, F
1200		21	1105H	Co H2A searched village with negative results.	S, F
1205		22	1100H	Co HCP had one man with malaria.	S, F
1230		23	1230H	Weekly Plans Summary.	S, F
1250		24	1200H	Co H1C found and destroyed 2 81mm B/T's.	S, F
1256		25	1256H	Addition to Day Acts for Co H.	S, F
1215		26	1215H	Night and Day Acts for Co H.	S, F
1440		27	1440H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1545		28	0800H	Follow-up: VN detained by Golf Sector was a PT	S, F
1545		29	1545H	Bridge and Light Report.	S, F
1550		30	1550H	Dog Report from Co E.	S, F
	1515	31	1515H	Day and Night Acts sent to Regt.	S, F
1740		32	0935H	5th Mar has cleared Recon Insert.	S, F
1825		33	1805H	Change in TOR and TOD of nite act for Co H.	S, F
1800		34	0940H	Correction to Sit-Rep.	S, F
1900		35	1900H	All Day Acts secured.	S, F
2000		36	2000H	Night Punker Check List.	S, F
2045		37	1755H	Co H3 had explosion by burning grass. 81mm rd.	S, F
2050		38	1900H	Co HCP observed 4 suspicious males.	S, F
2100		39	1925H	Co HCP observed light in rice paddies.	S, F
2115		40	2045H	Forecast of Operations from 5th Mar.	S, F
2125		41	1205H	Follow-up: Co H had KCS question suspects.	S, F
2325		42	2000H	F Sector observed 1 VC/NVA & fired 1 M-79.	S, F
2330		43	2340H	D Sector received 1 incoming rd.	S, F

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TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	S, F
IN	OUT				
0023		44	2340H	Co E3 observed 1 HE air burst.	S, F
0025		45	2330H	LP observed 3 VC/NVA received 5-6 rds s/a.	S, F
				SUMMARY: During this period at 0655H on 31 Aug An Hoa received 2 122mm rockets. No casualties were incurred. At 0705H the Co E2 OP found 1 M-33 B/T blown in place. The road sweep found and destroyed 1 box mine. A late spot report from Golf Sector indicated that an old man led them to a B/T. While blowing the first 7 additional B/T's were found. All were blown in place with neg casualties. At 1200 Co H1C found and destroyed 2 81mm illum B/T's. Several sitings were made outside the perimeter of 2/5 and "F" Sector. The first by Bunker #2 and the second by the LP. In both instances the enemy were fired upon. This morning the area was thoroughly checked out and a spot of blood was found. The search also produced 3 suspected B/T markers. At 2340H Co E took one air burst which was suspected to be a lob bomb.	
		46	2400H	Journal closed.	