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DAILY INTERNAL INFO SUMMARY 11-21

SIXTEEN WERE KNOWN DEAD AND NINE OTHERS WERE STILL MISSING FRIDAY NIGHT AS A RESULT OF THE EARLY MORNING EXPLOSION BETWEEN THE PONTOONS AND HULL OF WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

ANOTHER 22 WERE WOUNDED IN THE SUSPECTED BOMBING IN WHAT WOULD BE AMONG THE MOST COSTLY NAVAL CASUALTIES OF THE WAR. THE EXPLOSIONS AT 3:22 A.M. OPENED TWO HOLES IN THE STARBOARD SIDE AT THE WATERLINE. BOTH MORE THAN 30 FEET IN DIAMETER. A FIRST CLASS PETTY OFFICERS' COMPARTMENT AND AN ARMY BUNKROOM WERE THE HARDEST HIT, BUT THERE WERE ALSO CASUALTIES ON THE PONTOON AND ON PIV DIV III BOATS TIED UP ALONGSIDE.

ALTHOUGH THE SHIP BEGAN TAKING ON WATER, THE RAPID REACTION OF DAMAGE CONTROL PARTIES QUICKLY CONTROLLED THE FLOODING AND THE SHIP

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AS NEVER IN DANGER OF SINKING.

THE WOUNDED WERE PUSHED BY ASSAULT BOAT TO THE BENEWAH DURING THE
EARLY MORNING HOURS AND THE MORE SERIOUSLY INJURED WERE FLOWN TO THE
ARMY SURGICAL HOSPITAL AT DONG TAN.

TWO NAVYMEN WERE TRAPPED IN A FLOODED COMPARTMENT FOR FOUR HOURS
AFTER THE INCIDENT. DAMAGE CONTROLMEN CUT THEIR WAY THROUGH THE
WRECKAGE TO FREE THE ENTRAPPED MEN, AND BOTH WERE LATER REPORTED IN GOOD
CONDITION. MANY OTHER WATER-FILLED SPACES HAD STILL NOT BEEN INSPECTED
BY FRIDAY EVENING, HOWEVER, AND SEVERAL OF THE MISSING WERE
PRESUMED TO BE TRAPPED INSIDE.

OF THE 16 PERSONNEL KILLED, 15 WERE MEMBERS OF THE WESTCHESTER
COUNTY'S CREW AND THE TWELFTH WAS A VIETNAMESE SAILOR WHO WAS TRAINING
ABOARD THE TF 117 BOATS.

WOUNDED IN THE EXPLOSION WERE 19 OTHER NAVYMEN AND THREE ARMY TROOPS.
THE MISSING INCLUDED TWO MEMBERS OF THE SHIP'S COMPANY, ONE
RIV DIV 111 NAVYMAN, ONE VIETNAMESE TIGER SCOUT AND FIVE ARMY TROOPS.

ACCORDING TO LIEUTENANT COMMANDER JOHN BRANIN, THE WESTCHESTER
COUNTY CO. EVERY FIRST CLASS PETTY OFFICER ABOARD THE SHIP WAS EITHER
KILLED OR WOUNDED. ALL MEMBERS OF THE SHIP'S OFFICE DIED IN THE
EXPLOSION. *4/10/62*

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EXPLOSION.

THE DAMAGE ON WESTCHESTER COUNTY WAS SURVEYED FRIDAY MORNING BY
VICE ADMIRAL ELMO R. ZURWALT, COMMANDER NAVAL FORCES VIETNAM, WHO
CAME TO THE MRB FROM SAIGON.

TASK GROUP ALPHA GROUP AND NAVAL ELEMENTS OPERATING IN
NORTHERN KIEN HOA PROVINCE FRIDAY HAD NO SIGNIFICANT CONTACT. AIR
STRIKES IN THE AO, HOWEVER, ACCOUNTED FOR FIVE VC KILLED, 12 BUNKERS
DESTROYED AND 12 STRUCTURES DETACHED.

RIV DIV 112 COMPLETED ITS TACFLOATING OPERATIONS WITH 3/60
INFANTRY ON THE BA LAI RIVER IN THE MORNING AND RETURNED THE
TROOPS TO THE MRB.

RIV DIV 91 ALSO COMPLETED OPERATIONS WITH THE VIETNAMESE MARINES,
UNLOADING THE TROOPS IN THE MORNING AND TRANSPORTING THEM TO A
PORT SUPPORT BASE FOR AN AIRMOBILE ASSAULT.

SEVERAL BOATS OF RIV DIV 151 WITH COMBAT SALVAGE BOAT-1 SUPPORTED
DEMOLITION OPERATIONS ON TWO SUMLEN BARGES ON THE CHO GAO CANAL
FRIDAY.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFO SUMMARY 11-32

MOST TASK GROUP ALFA ELEMENTS HAD A READY REACTION DAY SATURDAY WITH OPERATIONS LIMITED TO A ONE-COMPANY SWEEP BY VIETNAMESE MARINES SUPPORTED BY RIV DIV 91.

NO CONTACT WAS ENCOUNTERED DURING THE OPERATION ON THE SOUTH BANK OF THE SONG MY THO OPPOSITE DONG TAM.

TWO ARMY PERSONNEL WERE WOUNDED SATURDAY AFTERNOON WHEN THE LCM-8 THEY WERE RIDING WAS HIT WITH A B-40 ROCKET WHILE ENTERING THE BASIN AT DONG TAM. NEITHER MAN WAS SERIOUSLY INJURED BY THE ROCKET WHICH WAS FIRED FROM THE WEST BANK OF THE CANAL.

THREE MORE BODIES WERE FOUND FRIDAY NIGHT AND SATURDAY AS SALVAGE PERSONNEL CONTINUED TO SEARCH THROUGH FLOODED COMPARTMENTS ON THE WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

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MRB ALFA MOVED FROM THE KY THO ANCHORAGE TO DONG TAM SATURDAY, AND MRB ALFA SHIFTED FROM CAN THO TO AN ANCHORAGE NEAR LONG XUYEN.

A LACK OF COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO TASK GROUPS PREVENTED A REPORT OF SATURDAY'S TG 117.2 OPERATIONS.

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CAPTAIN DALE V. SOFT WERHORN RELIEVED CAPTAIN ROBERT S. SALZER AS COMMANDER OF TASK FORCE 117 SUNDAY MORNING IN CHARGE OF COMMAND CEREMONIES ON THE BENEHAN FLIGHT DECK.

ATTENDED BY MANY HIGH-RANKING OFFICERS FROM ALL OVER THE DELTA, THE CEREMONIES FEATURED THE PRESENTATION TO CAPTAIN SALZER OF THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM'S TWO HIGHEST INDIVIDUAL AWARDS, THE VIETNAMESE NATIONAL ORDER MEDAL AND THE VIETNAMESE CROSS OF GALLANTRY WITH PALM. FEATURED SPEAKER AT THE CEREMONY WAS VICE ADMIRAL TUNG H. ZUMWALT, COMMANDER NAVAL FORCES VIETNAM.

CAPTAIN SALZER WILL REMAIN IN VIETNAM FOR THE NEXT SEVERAL WEEKS IN THE CAPACITY OF COMMANDER OF OPERATION DELTA LORDS, AN OFFENSIVE CAMPAIGN IN THE SOUTHERN DELTA UTILIZING BOATS OF TASK FORCES 115,

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116 AND 117.

TROOPS OF THE 4TH VIETNAMESE MARINE BATTALION OPERATING WITH BOATS OF TASK GROUP BRAVO HAD EXTREMELY SUCCESSFUL SWEEPS OVER THE WEEKEND WHILE OPERATING ON THE RACH GIA CANAL, 72 KILOMETERS DUE WEST OF CAN THO.

WITH THE OPERATION CONTINUING ON MONDAY, 13 VC HAD BEEN KILLED AND FOUR LARGE WEAPONS CACHES HAD BEEN SEIZED. THE BOATS HAD THEIR OF ACTION, REPORTING A TOTAL OF SEVEN WOUNDED IN THREE AMBUSHES ALONG THE CANAL.

THE OPERATION HAD STARTED AT 1937 FRIDAY WHEN THE BOATS OF RIVER DIVISION 152 CARRYING THE VIETNAMESE MARINES LEFT THE MRB ANCHORAGE AT BINH THUY ON A 52-KILOMETER TRIP UP THE BASSAC RIVER TO LONG XUYEN. THE TF 117 BOATS WERE JOINED AT LONG XUYEN BY FOUR LC4-6'S AND ONE RAG COMMANDMENT, AND THE TASK UNIT BEGAN MOVING DOWN THE RACH GIA TOWARD THE GULF OF THAILAND. THE BOATS COMPLETED THE OVER-ALL 13-HOUR, 125-KILOMETER TRIP TO THEIR OBJECTIVE BEACHES AT 0745.

THE MARINES ENCOUNTERED LIGHT CONTACT DURING THE DAY, SUSTAINING TWO KILLED AND 13 WOUNDED. HOWEVER, THEY CAPTURED SIX BOXES OF 60MM MORTAR ROUNDS, THREE 120 MM MORTAR ROUNDS, TWO 155 MM ARTILLERY SHELLS, THREE 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS AND ONE ROCKET LAUNCHER.

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ON SATURDAY NIGHT THREE NAVYEN AND SIX TARIEN WERE SLIGHTLY WOUNDED WHEN A RARE (RIVERINE ARMORED RECONNAISSANCE ELEMENT) WAS AMBUSHED ON THE LOWER REACHES OF THE RACH GIA. TWO PLATOONS OF TROOPS WERE LANDED AND THEY REPORTED FOUR VC KILLED DURING OPERATIONS LATER IN THE NIGHT. THE GROUND ELEMENTS ALSO CAPTURED 72 B-40 ROCKET ROUNDS, AND THREE 125 MM BOOBY TRAPS.

THE BOATS WERE HIT AGAIN IN THE SAME AREA ON SUNDAY MORNING AFTER THEY HAD LANDED ADDITIONAL TROOPS OF THE ARVN 31ST RECON COMPANY. THERE WERE NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES IN THE ATTACK, ALTHOUGH ZIPPO 151-1 TOOK A RECOILLESS RIFLE HIT.

DURING THEIR MORNING SWEEP THE TROOPS CAPTURED STILL ANOTHER CACHE WHICH INCLUDED FIFTY B-40 ROCKETS, 830 CHICOM GRENADES, 10 ANTI-TANK MINES, FIFTY 57MM AND 75MM RECOILLESS RIFLE ROUNDS, ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE 60MM AND 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS, ONE 4K-52 AND 3000 METERS OF COMMUNICATIONS WIRE.

FOUR MORE NAVYEN WERE WOUNDED AT 1525 SUNDAY WHEN MONITOR 152-1, ZIPPO 151-1 AND ATC 151-7 WERE AMBUSHED WITH SMALL ARMS AND ROCKETS. THE TROOPS WERE LANDED AT THE POINT OF THE ALBUSH AND GAINED ALMOST IMMEDIATE CONTACT, KILLING NINE VC AND CAPTURING THE FOURTH WEAPONS CACHE OF THE TWO-DAY OPERATION. INCLUDED IN THIS SEIZURE WERE 50

ANTI-TANK MINES, SIX 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS, SIX ONE RIFLES, ONE COMPLETE 82MM MORTAR, AND 25,000 ROUNDS OF SMALL ARMS AMMUNITION.

THE OPERATION ON THE RACH GIA REPRESENTS THE FIRST MRF PENETRATION OF KIEN GIANG PROVINCE AND IS THE FIRST FULL-SCALE INVOLVEMENT OF TF 117 UNITS IN OPERATION DELTA LORDS.

IN SOME OF THE ASSAULT CRAFTS' MOST PRODUCTIVE ACTION IN MONTHS, BOATS OF RIV DIV 151 KILLED 15 VIET CONG LAST FRIDAY NIGHT AND SATURDAY MORNING 22 KILOMETERS SOUTH OF SAIGON.

PATROLLING ON TRIBUTARIES OF THE VANG RIVER IN EASTERN LONG AN PROVINCE, THE BOATS HAD SEVEN SEPARATE ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY DURING THE NIGHT. THE ACTION STARTED AT 2255 FRIDAY WHEN THE BOATS KILLED TWO VC WITH WEAPONS LEAVING A SALPAM. IN THE MOST FRUITFUL EXCHANGE OF THE EVENING, FIVE VC WERE KILLED AT 2215 WHEN THEY WERE OBSERVED SNEAKING ACROSS A FIELD NEAR THE BANK.

ALTHOUGH THE BOATS WERE THE TARGET OF SMALL ARMS FIRE SEVERAL TIMES DURING THE EVENING, THERE WERE NO U. S. CASUALTIES.

THE RIV DIV 151 UNITS HAD MORE ACTION ON SATURDAY NIGHT AS THEY WERE AMBUSHED IN THE SAME GENERAL AREA AT 2332 WITH ROCKETS AND AUTOMATIC WEAPONS. THREE ROCKETS FIRED AT ATC 151-3 ALL MISSED, BUT AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE DIRECTED AT ATC 151-13 RESULTED IN FIVE ARMY SLIGHTLY WOUNDED.

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TWENTY-THREE VC WERE KILLED BY TASK GROUP ALPHA AIR AND ARTILLERY ELEMENTS SUNDAY IN CENTRAL KIEH HOA PROVINCE. AIR FORCE PLANES ACCOUNTED FOR 14, GUNSHIPS FLYING COVER FOR THE GROUND ELEMENTS ACCOUNTED FOR SEVEN, AND TWO WERE CREDITED TO 3/34 ARTILLERY.

7TH ARVN TROOPS OPERATING NEAR THE MAF AO SUFFERED SEVEN KILLED AND 32 WOUNDED IN CONTACT WITH AN ESTIMATED VC PLATOON. NEITHER THE VIETNAMESE MARINES NOR 3/62 INFANTRY, SUPPORTED BY RIVER DIVISIONS 91 AND 112 RESPECTIVELY, WERE INVOLVED IN ANY SIGNIFICANT CONTACT DURING THE DAY.

TWO MORE BODIES WERE FOUND ALONG THE WESTCHESTER COUNTY SUNDAY BRINGING THE TOTAL KNOWN DEAD TO 254 ONE HAWKMAN IS STILL REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION.

TASK GROUP ALPHA WAS VISITED SUNDAY BY LIEUTENANT GENERAL LEWIS WALT, ASSISTANT COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS. THE GENERAL WAS BRIEFED ON KRF OPERATIONS BY COMMANDORE SCHERMERHORN AND CAPTAIN SALZER.

HE ALSO PRESENTED FIVE BRONZE STARS TO TF 117 PERSONNEL. RECIPIENTS INCLUDED LT. LEXIE BOSWELL OF RIV RON 11; SFC ROBERT W. DURBIN, SN EDWARD F. GORCZYK AND PN JAMES L. ROZMA, ALL OF RIV DIV 91; AND SN JAY K. KELLER OF RIV DIV 111.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFO SUMMARY 11-04

MOBILE RIVERINE FORCE ELEMENTS WORKING IN OPERATION DELTA RAIDER HAD A SUCCESSFUL DAY IN THE MO CAY DISTRICT OF KIEN HOA PROVINCE. AIR FORCE PLANES AND HELICOPTER GUNSHIPS KILLED 15 VIET CONG IN VARIOUS ENCOUNTERS. THE 3/60 INFANTRY BATTALION, WORKING WITH AIR FORCE UNITS, DESTROYED 16 BUNKERS AND CAPTURED 2000 POUNDS OF RICE, ONE SACK OF DOCUMENTS, 155 GALLONS OF GASOLINE AND ONE CRATE OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES FROM ENEMY FORCES. THERE WAS ONLY ONE US CASUALTY ON MONDAY, AN INFANTRYMAN WOUNDED BY A BOOBY TRAP.

MEANWHILE, TASK GROUP BRAVO ELEMENTS OPERATING IN KIEN GIANG PROVINCE FOUND ANOTHER LARGE WEAPONS CACHE MONDAY. SEIZED BY VIETNAMESE MARINES WERE 120 B-40 ROCKETS, 1,000 KILOGRAMS OF

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RICE, 16 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS, 2 120MM MORTAR ROUNDS, 60 60MM MORTAR ROUNDS, 240 GRENADES, AND 48 B-59 ROCKETS.

RIVDIV 132 FORCES CONDUCTED A RARE ALONG THE LONG XUYEN CANAL ON SUNDAY NIGHT AND MONDAY MORNING. WHILE PROCEEDING TO RACH GIA FOR REFUELING THE BOATS WERE AMBUSHED WITH B-40 ROCKET FIRE FROM THE EAST BANK OF THE LONG XUYEN CANAL. MONITOR 131-1 TOOK ONE B-40 HIT, RESULTING IN MINOR DAMAGE. THERE WERE NO PERSONNEL CASUALTIES.

THE HONORABLE MR. RICHARD C. STEADMAN, DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE (ISA), VISITED THE MRF MONDAY AFTERNOON.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFO SUMMARY 11-35

MOBILE RIVERINE FORCES ENCOUNTERED LIGHT ACTION TUESDAY AS OPERATION DELTA RAIDER CONTINUED.

3/60 INFANTRY BATTALION TOOK ONE VC POW WHILE OPERATING ALONG THE SONG BA LAI IN EASTERN KIEN HOA PROVINCE AND 3/47 INFANTRY BATTALION DESTROYED THREE CHINESE COMMUNIST BOOBY TRAPS AND CAPTURED TWO POUNDS OF DOCUMENTS. AIR STRIKES ACCOUNTED FOR FIVE VC KIA AND A TOTAL OF 33 BUNKERS AND STRUCTURES DESTROYED.

IN TASK GROUP BRAVO, MONITOR 152-1 AND FOUR ACCOMPANYING ATCS WERE AMBUSHED MONDAY WHILE TRANSITING THE KINH RACH GIA/ LONG XUYEN IN KIEN GIANG PROVINCE. TWO NAVYMEN RECEIVED SLIGHT WOUNDS IN THE ATTACK. MEANWHILE, GROUND ACTION NETTED SEVEN VC KIA AS WELL AS A CAPTURED 75MM RECOILLESS RIFLE.

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RIVDIV 152 BOATS CAME UNDER ATTACK AGAIN TUESDAY IN THE SAME CANAL WITH ATC 152-5 TAKING ONE B-42 HIT IN HEP PORT SIDE. ONE CREWMAN WAS WOUNDED AND THE BOAT SUSTAINED ONLY MINOR DAMAGE.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFO SUMMARY 11-36

OPERATION DELTA RAIDER CONTINUED THROUGHOUT THE DAY, WITH UNITS OF THE MOBILE RIVERINE FORCE REPORTING NO CONTACT. HOWEVER, THREE US INFANTRYMEN OF THE 3/47 WERE WOUNDED BY A BOOBY TRAP, AND ONE VC WAS KILLED WHEN HIS OWN BOOBY TRAP BOOBIED HIM. THREE POUNDS OF DOCUMENTS WERE ALSO RECOVERED BY TROOPS OF THE 3/60 INFANTRY BATTALION.

AT 2235 TUESDAY NIGHT, DONG TAM REPORTED RECEIVING MORTAR ROUNDS, AND SHORTLY THEREAFTER ROCKETS WERE SIGHTED PASSING OVER THE MRB. HEAVY GUNFIRE FROM THE SHIPS AND BOATS OF THE MRB UNITS SILENCED THE ENEMY POSITIONS IN A MATTER OF MINUTES.

MRB ALPHA MOVED FROM DONG TAM TO THE MY THO ANCHORAGE WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

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CAPTAIN K D GRAY, DIRECTOR OF PLANS FOR THE ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVY, ARRIVED ABOARD THE USS BENEFAN ON WEDNESDAY TO BEGIN A SEVERAL DAY ORIENTATION VISIT WITH THE MOBILE RIVERINE FORCE.

ELEMENTS FROM TASK GROUP BRAVO OBSERVED A READY REACTION DAY WEDNESDAY.

RIVERINE OPS IN KIEN GIANG PROVINCE SINCE 2 NOVEMBER HAVE BEEN EXTREMELY LUCRATIVE. TWENTY VC HAVE BEEN KILLED, AND LARGE WEAPONS CACHES HAVE BEEN FOUND. CAPTURED VC ARMS AND SUPPLIES INCLUDED 145 60MM ROUNDS, 6 BOXES OF 62MM ROUNDS, 43 57MM RECOILLESS RIFLE ROUNDS, 68 ANTI TANK MINES, 27,000 ROUNDS OF SMALL ARMS AMMUNITION, 240 B-40 ROCKETS, 43 B-50 ROCKETS, 2 155MM ROUNDS, 5 120MM MORTAR ROUNDS, 1370 GRENADES, 19 82MM RECOILLESS RIFLE ROUNDS, 3 105MM BOOBY TRAPS, 139 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS, 1 AK-50, 1 CHICOM CARBINE, 6 SKS RIFLES, 1 32MM MORTAR, 1 75MM RECOILLESS RIFLE, 1 ROCKET LAUNCHER, AND 1,000 KILOGRAMS OF RICE.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY 11-07

TWO VC WERE KILLED THURSDAY, ONE EACH BY THE 3/60 INFANTRY BATTALION AND THE VIETNAMESE MARINE CORPS. THREE SUSPECTS WERE ALSO DETAINED. TWENTY ENEMY STRUCTURES WERE DESTROYED BY AIR FORCE UNITS.

EARLY THURSDAY MORNING, AT APPROXIMATELY 0024, THE FIELD HEAD-QUARTERS FOR THE US ARMY'S 3/47 INFANTRY BATTALION RECEIVED NINE ROUNDS OF 60 MM MORTAR FIRE, IN THE EASTERN SECTION OF KIEN HOA PROVINCE. NO MATERIAL OR PERSONNEL CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED, HOWEVER.

DURING THE PERIOD 3 NOV TO 6 NOVEMBER, MEDCAPS WERE CONDUCTED DAILY IN VARIOUS VILLAGES ALONG THE CHO GAO CANAL, WHILE ELEMENTS OF R IVD IV B1 CONDUCTED SALVAGE OPERATIONS IN THE

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IMMEDIATE VICINITY. NM1 VIADO AND NM3 HEISLER TREATED 225 PATIENTS, AND DISTRIBUTED 110 WASH BOWLS, 1 CASE OF LAUNDRY SOAP, 36 BOTTLES OF SURGICAL SOAP. 36 WASHCLOTHS, 12 DOLLS AND 36 PAIR OF SHOWER SHOES.

TASK GROUP BRAVO UNITS REMAINED IN A READY REACTION POSTURE THURSDAY.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY 11-08

ELEMENTS OF TASK GROUP ALPHA HAD A VERY SUCCESSFUL DAY IN OPERATIONS APPROXIMATELY 10 KILOMETERS SOUTHEAST OF BEN TRE, IN EASTERN KIEN HOA PROVINCE. AIR CAVALRY WAS CREDITED WITH 45 VC KILLED IN ACTION. THE 3/47 INFANTRY BATTALION KILLED 4 VC AND CAPTURED ONE POW. THEY ALSO RECOVERED ONE CLAYMORE MINE, TWO M-1 RIFLES, AND ONE PISTOL. ELEMENT OF THE 3/60 CAPTURED ONE CHICOM RIFLE AND ONE MAUSER RIFLE.

AIR FORCE UNITS DESTROYED 37 ENEMY BUNKERS AND STRUCTURES FFIDAY. TASK GROUP BRAVO REMAINED IN A READY REACTION POSTURE THROUGHOUT THE DAY. B. GEN. W.E. NEWBY, USAF, THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR LOGISTICS, OFFICE OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, VISITED THE MRB TODAY FOR AN ORIENTATION AND TOUR OF SEVERAL ASSAULT CRAFT.

MR. GUSTAV DAANIKER, A SWISS AUTHOR AND REPORTER FOR SEVERAL SWISS NEWSPAPERS, BEGAN A TWO DAY ORIENTATION VISIT TO MRB UNITS TODAY.

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 RIVDIV 91 BOATS WERE INVOLVED IN TWO SAVAGE AMBUSHES WITH ROCKET
 AND SMALL ARMS FIRE SUNDAY WHILE SUPPORTING 2 COMPANIES OF VIETNAMESE
 MARINES ABOUT 10 KILOMETERS EAST OF BEN TRE.
 THE FIRST FIREFIGHT OCCURRED AT 1450, SHORTLY AFTER THE BOATS HAD BACK-
 LOADED THE MARINES FROM THEIR MORNING OPERATIONS AREA AND WERE PROCEEDING
 TO NEW LANDING SITES ALONG THE RACH BEN TRE. ONE NAVYMAN FROM MONITOR
 91-2 WAS KILLED IN THE AMBUSH AND THREE OTHER SAILORS WERE WOUNDED. ONE
 VC WAS KILLED BY THE BOAT CREWMEN WHILE SUPPRESSING THE FIRE. THE
 VNMC WERE LANDED NEAR THE SCENE OF THE AMBUSH BUT WERE UNABLE TO
 ESTABLISH CONTACT.
 THE BOATS AGAIN CAME UNDER ATTACK AT 1700 AS THE MARINES WERE BEING
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 RETURNED AND SUPPRESSED THE FIRE. ZIPPO 92-11 WAS ONE OF THE BOATS
 TAKING A ROCKET HIT. THE MARINES WERE THEN RETURNED TO BASE GLENN AFTER
 WHICH THE ASSAULT CRAFT RETURNED TO THE MRB. 4 OF THE VNMC WERE ALSO
 REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN WOUNDED DURING THEIR MORNING OPERATIONS ASHORE.
 IN OTHER MRF ALFA ACTION, RIVDIV 112 LIFTED ONE COMPANY OF 3/SC INF BN
 FROM THE MRB TO A LANDING SITE ON THE SONG HAM LUONG EARLY SUNDAY
 MORNING. THE TROOPS TOOK ONE POW AND ONE DETAINEE WHILE CONDUCTING
 RECONNAISSANCE-IN-FORCE OPERATIONS THROUGHOUT THE DAY. THEY WERE
 RETURNED TO THE MRB DURING THE LATE EVENING.
 ELEMENTS OF 3/47 INF BN, OPERATING SOUTHEAST OF BEN TRE, REPORTED 3
 VC KIA AND ONE CHICOM CARBINE CAPTURED DURING THE DAY. 2 SOLDIERS WERE
 KIA. THE USAF ACCOUNTED FOR 93 BUNKERS AND 14 STRUCTURES DESTROYED
 WITH TWO SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS OBSERVED. ONE VC KIA WAS ALSO REPORTED
 BY 3/34 ARTILLERY BATTALION.
 USS WASHTENAW COUNTY (LST-1166) JOINED MRB ALFA SHORTLY BEFORE DARK
 SUNDAY EVENING.
 IN TASK GROUP BRAVO, RIVDIV 151 UNITS CONDUCTED A RARE ALONG THE
 LINH THI TON WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. THE 4TH BATTALION, VNMC, HAD NO
 CONTACT DURING THE DAY BUT REPORTED RECEIVING LIGHT SNIPER FIRE. 13 ATCS
 WERE ROTATED FROM MRB BRAVO WITH OTHER BOATS OUT IN THE OPERATIONS AREA.

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THE COCONINO COUNTY (LST-603) ARRIVED AT MRB BRAVO MONDAY TO RELIEVE THE CAROLINE COUNTY AS RESUPPLY AND SUPPORT SHIP FOR THAT TASK GROUP.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY 11-11
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NINE VC KIAS WERE REPORTED IN OPERATIONS SE OF BEN TRE
ON TUESDAY. THE US AIR FORCE ACCOUNTED FOR 8 OF THE KILLS
AND THE 3/34 INFANTRY BATTALION WAS CREDITED WITH THE OTHER.
SEVEN ENEMY STRUCTURES WERE ALSO DESTROYED.

VICE ADMIRAL W.D. O'BRIEN, CB, DSC, THE ROYAL NAVY'S
COMMANDER FAR EAST FLEET, AND SEVERAL MEMBERS OF HIS STAFF
VISITED THE MRF TUESDAY AND RECEIVED A BRIEFING ON
RIVERINE OPERATIONS. THEY ALSO TOURED THE VARIOUS TYPE ASSAULT
CRAFT ALONGSIDE THE USS BENEWAH.

MR. HARALD BRYNILDSEN, A CORRESPONDENT FROM AFTENPOSTEN,
NORWAY'S LARGEST NEWSPAPER, ALSO SPENT THE DAY WITH THE MRF.
IN ANOTHER SIGNIFICANT ACTION ON MONDAY, COMMODORE

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SCHERMERHORN HAD THE PLEASURE OF ADDING TWO NEW EAGLES TO
THE COLLAR OF THE FORMER COMMANDER ROBERT COLLINS,
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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY 11-13

GROUP ALFA UNITS BEGAN OPERATION MONSOON SCORPION IN THE THANH PHU SECRET ZONE WEDNESDAY, WORKING WITH ELEMENTS OF THE VNMC, ONE COMPANY OF THE 3/47 INFANTRY BATTALION AND ONE COMPANY OF THE 3/60.

THE 3/60 DISCOVERED A VC TRAINING AREA, CAPTURED TWO TRANSMITTING RADIOS, AND SEVERAL DOCUMENTS. THEY ALSO DESTROYED 15 ENEMY STRUCTURES, 4 CHICOM GRENADES, AND 2 BOOBY TRAPS. THE 3/47 DETAINED 17 SUSPECTS, DESTROYED ONE ENEMY STRUCTURE, AND ONE BOOBY TRAP. THE VNMC CAPTURED ONE CHICOM CARBINE, TOOK ONE POW, AND DETAINED 4 SUSPECTS FOR QUESTIONING.

AIR CAVALRY UNITS DESTROYED 9 SAMPANS IN THE SECRET ZONE, AND USAF PLANES DESTROYED 3 STRUCTURES AND ONE SAMPAN.

IN AN ACTION LATE TUESDAY, MONITOR 131-2 WAS AMBUSHED WITH A B-40

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ROCKET WHILE SUPPORTING SEA LORDS OPERATIONS ON THE RACH GIA

CANAL 10 KILOMETERS NORTHEAST OF RACH GIA. ONE NAVYMAN WAS KILLED IN THE ATTACK AND THREE SAILORS AND ONE VIETNAMESE WERE WOUNDED (ALL MINOR).

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OPERATION MONSOON SCORPION CONTINUED IN THE THANH PHU SECRET ZONE THROUGHOUT THURSDAY, WITH ALLIED UNITS REPORTING 9 VC KIA'S. AIR CAVALRY ACCOUNTED FOR THREE OF THESE, AND AIR BOATS, WORKING IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE VIETNAMESE MARINE CORPS, SCORED TWO MORE. NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED.

THE US AIR FORCE DESTROYED 14 ENEMY STRUCTURES IN THE SECRET ZONE ON THURSDAY, BUT REPORTED NO VC KIA'S.

TASK GROUP BRAVO REPORTED NO ENGAGEMENTS WITH THE ENEMY THURSDAY, DURING PATROL AND MINE SWEEPING OPERATIONS ALONG THE KINH TU MA RIVER DER RACH GIA AND THE KINH LUYNH QUYNH.

UNDER SECRETARY OF THE ARMY, THE HONORABLE DAVID E. MC GIFFERT AND SEVERAL MEMBERS OF HIS STAFF VISITED THE MRS TODAY FOR A BRIEFING ON MOBILE RIVERINE FORCE OPERATIONS.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY 11-15

IN ACTION FRIDAY, 3/47 INFANTRY BATTALION REPORTED ONE VC KIA, TWO SUSPECTS DETAINED, AND TWO CLAYMORE MINES CAPTURED IN OPERATIONS EAST OF TEN TRE IN KIEN HOA PROVINCE. AIR FORCE UNITS ALSO DESTROYED 16 ENEMY STRUCTURES IN THE SAME VICINITY.

BRIGADIER GENERAL J. B. KIDD, USAF, CINCPAC J-30, VISITED MRB ALFA FRIDAY MORNING AND RECEIVED AN ORIENTATION BRIEFING ON MRF OPERATIONS.

LATER IN THE DAY, ERNIE BANKS, FIRST BASEMAN FOR THE CHICAGO CUBS, AND PETER RICKERT, A PITCHER FOR THE BALTIMORE ORIOLES, VISITED THE FORCE. THEY ARE MAKING A USO TOUR TO VARIOUS COMMANDS THROUGHOUT VIETNAM.

MR. RICHARD HUNT, A WRITER FOR THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE, JOINED THE MRF FRIDAY TO GATHER MATERIAL FOR STORIES HE IS WRITING ON COMBAT OPERATIONS IN VIETNAM. HE EXPECTS TO REMAIN WITH THE FORCE FOR SEVERAL DAYS.

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YLLC-4 SUSTAINED A SEVERE UNDERWATER EXPLOSION AND SANK ABOUT 2215 FRIDAY IN THE HAM LONG RIVER APPROXIMATELY TWO MILES SOUTH OF BEN TRE. TWO OF HER 14 CREWMEN WERE KILLED AND NINE OTHERS WOUNDED (NONE SERIOUSLY). FOUR OTHER NAVYMEN WHO WERE ABOARD REFUELER R92-2 ALONGSIDE THE YLLC-4 AT THE TIME OF THE EXPLOSION WERE ALSO WOUNDED.

ALFA GROUP UNITS CONTINUED OPERATIONS IN THE TRUC GIANG DISTRICT OF KIEN HOA PROVINCE SATURDAY, WITH NAVY FORCES REPORTING THREE SUSPECTS DETAINED FOR QUESTIONING.

ONE VC KIA WAS REPORTED BY THE VIETNAMESE MARINE CORPS, AND THE 4/60 INFANTRY BATTALION DETAINED FOUR PERSONS INTERROGATION. THE 3/47 UNITS DESTROYED A BOOBY TRAPPED VC FLAG ON MANEUVERS

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7 KILOMETERS EAST OF BEN TRE.

IN A LATE REPORT OF OPERATIONS FRIDAY, THE 3/47 INFANTRY BATTALION REPORTED 6 VC KIA'S IN NORTHERN KIEN HOA PROVINCE.

RADM W. H. HOUSE, USN, DEPUTY COMNAVFORV VISITED THE MRF SATURDAY AFTERNOON. OTHER VISITORS TO THE FORCE WERE COL. JOSEPH CUTRONA, USA, SPECIAL ASSISTANT FOR SOUTH EAST ASIAN AFFAIRS TO THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE (PUBLIC AFFAIRS), AND COL. W. CROOKS, USMC, DEPUTY CHIEF OF INFORMATION AT MACV.
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Figure 10.10: A plot of $\log_{10}(\text{number of species})$ versus $\log_{10}(\text{number of individuals})$ for the data in Figure 10.9. The slope of the line is 0.25, indicating a power-law relationship between the number of species and the number of individuals.

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AT APPROXIMATELY 1025 MONDAY MORNING, THE BEN TRE AIRFIELD RECEIVED 15 MORTAR ROUNDS, RESULTING IN 3 VIETNAMESE AIR FORCE KIA'S AND ONE POW KIA.



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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY 11-19

THE FIRST PLATOON OF BRAVO 3/47 INFANTRY BATTALION DESTROYED THREE CHICOM BOOBY TRAPS LATE MONDAY EVENING AND KILLED TWO VIET CONG AS OPERATION MANGROVE SERPENT CONTINUED IN CENTRAL KIEN HOA PROVINCE. ON TUESDAY, THE 3/47 DETAINED 29 SUSPECTS FOR INTERROGATION, WHILE THE DELTA COMPANY OF THE 3/60 INFANTRY BATTALION CAPTURED FOUR TONS OF RICE AND DETAINED FIVE VIETNAMESE.

THE VMMC ARRESTED AN ADDITIONAL 24 SUSPECTS FOR INTERROGATION IN THE BINH DAI DISTRICT, BRINGING TUESDAY'S TOTAL TO 58.

IN OTHER GROUP ALFA ACTIVITY, UNITS OF RIV DIV 151 CAPTURED ONE VC POW AND DESTROYED THREE BUNKERS IN THEIR OPERATING AREA APPROXIMATELY 12 KILOMETERS SOUTHWEST OF NHA BE.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY 11-20
 THE MOBILE RIVERINE FORCE BEGAN OPERATION FLAMING SWORD WEDNESDAY IN KIEN HOA PROVINCE IN AN ATTEMPT TO LOCATE, FIX, AND DESTROY SUSPECTED ENEMY FORCES AND POSITIONS. AIRMOBILE, WATERMOBILE, FOOTMOBILE CLOVERLEAF OPERATIONS, AND EAGLE FLIGHT OPERATIONS WERE CONDUCTED IN TRUC GIANG AND GIONG TRON DISTRICTS THROUGHOUT THE DAY BY ELEMENTS OF THE 3/47 INF BN, 3/60 INF BN, 3/34 ARTILLERY BN, AND 7/52 ARVN BN. BOATS OF RIVDIV 112 PROVIDED TROOP TRANSPORTATION TO THE AIRMOBILE EMBARKATION SITES.

NINETEEN VC KIA'S WERE RECORDED DURING THE FIRST DAY OF FLAMING SWORD AND 1000 POUNDS OF RICE CONFISCATED, 24 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, AND 3 ASSORTED SMALL ARMS CAPTURED.

THE 3/47 INF BN WAS CREDITED WITH 2 VC KIA'S, 8 STRUCTURES DESTROYED AND ONE CACHE OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES, 400 POUNDS OF RICE AND ONE US CARBINE CAPTURED. LATE TUESDAY NIGHT ELEMENTS OF THE 3/47 ALSO KILLED A VC AND HAD TWO OF THEIR OWN SOLDIERS WOUNDED IN A BRIEF CONTACT.

THE 3/34 INF BN, THE AIR CAVALRY AND US GUNSHIPS REPORTED 3, 3, AND 5 VC KIA'S RESPECTIVELY. THE 3/34 ARTILLERY SCORED TWO VC KIA'S.

THE ARVN'S KILLED 4 VIET CONG AND CAPTURED 7 ENEMY RIFLES, WHILE THE 3/60 INF BN UNCOVERED AN ENEMY CACHE OF 600 POUNDS OF RICE.

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THE VIET CONG CONTINUED TO SUFFER FROM OPERATION FLAMING SWORD ON THURSDAY AS 12 MORE VC KIA'S WERE REPORTED AND 88 ENEMY STRUCTURES DESTROYED.

THE 3/47 INFANTRY BATTALION WAS CREDITED WITH 7 OF THE VC KIA'S AND ENIER ARTILLERY SCORED AN ADDITIONAL TWO IN ACTION LATE WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

THE 3/60 INFANTRY BATTALION KILLED 3 VC, CAPTURED ONE POUND OF DOCUMENTS, THREE POUNDS OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES AND DESTROYED 37 BUNKERS.

ARVN FORCES CAPTURED 3 POW'S WHILE THE US AIR FORCE AND THE 3/34 INFANTRY BATTALION RECORDED 13 AND 12 STRUCTURES DESTROYED EACH.

ON THE 19TH AND 20TH OF THIS MONTH, TASK GROUP BRAVO CONTINUED BLOCKING

AND INTERDICTION OPS IN CENTRAL KIEN GIANG PROVINCE. BOATS OF RIVER ASSAULT SQUADRON 15 RECEIVED B-40 AND AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE FROM THE SOUTH BANK OF THE SONG CAI LON ON THE 20TH. ONE ARVN WAS STRUCK IN THE

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STERN BY A ROCKET. THE ENEMY FIRE WAS RETURNED AND SUPPRESSED, AND A LANDING WAS MADE AT THE AMBUSH SITE BY THE EMARKED 4TH BN OF THE 44TH, WHICH SWEEP THE AREA DESTROYING 6 BUNKERS AND KILLING 1 VC. DURING NIGHT ACTION IN THE SAME ZONE, 4 ENEMY SAMPAHS WERE BURN AND ANOTHER 66 SEARCHED.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY 11-23

OPERATION MANGROVE SERPENT II BEGAN IN MO CAY DISTRICT OF KIEM HOA PROVINCE SATURDAY, WITH BOATS FROM RIV DIV 112 AND 91 SUPPLYING TRANSPORTATION AND GUNFIRE SUPPORT TO THE VIETNAMESE MARINES AND THE 3/68 INFANTRY BATTALION. LANDINGS WERE MADE ALONG THE SONG HAM LUONG AND THE RACH MO CAY. THE 3/68 AIRMOBILED FURTHER INLAND.

GUNSHIPS, THE AIR CAVALRY, AND ARVN FORCES EACH REPORTED ONE VC KIA DURING THEIR DAY'S OPERATIONS, WHILE AIR FORCE PLANES DESTROYED 8 ENEMY STRUCTURES.

M-131-2 AND T-131-11 ASSISTED 2 PBR'S LATE THURSDAY EVENING IN THE SALVAGE OF ONE DAMAGED PBR AT AN AMBUSH SITE ALONG THE KINH RACH SOI DI VAM. THE BOATS FIRED 105MM AND 20MM ROUNDS INTO THE AMBUSH AREA, BUT NO RETURN FIRE WAS REPORTED.

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MEDCAPS WERE CONDUCTED IN LOCATIONS ALONG THE SONG HAM LUONG, WEST OF BEN TRE, ON SATURDAY BY MEMBERS OF THE MOBILE RIVERINE FORCE. ABOUT 90 PATIENTS WERE TREATED. ONE BOY SUFFERING FROM MALARIA WAS MEDEVACED TO THE HOSPITAL AT BEN TRE.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION 11-24

ALLIED FORCES REPORT TOTAL OF 35 VC KIA S AS OPERATION
 MANGROVE SERPENT II CONTINUED SUNDAY IN THE AN OAY DISTRICT OF
 KIEU HOA PROVINCE. THE 3/47 INFANTRY BATTALION KILLED ONE VC,
 UNCOVERED AN ENEMY FIRST AID STATION, AND DETAINED 8 SUSPECTS
 FOR QUESTIONING. TWO U.S. SOLDIERS WERE WOUNDED DURING THE DAY.
 THE 3/60 INFANTRY BATTALION CAPTURED 10 POUNDS OF ENEMY DOCUMENTS,
 DETAINED 34 SUSPECTS, AND KILLED 9 VC. ONE OF THEIR OWN TROOPS
 WAS KILLED BY A BOOBY TRAP, HOWEVER, AND ONE OTHER INJURED.
 GUNSHIPS SCORED 9 VC KIA S AND SUSTAINED 3 FRIENDLY WOUNDED
 SUNDAY. WHILE THE AIR CAVALRY REPORTED 13 VC KIA S, AND AN ARMY GOC
 TWO. THE VIETNAMESE MARINES, SUPPORTED BY BOATS OF RVN DIV 91,
 CAPTURED 25 POUNDS OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES AND DESTROYED 40 CHICOM

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GRENADES. U.S. AIR FORCE PLANES DESTROYED 27 ENEMY STRUCTURES AND
 KILLED ONE VC. AT 1520 SUNDAY AFTERNOON THE BEN TRE AIRFIELD
 RECEIVED 8 HOURS OF 82MM MORTARFIRE; NO CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED.
 HOWEVER, A MEDCAP MISSION WAS CONDUCTED AT A VILLAGE APPROXIMATELY
 ONE KILOMETER SOUTHWEST OF BEN TRE, WITH 75 PATIENTS, TREATED
 AND 4 MEDICALLY EVACUATED TO THE BEN TRE HOSPITAL. AN ASSORTMENT OF
 PAPERS, PENCILS, AND VARIOUS SCHOOL SUPPLIES WERE ALSO
 DISTRIBUTED AMONG THE CHILDREN. MR. MARINO DE MEDICI, U.S.
 CORRESPONDENT FOR ROME'S IL TEMPO NEWSPAPER, BEGAN A TWO DAY VISIT
 TO THE MRF SUNDAY FOR THE PURPOSE OF GATHERING INFORMATION FOR
 A FEATURE STORY ABOUT THE MRF. TASK GROUP BRAVO UNITS MAINTAINED
 ACTIVE VIGILANCE THROUGHOUT THE DAY WHILE CONDUCTING MAINTENANCE
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SIXTEEN MORE VC WERE KILLED BY THE MRF MONDAY AS ACTION CONTINUED IN KIEN HOA PROVINCE. AIR ACTION ACCOUNTED FOR 8 OF THE KIA'S AND THE 3/34 ARTILLERY BATTALION RECORDED 5 KIA'S. THE AIR FORCE ALSO DESTROYED 27 STRUCTURES.

ELEMENTS OF THE 3/47 INF BN KILLED 2 VIET CONG, CAPTURED ONE CHINESE COMMUNIST CARBINE AND TWO POUNDS OF DOCUMENTS, AND DESTROYED SEVERAL BOOBY TRAPS.

THE 3/60 INF BN KILLED ONE VC, BUT ALSO SUSTAINED ONE FRIENDLY FATALITY AND EIGHT WIA. MOST OF THE CASUALTIES OCCURRED WHEN AN ENEMY BOOBY TRAP EXPLODED.

SENATOR RALPH W. YARBOROUGH (D-TEXAS) AND FOUR CONGRESSIONAL STAFF MEMBERS VISITED MRB ALFA MONDAY. THEY WERE BRIEFED BY CAPTAIN ECKER

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AND COLONEL BLAND, TOURED THE BOATS, AND SENATOR YARBOROUGH MET WITH CONSTITUENTS.

TASK GROUP BRAVO SHIFTED ANCHORAGES FROM LONG XUYEN TO THE DUNG ISLAND COMPLEX, THE AREA OF THE PRESENT OPERATIONS.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY 11-26

FOUR VC KIA'S WERE REPORTED BY ELEMENTS OF THE 3/47 INFANTRY BATTALION DURING ENCOUNTERS WITH ENEMY FORCES LATE MONDAY EVENING AND TUESDAY MORNING IN NORTHERN KIEN HOA PROVINCE. ONE SAMPAN WAS ALSO SUNK, AND TWO POUNDS OF DOCUMENTS AND A SMALL CACHE OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES WERE CONFISCATED.

AIR ACTION DESTROYED 12 ENEMY STRUCTURES IN THE SAME AREA ON TUESDAY

BRAVO GROUP'S RAS 13 BOATS CONDUCTED RIVERINE ASSAULT OPERATIONS AROUND THE DUNG ISLAND COMPLEX ON THE SONG HAU GIANG, ON THE 24TH AND 25TH OF NOVEMBER, WORKING IN CONJUNCTION WITH ARVN UNITS AND NATIONAL POLICE. ALLIED FORCES SEARCHED 264 SAMPANS AND CHECKED 410 PERSONNEL WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. ONE VC WAS KILLED BY GROUND FORCES DURING CONTACTS ON MONDAY MORNING.

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ALLIED FORCES COMPLETED THEIR THIRD CONSECUTIVE DAY OF OPERATIONS FRIDAY IN KIEU HOA PROVINCE. THIRTEEN VC KIA'S WERE REPORTED, 7 WEAPONS CAPTURED (INCLUDING ONE 82MM MORTAR TUBE) AND 25 ENEMY STRUCTURES DESTROYED.

ARVN UNITS KILLED TWO AND PLANES OF THE U.S. AIR FORCE 5.

ONE SOLDIER OF THE 3/34 INFANTRY BATTALION WAS KILLED AND 4 WOUNDED WHEN THEY WERE AMBUSHED BY A GROUP OF VC WITH AUTOMATIC WEAPONS EARLY FRIDAY AT A FIRE SUPPORT BASE SOUTHEAST OF BEN TRE. THE VIET CONG WAS ALSO KILLED IN THE ENGAGEMENT.

THE 3/66 INFANTRY BATTALION RECOVERED 1 1/2 POUNDS OF DOCUMENTS AND SIGHTED THE GRAVE OF ONE VC APPARENTLY KILLED BY YESTERDAY'S ARTILLERY STRIKES.

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ONE ARVN SOLDIER WAS ALSO KILLED AND 4 MORE WOUNDED DURING ENEMY ENCOUNTERS FRIDAY.

IN TASK GROUP BRAVO ACTION THURSDAY NIGHT, BOATS FROM RIVARON 13 RECEIVED SIX 60MM AND 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS FROM 500 METERS EAST OF THEIR RON POSITION ON THE SONG CAI BE-18 KIEN GIANG PROVINCE. THE BOATS EXTRACTED THEIR REGIONAL FORCE SECURITY ELEMENT AND PROCEEDED TO THE SONG CAI LON. THERE WERE NO U.S. CASUALTIES.

AT 2300 THURSDAY, BEN TRE RECEIVED THREE B-40 ROCKETS. NO CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED.

IN OTHER ACTIVITY ON FRIDAY, VADM J.V. SMITH, COMPHIEPAC, AND SEVERAL OF HIS STAFF OFFICERS VISITED THE MRF FOR A SERIES OF BRIEFINGS ON FLOTILLA OPERATIONS. DURING HIS VISIT HE PRESENTED A SILVER STAR MEDAL TO LT. CHARLES COX AND BRONZE STAR MEDALS TO LT. BOB HANSON AND RM1 WESLEY SHEALEY.

LT. GEN VINH LOC ARVN, COMMANDANT OF THE NATIONAL DEFENSE COLLEGE, VIETNAM, ARRIVED ABOARD THE USS BENEVOLENT FRIDAY AFTERNOON, AND AFTER BEING BRIEFED ON MOBILE RIVERINE TACTICS AND OPERATIONS, WAS GIVEN A TOUR OF THE DIFFERENT TYPES OF ASSAULT CRAFT PRESENT. HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY MORE THAN 20 STUDENTS OF THE WAR COLLEGE.

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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY - 11-29

SEVEN VIET CONG WERE KILLED BY ALFA GROUP RIVERINE FORCES
ON FRIDAY, 29 NOVEMBER. THE 3/34 ARTILLERY BATTALION WAS
CREDITED WITH 5 OF THESE DURING A HARASSMENT AND INTERDICTION
MISSION APPROXIMATELY 4 KILOMETERS NW OF BEN TRE.

AIR ACTION ACCOUNTED FOR 2 VC KIA'S AND THE DESTRUCTION
OF 6 ENEMY STRUCTURES.

IN GROUP BRAVO ACTIVITY ON 27 NOVEMBER, SEAWOLVES PROVIDED
SPOTTING ASSISTANCE FOR THE USS HUNTERDON COUNTY, WHICH SUP-
PORTED RIVERINE ARMED RECONNAISSANCE ELEMENTS ALONG THE KINH
PHU HUU AND KINH SANG.

ARVN GROUND FORCES CONTINUED SWEEP OPERATIONS SOUTHEASTWARD
ON THE DUNG ISLAND COMPLEX, AND LIBERATED 2 GVN PERSONNEL, CAP-

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TURED ONE POW, 3 KILOS OF DOCUMENTS, 50 PROTECTIVE MASKS, AND
3 VIET CONG FLAGS. BLOCKADE FORCES SEARCHED 196 SAMPANS AND
CHECKED 411 PEOPLE. FIVE SUSPECTS WERE DETAINED.

THE GROUP BRAVO MRB MOVED TO BINH THUY ANCHORAGE ON FRIDAY.
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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY 11-30

FOUR VIET CONG WERE KILLED SATURDAY AS OPERATION TIGER CLAW WAS CONTINUED IN KIEN HOA PROVINCE. TWO EACH WERE CREDITED TO THE 191ST ASSAULT HELICOPTER COMPANY AND THE AIR CAVALRY.

DELTA COMPANY OF 3/47 INF BN CAPTURED AN ARMS CACHE IN AN AREA APPROXIMATELY EIGHT KILOMETERS SOUTHEAST OF BEN TRE WHICH CONTAINED ONE 100MM RECOILLESS RIFLE, ONE 82MM RECOILLESS RIFLE, ONE .50 CAL MACHINE GUN WITH AMMO AND TRIPOD, ONE .30 CALIBER MACHINE GUN WITH AMMO AND TRIPOD, ONE AK-47, ONE PRE-10 RADIO AND SEVEN M-40 ROCKETS. SEVEN SUSPECTS WERE DETAINED FOR INTERROGATION. THE 3/68 INF BN DESTROYED ONE ENEMY MINE AND SEVEN VC STRUCTURES DURING THE DAY.

IN RECENT GROUP BRAVO ACTIVITY, NAVAL FORCES BLOCKADING THE DUNG ISLAND COMPLEX SEARCHED 20 SAMPANS AND CHECKED 99 PERSONNEL ON 28

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NOVEMBER. TWO VC WERE ALSO KILLED AND TWO CARBINES CAPTURED. ON THE FOLLOWING DAY, GROUND ACTION ON THE ISLAND RESULTED IN FOUR VC KIA'S, FOUR POW'S AND TWO NINJAS CAPTURED.

OVERALL RESULTS OF THE 25-29 OPERATION WERE 13 VC KIA, 8 POW'S, 2 VC SUSPECTS DETAINED FOR FURTHER INTERROGATION, 1291 SAMPANS SEARCHED, 2873 PERSONS CHECKED AND 65 DETAINEES TAKEN. CAPTURED OR DESTROYED WERE 2 MAUSER RIFLES, 1 RUSSIAN RIFLE, 1 GERMAN RIFLE, 1000 ROUNDS SMALL ARMS AMMO, 50 GRENADES, TWO 500 PERSON CAPACITY POW CAMPS, A TON OF WHITE PAPER, 2 M-1 RIFLES, 3 COOK STOVES AND VARIOUS OTHER SUPPLIES AND DOCUMENTS.

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