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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY NO. 72-11

THERE WAS NO CONTACT REPORTED SATURDAY BY 3/47 AND 3/60 INFANTRY BATTALIONS AS THEY CONDUCTED A SECOND DAY OF SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS NORTHWEST OF MY THO.

BOATS OF RIVER DIVISION 92 AND 111 TRANSPORTED THE ARMY TROOPS INTO DONG TAM EARLY IN THE MORNING. FROM THERE, HELICOPTERS AIRLIFTED THEM TO THEIR OBJECTIVES, BUT THERE WERE NO HOSTILE INCIDENTS REPORTED DURING THE NEXT SEVEN HOURS OF OPERATIONS. SEVERAL AMMUNITION CACHES WERE DISCOVERED, HOWEVER, AND ONE TON OF RICE WAS CONFISCATED. THE ARMY ELEMENTS WERE AIRLIFTED BACK

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TO DONG TAM LATER IN THE AFTERNOON, WITH THE ASSAULT BOATS RETURNING THEM TO THE MRF.

LIGHT LIFT CRAFT-FOUR CONTINUED SALVAGE OPERATIONS SATURDAY ON ASPB-91-A WHICH SANK TO THE BOTTOM OF THE MY THO WHILE TIED UP ALONGSIDE THE ASKARI FRIDAY.

ONE NAVY MAN WAS INJURED SATURDAY WHEN BOATS OF RIV DIV 112 WERE CONDUCTING PRACTICE FIRING EXERCISES ON THE SOUTH BANK OF THE MY THO. THE CREWMAN, A 20MM GUNNER ON ASPB-112-7, RECEIVED MINOR SHRAPNEL WOUNDS WHEN A SHELL EXPLODED IN HIS MOUNT.

THE MRF WAS VISITED SATURDAY BY MR. HOLT, AN EX-CONGRESSMAN WHO NOW IS SERVING AS A CORRESPONDENT WITH THE VALLEY NEWS OF VAN NUYS, CALIFORNIA. HE RECEIVED A BRIEFING ON MRF OPERATIONS FROM COMMODORE SALZER AND LIEUTENANT COLONEL LOCKMAN, EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF SECOND BRIGADE.
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