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FIVE VIET CONG WERE KILLED WONDAY BY SECOND BRIGADE ELEMENTS OPERATING IN THE TRUC GIANG AND THANH PHU DISTRICTS OF KIEN HOAPROVINCE.

TWO WERE KILLED JUST AFTER MIDNIGHT WHEN 5/47 INFANTRYMEN SETTLED IN NIGHT POSITIONS EAST OF BEN TRE CALLED IN ARTILLERY ON A SMALL GROUP OF VIET CONG. WHO WERE ILLUMINATED BY A FLARE.

THE OTHER THREE WERE KILLED BY 4/47 INFANTRY WHICH BECAME THE FIRST MAJOR U. S. FORCE EVER TO INVADE THE THANH PHU DISTRICT. THE THREE VC WERE KILLED BY CHARLEY COMPANY WHICH WAS AIRLIFTED INTO THE VC BASE CAMP AND SUPPLY AREA IN THE AFTERNOON ALONG WITH ALFA COMPANY. THE OTHER TWO 4/47 COMPANIES WERE LANDED IS KILOMETERS

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IN ADDITION TO THE THREE VC KIA, THE 4/47 TROOPS CAPTURED A

U. S. CARBINE, A 9WM PISTOL AND TWO VC GAS MASKS.

THE MRF WAS VISITED MONDAY BY REAR ADMIRAL R. R. PRATT, COMMANDER AMPHIBIOUS TRAINING COMMAND, PACIFIC. THE ADMIRAL WAS BRIEFED ON MRF OPERATIONS AND LATER JOINED CAPTAIN BOOKER ON AN AERIAL OBSERVATION FLIGHT OVER THE OPERATIONS IN THE THANH PHUDISTRICT.

ADMIRAL PRATT WAS ACCOMPANIED BY CAPTAIN G. B. RIAN, COMMANDING OFFICER OF THE NAVAL AMPHIBIOUS SCHOOL IN CORONADO, AND CAPT. W. B. TRACY, ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF TO COMPHIBPAC FOR PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATION. BT

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