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COMMANDERS DIARY

of

AUSTRALIAN ARMY TRAINING TEAM, VIETNAM

Colonel F. P. Serong, OBE

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OCTOBER 1964 MONTH AND VEAD

Place and grid reference	Day of Month	Hour	Event or information COMMANDING OFFICERCol	
	- Industry			Annex letter a
******************************	1		Signalled AHQ saying Montagnard Revolt is over. Canberra advised of approval for	
			extensions for Capts TEAGUE, PETERSON. Arranged change of office accommodation for	
***************************************	·		AATTV. Now all grouped under one roof in MACV 2. Saves much travelling. Arrival	
			Adjutant General HARRISON and AUSTARM Comd EVANS.	
	2		Conference with AG. Took him to WESTMOREIAND. Thence J2/J3 briefing, thence to	
•••••			VIEW (new VN CofS) for a rather pointless chat, as he'd only been in this job a	
			couple of days. Thence to DA NANG VIP Cl23. Discussed officer position enroute.	
			Lunch at US SF B Team, where most DA NANG centered AATTV were assembled. AG	
			announced that a new British GSM was about to be issued, in which AATTV would share.	
			To HUE where we looked over DONG DA. AG spoke to assembled AATTV personnel, giving	
***************************************			them the latest Australian developments. Much appreciated. Captain TEAGUE reports	*******
······································		·,	situation in QUANG NGAI very bad - a large VC attack on town is planned for mid-month.	3
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			AG stated that prior to the death of WO CONWAY Defence simply could not understand	
			that AATTV personnel were in any physical danger, because they are "advisors". I	***************************************
			wonder what they think the 200+ dead Americans were in, if it wasn't danger. AG	***************************************
			visited Gen THI (Comd 1 Div) at HUE and Lt Col THU (Province Chief). Dinner with	
			THI/THU and some province officials.	
	3		Inspected training at DONG DA. Quite good. Weather OK. No battalions in as yet.	***************************************

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COMMANDING OFFICER Col F.P. SERONG

MONTH AND VEAD OCTOBER 1964

Place and grid reference	Day of Month	Hour	Event or information	Annex letter and
			Told Lt Col KERKER there was no hurry to hand over SA post to Lt Col MONAGHAN - to	
			wait until he'd felt his way in. To NHA TRANG, thence to DUC MY to see Major	
			BANNISTER and the AATTV group. Lunch and demonstration. Battalions just arrived	
			for training have been sent off to QUANG NGAI to meet local troubles. Back to	······································
			NHA TRANG. Called on new Province Chief, with whom we dined.	
	4		Depart for SAIGON 0800 hrs. AG departed for HONG KONG. Took EVANS to dinmer and	(
······		1	around CHOLON.	
•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	5		Civilian medical group from LONG XUYEN arrived - 3 doctors 7 murses. Briefed	······································
••••••			Ambassador on SF and CSD activities. Reduced his worries somewhat. Brig EVANS	•••
			departed. Big battle near BIEN HOA, with little result.	
·	6		Take Brig Gen THORNTON (NZ CGS) and NZ Ambassador to DUC MY. Weather OK. Lunch and	
······································			demonstrations.	
	7		Signalled AUSTARM asking for mid-January booking for family to return to Australia.	
······································			Talked with MACV Jl Staff on AATTV postings and the content of a MACV instruction	······································
			to US SA's on handling of AATTV personnel. Captain IRVINE returned \$VN 50,000 which	
			I had given him (CAS money) to start its A RO patrolling program. Didn't need the	
		······································	money - US took over the project themselves, and it is now working. A useful piece	
			of pump-priming. TA KO has a POW who says he is a member of one of five battalions	

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			five hours march to west (IAOS?) whose job is to take out TA KO/A RO. Weather in	
		······································	our SF border areas gives up to 7 day periods without any air support - and air is	
			the only communication we have. Marine helicopters squadron at DA NANG being returned	
			to Okinawa early, in disgrace, because of timidity. They did seem a little gun-shy.	
			KHIEM and DO MAU have left VN.	······································
***************************************	8		CAS agreed to pay fare of TEAGUE/PETERSON for leave to Australia. Gave JORGENSEN	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
			back his \$VN 50,000. Some big battles near the city - too big; too near! September	······
.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,			incident rate figures just short of the all-time record of Nov 63.	• ^************************************
••••••••••••••••••	9		AATTV accomodation moved to new block. Capt TEAGUE in from QUANG NGAI. Reports	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
			six VC battalions ready to attack. Six VN companies protecting only! TEAGUE	
·			has a new helio strip located near his house with a helio standing by at DA NANG.	• •••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••
			Chinat political warfare experts arrive. Little MINH new Coff. VIEN to III Corps.	
······································			Capt PETERSON in from BMT. Says Montagnard still restless and will act again soon	······································
			if GVN shows bad faith.	
	10		To DA NANG. Discussed QUANG TIN with USOM representative. In bad shape - mirror	
***************************************			image of QUANG NGAI, on other side of the hills. TAM KY (Province Capital) routed	
		······································	by VC a few days ago. Route 1 South of DA NANG now very difficult. USOM	
			concentrating aid on cities considering hihgland a dead loss.	

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COMMANDING OFFICER COL F.P. SERONG

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Place and grid reference	Day of Month	Hour	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure numbe
	11		Conference with Ralph JOHNSON (CAS) on layout of new counter-terror training center	
		······	near DA NANG. 1100 took off for QUANG NGAI with TEAGUE/CLARK. Town now almost	
			besieged. Only tactical movement is possible beyond the airstrip on NW edge of town.	
			Inspected our Commando and Propaganda teams. They are the only people in QUANG NGAI	······································
			talking fight at all. Very good. Went down through MO DUC district by road, where	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			two VC battalions are aiming to take the rice crop which is a good one. Visited	i
			Major LY Province Chief, an old friend. A worried man. Night conference with	
			Sector Advisor, USOM representative, THIESS and TEAGUE. Agreed the position was	
***************************************			pretty grim. Advised them to vacate the country side and close in what strength	
			they had towards QUANG NGAI city with particular reference to securing the airfield.	
	12		To SAIGON. Talk of civil disturbances in town if trial of BUU (trade Union leader	
***************************************			charged with Diemist activities, whatever that may be) proceeds along with trial	
			of recently revolted generals.	
	13		Signalled AHQ reference compassionate move of WO FERGUSON - sick wife. Dinner at	:
			British Embassy for Lt Gen Sir ALLEN JOLLY (SINGAPORE). After discussion with	
*******			THOMPSON/DUNCANSON of BRIAM, visited CAS to advise US Embassy on procedure in	
			event that KHANH abdicates and leaves a vacumn.	
	14		Briefed Ambassador. Arranged at his request to obtain Commissary, etc. privileges	

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			for medical team. AHQ advise WO SIMPSON convalesence Tokyo approved.	
	15		Memo from AHQ (DSD) saying we should accept Corporals (T/Sgts) in AATTV. Rebutted.	
			Major BURROWS departed. He has done well.	
	16		Capt PETERSON reported by phone - Div Comd IAM replaced by IAN. New Province Chief.	
			VNSF in trouble with Montagnard CIDG at BAN DON. Last week had biggest casualty	
			list ever for GVN. CINCPAC in General SANTOS (Philippines) in. Attended party for	<i>i</i> .
			High National Council by British Ambassador. They seem hopelessly divided, and,	****
			even apart from that, very timid. Khruschev dismissed. New government in OK.	·
•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••			Chicoms explode a nuclear device.	••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••
	17		To VUNG TAO, RAAF Caribou.	
·	18		Conferred with Captain JARRATT, WO HAMMOND	***************************************
	19		Returned SAIGON. Captains SKARDON, THOMPSON arrive.	1
	20		Debriefed Captain DELAHUNTY, McDOWELL to VUNG TAO. SIMPSON leaves for JAPAN.	
	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	********	Col EVANS-SMITH, J5 called on MACV proposal to give detention powers to US MP's	
			over AATTV. Told him to forget it.	
•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	21		Trial of coup generals proceeds. WO YOUNG - an AATTV I man newly returned is in	
			hospital with intestinal bleeding. Bad luck.	
	22		Visited CAT LO (VUNG TAO) with DeSILVA and others.	

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	23		US Marines increasing representation particularly in I Corps Area. Generals found	
			"not guilty". Dinner with Jl, Brig Gen STERNBERG.	
	24		Funeral of old General TY. Invitation arrived one hour after funeral had started!	
			Final reception by KHANH as PM. Military court (after civil court) gives generals	
			military penalties (60 days "political arrest" - then discharge "at own request").	
			Dinner with CofS, MACV Maj Gen STILWELL.	
	25		WO YOUNG to CLARK - emergency. SUU proclaimed Head of State. Town quiet.	
	26		Signal from E Comd - WO FERGUSON's wife OK. Advised AHQ of intention to proceed on	
			leave HONG KONG. TAIWAN. Lt Col MONAGHAN to administer	
	27		Departed for HONG KONG with family 1130 hours.	
	28		R&R	
***************************************	29		R&R	
***************************************	30		R&R	
	31		R&R	
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HEADQUARTERS DONG DA NATIONAL TRAINING CENTER HUE - VIETNAM

APO. 4182 1st October, 1964

SUBJECT: Letter of Commendation

TO:

Capt, Robert J. MOYLE Tactics Committee Advisor

at Dong-Da National Training Center.

THROUGH: Senior Advisor MACV, Phu-bai, Vietnam.

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Dear Capt. Robert J, MOYLE,

Upon your departure from Dong-Da National Training Center, I eagerly commend you for your outstanding manner that you performed during the time as tactics Committee Advisor at our National Training Center.

During the past eleven months, you have devotedly co-operated and tried to chip parts in the training matters. You acquitted yourself as an outstanding officer and full of capacity in your daily jobs and raised a good sacrifying example and a high morale of an Australian Advisor officer.

In the name of Commanding Officer of Dong-Da National Training Center, I sincerely thank you very much, I wish the best things happen to you, as well as happiness and the future success in your new assignment.

Infantry Lieutenant Colonel
Commandant the Dong-Da National
Training Center
Major LE-TAN-PHUOC
Acting Commandant

HEADQUARTERS DONG-DA NATIONAL TRAINING CENTER HUE - VIETNAM

APO. 4.162, 25th August 1964

SUBJECT: Letter of Commendation

TO : Capt_CLARK, Rex. General subject Committee Advisor

at Dong-Da National Training Center.

THROUGH : Senior Advisor MAAG Phú-bai.

Dear Capt CLARK, Rex.

During the period from 3-10-1963 to 28-8-1964, You were appointed to the Dong-Da National Training Center as General subject Committee Advisor.

In the above mentioned period of time, you, in application of your professional abilities and experiences, put all of your effort to co-operate and help this Training Center to fulfil its job.

In the domain of technique as well as specialist, your assistance resulted in outstanding successes. Your actions and the result achieved reflect great credit upon yourself and the Australian Army.

In the name of all Officers, NCOs and EM of the Dong-Da National Training Center and myself, I Sincerely thank you very much, I wish you the best luck, happiness and the success in your new assignment./.

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Please find enclosed Commanders Diary by Col F P SERONG, Commander Australian Army Training Team for the following periods:

> Sep 1964 Duplicate Oct 1964 Original

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AUSTRALIAN ARMY TRAINING TEAM

VIETNAM

REPORT NO.27

FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1964

BY

COLONEL F.P. SERONG, OBE, COMMANDING

GENERAL

- 1. Militarily the deterioration of the GVN position, noted earlier continues, with a sustained high VC incident rate, and little evidence of GVN success in any field.
- 2. Politically the month has been used to attempt the formation of a new government. This was achieved in the closing days of the month, and immediately came under attack from dissatisfied elements. We wish it well, and hope for its stability.

WELL BEING

- 3. Severe <u>flooding</u> in I Corps area has made living and working conditions difficult, but AATTV is well equipped to cope.
- domestic problems of compassionate nature are arising. This was to be expected with the increase in numbers, but the nature of one or two of these suggests that unit COs should be asked to check a man's domestic circumstances in some detail (in particular pregnancies and the financial basis of his wife's maintenance) before he comes to AATTV.

PAY

5. The dispersed deployment of battalion and sector advisory personnel has called for a new approach to the method of paying. Following a most helpful visit by Capt YEEND, pay representative from Austarm Singapore. I have proposed to Paymaster-in-Chief that authority be given to establish dollar piastre holdings at DONG DA and DA NANG to enable members to draw pay as needed when they return from operations. A fixed pay day is no longer workable.

HEALTH

- 6. WO SIMPSON, with the co-operation of the US Authorities, and the approval of the Adjutant General, has been moved to Japan for convalescence from his leg wound. All AATTV members appreciate the generosity of COMUSMACV in this matter, and the appropriate response of AHQ.
- 7. WO YOUNG, with intestinal bleeding, has made an emergency evacuation to CLARK AFB Hospital. We await word on the necessity to operate. His condition is good.
- 8. GENERAL. Several cases of gastric troubles, common to new arrivals have been reported among the increment. Worms are reported among battalion advisors living under field conditions. Appropriate action is in hand.
- 9. <u>HEPATITIS</u>. All MACV personnel are programmed to receive a prophylactic injection of heamaglobin against hepatitis.

MORALE.

- 10. Excellent. Increased activity in the I Corps area is to everyone's taste.
- 11. Advice on AATTV participation in the new scale of allowances has not yet come to hand.
- 12. The Adjutant-General's visit was greatly appreciated not least the care and trouble he took to brief the team on current and likely future developments etc. the close personal interest he displayed in occasional matters of individual concern, and rapid results therefrom.

SECURITY

- 13. <u>DONG DA</u>. Active situation. The Centre despatches trainees with tanks to assist hamlets during day and night attacks.
- 14. <u>DUC MY</u>. VC small unit activities on the outskirts of NINH HOA and NHA TRANG continues.
- 15. SPECIAL FORCE CAMPS. TA KO, A RO, ASHAU report frequent harassing fire. KHE SANH airfield occasionally harassed. Patrolling has improved, but is not yet satisfactory.
- 16. <u>BATTALIONS</u> No problem.
- 17. SECTORS. The concept of deploying AATTV personnel with Districts in I Corps area (two per Sector) is temporarily bogged down. In the selected areas some districts are no longer in GVN hands. Meanwhile, they are making a very effective contribution as members of the Sector staff. They will be deployed to Districts as soon as the situation makes this practicable.

COMMENDATION

- 18. WO PATCH, attached QUANG TRI sector, has made on outstanding effort in moving the exposed AN DONG Popular Forces Training Centre to DONG HA, and re-establishing it, under great difficulties at the new site. He is at present engaged on planning and securing the defence of CUA village.
- 19. WO PENMAN, of 2/2 Regt has taken a leading part in recent successful operations of this battalion. His award by GVN of Cross of Gallantry has been reported separately.
- 20. WO G.D. HARRIS. of LONG THO Popular Forces Training Centre. This recently moved centre, complete with a maze of VN training and administrative difficulties, is being ably and competently handled by W.O. HARRIS.
- 21. WO HUSBAND has most successfully completed his assignment as Training Advisor (Weapons Committee) at DONG DA. He is now active with 2/5 Regt.

ATTACHMENTS.

- WO CERDA-PAVIA of DONG DA was attached to 2/1 Regt for Operation LAM SON 131, period 11-28 Oct, QUANG TRI area.
- 23. WO CHERRY of QUANG TRI Sector was attached for the same operation.
- 24. WO SIGG was attached to 3/1 Regt over period of 18 Sep-1 Oct for a "search and destroy" operation on QUANG TRI coast.
- 25. WO PATCH of QUANG TRI Sector, was attached to 1/1 Regt for the same operation.
- Captain MOYLE (RAAC) of DONG DA is on a terminal attachment to 4 Armd Regt in I Corps.

CURRENT ACTIVITIES

27. <u>DONG DA</u> (National Training Centre)

CC1 and CC2 courses continue

Recruit and Draftee courses continue (AWOL rate of Draftees 45%)

No battalions yet in sight

- 28. <u>VAN THANH</u> (R/F P/F Training Centre) Troops in training. 120
- 29. DONG HA (P/F Training Centre QUANG TRI Sector)
 Troops in training 266

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- 30. LONG THO (P/F Training Centre THUA THIEN Sector)
 Troops in training 205
- DUC MY

 21 Ranger Bn has completed third week of training

 JMS 6/64 continues.

 Three recruit companies are in training.

32. CAT LO

APA Cadre Course No.5 continues. Capt McDOWELL is taking over

from Capt JARRATT.

SPECIAL FORCES

A RO: The patrol programme launched by Captain IRVINE continues. Training however has ceased with his departure

TA KO: Defensive patrolling. Not yet capable of launching operations.

ASHAU: Offensive patrolling.

KHE SANH: Border surveillance patrolling.

(All three posts - report increased harassing and more frequent contacts).

DANANG. The NUNG reaction force training is now complete. Results of its employment are awaited.

ROTATION: Most US SF teams in I Corps area in the process of relief and AATTV personnel are providing their normal continuity service.

CONCLUSION

The month's most sensational event occurred half an hour after the close of the reporting period-the mortar attack on BIEN HOA airfield. This, while serious in its personal and material effects, and in its psychological impact, does not reveal any unexpected capability on the part of the VC. They could have done it any time over the last several months. The worry is that it may further frighten GVN into a more static defensive position.

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ARRIVALS

Number	Rank	Name Date	Scheduled of Arrival	Actual date of Arrival	Station
36373 57056 212824	Capt Capt Capt	K.W. MACKENZIE A.G. THOMPSON G.C. SKARDON	2 Oct 64 15 Oct 64 15 Oct 64	2 Oct 64 16 Oct 64 16 Oct 64 (te	DONG DA DONG DA DONG DA emporary post)
31707	W02	A.A. YOUNG	15 Oct 64	16 Oct 64	NOT ALLO- CATED

DEPARTURES

Number	Rank	N		Scheduled ce of Departure	Actual Date of Departure	Station
335089 52693 5288	Maj Capt WOI		DeLaHUNTY	15 Oct 64 15 Dec 64 15 Oct 64	15 Oct 64 24 Oct 64 8 Oct 64	NHA TRANG DANANG DUC MY

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CASUALTIES

23465 28010 47020 23561 31707	WO2 Capt WO2 WO2	J.A. McRAE W.J. LAPTHORNE K.J. MOYLE H.E. PATCH A.A. YOUNG	Amoebic Dysentery (Hospitalised) Kidney Infection Amoebic Dysentery Haemorrhoids Admitted SAIGON Hospital 22 Oct 64-Evacuated CLARKE Field 25 Oct 64
12840	W02	A.H. MORRIS	Trichuriasis Stomach Ailment Admitted Hospital 29 Oct Hepatitis.
1965	W02	M COFFEY	
27270	W02	N.C. CAMM	

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APPOINTMENTS

1.	SAIGON			
	Col F.P. Capt A.S. WO2 K.W. WO2 L.D.	RAMSDALE	: : : :	Comd Adm Offr Adm WO Adm WO
2.	CSD			
	Capt I.C. WO2 J.P. Capt A.B. WO2 B. Capt P.C. WO2 H.W. Capt D.W.	CLARKE PETERSEN STOKES JARRATT HAMMOND	: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	DANANG - QUANG NGAI DANANG - QUANG NGAI BAN ME THUOT BAN ME THUOT VUNG TAU VUNG TAU VUNG TAU
3.	DANANG (Sp	ecial Forces)		
	WO2 W.M. WO2 A.J. WO2 L.G. WO2 A.R. Capt R.L. WO1 G.E. WO2 R.J. WO2 A.H. WO2 A.H. WO2 S. WO2 G.E. WO2 G.E. WO2 R.A.	BRAY GRAHAM MORRIS BALCOMEE NEVILLE MUNRO MONKHOUSE HAGUE		"B" Team DANANG KHE SANH 'A' Team KHE SANH 'A' Team KHE SANH 'A' Team ARO 'A' Team TAKO 'A' Team TAKO 'A' Team ASHAU 'A' Team ASHAU 'A' Team KHAM DUC 'A' Team KHAM DUC 'A' Team KHAM DUC 'A' Team Attached VN Armd Corps (Observer)
4.	DONG DA.			
	Lt Col J.G Maj I.G.		:	Senior Advisor Adv S3.

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	WO2 K.W. WO2 R.G. WO2 J.D. WO2 R.F. Capt W.J. WO2 K.C. WO2 D.G. WO2 C.B. Capt K.W. WO2 J.C. WO1 A.C.	CERDA-PAVIA GABRÍEL CARTER ROY SIGG GREGG HOLLAND HILL JUDD MACKENZIE MOODY DUNCAN		Chief Tactics Committee Tactics Committee Tactics Committee Tactics Committee Tactics Committee Tactics Committee Chief Weapons Committee Weapons Committee Weapons Committee Weapons Committee Chief General Subjects Committee General Subjects Committee General Subjects Committee
	WO2 J.H. Capt A.G.			Adm WO Attached Tactics Committee
5.	DUC MY			
	Maj T.C.	BANNISTAR		Senior Training Advisor, Senior Australian Advisor
	WO2 C. WO2 A.J. WO2 D. WO2 A.J.	CASSIDY	:	Advisor Jungle, Mountain Swamp School Ranger Unit Training Ranger Unit Training Ranger Basic Training
6.	LONG THO			
	WO2 G.D. WO2 W.J.	HARRIS LAPTHORNE	•	Training Advisor Training Advisor
7.	VAN THANH			
	WO2 H. WO2 J.A.	POPE McRAE		Training Advisor Training Advisor
8.	QUANG TRI	RF/PF		
	WO2 H.E. WO2 L.	PATCH HOAD	:	Training Advisor Training Advisor
9.	DONG HA			
	WO2 D.R.	CHERRY	:	Sector Advisor

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10.
           QUANG NAM
                J. McEWAN-FERGUSON:
           W02
                                         Sector Advisor
           W02
                J.T. M.LONE
                                         Sector Advisor
11.
           QUANG TIN
                R.D. PRATT
           W02
                                         Sector Advisor
           W02
               M. COFFEY
                                         Sector Advisor
12.
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                N.C. CAMM
           W02
                                         Training Advisor
           W02
                J. CHARLES
                                         Training Advisor
12.
           1 DIV
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                R.J. PENMAN
                                       Battalion Advisor
          W02
               R.A. GABRIEL
                                        Battalion Advisor
          WO2
                K.J. RUDD
                                        Battalion Advisor
          W02
                H.F. HUDSON
                                         Battalion Advisor
          W02
                A.S. SELVA
                                        Battalion Advisor
          W02
               D.G. YENCH
                                        Battalion Advisor
          W02
               R.G. CARTER
                                        Battalion Advisor
          W02
               J.R. STEW.RT
                                        Battalion Advisor
          W02
               E.J. MORRISON
                                        Battalion Advisor
13.
          2 DIV
          W02
               S.J. CARRUTHERS
                                        Battalion Advisor
          WO2
               K.F. McDONALD
                                        Battalion Advisor
          W02
               W.T. THOMPSON
                                        Battalion Advisor
          W02
               F.W. RILEY
                                        Battalion Advisor
          W02
               V.A. WATTS
                                        Battalion Advisor
          W02
               R.G. HARRIS
                                        Battalion Advisor
          1/02
               J.V. FERGUSON
                                        Battalion Advisor
          W02
               J.H. COLEMAN
                                        Battalion Advisor(Ranger Battalion)
          W02
                J. HUSBAND
                                        Battalion Advisor
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LOG OF INCIDENTS

Date	Location	Occurrence
1 Oct	TAKO	10 rounds 60mm mortar on camp
2.0ct	10km WEST DUC MY BAN ME THUOT-NINH HOA Road	Two ARVN Troopers in M113 wounded by snipers
12 Oct	PHU BAI	Clearing operation south of PHU BAI Village. 6 VC KIA one PF soldier killed and civilians injured by 60mm mortar fire.
13 Oct	ASHAU	Grenade thrown at security patrol
	TAKO	Received sniper fire no casualties
14 Oct	ASHAU	Received Sniper fire No casualties
15 Oct	ASHAU	Received sniper fire - No casualties
16 Oct	TAKO	Received sniper fire - No Casualties Thirty minute fire fight- No casualties
19 Oct	KHE SANH	Friendly patrol killed one VC, wounded two-own casualties nil

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21 Oct DUC MY

Six Dalat cadets killed and 16 wounded when they stepped into a minefield when returning from a platoon raid exercise.

25 Oct ASHAU

Automatic weapons fire into camp Nil casualties

IRO

60mm mortar fire into camp

29 Oct ASHAU

Three VC fired on estimated 40 rounds SA fire into camp-Nil casualties.

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