

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
1ST BATTALION 12TH INFANTRY
"RED WARRIORS"
APO San Francisco 96262

4 July 1970

AVDDB-121

SUBJECT: Daily SITREP 237 for 290001H Jun to 292400H Jun 70.

1. (C) Operations Summary

A. The 1/12th Inf cont opn PUTNAM PARAGON, working from FSB ARMAGEDDON, BR 21646.

(1) A Co cont to maintain security of LZ EMELLIA and secures Eng working on road.

(2) B Co conducts CA from PZ vic 511638 to LZ UTE(356708) and secures LZ for TAG CP and C Co 81mm. Begins clearing opns in preparation for Bn move 1 Jul.

(3) C Co cont amb opn in same area. Vic 365590, located a corn field 100x100'. The corn was 5' high and ready for harvest in the next week. Area had been used by 3-4 indiv in past 1-2 days. Vic 363597, 1/C sqd ambush engaged and killed one Montagnard VC moving S on a N-S trail. Indiv was engaged at 5m, and was wearing a loin cloth, shirt and sandals, had neg weapon. Believed were 2-3 more indiv in the area, but sweep had neg findings.

(4) D Co cont to maintain of FSB ARMAGEDDON. 3/D OP 400m N of the FSB sighted 2 indiv, one of whom was attempting to turn a claymore around on the OP. The OP engaged the indiv with S/A resulting in 2 VMC KIA, one wearing khakis, the other a loin cloth. One Mass 36 CIA. There was also a heavy blood trail heading to the NE. A tracker team was called in but had neg findings.

(5) Recon cont to secure the mini-hipshoot and radio relay on Hill 612, with local security RIF's to the S and E.

B. Cumulative results of all opns since 15 Feb:

US losses: 54 W^{1A}; 15 KIA.

Fdly losses: 1 KCS WIA.

U^S inflicted enemy losses: 27 enemy KIA, (BC); 9 enemy (VMC) CIA; 28 S/A CIA

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16 matched charges CIA; 2 Chinese radios and 1 PRC-70 CIA; 4 Chinese wristwatches;
4 Chinese field phones CIA; 150,000 lbs rice, 1100 lbs salt CIA; rice bins
and wavy CIA.

2. Same

FOR THE COMMANDER:

WORLD W. WHIT
MLJ Infantry
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