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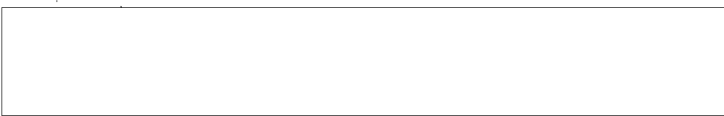
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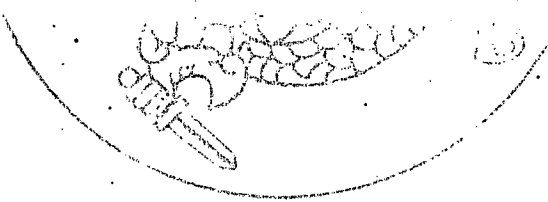
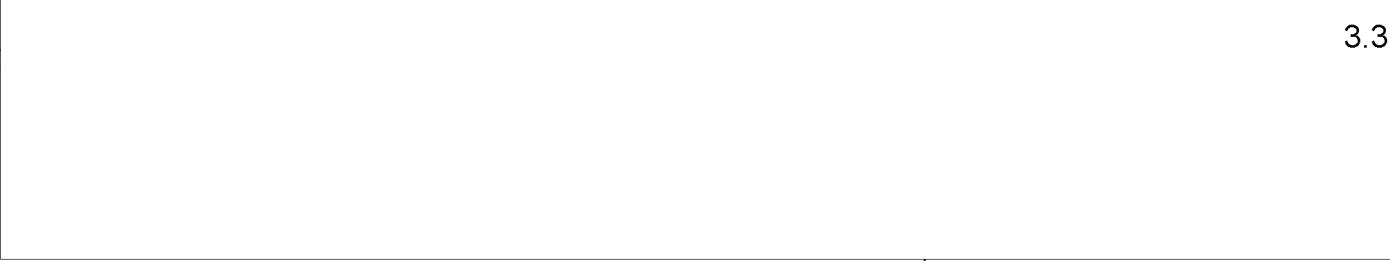
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1. On 4 February 1968, [] received order to go on a mission to meet Viet Cong Battalion 6 in the SAIGON area. [] left DUC HOA District, LONG AN Province, with a platoon of 28 men at 1900 hours 5 February, on the understanding that the group would be gone for two or three days and would return to DUC HOA at the end of that time. The group was equipped with AK rifles. Depending on individual strength, the soldiers carried from 120 to 300 rounds each for their weapons. The platoon leader carried a K54 pistol. Each man was also supplied with one liter of rice and was to receive eight Government of Vietnam piastres a day for food. 3.3(h)(2)
2. The 28-man group followed a route which went through TAN HOA and CAU TRE. [] did not know the names of other places through which the group passed because it travelled mostly at night. Many of the group members lost their way, leaving the group with nine men. En route to SAIGON, the nine men met and attached themselves to a larger 100-man group (unit unknown). This group was equipped with AK rifles and B4Os (number of weapons and rounds for each weapon unknown). [] saw no other military men moving toward SAIGON. 3.3(h)(2)
3. [] band and the larger force arrived on the western outskirts of CHOLON SAIGON at about 0300 hours 6 February 1968. The group members quartered in local houses in which the inhabitants supplied them with food. Later in the morning, [] was assigned to [] composed of sickly personnel. The other eight members of his original group were assigned to Company 1, Battalion 6, to which [] was assigned on 7 february. The 100-man group left for another destination within the SAIGON-CHOLON area. From 7 February to the time of capture on 9 February at approximately 0700 hours, Company 1 was not committed to battle. [] was captured after Government of Vietnam police made a sweep of the area in which he was housed for the evening. 3.3(h)(2)
4. [] Company 1 had a strength of 60 to 70 men, all equipped with AK rifles, and had about 120-130 rounds per weapon. 3.3(h)(2)

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