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Monthly Report

Ernie

1967

general
The situation in the north remained relatively stable during the month of January. Most significant were the two Viet Minh attacks on Na Khang (LS 36) and Nong Khang (LS 52). Both attacks resulted in decisive defeats for the Viet Minh. Body count showed 31 Vietnamese killed at Na Khang and 23 killed at Nong Khang, in addition to 2 prisoners, one Thai Dam and one Vietnamese. Neither attack produced any refugee movement. However the Nong Khang attack prevented, or has at least delayed, the evacuation of more Lao and Lao Thung from the ^{Nong Thung} area to Houei Hin Sa (LS 215). Small enemy probes were made during the month at Pha Thi, (LS 85), Moung Son (LS 59), Houei Sa An (LS 127), Nhot Phad (LS 179), Houei Thom (LS 27) and in the area of Pha Hang (LS 205). None of these ~~moves~~ moves produced any refugee movements. The areas to the south and west of Lima Sites 201 and 206 remain critical following the loss of Ban Vieng (LS 89) and Phu Se Bott (LS 82) in December.

The areas north-east, east and south-east of Sam Thong (LS 20) have remained stable and calm with the exception of Khang Kho (LS 204) 18 miles east of Sam Thong. Increased shelling ^{and} mortaring of friendly positions has been reported the past 2 weeks. ~~Tha Thom (LS 11) and~~ was reoccupied in late November. ~~Tha Vieng (LS 13) was reoccupied in~~ ^{late} as was Tha Thom (LS 11) in late November. The situation at Tha Thom is at a critical stage now. The local villagers in the Tasseng, 1670 people from 16 villages, are threatening to leave Tha Thom for Paksane. The soliders there are on the whole worthless as is shown by their actions when Tha Thom was lost in late November. As reported earlier friendly soliders systematically looted Tha Thom before the villagers

returned. Relations between the military and the villagers is growing worse. Many people are threatening to move to Paksane. This would be bad for several reasons. One, it would create a problem for Paksane. Two, it would leave void a very fertile rice-producing area. Three, it would be extremely bad publicity for the RLG if the area were evacuated. Four, it would create a vacuum in the strategic south-east approach not only to Long Thieng (LS 98) and Sam Thong, but ~~to the~~ might also affect the very successful resettlement program we have east of Tha Thom. I think that serious consideration should be made, ASAP, to putting an experience Forward Areas Team in Tha Thom. Certainly its location, a hub for both ground and river travel for Paksane and Sam Thong area, should warrant immediate attention in Vientiane as to the seriousness ^{of} to the problem.

During January STOL sites in the ~~northern~~ north were opened at Phu Vai (LS 219 ; UH 2303), Phu Pha Louam (LS 220 ; UH 9116), and Houei Moun (LS 221; UH 5843).

During January more refugees from the Ban Vieng (LS 89) and Phu Se Bott (LS 82) areas continued to drift into Houei Soong (LS 206). ^{refugees} There are 1366 Ban Vieng people at Phu Sam Soun (UG 8290) three kilometers from the Houei Soong airstrip. There are an additional 516 refugees huddling around the airstrip who came from 7 villages near Ban Vieng. Many of these people have been living in the forest for several weeks and are not in the best physical condition.

January 17-19 Pha Poun received ^(UH 3201 222) 203 new refugees from the Tham Hok-Ban Tha area (UG 6779). For security reasons, and to due to the lack of good fields, it is hoped that these people can be moved to ^{Phu Vai} ~~Pha Poun~~ (LS 219), a few days walk from Pha Poun. Phu Vai now has a population

of 908 people (208 dependents, 520 refugees and 180 people who are partially self sufficient). With any luck at all, Phu Vai and Pha Poun should be self-sufficient next year.

At Houei Hin Sa (LS 215) refugee commodities were distributed to 884 people. 202 people were evacuated from Nong Khang (LS 2) in early January, to Houei Kha Moun (LS 111) and then to Houei Hin Sa. The additional 682 are Meo who are perhaps typical of the way the people in the north have had to move around. In late 1963 these people were forced to leave Hong Non (LS 86) to Den Din (UH 7961). In 1964 they fled to Pha Thi (LS 85). Since then they have been to Houei Ma (LS 107) and then to Phu Tia (LS 185). Finally they have been relocated at Houei Hin Sa where they should be secure and free to clear rice fields.

On January 21 seven Lao Thung refugees came into Ngod Phat (LS 179) from Ban Houei T^{to}3, 3 kilometers north of the enemy-held Houa Moun (LS 55). More people are planning an escape attempt but it is not known how many people might be involved, in any. (A short paragraph is added to this report with concerning a brief conversation with these 7 people.)

IN mid-January refugee commodities were distributed to 124 refugees (20 Lao Thung and 4 Meo families) at Houei Tong (LS 196). Houei Tong now has a population of approximately 2405 people. (Another paragraph is added to this report concerning a talk with a refugee from Ban Mok Kha (THG 638) which has been under PL control for the past 6 years.)

One of the most encouraging events of the past few months occurred on January 27 when Companies 12031 and 12033 launched "Operation Linkup" from Houei Tong (LS 196). The objective of this operation is secure the area

between the Nam Seng and Nam Ou in eastern Luang Prabang province, which would in effect "linkup" eastern Luang Prabang and western Sam Nuea.

As of this time, February 1, these ADC's have crossed the Nam Seng at Ban Tha Vane (TH 7758). 30 men went upstream to Ban Se (6964) and have occupied the immediate area. The remaining 170 men proceeded from Ban Tha Vane to Phu Louam (TH 6864) where they have spread out to secure the area. The ADC's have suffered 1 KIA, and have captured 8 "PL" in addition to getting 6 defectors with weapons and ammo. While this operation should not produce any influx of refugees, it would be to our advantage to show some interest in these people, particularly the Lao people along the Nam Seng. In early January ^{25, 68} surrender passes and leaflets from the Chaw Moun of Moun Hien (LS48A) were dropped along the Nam Seng. These were obtained through the co-operation of USIS. Further plans are under way, with the help of USIS, to further provide this area with papers, posters, pamphlets etc. The area commander of Houei Tong, S/Lt. Blea Yang Mous, has asked for newspapers and pictures of the King for his mento pass out as they enter new areas. Projected plans call for the complete operation to proceed to Ban Sop Van (TH 5580) on the Nam Ou, if possible. This area contains several thousand Meo and Lao Thung who have expressed a desire to come under RLG protection and control. ~~as long as they are fighting a holding act in the north, as might as well hold a much territory and people as possible.~~

Appendix 1

The following is the result of a conversation with 7 Lao Thung "refugees" (1 woman, 2 men and 4 young teenagers) ^{on Jan 22} who walked into Yhod Phat from ^N Ban Houei Ts, 3 kilometers north of Hua Moung (LS58). The villagers in this area have remained in their area, both PL and RLG control. When control of this area wavered between PL and RLG control the people stayed in their village and continued their farming. There are 64 houses with about 300 people in Houei Ts. When the PL really consolidated their hold 2 years ago they gave each family rice, cooking pots, salt and one suit of clothes per family. Under PL control the village has had no school and no dispensary. There is one radio owned by a villager. There are 6 Viet Minh living in Houei Ts who have contact with outside areas by courriers only. Every 4-5 days 10-20 Viet Minh are reported to pass from Ban Moung ^{LS 179} to Ban Keo Boon (^{near} location unknown) generally carrying rice. There are 2 real PL cadres, local villagers, who actively support the PL and have weapons. No local villagers have ever been conscripted as coolies and the refugees say that the PL do not trust the local, although this may have been for my benefit, nor have the PL ever confiscated rice from the local people. When asked why the villagers never tried to go to Hua Moung when RLG forces occupied the village in September - December 1965, one man said he didn't know the path! (This obvious fabrication produced a round of laughs from everyone, including the refugees themselves.) However, their real motive for coming to Nhod Phat seems to have been economic. They said that they had used up their money reserves, their animal stock was depleted and they were afraid to work in their rice fields because of air strikes in the area. So, on January 19, 17 people made an attempted escape from the village late in the evening. Early in the morning of the 20th they were attacked in the village of Ban Keo. They suspect that the 2 local Ban Ts PL informed the Viet

Minh who waited to ambush the ^{app. 2} group. At first the Viet Minh only shot in the air to stop the people. However, as they began to run, they shot at individual people. Of the original 17, only 7 escaped. It is not known exactly what happened to other 10 whether they were killed or captured. The "spokesman" for the group has requested that Nhod Phat help liberate the remaining people in Ban Houei To. As of this time no action has been taken.

BA PHAN,

The following is the result of a talk with a refugee, on January 21, at Houei Tong (LS 196). Ba Phan, aged 20, came to Houei Tong from Ban Mok Kha (TH 8738) which has been under PL control for about 6 years. Ba Phan, along with ~~came~~ came to Houei Tong in November 1966 when ADC patrols entered the Ban Mok Kha area bringing out dependents of ADC's at Houei Tong. In the Mok Kha area there about 4-500 Lao Thung in 5 villages. When the PL first came to Mok Kha they conscripted many young men into the army. Most of these men were sent to the Nam Ou - Nam Bac areas. Several have returned to Mok Kha and have refused to fight as PL soldiers again. No local villagers have been conscripted as coolies. ^{under local leaders pulled} The people are fairly free to move about as a travel permit from the Nai Baan is needed only for travel of more than 10 days! Most of the travel is made to areas under RLG control, primarily to the east towards Pak Seng (TH 5831). Individuals band together in groups of 4-6 people and go to buy ~~their own~~ goods for themselves, and return to Mok Kha, where some of the merchandise might be sold to other villagers. Money, both "^{Le}Khong Le" and the Vientiane RLG ^{kip}variety, is obtained from selling opium and rice. PL patrols ^{1-3 times} come through Mok Kha 4 or 5 times a month. They ~~stay~~ ⁵² only stay one night and move on. While they are ~~there~~ the villages are required to feed the patrol. Sometimes they promise to return and pay for the food, but never do. No food is taken by the patrol to eat after they leave the village. Each villager gets to keep 70% of his rice crop and the Nai Baan takes the remaining 30% and puts it into a central warehouse for use by visiting PL if the local rice supply is not sufficient. No rice is sent away to other areas. Mok Kha has a village school of children under 15 years old. The teacher is a local man who receives no salary but goes to Pak Seng to buy school supplies which he sells to the students. The subjects are the normal ones taught in any village school. No propaganda is taught in the schools.

February Report

The general calm in the north continued through February. There were no major refugee movements, however 29 people, mostly old men and young woman and children, went to Pha Hang (LS 205) on the 10th. They are now being moved from Na Khang (LS 36) to Phone Sai (LS 211) where they have relatives. Another 109 people from MOUNG PEUM have moved to Phu Pha Louom (LS 220)

MOUNG HIEM (LS 48A) The resettlement program in MOUNG HIEM is progressing very well under the direction of the Chaw MOUNG. Paddy and up-land rice fields have been distributed to 449 families. Hill fields will be cleared this month and as will paddy. Distribution of ducks will be made next month and the Chaw MOUNG is preparing the first fish ponds in the area. This, along with the 24 water buffalo promised by USAID, is a big first step in getting these people back on their feet.

Ban Se (TH 9673) "Operation Link-up" suffered a temporary setback when bad weather, which prevented supply drops to the forward areas, forced the ADC's to pull back to Ban Se from their positions as reported last month. Two companies have moved north to the Nam Mi area (approx. TH 7970). A special 15 man team is moving back to the Phu Thi Phung-Phu Loung area (approx, TH 6763) to contact friendly Meo and Lao Thung groups. At this time 533 Lao formerly from have moved into Ban Se. They formerly lived These people, 208 from Ban Se, 191 from Ban Tha Vane (TH 7758) and 134 from Ban Bom Vang (TH 7969), were forced by the Patnet Lao to leave their villages in 1963. Since then they have been living in the woods or near the Nam Mi, sometimes forced to move 6-7 times per year. Two days after Ban Se was occupied I was able to go in. Since then I have spent much time there working with the people. In 2½ weeks the villagers built a 950 x 95 foot airstrip. 104 men have volunteered for the military and are already being used on patrols with the Meo/Lao Thung ADC's. A USAID medic was sent in immediately to treat the villagers-suffering

primarily from chronic colds and coughs. Many of the younger children show signs of severe vitamin deficiency. Through the co-operation of USIS packets of posters and magazines, including Lao flags, the constitution, maps of Laos, and most popular, color photos of the King, were distributed to every family. Even though most people are repairing their old houses or building new ones, they are most enthusiastic about future plans for the village.

6 Buddhist monks have re-opened the beautiful little wat. ~~and Three men with teaching experience~~ Plans are being made to rebuild the school - the old school ~~was torn down to complete with metal roofing sheets~~ ^{local} was torn down to build the airstrip - and three ^{local} men with teaching experience have been contacted. With the help of Kirk Dimmit vegetable seeds were distributed to the first 330 refugees and semi-marsh land has been picked to start the first garden. A site has been picked to put in fish ponds but this will take some time at the present time the villagers are too busy to undertake this project. It is hoped that the people can get in a partial rice crop this year. Due to the presence of the PL they cannot return to their old fields and bring in rice and the security now is not good enough in the surrounding areas to make "hail" too far from the village.

As ~~was~~ The program at Ban Se is one that USAID and the RLG cannot afford not to support. Here we have nearly intact villages, complete with local leaders, to work with. I have noticed a big change in the attitude of the people in the past month as they gained confidence in both themselves and in the first initial ^{contacts with} projects by the Chaw Mung, the local area commander and USAID. Adequate, but not overdone, support of Ban Se will be a big psychological boost for the RLG.

MR. ERNIE
KWHN

PHOWDENE DINE

5/7/67

①	REFUGEES.	27 F.	157 PEOPLE
②	ADC	13011	50 MENS
③	ADC	13012	50 MENS
④	ADC	13013	50 MENS
⑤	ADC	13014	50 MENS.

2nd HAT 1962
KUH N
NORTH OF P.D.

SITE			276	137
36	(22) 40 kg	(25)	100 kg	(22)
259	22 211	(+ 31)		
215	626	CALL		
184	425 -	110 cm	(235/130)	
230	241	224 cm	+ 119 = 360	224 cm (OK)
231	457	238 cm	(OK)	
201	346	127 cm	(OK)	
206	348	105 cm	(OK)	
50A	242		(OK)	
32	332	304 cm	+ 126 = 458	304 cm (142/54)
220	322		+ 121 = 443	(OK)
33	226		(OK)	
219	227	122 cm	(193/58)	$\frac{10,000}{1000}$

SGU 6 -	282	369	#36	1746	SGU 1100
8GU 10	253	503			FAR 6046
Z 4C	85		#215	FAR 55	
LS 06	104			SGU 206	
Z 5A ¹¹²⁷ 15230	<u>70</u>		Z 13	535	
	764		Z 14	205	
TEAMS	<u>50</u>		Z 15	175	
	814		Z 12	<u>190</u>	
				1105	

2+

2+

2+

note by Lao
1953: 61 ~~W~~ DRU killed many local
leaders in My List.

1968 or 69
talk w/ capt.
LY LAO
- KUTIN

2) up to 1953-54 many of bonds are pro
VH fixed by 2 years after funeral left
many people wanted funeral bond.

3) Sam Tai - Thai Khaw
Xeng Kho - My Khos area - Thai Dan
Hua Xeng (?) Thai Daeng area

4) Pha Th area only My Yut Lao -
Phan No, Sip Ka, $\frac{1}{2}$ Dan Na, Pong Dait =
Thai Khaw.

5) until 1953-54 no school in Meo,
Lao Thung areas

6) People ignorant of outside world - Many
Lao official "kom Lao haw"; people dubbed
officials; - almost no one ever goes to

②

Wenhon, XK a new San Xue at -
By Lao's parents new car went to SNE) -
PL/UM came in with political cadre
from LP, XK, UK, Luth, A and told
the people how bad things really were
in SN and how good the PL/UM over-
gave people and to people. People
believed because they didn't know better.
Haven't been reliable yet 1956-58(?)
people saw PL/UM men - men were
1958 got to look at all(?) things, photos
in the house in UK. Excellent
propaganda for people like Adam people
returned home. - By 1953-54 PL/UM
had cadre all over SN. ~~They~~ How many
Photos not PL

5) People Xing/Ku - Many/Ku - San Tai
are still loyal to PLG - L.L. He goes
contact with these people. -

My Lab - B. Nakhan Pro PL. - Civil

are not angry at PLC/USA for bombing
roads in their territories. - People

byang (byang fa gaza) waiting for PLC
to have power to liberate their area -

PL have good propaganda because they
can say - We are going to capture XXV
and bring in VM to both areas and then say
see we said we would take it - PLC
can call on no one.

c) VP told Ly Lo Consolidate PDS -
XKV area (Ban Da?) and the say of
we want a clear fire - You keep SA
and we keep XKhang. The PDS - XKV
area to resettle the Sam Nam people.

d) Cal Phan has fun in recent years - was
good agent and conducted meetings well -
was a brave soldier who was not afraid
to go out with his horse - Cal Phan

can never now be CK because he is from
San Neas - Ingonell for Nat & Cnhr
from San Neas to be CK.

2) $\frac{1}{3}$ Meo still under PL - $\frac{2}{3}$ Lao still
under PL.

8) Ly Lao says he knows Pert 87-413-452
are better than any one else - & by all that
hairs and would come to an end of as
all month.

9) ^{help 1953-4} from ~~1953-4~~ relate just like page - in
around (ma, by Sat Jan 21)

a) My Son X Icho, My Heli, B. N. City, = Lao del L.P. Lao
^{Wong Khong}
My Peen - Thai Pong says by Lao (tham people
say My Peen is Thai Phyeun.

Special team ① near Phu Pha Lang
reported - after 20 Aug - seeing
DRV troops heading north past
their position - in conjunction with the
Fao's on 20 Aug in PDT area.

② team now in area of Phu Dong Li 76 - very
few enemy reported

11) UM man to man in 2000 PFF(?)
At San Nuek - Sawannaporn say
*no

12) Map say PU is very strong -
fired 5 people like MV Deal. - people
under him was heard hear the man afraid
of him

80 - I

KUTIN
XIENG KHUANG
REF 51723

21 JUNE 69

PHA PHAU / PHU UONG / PHU UICHA

105 fm 678 p.

A. - 10 DAMJ.

9x 271 HANG ICHANG
(HOT ICHON)

LT. 122 f.

644 p.

L. 16 f.

89 p.

733

→ #32(?)

OLD ROT (?)

#50.

LT. 60 f.

936 p.

9x 271

LT. - M.

1000 (+?)

#33 AREA

#32 : A. 1733 → #32

50 336

1067

#26 → #32 1086

2155 → (2600+ - ?)

#50 → #32 13 MIN

80 → 32 - 20-25 min #50

Phu Xang Rao - TG 4754

25 June - 1964?

Xuong Dat 2026

32 ref.

2 Chao Moung.

1 (C) Police

#117 -

ref passed by to #26 same
group as now at #26.

#41 - 1140 -

Every still on PXR

2 New soldiers now at 41

sent 2 radios to #38

Ref. goods -

① Brady milk

② boat \$14,000

Phu Sang Hao. N #41

8-0900

P.L. entered valley -

~~200~~ 200 med villages

walked #41 - from village to

#41 - 1 hour walk -

every all P.L.

9-10 soldiers (all gone to #15 -)

from direction of #30

P.L. 200 +- (no one actually
saw that many.)

1500 people still moving to #50

REFUGEE SITUATION NORTH OF PDJ.

①

LS #219 PHU VIE

REFUGEES. MEO. 100-150 PEOPLE

LAOTNUNG. 63 PEOPLE

LAO. 52 PEOPLE SENT TO #32.

SOLDIERS. 200 MEN

②

LS #50 PHU CUM

REFUGEES. LAO/LT. 3550 (FROM THE #271 AREA)

MEO. 500 PEOPLE (FROM #80 AREA)

③

SOLDIERS. 70 MEN.

LS #06 PHU VIENG

REFUGEES. LAOTNUNG. 315 PEOPLE

LAO 315 PEOPLE

SOLDIERS 312 MEN

④

PHU BIA UG 1790 SIG. "O"

REFUGEES. LAO/L.T. 300 PEOPLE.

⑤

LS #33 SAN PHA KHA

REFUGEES. MEO/LAO/LT 2665 PEOPLE (ABOUT
1/2 ARE FROM #80, 1/2 IN AREA)

SOLDIERS. 178

⑥

HOUE ENEN UH 1519 SIG "II"

REFUGEES. 584 PEOPLE

SOLDIERS. 78 MEN

⑦

#16

⑧

#102

⑨

196

⑩

178

⑪

184

⑫

201

⑬

231

⑭

206

(57 NO ONE)

7/7/69
E. KUHN

REFUGEE/DEPENDENT SITUATION NORTH OF PDJ

FIGURES FOR ITEMS 1 THROUGH 8 WERE OBTAINED BY NAIKHONG HERTOU (USAO) AND MYSELF 7/6/69. THEY ARE AS ACCURATE AS POSSIBLE AT THE PRESENT TIME TO DUE THE SHIFTING OF REFUGEES IN THE LS #80-50 COMPLEX. FIGURES FOR ITEMS 9 THROUGH 14 HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED PREVIOUSLY.

①. [#]LS 16 PHU FA

REFUGEES - MED/SOME LAOTHUNG - 2512 PEOPLE

②. [#]LS 102 PHU FA NOI

REFUGEES - 2300 PEOPLE REPORTED BUT THERE IS SOME UNCERTAINTY IF ACCURATE.

③. ^{*}LS 219 PHU VIE

REFUGEES MED - c/50 PEOPLE

LAOTHUNG - 63 PEOPLE

LAO - 52 PEOPLE (SENT TO #32 7/6/69)

SOLDIERS - 200 MEN.

④. ^{*}LS 50 PHU CUM ~~REFUGEES LAO/LT 3550 (#271 AREA)~~

8 JULY 69

JACK/PHIL.

ADDITION TO LIST I SENT DOWN
7/8/69 -

TO 7287 SIG "2" BANH LAO

REFUGEES - 720 LAO FROM
LS #261, MOUNG YU

(1126 LAO ?) FROM THE
"BANH LAO AREA" - REPORTED
BY CHAW MOUNG OR
MOUNG YU - HAVEN'T SEEN
YET WITH OWN EYES AS
TO WHY THEY ARE REFUGEES.

SDA. CHANGE THE SDA HEO AT
PNM COM TO 682 PEOPLE.

Ernie

#06 u - 7/23/69

45 MENT

1 801010 STCT

870 -

"2"

176 p. for

$$\begin{array}{r} 176 \\ 2 \\ \hline 352 \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 40 \\ \hline 600 \text{ kils} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 176 - 88 \\ 30 \\ \hline 2640 \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 1200 \\ \hline 2 \end{array}$$

150 p dt. below
total 326 milage

check with #06 first
regarding Rice in area.

$$\begin{array}{r} 176 \\ 66 \\ 70 \overline{) 2640} \\ 240 \\ \hline 240 \\ 240 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

#80 - Mr. Pok - 1600 still at #80
have not seen anyone come out -

863 total people #06

#14

3 JULY 69

- ① 3-4 family not on original list -
telling the new sent list u.
- ② 197 people now here at #191
- ③ total 5-600 total people - 964-11.
- ④ were told could take families
to Pk Day - Long Her train
at #5 told them they could take family
to #191 - after training at 5, return
to #191, take family #74 → #05.
- ⑤ still 2-300 people at #191 want
to military.
- ⑥ 108 new recruits ..

Phu Keng 8/14/69

11/6 71 p. ex Phu Chm
8/10/69 - Lao

Hat Kang dep 7f. 29 p
at Hauie Cha. ex 50 (80)

Phu Bua

91 new people ex 26 → 52 → PB.

33 9 old Lt. (Lao)

Phu Keng - road reach then
1 Lt. C-46 drop.

8/11/69 - 13 ref to 50 - met many
how many captured? some to 50
some to 06.

Pha Ueng #06 27 July 69.

Rec

Pha Ben - 347 people refugees:
dependent. 140/44.

tonny Pha Ch - Long Ichen.

multy 101 soliden.

Pha Ueng 410 people tonny Pha Ch
82 families on the aunting and
around shop -

$103 + 102 = 205$ soliden.

tonny	Long Khan	252	440	347
	tonni Che Day	133	44	410
	tonny	38	4	384
	Hat Keng			1144

total ref/dp. 1141 people
206 soliden.

5/6 days. for stop.

Reel a while Thai came to collect village -
the group said may rich, PL said will
be back in 3 days - Ref wanted, second
day, fled to #33.

PL medic stayed - his grandfather
of P.H. nation. - Medic fled with rifle
but was fatally killed in trail, wounded
near morning.

Weapons given to village

5 cartons thrown away

55 cartons given to #33.

$$\begin{array}{r} 1141 \\ 15 \\ \hline 5705 \\ 1141 \\ \hline 17115 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 306 \\ .8 \\ \hline 244.8 \\ 30 \\ \hline 7344.0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 73440 \\ 17115 \\ \hline 90555 \end{array}$$

(E)

$$\begin{array}{r} 22 \\ 40 \overline{) 90555} \\ \underline{80} \\ 105 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 7344 \\ 17115 \\ \hline 24459 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 611 \\ 40 \overline{) 24455} \\ \underline{240} \\ 45 \\ \underline{40} \\ 55 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 125 \\ 6.5 \end{array}$$

Request.

Knives, pliers, pots, spoms - big knife.
in general request any/all repair supplies

Progn. send white cloth for
The Bin with (E)

No medic here at #06 - request
medic work this area.

215 Pkn Van

7/27/69 - 51 32 p Pkn Lo.

1/8/69 236 70 p 16200 Gram

189. Hamitong Khs.

240 men or "v"
1000 people dep 21/4/11.

TBU 26. B. Str.
4 co still at A-L.

8/22/69 Haug Long #206

① METAL ROOFING SHEET FOR

WAY 280 - ?

② 4-5 CASES METAL FOR #206

8/24/69 Baum Long #72

① Plu Bia - 727 p.

Lao/Mes 272 pop.

~~HAUTER~~

8/24/69 Baunlong #32

Baunlong E 4/C 4/6 (120 in field)

L.P. SOLDIERS 200 (20)

SGU 3 (SAUNNAKHE) 390 (293)

REF/DCP. 4006

ADD SGU-1 "VP" 250(3)

8/27/69 #219 PHU VIE

¹⁶
~~57~~ 822 LAUTUNG/LAO
248 MEO

²
177 450 ald #PHU VIE LAO-THUNG

150 450 PHU WAN LT

92 450 PHA PHOU LT

62 } HOUIC HOA 1 X THAM LA
TASSONG

} PHAN ZO LAO

95 } KHN GUAVA LAO

SUAN BA LT.

16 ✓
592

592

283 ADC's.

248

840 ROT.

T UG 2968.

115 - H UG 3272 - 9/2/52/8

X UG 3071 PNU KNW (105m)

I UG 2960

V UG 3572

F UG 3265

UG 4169 402

UG 4271 402

UG 2876 20m

UG 3581 freely polished area.

28 Aug 69 #72
Refugee x PDT

1 Klop Khom

Klop

Murray Peh. + Murray Kang Sam' ^{old} ^{Chanh Peng} ^{to say's name}

1) 12 villages - T.K. Sang, 120p all 20p all 18p all

17/ Na Pia - Natan - B. Phon (38) ??

- B. Na ^{W. get} - Ca H ^{32p / not get} - Xheng Di

(29) Na Moan - Na Waa ^{38p} Na Ho ^{20p} (who)

256 B. ^{hang} ~~hak~~ - Xheng Neun - B. Sean (218)

all 12 villages coming out.

192 180 families

192

6
1152

Na Pia 20p 100+ people came out before

old name of total town -

Tong Sen Nai + Tong Udom

Now divided 3 part - 1 Kang Sam

new 1 Udom old

old Sen Nai

new 1 Sen Boon

new Uey Nai

R#6

Dan Don	(461 km from Vte)	RK 0
M. Peun		127
San Neue		168
M. Paun		238
DRJ board	→ → →	N. Dail 258

R# #7

21 Vinal		Sal Phakha
Phu Khau	(263 km from Vte)	RK 0.
M. Sami		92
Brat XKV		140
Khay Khai		154
Ban Ban		198
Nay Hui		265
DRJ Beach		RK 279

Na Maun -

Saw Houm Ma
studded - return.

11 5

35

53

12

2

10

10

10

10

10

UG 303-715

X

(CP)

352-724

V

416-708

AL(?)

Pabu
* #2

282-681

I

312-705

L

289-681

T

UG- 407-695 Rd

75 9348A

75 9646

+ } HA
G }

9 BD

3 CR

4 ~~FW~~ CO

8 GC

+ } HA
G }

9 CC

6 MN

4 AY

6 CB

UN

8/18/69 lv. SAM THONG 1130

or VIENTIANE 1215

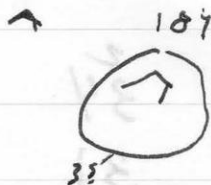
8/19/69 lv VIENTIANE 1500

or SAM THONG 1545

8/22/69 lv. SAM THONG 1230

or HOUANG SONG 1330

Hong Nam - (cont'd)
need net~



50

Xueng Kho.

9/6

59 p. at # ^{House} ~~27~~ Sai

My Sam - no people -

Hong Non.

① Ref 10 plan.

1) Hong Mung	155/	990 p.
2) Xuy Dat	14/ →	90p → #20.
Self support. 3) Nam Phukon	91/	560 p (136)
4) Nuklaung	57/	243 p
5) Long Hat / Phu He & D		2313 p
6) 184	1611	10,056 ✓
7) My Ban	98	633
8) Pha Mau	82	514
9) #20 A.	29.	103
10) #80	10.	88.

1968-69 - ~~1506~~ 1609 KIA in Son Nam.

15,690 people left.

⑬.

Phu He - 1-2 dead per day - where can they go
#184.

reg. salary out #184 - no pig to cook
out.

Hova Mung-

- ① old ref. 2000 +
- ②. new ref 1000 + 68-69
 - a) still supported.
- ③ prob. widows, amputees, dep.
 - b) 216 dep 48/80; 26-7-8
 - c) 231p ³⁷⁶ 9x #220 - #50 - #26 → #211.
blacksmith tools - 1 set.
- ④. need need - animals dying -

1066
~~1066~~ p feed.
79 p need feed.
1145

PAW PNA KNA #337

27 JULY 69

HANOI CHEN	UN 1624 - 4 PI	603 p	87%
PNA KOO	MEC 8-53 msg 200.0.4.4.4.	618 p	92%
PNA LAM	LAO TRUNG 1/2 271-58 1/2 huc	724 p	106%
PNONG NOG (stayed here)	LAO	126 p	22%
		2061	307
		603	87
		1458	220
			#33

#33 - 1458 ref. 220 fam.

180 sold.

655 bags.

H.C. UN 1519 II

603 ref.

76 sold.

87 fam (272 bags)

76

WENT to UN 1624 Hanoi NAW.

with 20 bags.

85-14
41 8
126 22

THAM KONG UA 345-306

799 120
85 14
714 106

#50 Phu Quoc 7/27/69
49 people

#53 8 days - 50 12 days
Phu Hai

June 30/69 left Phu Hai

50A - 2500 people 7/21/69 Deep Water

50 - 8241

Saw 3-4 families 17-18 people Ba Chanh
walking back to Chanh - said were going
back to original home - enemy was not
forcing them to go.

Van Pao still there

Saw Phu Hai people taken to My Son.

Don News

Samie Sai.

1816

987p ↑

3 X Rice

Phu Loi 122 / 706p.

* Lao Phu Loi request to be settled
in a safe place -

no problem health

* reg - reticular vacuolate
preg/chik/dunk.

Security HS- #246 #11 area - no
troops except V.V.

OK says as long as no troops -
every will not come - troops there every
worried, may attack (say like ~~there~~
goaline : fur, go for fur fur, no prob -
go close to fur - bang!

Blaise says Mom VP Kasmith meet on
it already.

Muong Son -

#246-

- ①. old ref ^{3rd} 381 p RR does not support any more
- ② 3 villages 389 p lost year from ^{2nd} ~~2nd~~ SN - RR still supports. $\frac{1}{2}$ X rice

request salt for old refugees.

- ③ blacksmith tools for new ref. 1 set
- ④ most of people #246 are really mil dependents. APC's #76 (?)



have medic. OK

request Vet to vaccinate
4 cows to #246

8/8/69

508 ref.

50A → #219 → #32

Murray same

BU 25	530
BI 14	480
BI 15	395
BI 17	470
DC 108	370
as below (P)	<u>240</u>

2485
+ 1000
3585

SR. 340
3825

TO 9646

H. near airplane

000

#184 rod.

UH. ~~235-407~~ 1T.
2"

UG 0452 2T

48N area.

BV 75 (PL)

UH 5119 (300mm)

UH 3926

UH 4920 N/4 48

BV 1 (PL/uh)

UH

Aph fall M. Lami

tooth UH 1893 1397

1198 tooth crossy river and
burned and milled

#32

SGU	201-	200
	206	200
ADC	5/A	200
	4/C	415
	4/A	312

Oct 69 # 206-231 220 students

Oct 69 - 2 men willing to go to Pha Phai.
Pat Ken area special team -
2000 people. LHO/LY

Bay. 15 commander.
1600 hrs → B. Khai

SUMMER 1968
MUONG SOUEI
KUTH 3500
3424 km

500 Newt left
at L108

PB 101

1330 ordered everyone to F. Khai.

Pilot what?

refn to #26 C123 lands. reimpresnt

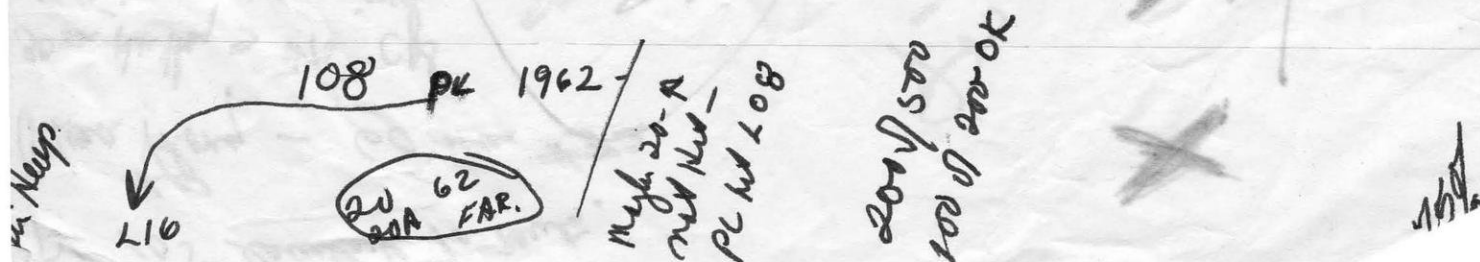
+6 700-648

0800 Col Singh to P. Phakaw - req. plans to #26
700 civilians from #108 - Choppers to #26

ref from 24th until Lat Haw May??
solider

104 Newt solider now at #41
solider #41 to #26 on Lat.

all ref. to #26 - ARMA decision to
send to L16 or L08 - ...



~~PRE-MARCH 1968~~
 Refugees at Houei Sai
 KULN (VTE PROVINCE)
 ca. 1970 (?)

HOUAI SAI TF 5594 "O" LAO

	TOTAL		REFUGEES		MIL. DUA	
	<u>F.</u>	<u>P.</u>	<u>F.</u>	<u>P.</u>	<u>F.</u>	<u>P.</u>
NA MOUNG	15	72	13	65	2	7
MOUNG YUT	14	53	12	48	2	5
NAHIC MEN	48	182	30	112	18	70
KEO SANG	9	61	9	61	0	0
NONG KHANG	17	98	17	98	0	0
NA THERE	25	127	22	122	8	5
KHUA DIN	8	44	8	44	0	0
MOUNG HOT	3	25	3	25	0	0
NAHIC TONG	5	24	5	24	0	0
BAN CHAY	18	86	8	28	10	58
BAN THAY	11	62	2	8	9	54
HUA SIENG	<u>12</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>20</u>
	185	879	135	660	50	219