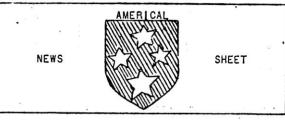
THURSDAY Mostly fair with scat-

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tered showers. High 95°, low 77°.



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AMERICAL DIVISION NAS

CHU LAI (AMLAICAL IO)—Action was scattered yesterday in the Americal Division's scuthern I Corps Tratical Zone as Division forces and supporting elements accounted for 11 VC and eight NVA killed and one crew-served and four individual weapons acceptured.

"Charger" units of the 196th Inf. Bde. and supporting elements killed eight VC and captured one individual weeps in operation wheeler/wallows yesterday.

The 2d Bn., 1st Inf. command and control helicopter killed two VC 17 miles northwat -of Tam Ky.

A4th Bn., 21st Inf. company in two separate incidents nine miles south of Hoi an killed two VC and captured one M-16-rifle. The battalion command and control helicopter later killed two VC in the same area.

A 3d Bn., 21st Inf. "Gimlet" company killed one evading VC 15 miles west of Tam Ky.

"F" Trp., 8th Cav. killed one VC four miles east of Theng Binh.

Scattered enemy contacts yesterday resulted in eight NVA and three VC killed, two suspects detained, and three individual and one crew-served weapon captured during operations by 11th Bde. infanty-men in Quang Ngai Province.

Troops of a 1st Bm., 20th Inf. company killed three NVA and then discovered a weapons and supply cache containing one NFD light machinegum, two AK-47 rifles, six RPG-7 rocket rounds, six Chicom hand grenades, one M-26 hand grenade, three MPD machinegum drums, over 1500 rounds of K-47 chamo., 600 rounds of K-16 ammo., pouch, nine NVA packs, one U.S. trip flore, three NVA first aid packs, two NVA helmets, and assorted documents. The cache was found near a trail 20 mile west of Guang Maci City.

"hero occuts" of the 123d hym. Bn. killed the Win separate actions near nuts located near the Tra huc hiver 15 and 16 miles west of Guang Ngai Gity. The "Scouts" also captured an 11-1 carbine and detained one suspect in that action

lith Bde. MFs from Duc Fho killed an evening 7C near a hut four miles northwest of the "Jungle Warriors" home.

at 10 knots.

A 3d En., 1st Inf. company killed five NVA yesterday after receiving automatic weapons fire about three miles southwest of Ha Thanh.

In action late Monday night troops of a 3d Bn., 1st Inf. company detrined one suspect among huts near the Tra May River 15 miles west of Cunng Ngoi City.

Action was light and scattered in the 196th Inf. Bde. area of operations yesterday as "Brave and Bold" soldiers denied the enemy supplies and destroyed booby traps.

"Frefessionals" of a 5th Bn., 46th Inf. company found 400 pounds of rice the VC had cached in the hills northwest of Chu Lai. Later the campany found and destroyed three booby traps.

Three N-79 rounds were found by a company of the 1st Bn., 6th Inf. as they searched a ridge line west of Chu Lei.

Another "Regulars" unit of the 1st Bn., 6th Inf. treated 426 Vietnamese during five NEDCAPs north of Gu Lai yesterday.

lst Bn., 52d Inf. Civic Action soldiers brought the total of civilians treated yesterday to 472 as the "Ready Rifles" attended to 46 more Vietnamese civilians.

"Drogoons" of the lst Sidn., lst armored Cav. reported no significant contacts in their area of operations yesterdy.

Division forces suffered six soldiers killed and 31 wounded and evacuated for medical treatment.

MARKICAL NEWS SHEET

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New Guinea early Tuesday and was felt over a large area of the South Pacific. No injuries or deaths were reported although therewas some damps in villages. I near Pinchaven on the central east coast of New Guinea. The quake caused a break in the Season cable which may take five to seven days to repair.

HONG KONG—An explosion abound a ship at the Hong Kong dockyard has counted two deaths and injuries to 17 dockyarders, five of whom are in artificial condition. The explosion abound the Coastal Sentry also touched off a fire which spread to another ship. The cause of the explosion was not immediately known.

SAIGON-Allied troops patrolling the jurgles north of Saigon have unconved more than 50 tons of munitions. It was possibly the largest communist weapon cache of the way. A military source estimates that there are enough arms in the cache to arm a communist regiment of 1500 men on a full scale operation.

then licture a secretion of anomics reverled Tues by that the film industry seen will begin a voluntary make rating system to protect from store from excelsion ive sex and violence on the screen.

Jack Telenti, testifying before the latte Joint Legislative Committee on time and violence, said Tell the especial seguents of the American Notion licture Industry! would participate in the rating program.

He said 60 to 65 percent of all therters in the U.S. entering to 55 percent of the nation's movie goes have agreed to take part in the plants "valuntarily restrict the admission of dilldren to their therters."

He said all films to be shown in the United States including foreign imports, would be rated if the "industry believes (them) not to be suitable for the immature."

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