



SR	DATE	EVENT	BACKGROUND, OPINIONS ETC	SOURCES	COMPILER'S COMMENT
355	6/7 May 72	Contract ops KIA by mine near MAMUAA.		(46) (261)	Name NK.
356	7 May 72	HABARUT. Further fighting and airstrikes		(250) (252-3)	
357	7 May 72	SIMBA. Capt HASTIE-SMITH WIA.		(254) (277)	
358	7/8 May 72	AKOOT abandoned - JANOOK occupied. MANSTAN occupied (airtd for SIMBA). 8 vehs mined near MANSTAN.	Simba attacked with rockets & more almost daily	(250) (46)	
359	7-20 May 72	Civ KIA in mine incident W. of SAF. Some skirmishes in NW Plain + HHS.		(254) (46) (4)	
360	7-20 May 72	LED PALS and MUGHSHAYK abandoned. ABOU 1/3 retained.		(46)	
361	11 May 72	SAF withdrew from HABARUT.	Sultan considered a counter-offensive against HAWF but was discouraged by BAM.	(46) (252-261)	
362	14 May 72		Def Sec/CSAF/BAM discussed assistance required by SAF. 12x 25 pr quia from Jordan - ammo - extra if aid arty effs - RAF sp - 2500 GPMGs. Radar for Salalah continues a problem	(262-6) (282)	See serial 379.
363	16 May 72	Mor attack on HH 'c'!		(270)	See serial 372
364	18 May 72	TAWI ATAKR abandoned. AIN W/H abandoned but JIBJAT still held. Small scale activity during period 7-20 May; some rebels KIA: 2 civs killed in TADA by RC.		(46) (4)	
365	22 May 72	HABARUT. SAF returned & found Sultan's fort demolished. C Coy NFR east pos 1 m NE of airstrip with 75mm guns & mor. 3 long range contacts. SAF lost 1 KIA on 24 May.	Sultan no longer able to ex restraint and ordered air attack on HAWF.	(267-9) (271) (47)	
366	23 May 72	OP JACKAL covered withdrawal from AMIATON posns.	Small scale contacts continue in Jaw, Marbat fired on.	(4) (47) (273)	