

NOON 18 MARCH 84. AT WIDE
STOP IN ROAD SOLDIERS ARE
USING RAILROAD TIES AND
HAND LABOUR TO CREATE A
BERM. BERM IS A SEMI CIRCLE
FACING TOWARDS ROAD & HILLS.
BACK OF BERM CONSISTS OF
VEHICLES SOME ARE IN MOST
JUST FACING OUTWARD. MANY
OF SOLDIERS ARE MOVING AROUND
ON BOTH SIDES OF ROAD AND
IT IS A VERY RELAXED ATTITUDE
AFTER DARK SOLDIERS COME
BACK WITHIN BERM FIRES
STARTED. LPS SENT ACROSS
ROAD ON BOTH SIDES OF
ROADS. 5-8 MAN PATROLS PERIODICALLY
COVER BOTH SIDES OF ROAD UNTIL
2400. WHEN PATROLS STOP

2200 hrs. group of Hill
people comes down (They are
wearing GRAY robes) sets up
on road between wide
area and site #1. They
dig in ground for AuH₄L.
MAY BE 15 men in THIS
GROUP.

2300 AROUND 50 Hill
people come down between
SITE #2 AND WIDE SPOT.
THEY ARE CARRYING HEAVY LOADS
(SEE SKETCH) AND AT LEAST ONE
Tubular object. THEY GO UP
AND DOWN FOR SEVERAL
HOURS AND EVIDENTLY SET UP
ON SOME RELATIVELY HIGH
GROUND BEHIND REAR OF BERM,

AT 0100 2 LARGE GROUPS
(50-100) OF MEN COME DOWN
ON SIDES BETWEEN THE
TWO EARLIER GROUPS, THEY
SWING BACK IN TOWARD THE
BERM BUT IN THE REAR
BY THE VEHICLE. AT APPROX-
IMATELY 0400 ATTACK BEGINS.
SMALL FIRE IS DIRECTED AT
BACK OF COMPOUND. SEVERAL
MIN CRAWL UNDER COVERING
FIRE INTO COMPOUND THRU
VEHICLES. FLARES LIGHT UP
AREA BUT THEY ARE AIMED
AT FRONT BETWEEN BERM
AND ROAD. STRONG POSSIBILITY
THAT CARRYING TEAM ON HIGH
GROUND IS FIRING CREW
SERVED WEAPONS. THERE IS

AN EXPLOSION (POT P) TOWARD

REAR CENTER OF CAMP. CREW
SERVED WEAPONS FIRE FROM
CAMP BUT FIRE IS DIRECTED
~~PRO~~ TOWARD SIDES. ATTACK
IS FROM REAR.

ATTACK PROBABLY ONLY
LASTS 10 MINUTES. AT SPOT
IN ROAD WHERE GREY ROBED
MEN WERE THERE ARE LEAST
TWO GUTTED VEHICLES.

DURING ATTACK THERE IS
A SMELL OF BURNING ALUMINUM,
CORDITE, MAYBE CS. THERE
ARE NOISES. A STEADY THUMP,
THUMP. AND A SHARP CLANK
CLANK,

SYNRIDE THERE ARE
ABOUT 12 TO 20 LIGHT ARMORED
VEHICLES BETWEEN BORN AND

ROAD, ONE VERY LARGE
HELICOPTER AND ALSO SEVERAL
SMALLER HELICOPTERS PARKED
BETWEEN THESE ARMORED
VEHICLES AND BERM. THERE
ARE ALSO AT LEAST 3
OR 4 OTHER HELICOPTERS
FLYING BACK AND FORTH
OVER ROAD AND HILL.