

# Where The Battle Raged

Platoon Sergeant Sisto Cicuzza of Junction City, Kans., commanding the lead tank of Troop B's 1st Platoon, rushed toward the perimeter and spotted a concealed Viet Cong ambush force along both sides of Highway 13. He immediately blasted canister from the main gun, spraying the entire area as the platoon rumbled on at maximum speed. The enemy gunners were able to score only two hits with their anti-tank rockets, causing few casualties.

"Charlie" had launched another fierce attack as Troop B's platoon began to close on the perimeter. Alcalá decided to slice through the attacking enemy throngs by sweeping the incoming platoon around the smoking perimeter with every available weapon flashing red hot steel. The maneuver succeeded in crushing the assault and increasing the enemy casualty toll.

