

August 18, 1993 IS DATE OF DOD LIST

DOD List includes 3 cases of men known to be PWs at Homecoming, plus 77 cases of men either last known alive or about whose fate the Lao should have information because the men are believed to have lived through the incident of their loss.

26 of the 77 cases were captured by the Lao, the remainder were captured by the Vietnamese. The letter codes are at the bottom of the lists. The significance of the notation that a case was on the Vessey list is that the whole file was given to the Vietnamese without obtaining anything in return.

Note also that during the war, Soth Petrasz received files on men lost in Laos, a figure of over 100 comes to mind.

LAOS DISCREPANCY CASES AND NAMES --- EVERY MAN LISTED BELOW WAS CAPTURED IN LAOS.

KNOWN TO BE BE PWS HELD IN LAOS AT HOMECOMING - 3 CASES, 5 MEN

CASE NUMBER

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NAMES

DEBRUIN

HERRICK

INTORATAT

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SHELTON

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