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No	Time	Loc	1/14th Arty Missions Annex	Inform	INT	
1	0001		Open Journal		MM	
2	0135		Grid BT 179090 ill for dustoff.		AG	
3	0140		Check fire in 2nd quad; also 1st and 4th quads confired.		AG	
4	0325		Grid BT 174095 recon by fire for Co D.		AG	
5	0445		Check fire in 2nd quad.		AG	
6	0545		Check fire in 2nd and 3d quads.		AG	
7	0650		Grids BT 2812, BT 2913 for preparation.		AG	
8	0710		Grid BT 198077 4.2 inch settle plates.		AG	
9	0920		Grid BT 162072 81 MM registration.		AG	
10	1000		Grid BT 153109, BT 155109, BT 123053 registration; BT 182100 negative clear.		AG	
11	1230		Grids BT 125023, BT 121017, BT 130027, BT 136071, BT 145012, BT 129022 LNO VC location.		FM	
12	1350		Grid BT 186108 suspected VC location for Co A.		FM	
13	1430		HI's clear for 105 MM.		FM	
14	1435		HI's clear for 4.2 inch mortar.		FM	
15	1643		Grid BT 175118 recon by fire Co A.		FM	
16	1656		Grid BT 177104 contact Co D.		FM	
17	1735		Grid BT 181104 suspected VC location for Co D.		FM	
18	1746		Grid BT 215076 clear.		FM	
19	1800		Grid BT 225095 VC and hooches for Recon.		FM	
20	1815		Grid BT 22490955 same as above.		FM	
21	1830		Grid BT 188108 suspected VC location not shot.		FM	
22	1900		81 MM, 4.2 inch, 105 MM cleared HI and DT1		FM	
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S3, 1st Bn 46th Inf 23d Inf Div			Hill 185 BT 173078 LZ Professional, RVN		From	To	
					0001	29 Sept 69	2400 29 Sept 69
No	Time			Inform	INT		
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1	0001		Open Journal				NM
2	0055		Neg sit rep	Bde			NM
3	0140	0215	Called urgent dustoff for Co D. 2 US paxs sustained gun shot wounds by friendly small arms fire at night laager location BT 178088. Dustoff complete 0215 hours and paxs taken to 91st evacuation in Chu Lai. (JACOBS, E3, 468 56 2964, 11C10, gun shot wound in abdomen was in critical condition. RICHMOND, E3, 296 44 3843, 11B10, gun shot wounds in legs was in fair condition). Both paxs were wounded by friendly fire when they were entering the Co D night laager perimeter. The EM had been with an ambush that closed the Co D night laager perimeter prior to 2400 hours but two EM had negelected to closed at that time and it was not known by perimeter guards they were outside. Upon approaching perimeter at 0140 hours they were brought under fire.				NM
4	0255	0300	Neg sit rep	Bde			NM
5	0355	0400	Neg sit rep	Bde			NM
6	0400	0400	Co D moving north.				NM
7	0455	0500	Neg sit rep	Bde			NM
8	0530		Co D locati on BT 183094.				NM
9	0605	0625	Tien Phuoc and Hau Duc report neg sit rep and taking malaria pills.	Bde			NM
10	0645		Requested resupply bird for today at 1200 hours.	Bde			TS
11	0650		Requested 3 preplanned airstrikes for 30 Sept grids BT 124018, BT 128014, BT 144024.	Bde			TS
12	0735		Locations: Co C 3d plt departed east; Co D BT 186094.				TS
13	0805		All elements of PROFESSIONALS reported taking malaria pill.				TS
14	0807	0815	Co D at grid BT 188094 found 2 hooches 8ft x 6ft and one hooch 10ft x 4ft dug into side of hill - well, overhead cover, rock, and concrete fronts. Also at this location	Bde			TS
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14	cont.		found 5xfemales, ages 25-35, 10 children ages 2-9; negative action taken.				Bde	TS
15	0825		Helix 11 on station.					TS
16	0835	0840	Locations: Co A BT 183119; Co C 3d plt BT 232047; Co D BT 188094.				Bde	TS
17	0845		Helix broke station.					TS
18	0850	0855	C&C on station Rattler 18, tail No 210, 10 hours to maint. negative flaership.				Bde	TS
19	0905	0910	0840 hours, Co D 3d plt spotted one VC/NVA at proximity of 50 meters south, engaged with small arms; negative results. Checking area at this time; negative packs or weapons.				Bde	TS
20	0950		Locations: Co A BT 185114; Co C 3d plt BT 233044; Co D BT 189100; Recon 3 departed east.					TS
21	0955	1000	Co D at 0940 hours at grid BT 189100 found one hooch approximately 8ft x 12ft and 8 children ages 2-9, 2xfemales ages 45. In back of hooche they found a large cave 3ft diameter, 12ft deep and opened into a room 4ft x 8ft. Believed to be used as a sleeping quarters; negative action taken.				Bde	TS
22	1015	1016	Bde requested clearance on US airstrike, 0600 to 1900 hours, 30 Sept; cleared by Lt Brownlee. Also clearance on VNAF airstrike, 0600 to 1800 hours, 30 Sept grid BT 256108; negative clearance.				Bde	TS
23	1050	1055	Locations: Co A BT 181112; Co B 2nd plt departed east; Co C 3d plt BT 234045; Co D BT 186105; Recon BT 220100.				Bde	TS
24	1150		Location Co C 3d plt BT 236044.					TS
25	1155	1210	Requested from Bde aviation a combat assault for 1 Oct.				Bde	TS
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25	cont.			time of 1st PZ 1000 hours, PZ at LZ Prof to secured LZ at grid BT 173117, LZ secured by Co A. Also an air commanders meeting at LZ Prof on 30 Sept, 1500 hours. Approximately 100 paxs both ways, 3 lifts, 5 liftships, 2 guns and 1 C&C.			Bde TS
26	1240	1245		Locations: Co C 3d plt BT 237047; Co D BT 183105; Co D 2d plt BT 186105; Recon BT 224101.			Bde TS
27	1230			Location Co C 3d plt BT 242047.			TS
28	1400			Bde requested clearance for sky spot grid BT 275032, 291800 to 300600 H S ept for 198th Bde; cleared by Cpt Stanford.			SW
29	1445			URS location from Bde S2: BT 200133/1000 meters; BT 283035/700 meters.			SW
30	1445			Blueghost 26 on station for VR center of mass grid BT 1502.			SW
31	1525	1545		Plans for 30 Sept: Co A night laager BT 175120, search BT 1712, BT 1612. Co B secure LZ Prof; Co C night laager BT 237044, search BT 2404, BT 2405, and BT 2504. Co D night laager BT 175108, search BT 1710, BT 1810, BT 1811. Recon night laager BT 230105, search BT 2310, BT 2311.			Bde SW
32	1530			Locations: Co C 3d plt BT 237049; Co D 2nd plt BT 187106; Co D 3d plt BT 181105.			SW
33	1640	1640		Request one additional hook sortie class 5 from Chu Lai to LZ Prof.			Bde SW
34	1645	1645		Blueghost 26 report 1445 to 1530 hours. At grid BT 128016 well used trail leading to a hooch - hooch destroyed. At grid BT 126017 well used trail leading to hooch - hooch destroyed. At grid BT 130015 Blueghost spotted one VC beside a bunker. Landed and captured the VC suspect, about 30 years old wearing khaki shirts and shorts.			Bde SW
35	1645	1620		Co A at grid BT 181112 at 1335 hours received 4x60 MM rounds and about 100xAK47 rounds as C&C was coming into LZ with resupply. C&C took 1 hit in blade. Enemy at			Bde SW
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35	cont.	enemy at grid BT 187108, 900 meters southeast. Results 10 US WIA dustoff called at 1345 hours. Dustoff 55 with Musket 30 completed dustoff at 1345 hours. 1 pax extracted by C&C to LZ Prof.		Bde	SW		
36	1645	1645		Bde ask for Blueghost VR for tomorrow in section 10B and C; cleared by Cpt Stanford.			
37	1645			Co A requested dustoff for 1 US pax with FUO, temperature 104 degrees at grid BT 181112. Called tactical priority at 1610 hours. Dustoff completed at 1630 hours by Dustoff 55 to 91st Evac (ABRAHAMS, ROBERT S. 488 48 2768, E3, 11B10).			
38	1700	1810		Co D 3d plt received AK47 and 60MM fire from grid BT 178107, proximity 300 meters. About 500 rounds AK47 and 25 rounds 60MM were received from 14 fighting positions on both sides of the river. Arty fired smoke screen and Co D 3d plt evaded thru the smoke and broke contact at 1720 hours; negative friendly casualties.			
39	1800			Locations: Co A BT 179117; Co C 3d plt BT 235050; Co C (A) departed north; Recon night laager BT 222101.			
40	1800	1900		At 1630 hours Co D 3d plt at grid BT 181100 found 3 hooches 8ft x 10ft, 10ft x 12ft, 10ft x 10ft; also one hooch half finished. Also found 1 chicong grenade, 6 beartraps, 1 chicong withrip wire boobytrap. Chi congs blown in place and bear traps destroyed. Also questioned and released 12 women 35 to 65 years old and 12 children 2-12 years old. Hooches were burned. Co D 2nd plt at grid BT 187106 found 4 hooches 10ft x 15ft, 10ft x 30ft, 2 hooches 10ft x 20ft - all burned. Also observed one VC at a proximity of 200 meters; wearing black PJ's negative pack or weapon. Not engaged because of direction of friendly element.			
41	1800	1900		Co D 2nd plt at 1715 hours at grid BT 187106 engaged with M60 and M16, proximity 200 meters north one VC. Results 1 VC KIA in green pants and white shirt; negative pack or weapon.			
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42	1845			Released C&C at 1800 hours with 4.75 hours total time.			SW
43	1845	1115		Recon at 1700 hours observed 10 VC at grid BT 225095, 8 males, 2 females moving north on a trail. 7x males carrying packs, 2 had weapons, 1 male was carrying a casualty, 1x female carrying pack; all were wearing PJ's negative action taken. At 1730 hours at grid BT 223093 they processed arty on suspected enemy location with 2 hooches destroyed.			Bde SW
44	1930	1935		Locations: Co A night laager BT 181117; Co B LZ Prof; Co C (-) night laager BT 230056; Co C 1st plt night laager BT 227057; Co C SV night laager BT 224055; Co D night laager BT 183105; Co D 2nd plt night laager BT 190107; Recon night laager BT 222101.			Bde SW
45	2000	2100		Co A casualties from 1335 hours extracted by C&C to LZ Prof: JOHNSTONE, JACK E5, 435 76 4117, shrapnel in back, 27th Surg. WRIGHT, JOE E3, 249 74 6649, shrapnel in back. BURNS, LARRY E3, 529 80 8193. TIETLEY, PAUL E3, 075 36 3560, shrapnel of left leg. BELANGER, RICHARD E4 003 34 1544, multiple shrapnel arms, legs. HICKS, BRUCE O1, 266 68 7707, minor shrapnel wound right knee. WATKINS, CHUCK E5 light shrapnel back, 91st Evac. HOLLOWAY, DONNIE E5, 421 60 4958, GSW right arm, shrapnel head and left leg. RICKET, WILLIE E3, 160 40 0652, shrapnel head, chest, and both legs. CAWOOD, RONALD E3, 542 56 8796, shrapnel left shoulder, left arm and back.			Bde SW
46	2030			Co D combat loss equipment for 29 Sept: 6x rucksacks, 6x ponchos, 6x poncho liners, 6x air mattresses, 33x 10t canteens and covers, 6 D-rings, 6 rain jackets, 1 map 1 machette, 2 pistol belts, 2 ammo pouches, 2 entrenching tools.			SW
47	2100			Field Strength: Co A 80, 4. Co B 107, 4. Co C 86, 4. Co D 91, 3. Recon 24, 0. Co E HQ 16, 1. Mortars 41, 0.			SW
48	22100			CIDG locations: C102 BT 127130; P124 BT 058106; P123 BT 083187.			SW
49	2200	2205		Neg sit rep			Bde SW
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