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FINALLY ZEROING IN ON 1/46 & 4/31. ENCLOSED ARE SOME OPLANS AND OPORDS WHICH CONTAIN ORDERS FOR THEM - ALL FROM 196TH.

DIDN'T DUPE EVERY PAGE OF EACH SINCE SOME OF THE ANNEXES AND ATTACHMENTS REALLY DIDN'T OFFER MUCH ALTHOUGH I THINK I COPIED A SAMPLE OF VARIOUS ANNEXES (WEATHER, INTEL, ILLUMINATION ETC.)

NEXT SATURDAY I'LL TACKLE 1/46 & 4/31 S-3 DAILY JOURNALS AGAIN.

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DON'T FORGET TO SEND ME LIST OF MAP SHEETS YOU NEED.

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Bash Hat from Bill Bechtel

4/31 FRAGO June 70

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196th COAAR 3-10 Jan 68 (8 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 11")

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4/31 COAAR 17 AUG - 03 Sep 69

4/31 S4/S1/XO 1-18 SEP 70

2/1st LZ Judy crash. 26 AUG - 03 Sep 70

3/21 S2/S3 31 Oct 69 - 30 Apr 70

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- A. SENDER Dco.
- B. TIME OF INCIDENT 1230
- C. SOURCE
- D. COORD (FRIENDLY) 043959
- COORD (ENEMY)
- E. TIME OF REPORT FROM UNIT 1440

- F. INCIDENT INITIAL REPORT & FOLLOW UP: WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, HOW AND WHY.
While moving through an area spotted 1-VC/NVA w/ neg. pack or weapon; at a prox. of 200 meters. Engaged w/ sn. arms fire
- G. ACTION(S) TAKEN:
and enemy evaded to the S.W. Also in this same area found 3 enemy shelters, 5X5, 12X12 and 10X10 all w/ bunkers the

(PERSONNEL NOTIFIED AT BDE OR OTHER)

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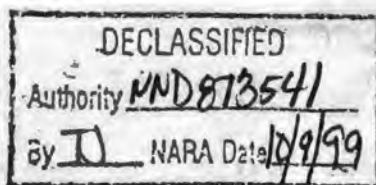
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same size. also found 15 lbs. corn scattered in area as if left to dry in the sun, 1- Transister radio (chi. corn. type). All above destroyed. In the last shelter they found, 15- blasting caps, 1- hoe, 2 in. French det. cord, 2 bottles mouth wash, 1- bra, and 1 hammock. All destroyed. also found 5- M-16 rounds, 2 bottles penicillin, 2 flashlights (chi corn), 2 cans evap. milk, 3 rolls rubber striping ($\frac{1}{2}$ " wide - 1" long), 1- rusty bear trap, 30 lbs corn, 2 pairs black pants, 2- black shirts, 6 rice knives, 1- file, 5 cooking pans, 1 plow, 90 lbs. rice, and documents to be extracted ASAP.



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Summary: 1/46 Infantry continued on Operation Frederick Hill with light enemy contact. A/46 conducted a recon in force, moving north from LZ Boxes. B/46 conducted a Combat Assault to grid BT 2511, and reconed in force to a night lagga, grid BT 255128. C/46 conducted a C.A. from LZ Professional to grid ~~BT~~ 2211, and ground reconed in two elements to night lagga positions, grids BT 232122 and BT 230109. One squad of C Co, continued the radio relay on HL 497. D/46 conducted training & Reorganization at LZ Professional, and provided the security for the fireless Recon Platoon, with the 104th RF. Platoon, continued area recon of grids BT 1699, 1799, & 1899 and night lagged at BT 183995.

Summary of Enemy Contact:

At 0820 hrs, grid BT 043958, D/46, while securing a PZ, received 20 to 30 rounds of AK-47 fire from an unknown size enemy force at a proximity of 200 meters south.

west of their location. ~~Return fire~~
Fire was returned w/ M-16, M-79,
and M-60. Arty was processed
and gunships prepped the area
prior to the scheduled extraction.
Neg. friendly or enemy casualties.

At 1015 hrs, grid 181995, Zcn 1/46
engaged 4 VC/NVA, proximity 50 meters,
w/ SAF. There was neg return fire
and results were 1 VC/NVA KIA.
Enemy KIA was approx 16-19 years
old, wore a green shirt and black
shorts, and had neg pack or wpr.
The remaining three VC/NVA evaded
north. Sweep of the area resulted
in the discovery of one enemy shelter,
15' x 20', 25 lbs. unpolished rice,
10 lbs. polished rice, 2 lbs. rock
salt, cooking utensils, one (1) U.S.
empty ammo can, 30 lbs. potatoes,
and some extra clothing. Above
items were destroyed. The area
appeared to be an enemy CP.

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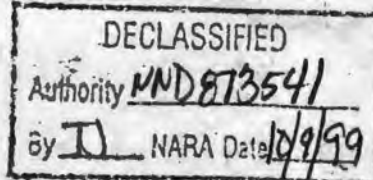
at 1415 hours, while conducting saturation patrolling, grid BT 228118, the first platoon of C Company observed an enemy shelter surrounded by heavy underbrush, 50 meters off a heavily used trail. When a recon patrol was approaching the shelter one VC/NVA attempted to evade. Suspect enemy was engaged w/ SAF at 20-30 meter proximity. Sweep of area revealed one female, age 19-20 yrs, KIA. The female was wearing black pajamas. Search of the shelter revealed a tunnel and movement inside was detected. After repeated appeals, ~~in Vietnamese~~, for the enemy to Chu Hoi, with neg answer, one frag was thrown into the tunnel. A search of the tunnel resulted in one female, age 19-20 yrs KIA. The female was wearing black pajamas.

Shelter size was 8' x 10' x 5'

Tunnel size was 4' x 6' x 4'

Both shelter and tunnel were destroyed.

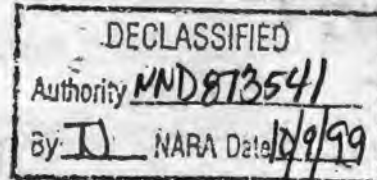
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While on a return flight from R/S mission to Recon Platoon, Battle 13X, at 1800 hrs, grid 194997, spotted approx 15^{UC/NVA} traveling north across the Valley Stream. Arty was processed and adjusted from P-10 in the four cardinal directions from the original coordinate. Neg observation and unk results.

At 1800 hrs, while moving into ~~the~~ a night lagger, C 1/46 spotted two (2) military aged males, grid BT 231129, prox 800 meters. The males wore green clothing, neg sighting of packs or wps. Arty was processed, 105 HZ VT, and the packs evaded to the East. Sweep of area will be made in morning.

At ~~1815~~ hrs, while in night lagger, C Company spotted one (1) ^{UC/NVA}, grid 227124, prox 500 meters. The ^{UC/NVA} was wearing Khakis w/ neg pack or wps. The enemy was heading southeast, towards the first platoon who set up arty ambush. Neg results from the ambush, the ~~evaded~~ in an unknown direction.



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		0001	4 May 70	2400	4 May 70

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
57	cont.		B Co 2nd plt 1st sqd night ambush BT 179090. C Co BT 252082, D Co(-) BT 166086, D Co 1st plt BT 332211 (OPCON 2/1), D Co 3rd plt BT 155085, Recon BT 253047, Sniper team #2 BT 240075.	Infom Sited at Bde	GW
58	2003		PPS-5 in operation.		GW
59	2009		GSR informed the TOC that the Dasy chain had been hooked up in the vicinity of 1835 hrs even though clearance was not given.		GW
60	2015		Received the resupply list for Recon, no hot ASs.		GW
61	2055		Neg sit rep.		GW
62	2100		Field streingth; A Co 81+4+3, C Co 71+3+4, D Co 74+2+4, Recon 15+1+1. It was received at S-1.	Lt Russell at S-1	GW
63	2130		Tien Phuoc Locations: C24A BT 103008, P52D BT 053180, P52D BT 083180.		GW
64	2155		Neg sit Rep		GW
65	2225		TOC was informed that C Co submitted a re- supply list for 6 June.	Infom by Williams.	JF
66	2230		Received a call from charger Dustoff that E-5 Devine has left his wallet and other personnel items there. Informed S1 (FSG Brillantes). S1 sent there driver to pick up the personnel items.		JF
67	2255		Neg Sit Rep		JF
68	2355		Neg Sit Rep		JF
SUMMARY: The 1/46th Infantry encountered negative enemy contact while conducting Operation Fredrick Hill. A Co continued search and clear mission in Phoric Loi Valley. B Co returned to LZ Professional and began reorganization, training and securing of the fire					
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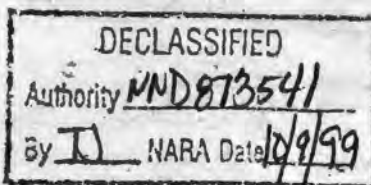
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			base. C Co completed a recon in force operation in the Danh Son Valley. D Co moved northeast of the LZ and began search and clear operations. Summary of enemy contact: There was negative enemy contact involving the 1/46 Infantry.		

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83	cont		out endangering themselves. A full report will follow up in the morning log.	Infom Fox at Bde		HH
92	0200		Late Entry* B Co night locations: B Co(-) BT 238114, B Co 1st plt BT 240130, B Co 2nd plt 2nd sqd BT 242115, B Co 3rd plt BT 231122.			RH
SUMMARY: 1/46th Infantry continued Operation Fredrick Hill with light enemy contact. A/1-46 continued saturation patrolling of grids B 1299, 1399, 1499, 1200, 1300 and 1400. They positioned both night and mechanical ambushes. B/1-46 continued saturation patrolling vic of grids BT 2411, 2511, and positioned night ladders in grids BT 2311 and 2411. C/1-46 conducted area recon of grids BT 2112, 2113 and 2312 and positioned one platoon vic PZ for extraction on 6 May 70. D/1-46 continued training and reorganization at LZ Professional and provided security for the fire base. One squad (2/2/D/1-46) continued radio relay on Hill 497. One platoon, D Co(-) 1st plt, continued security mission at New Hau Duc. Recon 1/46 continued area recon of grids BT 1700, 1800 and 1900 and night lagged vic BT 176000. Summary of enemy contact: While conducting a recon in force mission, C/1-46, spotted 2 VC/NVA at 1030 hrs in grid BT 230130. The enemy were at a proximity of 600 meters, wearing Khaki clothing and moving west to east. Arty was not processed because of efforts to ambush the enemy. The ambush had negative results, enemy apparently evaded to the east. While conducting a recon in force mission, C/1-46, at 1330 hrs, grid BT 233130, received approx fifty (50) rounds of machine gun fire and 2-3 rounds of 82mm fire. Small arms fire was returned, sweep of the area resulted in discovering one shelter (8x10x8) and one bunker (5x10x3). 3/C/1-46 received an additional 30-40 AK47 rounds in area of the shelter before the enemy evaded to the north. Twelve (12) detainees were discovered in the area (3 females age 20 years/ 4 females age 4-6 yrs/ and 5 males age 4-6 years.) Detainees were interrogated and fried. While on a search and clear mission 1/2/B/1-46, at 1645hrs, grid BT 249119, spotted and engaged with small arms fire two VC/NVA at a proximity of 150 meters to their southwest. The enemy were wearing green uniforms, bush hats, had packs and one weapon. The VC/NVA evaded to the south dropping one rice knife and a pair of sandals. While sweeping area of last contact, 1/2/B/1-46 at 1730 hrs in grid BT 247117, received approx 100 rounds of AK47 fire at a proximity of 150 meters and three rounds of M-79 from a proximity of 25 meters. Negative friendly casualties and a sweep of the area will be made in the morning. While traveling toward their night lagger B Co(-) at 2350 hrs in grid BT 238114 captured three 3 baby vietnameese. The complete spot will come in the morning.						
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	IN	OUT					
1	0001		Journal Opened.	RH			
2	0030		PPS-5 detected 5-6 packs in grid BT 189077. 81mm expended 6 HE, cleared.	RF			
3	0849		C Co navigation round in grid BT 211135, 105 expended 1 WP.	DL			
4	0907		4.2 inch H and I's cleared.	RF			
5	0910		81mm H and I's cleared.	RF			
6	1056		4.2 to settle the base plate in grids BT 152078 and 194073. 4.2 expended 8 HE, cleared.	DL			
7	1134		175's H and I's cleared.	DL			
8	1135		155's H and I's cleared.	RF			
9	1140		105's H and I's cleared.	RF			
10	1156		C Co spotted enemy in grid BT 229132, 8 inch expended 15 HE, cleared.	DL			
11	1612		C Co navigation round BT 221119, 105 expended 1 WP cleared.	DL			
12	1650		A Co navigation round BT 150000, 105 expended 1 WP, cleared.	DL			
13	1652		81mm registration at grid BT 162072. 8 inch expended 8 HE, cleared.	DL			
14	1730		B Co in grid BT 245111 spotted VC/NVA in woodline 105's expended 1 WP and 11 HE, cleared.	DL			
15	1800		4.2 mm registration in grid BT 195073, expended 23 HE.	DL			

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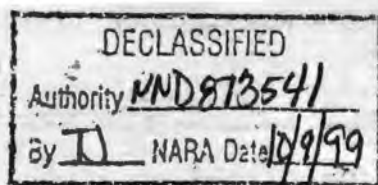
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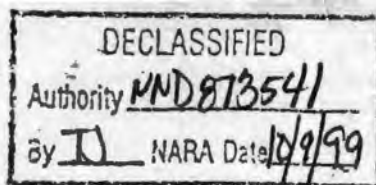
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Summary. 1/46 Infantry continued Operation Frederick Niel with light enemy contact. A 1/46 continued recon in force operations, grids 1200, 1300, & 1400. B 1/46 conducted recon in force north east of LZ P.W. C 1/46 conducted area recon, grids 2112, 2212 and provided one platoon for security mission vic Tam Ky. D 1/46 continued training and reorganization at LZ P.W., and provided security for the firebase. One platoon of D Co, continued security mission vic Han Que, and one squad continued a radio relay station on HL 497. Recon 1/46 conducted a recon in force to the west of grid 1700 and night logistical w/ A 1/46, grid 142007.

Summary of enemy contact:

While approaching a LZ at grid 221129, Rattler 14, at 0815 hrs, received 3-4 rounds of AK47 fire from the north. One (1) VC/VUC was spotted, pwx 300-400 meters, and engaged by Rattler 14's gunners w/ neg results. Neg hits on aircraft,

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speed 30-40 knots, alt 50 feet
 At 0840 hours, Battery 14, received
 10 to 15 rounds of AK-47 fire while
 in the same LZ. C⁶ 146 returned
 fire w/ neg results.

While moving west through a
 densely wooded area, Recon 146
 at 1230 hrs, grid 166004, spotted
 movement in a shelter area. The
 Kit Carson scout called for the
 individuals to come out and
 observed a military age male,
 walking west. The Scout fired
 over the man's head, and then at
 him when he evaded with another
 individual of unk sex or age. The
 Recon element engaged the area w/
 JAF and swept the area finding
 One (1) male age 60 yrs, One (1)
 female age 60 yrs, two (2) children
 5 & 10 yrs, and two (2) females 15
 and 19 yrs old. The two ~~females~~^{teenage}
 females were WIA and were dusted
 off. Captured equipment, neg weapons
 and detainees were evaded to Hawk
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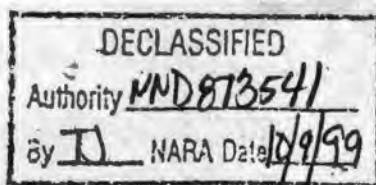
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Summary: 1/46 Infantry continued Operation Frederick Hill w/ light enemy contact. A/46 conducted recon in force missions through grids 1699, 1500, & 1501. B/46 airlifted from PZ BT 233112 to LZ Pao and conducted reorganization and refitting. B Co will provide the security for the firebase and placed one (1) night ambush at BT 192080. C/46 continued recon in force operations vic grids 2111, 2011, & 2012. D/46 conducted a Combat Assault into three (3) LZ's, grids BT 134073, 127081, & 140088 and conducted search and clear operations. Recon Plt/46, continued Reorganization and Training exercises at LZ Pao and assisted in the security of the firebase.

Summary of enemy contact:

At 0800 hrs, grid BT 155004, the third plt of A/46, while conducting a recon in force, discovered three (3) enemy shelters, approx size was 8 x 10', and eight (8)

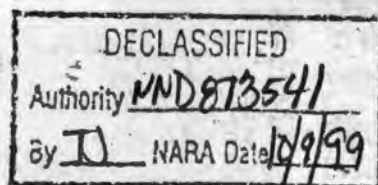
VC/NVA suspects: two (2) females 30 yrs old; four (4) males 1-7 yrs old; two (2) females age 1-7 yrs; wearing black pajamas w/ colored tops. Preliminary interrogation revealed six (6) males VC/NVA



were in area, armed w/ one (1) AK-47, three (3) M-16, numerous grenades. The suspects also warned of many Booby-traps in the area. Search of the shelter, and resulted in the recovery group of one (1) M-16 (serial no. 194341) and documents hidden in a U.S. type flashlight. Detainees were evacuated and shelter destroyed.

At 1115 hrs, grid BT 152004, A⁶/46, while securing a PZ for the detainees, detected movement to the southeast and engaged w/ SAF. Return fire of approx 20 rounds of AK-47 fire, approx 100 meters. Arty processed and sweep of the area discovered three (3) additional shelters. Enemy force was believed to be 3-4 VC/NVA ~~and~~ the enemy successfully evaded to the southwest. Shelters were 8' x 10' and were destroyed.

At 1440 hrs, grid BT 132099, D⁶/46, while concluding a search and 'Clear' mission observed two (2) VC/NVA following them on the trail going north. Enemy was engaged at approx 50 meters w/ SAF and M-60.



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Arty was process in the area w/ unk results. The enemy were wearing dark clothing, one unk upon was sighted and they evaded to the south. Sweep of the area resulted in neg findings.

At 1505 hrs, grid BT 130081, the second platoon of D46, while on a search and clear mission, spotted one (1) VC/NVA w/ neg pack or upon at prox of 400 meters to the north west. The enemy was wearing Black pajamas and was engaged w/ SAF w/ unk results. A sweep of the area resulted in neg findings.

At 1645 hrs, grid BT 191045, the second squad of the second platoon of D46, while in a radio relay position on HL497, detected movement. One (1) VC/NVA was observed running down a trail to the south, direction 2900 gr. at a prox of 60 meters. Area was engaged w/ SAF w/ unk results. Neg sweep of area due to the radio relay mission involved.

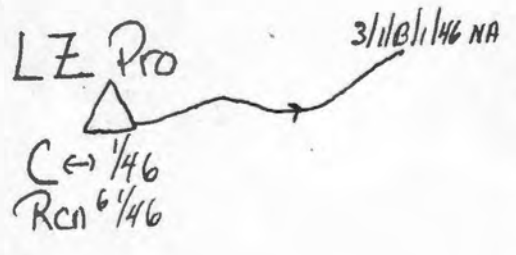
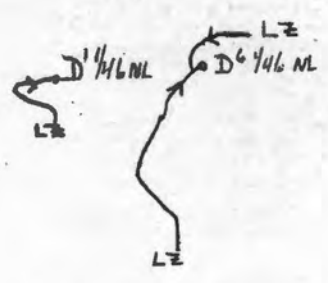
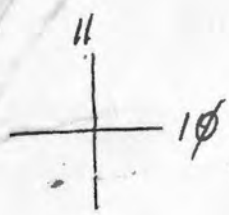
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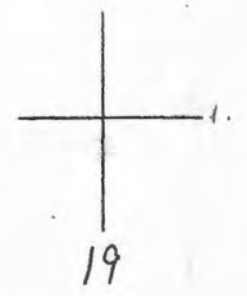
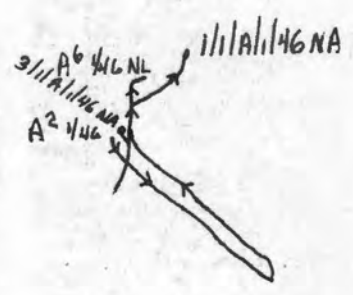
At 1830 hrs, grid 152004, the fourth platoon of A 1/46, while in a night ambush position, spotted one VC/NVA at a prox of 300 meters, and engaged w/ S.A.F and Claymore mines. The enemy was hit during the initial engagement and knocked down, and a sweep of the area resulted in finding one green shirt w/ blood & bullet holes. The enemy was believed to be carried off by other VC/NVA. The enemy was carrying a pack and AK-47.

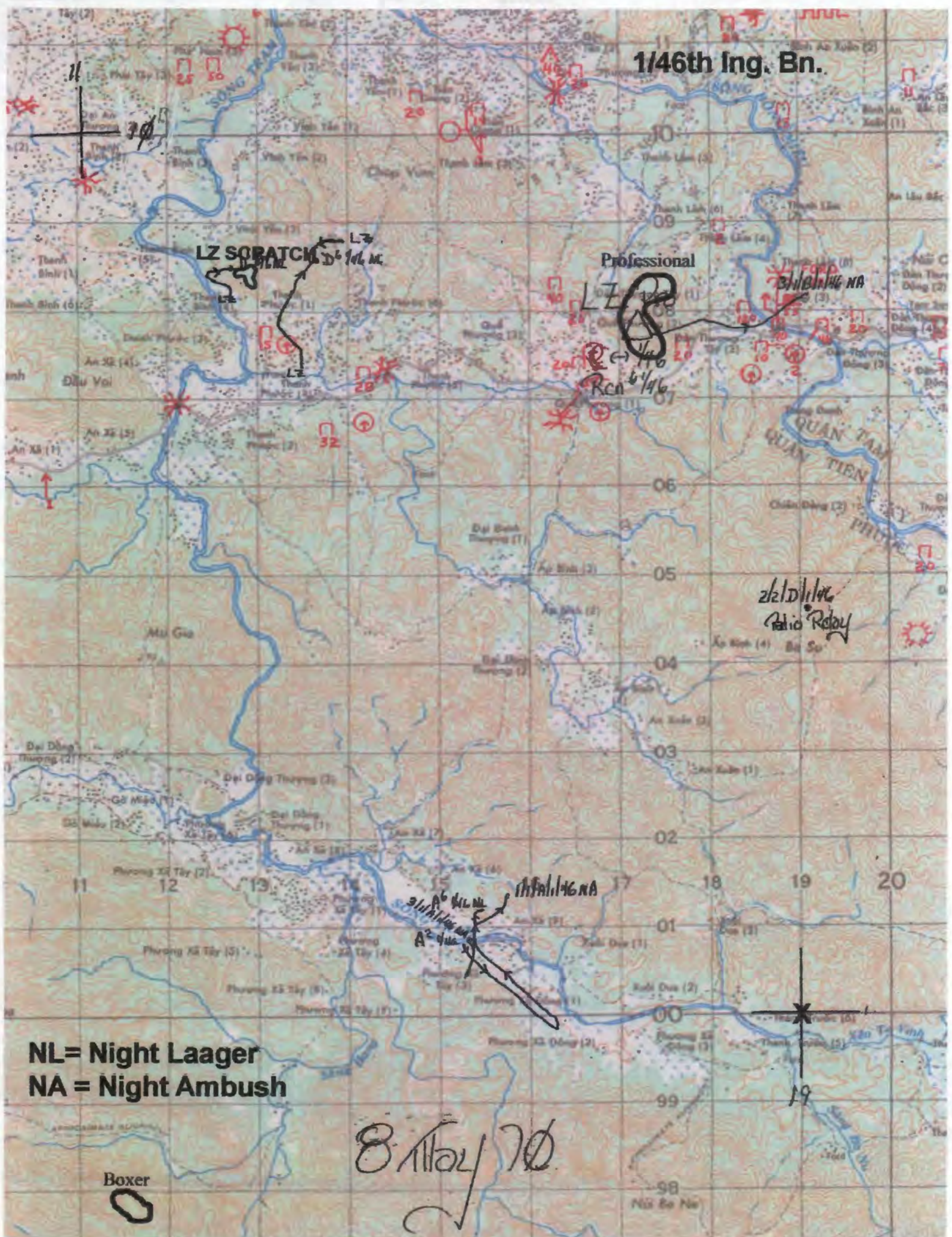
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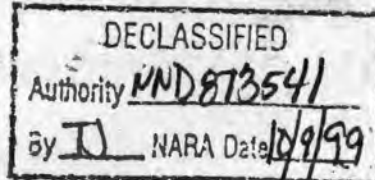
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Summary: ^{CONFIDENTIAL} 1/46 Infant Operation Frederick Hill with light enemy contact. A/46, continued search and clear operations in Dragon Valley, grids 1401, 1501, 1500, & 1600. B/46 continued training and reorganization at LZ Professional provided security for the firebase, positioned one platoon size ambush at BT 192000 both day and night, and continued the radio relay station on HL 497. C/46 continued recon in force operations grids 2011, & 2012 and continued to provide one platoon for security mission at Tam Ky. D/46 continued search and clear operations west of LZ Professional, grids 1208, 1209, 1308, 1309, 1408, & 1409. Recon Plt conducted a squad size daylight patrol south of LZ Pld, grid 1606, and returned to the firebase to continue reorganization and training exercises.

Summary of enemy contact:

At 1200 hrs, grid 200118, the third platoon of C/46, while conducting a recon in force mission, engaged approx ten (10) VC/NVA



w/ 3AF. at a prox of 100 meters.
 The enemy returned approx 30-40
 rds of AK-47 fire. The enemy evaded
 to the north under artillery fire.
 Sweep of area resulted in neg findings.
 The enemy was wearing green fatigues,
 neg packs reported.

At 1800 hrs. grid 155006, the
 third platoon of 'A Co, while on search
 and clear mission, spotted approx
~~some~~ (4) VC/NVA in the open, prox 500
 meters to the South East. Enemy had
 neg packs and were carrying unk ops.
 Arty processed w/ unk results.

At 1924 hrs. grid 169007, A/46,
 while in a night laager position,
 received 30-40 rds of AK-47 fire!
 Neg casualties. The fire came from
 the South, prox 250 meters. 3AF
 was returned, arty processed w/
 unk results.

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