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5/2-3/68 ✓ 2-3 MAY 1968

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ROUTINE

CO, TASK FORCE ROACH, CHU LAI, RVN

CG, AMERICAL DIVISION, CHU LAI, RVN

INFO: CO, 198TH INF BDE (LT), LZ BALDY, RVN
 CO, 196TH LT INF BDE, CAMP EVANS, RVN
 CO, 11TH LT INF BDE, DUC PHO, RVN

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TF ROACH
 CHU LAI, RVN
 031900 MAY 68

SITREP #14-68 FOR PERIOD 021900-031900 MAY.

1. (C) OPERATIONAL SUMMARY.

A. GENERAL: TF ROACH CDT NORMAL CBT OPNS IN THE CHU LAI TAOR & MUSCATINE AO. TF CONT TO CDT SMALL UNIT OPNS IN SPT OPN GOLDEN FLEECE. LY TIN DIST RPTD HARVESTING 38 METRIC TONS OF RICE TODAY & BINH SON DIST RPTD HARVESTING 4 METRIC TONS.

B. 1-46 INF BN(-): A&C CO'S OPCON 198 LIB. B CO(-) SECURED HILL 69 & CDT LOCAL PTL, B16 SECURED LAAM SITE & CDT LOCAL PTL. D CO(-) SECURED HILL 54 & CDT LOCAL PTL IN SPT OPN GOLDEN FLEECE, D16 SECURED AN TAN BRG, D46 W/PLAT PF MANNED OP76 & CDT LOCAL PTL IN SPT OPN GOLDEN FLEECE. E CO MORT AT HILL 69. RCN 1 EXTRACTED FR BT 457006 AT 1121H TO HILL 69, RCN 2 INSERTED AT BT457006 AT 1121H FR HILL 69, RCN(-) AT HILL 69. D36/5-46 W/PLAT(-) H/17 CAV CDT CBT SWP FR NDP TO BT 444023.

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 GP4 DOWNGRADE AT 3 YR
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OBS OF THESE AREAS. TF CONT OPNS IN SPT OFN GOLDEN FLEECE.

B. 1-46 INF BN(-): A & C CO'S OPCON 198 LIB. B CO(-) SECURES HILL 69 & PROV AMB N OF CLDC & IN KY SAHN VALLEY, B16 SECURES LAAM SITE, CDT PTL S OF SITE & PROV 1 AMB. D CO(-) SECURES HILL 54 & CDT CBT SWP NW OF HILL, D16 W/5 PF'S SECURE AN TAN BRG, D46 W/PLAT PF'S SECURE OP76 & CDT PTL E OF OP, 1 SQD SECURES OP707. E CO MORT PROV FIRE SPT FR HILL 69. RCM 2 CONT PTL VIC BT448002. D36/5-46 W/PLAT(-) H/17 CAV CONT CBT SWP VIC BT442023

C. 5-46 INF BN: A CO(-) SECURES LZ PARADISE, A16 CDT CBT SWP FR NDP NE TO VIC BS681991, A22 OPCON TO CAP 135, A36 CDT CBT SWP FR LZ PARADISE SW TO VIC BS672968 ESTB DAY & NIGHT AMB. B CO(-) SECURES LZ ANN, B16 W/PLAT(-) H/17 CAV IN MUSCATINE AO, B26 W/ELM FR CAP 134 CDT CBT SWP FR NDP NE TO VIC BT642022, B36(-) OPCON IMO AT TRA BONG RIVER. C CO(-) SECURES LZ CHIPPENAW, C26 CDT CBT PTL FR VIC BS483993, C36 CDT PTL FR VIC BT503000. D CO(-) SECURES LZ GATOR, D26 CDT CBT SWP FR NDP TO VIC BS 516922. E MORT(-) PROV FIRE SPT FR LZ GATOR, 1 SQD OPCON CAP 136. RCM MVS BY TRK TO CAP 134 THEN INFILTRATES TO VIC BT665006 AFTER DARKNESS.

D. 3-16 ARTY BN(-): A/1-14 ARTY AT LZ GATOR, B/1-14 ARTY AT FAT CITY OPCON. PROV NORMAL SPT TO CBT ELM IN CHU HAI & MUSCATINE AO. OBTAINS POLITICAL CLEARANCES FOR FIRES IN TAOR. PROV COUNTERMORT/RKT FIRES IN TAOR.

E. H/17 CAV: CONT NORMAL SPT & CONT SCTY OF BRG & FACILITIES. PROV 2 M113'S TO ASSIST IN DEF OF LY TIN DIST, 3 M113'S IN SCTY OF TAI KY BRG, 2 M113'S TO ASSIST IN SCTY OF BINH SON BRG, 2 M113'S SECURE AN TAN BRG, 2 M106'S AT LZ PARADISE, PLAT(-) OPCON 5-46 INF, PLAT(-) OPCON 1-46 INF.

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D. CUMULATIVE LOSSES: 27 OCT - PRESENT

(1) FRIENDLY:

KHA	77
WHA (E)	342
WHA (M)	112

(2) ENEMY:

VC KIA (C)	662
NVA KIA (C)	3
VC PW	93
NVA PW	2

11. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS AT CLOSE OF PERIOD.

TF ROACH CP

LZ BAYONET

1-46 INF BN CP

HILL 69

A CO

OPCON 198 LIB

B CO

HILL 69

C CO

OPCON 198 LIB

D CO

HILL 54

E CO

HILL 69

RECON

HILL 69

5-46 INF BN CP

LZ GATOR

A CO

LZ PARADISE

B CO

LZ ANN

C CO

LZ CHIPPENVA

D CO

LZ GATOR

E CO

LZ GATOR

RECON

LZ GATOR

3-16 ARTY BN (-) CP

LZ BAYONET

A/1-14 ARTY

LZ GATOR

B/1-14 ARTY

FAT CITY

H/17 CAV

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D CO

OPCON 198 LIB

E CO

HILL 54

RECON

HILL 69

HILL 69

5-46 INF BN CP

A CO

LZ GATOR

B CO

LZ PARADISE

C CO

LZ ANN

D CO

LZ CHIPPEWA

E CO

LZ GATOR

RECON

LZ GATOR

LZ GATOR

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A/1-14 ARTY

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SITREP #18-68 FOR PERIOD 061900-071900 MAY.

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B. 1-46 INF BN(-): A&C CO'S OPCON 198 ILE. B CO(-) SECURED HILL 69, B16 SECURED LAAM SITE & CDT LOCAL PTL, B26 CDT CBT SWP FR NDP TO BT436060. D CO(-) SECURED HILL 54 & CDT LOCAL PTL SPT OPN GOLDEN FLEECE, D36 SECURED AN TAN BRG, D46 & PLAT PF MANNED OP76 & CDT LOCAL PTL IN SPT OPN GOLDEN FLEECE, ONE SQD MANNED OP707. E CO MORT AT HILL 69. RCN(-) AT HILL 69, RCN 1 CDT PTL VIC BT4402. D36/5-46 INF CDT CBT SWP FR NDP TO BT445022. H/17 CAV CDT CBT SWP FR NDP TO BT 445022.

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ATES & CDT AERIAL OBS OF THESE AREAS. TF CONT OPNS IN SPT OPN GOLDEN FLEECE.

B. 1-46 INF BN: AAC CO'S OPCON 198 LIB UNTIL CHOP AT 1200H TO TF ROACH., WILL CONT OPNS IN OPN BURLINGTON TRAIL W/A/1-52 INF. B CO(-) SECURES HILL 69, B16 SECURES LAAM SITE & CDT LOCAL PTL, B26 CDT CBT SWP FR NDF W THEN S THEN E TO BT438060. D CO(-) SECURES HILL 54 & CDT LOCAL PTL, D36 SECURES AN TAN BRG, D46 W/PLAT PF MANS OP76 & CDT PTL SPT OPN GOLDEN FLEECE, ONE SQD MANS OP707. E CO MORT & RCN(-) AT HILL 69, RCN1 CONT PTL VIC BT4501. D36/5-46 CDT CBT SWP FR NDF TO BT407021. PLAT(-) H/17 CAV CDT CBT SWP FR NDF TO BT 435020.

C. 5-46 INF BN: A CO(-) SECURES LZ PARADISE, A16 CDT PTL FR NDF & CDT SCREENING OPN IN GRIDS BS6699, 6698, 6790. A36 CDT'S SCREENING OPNS VIC BS6796, 6896, 6897. B CO(-) SECURES LZ ANH, B16 CDT CA AT 1330H FR BT662008 TO BT664037, B26 CDT SCREENING OPN VIC BT6502, 6501, 6500. C CO (-) SECURES LZ CHIL-PEWA, C16 CDT CLOVERLEAF PTL VIC PTL BASE AT BT466004, C36 CDT CLOVERLEAF PTL VIC PTL BASE AT BS505995. D CO(-) SECURES LZ GATOR, D26 CDT CBT SWP FR NDF TO BS472923. E CO MORT AT LZ GATOR, CAP133, CAP136. RCN MANS 5 OP'S VIC BT 6604.

D. 3-16 ARTY BN(-): A/1-14 ARTY AT LZ GATOR, B/1-14 ARTY AT FAT CITY OPCON. PROV NORMAL SPT TO CBT EIM IN CHU LAI & MUSCATINE AO. OBTAINS POLITICAL CLEARANCES FOR FIRES IN TAOR. PROV COUNTERMORT/FKT FIRES IN TAOR. ASSUME OPCON D/1-14 ARTY AT 1200H.

E. H/17 CAV: CONT NORMAL SPT & SCTY OF BRG & FACILITIES. PROV 2 M113'S IN DEF LY TIN DIST, 3 M113'S SCTY TAM KY BRG, 2 M113'S SCTY BINH SON BRG, 2 M113'S SCTY AN TAN BRG, 2 M106'S LZ PARADISE, PLAT(-) OPCON 1-46 INF.

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1-46 INF BN CP

A CO
 B CO
 C CO
 D CO
 E CO
 RECON

5-46 INF BN CP

A CO
 B CO
 C CO
 D CO
 E CO
 RECON

3-16 ARTY BN (-) CP

A/1-14 ARTY
 B/1-14 ARTY

H/17 CAV

LZ BAYONET

HILL 69
 OPCON 198 LIB
 HILL 69
 OPCON 198 LIB
 HILL 54
 HILL 69
 HILL 69

LZ GATOR
 LZ PARADISE
 BT 662007
 LZ CHIPPEWA
 LZ GATOR
 LZ GATOR
 BT 666051

LZ BAYONET
 LZ GATOR
 FMT CITY

LZ BAYONET

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