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4th Bn 21st Inf

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| ITEM NO | TIME |     | INCIDENTS, MESSAGES ORDERS ETC                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | ACTION TAKEN     | INITIALS |
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| 1       | 0001 |     | Journal Open.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                  |          |
| 2       | 0130 |     | D Co: w/1 plt of RF Co 180 and RF plt 186: 832332, was hit fr 3 sides fr est 18 or more NVA/VC Sappers. Rec'd S/A, satchel charges, grenades and B-40 Rkts. RF occupying NB rec'd heaviest fire primarily fr explosives, all elements returned fire, Res Enemy 5 VC/NVA KIA (2 by RF's and 3 by US) 2 AK-47's (1 by RF & 1 By US), 1 B-40 Rkt launcher w/rkt by US, 1 X 51b stachel charge CIA by US, 1 .45 cal pistol holster without pistol CIA by RF. 1 VC/NVA KIA by RF suspected to be NVA CO, Friendly cas, 2 RF KIA, 1 PF WIA (E), 2 RF WIA (E), 1 RF WIA (TIF), dust off completed at 0330, flareship on station at 0200 and 0300, emergency resupply and dust off flown fr Bronce by Dolphin 676. | Bde, Dty Off, S2 | MCM      |
|         | 0745 |     | D Co: 832332, sweep of area this mornin turned up, 9 VC/NVA KIA (7 by US & 2 RF) 4 AK-47's CIA (2 by US & 2 By RF), 1 additional RF KIA (total 3), enemy were wearing, 6 wearing Khaki shirts and shorts, 2 were wearing blue shirts, 1 had green shorths other 2 in blue shorts, 1 wearing redshorts.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Bde, Dty Off, S2 | RGW      |
|         | 0800 |     | All Elements Sitrep-A Co: CB, (3rd)Debbie, (2nd)905226, B Co: Debbie, (wpns-1st)919254 C Co: Bronce, D Co: (CP-2nd)832332, (1st)831339, (3rd)885306, (wpns-3rd-2nd)816350, (wpns-1st)885288, Recon: 905226, E Trp: RS & MS.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Bde, Dty Off, M  | RGW      |
|         | 0845 |     | Minesweep team left Bronce at 0700 completed minesweep to I/II Corp boundary, at 0845 without incident.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Bde, Dty Off, M  | RGW      |
|         | 1000 |     | All elements Sitrep-A Co: CB, (3rd)Debbie, (2nd)897210, (1st)RS, B Co: N/C, C Co: (CP-wpns-3rd)830325, (2nd)833334, (1st)822324, D Co: N/C, Recon: 897210, E Trp: RS.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Bde, Dty Off, M  | KBC      |
|         | 1200 |     | All elements Sitrep-A Co: N/C, B Co: N/C, C Co: (CP-wpns-3rd)829315, (1st)818316, (2nd)824325, D Co: N/C, (wpns-3rd)826347, (2nd-3rd)869365, Recon: N/C, E Trp: N/C.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Bde, Dty Off, M  | KBC      |

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| 8       | 1215 |     | Warlords at 838212 snatch 1 mil age male and at 838262, sptd fresh diggings on fighting pos, and at 789282 sptd fighting pos and hootches.                                                                                                                                                                 | Bde, Dty Off, S2 | RGW      |
| 9       | 1300 |     | 4-21 AB ext 24 request: Date time ASAP to 311800 Jan fr 825360 to 825380 to 842380, purpose Com op, approved by CPT SAFFOLD.                                                                                                                                                                               | Bde, Dty Off, M  | KBC      |
| 10      | 1305 |     | C Co: 819309, fd 1 grave approx 2 days old, also fd comme wire and Vn plastic near grave.                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Bde, Dty Off, S2 | KBC      |
| 11      | 1310 |     | C Co: 818309, fd B/T H/F, w/fish line trip wire, dismantled.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Bde, Dty Off, S2 | KBC      |
| 12      | 1310 |     | C Co: 820325, sptd 2 people moving NE. They were carrying a tube and had wpns.                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Bde, Dty Off, S2 | KBC      |
| 13      | 1440 |     | Recon: 898210, fd 1 fresh grave and 1 new hootch in addition to the burnt one they fd 3 days ago. In the hootch they fd 3 HF 3 non elec blasting caps, 150lbs of rice in cloth bag, 300 lbs of rice in a 55 gal drum were fd in a tunnel. In another hootch they fd 1 X 12 gauge shot gun, living utensils | Bde, Dty Off, S2 | KBC      |
| 14      | 1600 |     | 1 lamp 2 flashlights and 25 lbs of rice. All elements Sitrep-A Co: N/C, (2nd)899206, B Co: N/C, C Co: 806303, D Co: N/C, Recon 899206, E Trp: RS.                                                                                                                                                          | Bde, Dty Off, M  | KBC      |
| 15      | 1655 |     | HAWKEYE: 779273, sptd 6 to 7 VC/NVA wearing grn uniforms and carrying packs. Engaged w/Arty w/unk res, believed that this could be a large size unit.                                                                                                                                                      | Bde, Dty Off, S2 | KBC      |
| 16      | 1715 |     | C Co: 793290, sprung day ambush res in 4 VC/NV KIA, wearing Khaki pants and shirts ages 18 to 23, 1 AK 47 CIA, docu CIA.                                                                                                                                                                                   | Bde, Dty Off, S2 | KBC      |
| 17      | 1800 |     | 3/4 ARVN's reported a squad size VC/NVA elem at 826312, moving SW to NE, 4/21 engaged w/Arty, res unk.                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Bde, Dty Off, S2 | KBC      |
| 18      | 1800 |     | All elements Sitrep-A Co: CB, (2nd)903203, (3rd)Debbie, B Co: N/C, C Co: 800298, D Co: N/C, Recon: 903203, E Trp: CB, Debbie, Bronco.                                                                                                                                                                      | Bde, Dty Off, M  | RGW      |
| 19      | 1900 |     | All elements NDP's-A Co: CB, (3rd)Debbie, (2nd)902203, B Co: Debbie, (wpns-1st)919254, C Co: 812295, D Co: (CP-2nd)832332, (1st)                                                                                                                                                                           | Bde, Dty Off, M  | KBC      |

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(2nd-3rd)829332, 829336, (3rd-3rd)882307,  
887304, Recon: 902203, E Trp: CB, Debbie,  
Bronco.

Recon: 903203, sptd 3 hootchs at 897210, en-  
gaged w/Arty and S/A, res 3 large secondary  
explosions, hootchs destroyed.

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B Co: at 919254, rec'd incoming S/A fire  
about 6 to 10 mag of AK fire, engaged with  
S/A and 4.2 and 81mm, mag cas and unk res.

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Operation Summary:

0130 D Co: 832332, had ground attack fr 3 sides, res 5 VC/NVA KIA,  
2 AK-47's CIA, 1 Satchel Charge CIA, , Friendly Cas 2 RF KIA,  
1 PF WIA, 2 RF WIA, 1 RF WIA.

0745 D Co: 832332, after search of area fd 9 VC/NVA KIA, 4 AK47 CIA  
1 additional KIA,

1215 Warlords 838312, snatch 1 mil age male, 838262, sptd fresh graves  
diggings on fighting pos, 789282 sptd fighting pos and hootchs.

1305 C Co: 819309, fd 1 grave 2 days old, also fd commo wire.

1310 C Co: 818309, fd B/T, H/F, dismantled.

1310 C Co: 820325, sptd 2 people moving NE, carrying tube and wpns.

1440 Recon: 898210, fd 1 fresh grave, 1 new hootch, also fd 3 H/F  
1 12 gauge Shotgun, 1450 lbs of Rice,

1655 Hawkeye 779273, sptd 6 to 7 VC/NVA, carrying packs, engaged  
w/Arty, res unk.

1715 C Co: 793290, in day ambush, had 4 VC/NVA KIA, 1 AK47 CIA, docu  
CIA.

1800 3/4ARVN's sptd quad size VC/NVA elem engaged w/Arty res.unk.

1930 Recon: 903203, sptd 3 hootchs, engaged w/Arty, had 3 secondary  
explosion.

2230 B Co: 919254, rec'd incoming S/A fire, engaged w/unk res.

Summary:

A Co (-) conducted search and clear operation with neg finding.  
B Co continues security of FSB Debbie. 24 elem at Outpost grid  
919254 took incoming S/A's about 6 to 10 mag of AK fire, engaged  
with S/A and 4.2 neg cas with unk res. C Co 1st day ambush was  
sprung at grid BS 793290 resulting in 4 VC/NVA wearing Khaki  
pants and shirts, ages 18 to 23, 1 AK 47 CIA, doc CIA. At Grid  
BS 818309 fd B/T, H/F with fish ling trip wire. Dismantled.  
at grid BS 820325 sptd 2 people moving NE. They were carrying

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a tube and hand weapons. D Co ~~with~~ continues pacification of 2 hamlets and security of Engr Pass, At BS 832362 D Co w/ 1 plt RF Co 180 and PF plt 186 were hit fr 3 sides (N,NW,NE) by est 10 or more VC/NVA sappers. Rec'd S/A, satchel charges, grenades, and B-40 rkts, res are: Enemy 9 VC/NVA KIA (7 by US & 2 by RF) 4 AK-47 CIA (2 by US & 2 by RF), 1 B-40 Rkt launcher w/rkt CIA (by US) 15 lb satchel charge CIA (by US), 1 .45 cal pistol holster CIA (by HB) One VC/NVA KIA ~~by~~ by RF suspected to be an NVA CO 15 RF WIA (TIF), 1 PF WIA (E), 3 RF KIA 2 RF WIA (E). Warlords at grid BS 838312 snatched 1 mil age male. At grid BS 838262 sptd fresh digging and fighting pos. At grid BS 789282 sptd fighting pos and hootches. Recon at grid BS 898210 fd 1 fresh grave and 1 New hootch in addition to one they burnt 3 days ago. In hootch they fd 3 H/P, 3 non-elec blasting caps, 150 lbs of rice in cloth sandbags, 300 lbs of rice in 55 gal drum, were fd in tunnel. In another hootch they fd 1 X 12 gauge, single shot, shotgun living utensils, 1 lamp, 2 flashlights, and 25 lbs of rice. Hawkeye 26 sptd 7 to 10 VC/NV wearing green uniforms and carrying packs engaged with Arty, results unk. Recon at grid BS 903203, sptd 3 hootches, engaged with Arty, res 3 large secondary explosions, hootches destroyed. E/1 Cav with 1st plt A Co continued security of QL 1.

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