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S2/S3 1st Bn 8th Cav		YD 389402 LZ Anne	0001	24 July 68	2400 24 July 68	
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.		ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT				
1	0001		Journal Opened		J S	lg
2	0100		Situation Report Negative		J S Bde	lg
3	0200		Situation Report Negative		J S Bde	lg
4	0300		Situation Report Negative		J S Bde	lg
5	0320		B Co held a mad minute.		J S	mg
6	0400		situation Report Negative		J S Bde	mg
7	0500		Situation Report Negative		J S Bde	mg
8	0600		Situation Report Negative		J S Bde	mg
9	0600		B Co OP's have closed with negative finding		J S Bde	mg
10			From Bde; Typhoon will by pass this area no air			
			craft will be evacuated, weather will remain			
			overcast, and 15-30 knots.		J S	rl
11	0705		D Co will return to 1/8 at 0730.		J S	rl
12	0708		C Co will not be extracted this morning, will			
			move to the high ground.		J S	rl
13	0720		Lift birds were notified that C Co will not			
			be extracted.		J S	rl
14	0725		All 1/8 OP's and massives have closed their			
			perimeter with negative findings.		J S Bde	rl
15	0730		From Bde; Wants D Co move to the South on			
			the West side of the lake check out the grid			
			31-44 for enemy element that suppose to be			
			in this location.		J S	rl
16	0732		D Co checked in at this time.		J S	rl
17	0738		Units organic expenditures, B Co 20 HE, 4 ILL,			
			C Co 54 HE, 12 ILL, E Co 50 HE.		J S	rl
18	0740		From Bde S-3, Companies will keep a 24 hrs			
			supply of C Rations in case the weather			
			should not permit logging.		J S	rs
19	0755		Ref points passed on to D Co.		J S	rs
20	0740		(Delayed Entry) B Co at LZ Anne requested a			
			medivac for 6 litter patients, 2 KIA's, and			
			4 WIA's, roster # of KIA's, B29 and B133,			
			WIA's are B114, B123, B128, and B 146.			
			Fragmetation grenade went off inside of the			
			bunker, 0750 hrs medivac complete.		J S Bde	rs
21	0800		Unit locations, A Co OPCON 1/12, B Co LZ Anne,			
			C Co at 334424, D Co at 313473, E Co OPCON			
			1/12, 4-6 LZ Anne.		J S Bde	rs
22	0820		D Co moving South from 313473.		J S	rs
23	0823		Bde scouts have checked in with D Co and are			
			now working with them.		J S Bde	rs
24	0825		C Co 3-6 moving Northeast from 334424.		J S	rs
25	0845		D Co released Scouts birds they will work			
			with C Co.		J S	rl
26	0855		From Bde S-3; Enemy element located at coord			

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26	cont	308444 suggest D Co investigate.	J S	Bde	rs	
27	0930	C Co 3-6 element at coord 337426 and moving to the Northeast.	J S	Bde	rl	
28	1000	Unit locations; A Co OPCON 1/12, B Co LZ Anne, C Co (-) 334424, 2-6 moving North from 334424, 3-6 at 337426, D Co (-) 302453, 1-6 309452, 3-6 at 297449, E Co (-) OPCON 1/12, 4-6 LZ Anne.	J S	Bde	rs	
29	1030	B Co 1-6 leaving LZ Anne for battle drills.	J S	Bde	rl	
30	1043	Scouts working with D Co recieved 1 or 2 rounds from unknown source, 1 hit, negative casualties, in vicinity of coord 308450.	J S	Bde	rl	
31	1055	D Co at coord 308450 found fresh track leading to the South, about 5 to 10 people are checking the area out will keep posted.	J S	Bde	rl	
32	1107	D Co 2-6 at coord 302453 requested medivac for two EM that hit a booby trap, both are litter cases, D Co medivac complete, The booby trap estimated to be an 81mm or 105 round, trip wire type.	J S	Bde	rl	
33	1140	(Delayed Entry) C Co at coord 334424 found 15 more bunkers running down the slope possibly 40-50 more on the slope, found sign that they are booby traps on the trail kind of sign that they are W/ ropes across the trail also vines tied across the trail. Would like to know if three wanted him to continue to clear area or move out and put artillery in. He would have to move his complete element to put the artillery in.	J S	Bde	rl	
34	1150	C Co 3-6 at coord 337426 found 25-30 bunkers, chickens and 1 pig, they are checking the area out.	J S	Bde	rl	
35	1150	From Bde S-2; In future, it will be SOP when giving a readout on booby trap to state if there were any markers warning of booby trap in the area.	J S	Bde	rl	
36	1140	(Delayed Entry) C Co request at 334424 a medivac for 1 EM who fired his M-79 and hit a tree about 50 meters from him, he got some sharpnel in the leg and arm. Medivac complete at 1157. EM roster number 105, July 1 roster JS Bde			rs	
37	1215	Unit locations, A Co OPCON 1/12, B Co at LZ Anne, C Co (-) 334424, 1-6 moving North, 2-6 moving North, 3-6 moving Northeast., D Co (-) 302453, 1-6 309452, 3-6 300449,				

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38	1215		Unit locations, A Co OPCON 1/12, B Co at LZ Anne C Co (-) 334424, 1-6 moving North, 2-6 moving North, 3-6 to 337426 moving North-East, D Co (-) 302453, 1-6 309452, 3-6 at 300447, E Co (-) OPCON 1/12, 4-6 LZ Anne.			J S Bde	1j
39	1230		C Co 3-6 at coord 302453 request scout birds for recon of area.			J S	1j
40	1300		C Co at coord 337426 found approx 20 bunkers and dug up grave, are trying to find cause of death 1-6 element getting ready to blow bunkers.			J S Bde	1j
41	1310		C Co believe cause of death of body found by 3-6 element at coord 337426 was artillery 1-6 has destroyed 7 bunkers, the body was 2-3 days old.			J S	1j
42	1322		C Co 3-6 at coord 337426 found 7 bunkers and 30 incomplete bunkers and two cooking areas 6x6 destroyed also found 1 enemy head.			J S Bde	1j
43	1323		Scout team on station for D Co at coord 305448, the scout team spotted a enemy and fired at him, the scout team reports that they have negative direction in which the enemy ran because of the tall grass.			J S Bde	1g
44	1325		Asst Div CO with VIP's arrived LZ Anne.			J S Bde	1g
45	1343		Bde CO arrived LZ Anne.			J S Bde	1g
46	1400		Unit locations, A Co OPCON 1/12, B Co at LZ Anne, C Co (-) 334425, 2-6 335428, and 3-6 337427, 4-6 334424, D Co 305448, E Co OPCON 1/12, 4-6 LZ Anne.			J S Bde	1g
47	1413		Asst Div CO with VIP's have left LZ Anne.			J S Bde	1g
48	1444		Bde CO leaving LZ Anne at this time.			J S Bde	1g
49	1410		Scout birds on station for controlling the Air Strike.			J S	1g
50	1453		B Co 2-6 found dud 8 inch round in front of bunker # 11, they are not to touch it.			J S	1j
51	1555		C Co at vicinity of coord 334424 have found and destroyed a total of 115 bunkers.			J S Bde	1j
52	1600		Unit locations, A Co OPCON 1/12, B Co at LZ Anne, C Co 334424, D Co 308446, E Co OPCON 1/12, 4-6 LZ Anne.			J S Bde	1g
53	1640		Ref points for 25 July passed on to all the units.			J S	1j
54	1654		C Co at coord 334424 are having recon by fire.			J S	1j
55	1658		C Co 1-6 from 100 meters Northwest of coord 334424 has closed at their location.			J S	1j
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56	1820		Bde Scout birds enroute to air strike area 277423 for BDA.			J S	kt
57	1840		BDA from scout birds on AS at 277423 for the BDA.			J S	kt
58	1847		C Co CO reports all personal in unit received malaria pill.			J S	kt
59	1900		Jim Bowie turned to Bde.			J S	kt
60	1900		Unit locations, A Co CO 1/12, B Co 1/12, C Co 334424, OP 3 334425, amb 2-6 334423, D Co at 308446, amb A1 308449, A2 302443, amb A3 307443, B Co CO 1/12, 4-6 1/12, 103: A Co 121-4-9, B Co 116-4-13, C Co 87-5-14, D Co 112-5-7, E Co 50-1-1, HHC 129-11-3.			J S Bde	kt
61	1955		A Co reports malaria pills taken.			J S	kt
62			1955--Situation Report Negative			J S Bde	kt
63	2005		C Co ambushes are now in position.			J S	kt
64	2025		D Co reports malaria pills have been taken.			J S	kt
65	2050		Situation Report Negative			J S Bde	kt
66	2305		E Co reports malaria pills have been taken, also their ambushes are now in position.			J S Bde	kt
67	2101		Then Bn 3: Passed to units when reporting organic the AM units are also required to report No of daymore mines expended, by platoon and also no of claymore mines in each company. To all units.			J S	kt
68	2150		Situation Report Negative			J S Bde	kt
69	2255		Situation Report Negative			J S Bde	kt
70	2305		D Co 1-6 saw light 500 meters, the light was to the Southwest of LT Anne. B Co requested illumination placed HB instead in the area.			J S	kt
71	2345		Ref 70, B Co placed HB in area where light was spotted. Negative assessment 2 more big lights in general area spotted one cigarette type and one flash light type.			J S Bde	kt
72	2350		Situation Report Negative			J S	kt
73	2400		Journal Closed			J S	kt
74	2400		SUMMARY: C Co at 1140 hrs at YD 334424 found 15 bunkers and signs indicating trail was booby trapped. Destroyed bunkers. Checked area with negative further findings. At 1150 hrs at YD 337426 found 37 bunkers and were destroyed. At 1300 hrs found 2 NVA KIA by Arty, estimated to be dead 3 days. Negative weapons or documents found.				
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