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L2 Sharon				DATE		TIME	
S-2 S-3 1ST Battalion 8TH Cavalry				9 Oct 68		0001 2400	

ITEM NO.	TIME	IN	OUT	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS ETC.	INITIALS
1	0001			Journal Opened.	JS
2	0100			Situation Report Negative.	JS Ede JM
3	0200			Mad minute on LZ Anne has begun.	JS JM
4	0202			Mad minute on LZ Anne completed.	JS JM
5	0205			Situation Report Negative.	JS Ede JM
6	0300			Situation Report Negative.	JS Ede JM
7	0400			Situation Report Negative.	JS Ede JM
8	0500			Situation Report Negative.	JS Ede JM
9	0600			Situation Report Negative.	JS Ede JM
10	0617			All 1/8th OR's and ambushes have closed on their C locations.	JS Ede JM
11	0655			Organic Expenditures: A Co. 30he, 15wp, no ill.; B Co neg he, neg wp, neg ill.; C Co 3 he, 5 wp, neg ill.; D Co 30 he, 11 wp, neg ill.; E Co 15 he, 15 wp, 1 ill.	JS Ede LG
12	0800			Unit locations: A Co 27213; B Co 215443, 1-6 219441, 2-6 220440; C Co 222438; D Co 202420; E Co (-) LZ Anne, 1-6 LZ Sharon.	JS Ede LG
13	0911			E Co 1-6 element off LZ at LZ Sharon.	JS Ede LG
14	0935			E Co 1-6 element on LZ at 202420 LZ was secure.	JS Ede LG
15	0945			B Co 3-6 and C Co 1-6 at LZ Anne.	JS Ede LG
16	0955			D Co 3-6 and G Co 1-6 at 202432 LZ Green.	JS Ede LG
17	0957			D Co 2-6 element off LZ at LZ Anne LZ is clear.	JS Ede LG
18	0959			D Co 2-6 element on LZ at 222438. C Co list is complete.	JS Ede LG
19	1000			B Co 3-6 element at 222438 found 2 jackets with two copies of 2 weeks old LZ Anne report blue shirts and green trousers.	JS Ede LG
20	1025			Unit locations: A Co 272413, 1-6 277408, 3-6 276417; B Co 215443, 1-6 219441, 2-6 220440; C Co 222438; D Co (-) 222382, 1-6 and 4-6 LZ Anne; E Co 202430, 2-6 212426, 3-6 205436; F Co (-) LZ Anne, 1-6 202382.	JS Ede LG
21	1200			Unit locations: A Co 272413, 1-6 273407, 2-6 st 269412, 3-6 269407; B Co 215443, 1-6 219441, 2-6 220440, 3-6 222438; C Co 224385, 2-6 293392, 1-6 and 4-6 LZ Anne; D Co 206432, 2-6 215427, 3-6 213435; E Co (-) LZ Anne, 1-6 207429.	JS Ede LG
22	1245			D Co (-) at 209432 found 1 hatch that covered a hole that was 6x6x5 feet. Inside the hatch they found 2 boxes 9 m.m. 140 rounds, 2 pounds of C-4, 2 AK-47 magazines, 3 sheets of paper that has writing on it, 2 pairs civilians pants, 3 civilian shirts, 1 civilian sweater, 1 civilian jacket, 1 pair socks. The hatch has had no recent use and it will be destroyed.	JS Ede LG
23	1325			D Co 3-6 at 213435 request medivac for 1 EM who has a 101 degrees temperature, stomach cramps, and cold chills.	JS Ede LG
24	1340			D Co 3-6 at 213435 reports medivac complete.	JS Ede LG
25	1345			C Co closed on LZ Anne.	JS Ede LG

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ITEM NO.	TIME	IN	OUT	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS ETC.	INL.
26	1425			Weather from Brigade: From 1500 hours to 2000 hours. Thunder showers visability 2-miles in thunder showers clouds scattered at 1500 to 2000 broken from 3000 to 8000.	JS Bde GW
27	1426			Unit locations: A Co (-) 269409, 1-6 2273406, 1-6 3-6 269402, B Co (-) 215443, 1-6 219441, 2-6 220440, 3-6 222438, C Co LZ Anne, D Co (-) 212433, 2-6 212433, 2-6 217429, 3-6 213435; E Co (-) LZ Sharen 1-6 209428.	JS Bde GW
28	1530			Unit locations: A Co 267404; E Co (-) 215443, 1-6 219441, 2-6 220440, 3-6 222438; C Co LZ Anne D Co 213435 E Co (-) LZ Sharen, 1-6 209428, 4-6 LZ Anne.	JS Bde GW
29	1615			BCo 1-6 at 219441 found one chi com hand grenade booby trap, it had a vine for a trip wire across a trail it was tripped but failed to go off. It was camouflaged with green plastic. It will be destroyed when they leave the area.	JS Bde GW
30	1815			C Co at LZ Anne requested medivac for EM with 103 degrees temperature, cold chills and stomach cramps	JS Bde GW
31	1830			C Co at LZ Anne medivac complete.	JS Bde GW
32	1905			A Co up on malaria.	JS GW
33	1906			D Co up on malaria.	JS Bde GW
34	1907			B Co up on malaria.	JS GW
35	1910			C Co up on malaria.	JS GW
36	1910			Unit PDS: A Co 95-5-12 E Co 100-4-13 C Co 80-4-8 D Co 77-4-12; E Co 48-2-1	S Bde GW
37	1930			Unit night final locations: A Co (-) 267404, 1-1 265405, 1-2 265403, 2-1 267406, 2-2 269404, 2-3 266402, E Co (-) 215443, 1-6 218441, 2-6 220440, 2-0 OP 75 meters South of 2-6, 3-6 222438; C Co LZ Anne OP 150 meters North of LZ Anne., OP 2 50 meters South of LZ Anne.; D Co (-) 213435 1-1 214435 2-1 212435, 3-1 214434, E Co (*) LZ Sharen, 1-6 216428, 4-6 LZ Anne.	JS Bde GW
38	1930			Jim Rowe turned into Brigade.	S Bde GW
39	1940			E Co up on malaria.	JS GW
40	2012			HHC up on malaria.	JS GW
41	2015			All masses and OP's now in night locations	JS Bde GW
42	2110			From Brigade: Boundry extention will be in effect until 15 Oct 1968, 1800 hours.	JS GW
43	2110			Situation Report Negative.	JS Bde GW
44	2200			Situation Report Negative.	JS Bde GW
45	2220			From Brigade: USL 243 S act 68 C-3 reports V.O. building road from west of South Viet Nam. V.O. strong hold area. From B. B. 2 vic. coord. 315295, beyond 350 to 395 and will construct the road to thru then. Road is 8 meters wide and has been under construction.	
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for 3 months. Road is still incomplete but is believed road has been completed to Ba DA. On 3 of Oct 68 ten tanks transported a transportation group of 50 individuals to West to vicinity of BA DA. Tanks returned to West 4 Oct 68. The transportation group from BA DA moved to Thu Thien Destination unknown. Majority of the individuals were carrying boxes 20.7 m.m. 0.3 m the boxes contained arms. they were also carrying boxes of 0.7m x0.5 m. full of arms and it took 2 individuals to carry each box.	INTL.
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Situation Report Negative.

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Journal closed.

SUMMARY: 1st Battalion 8th Cavalry continued search
operations in the Eastern Ba Long Valley area. C
Company secured LZ Anne. A Company searched South of the Ba Long
Valley River and D Company, B Company, and the
Recen. platoon searched North of the Ba Long River.
There was negative contact in the Area of Operation.

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