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S-2 S-3 1ST Battalion 8TH Cavalry

FROM		TO	
DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
23 Oct 68	0001	23 Oct 68	2100

ITEM NO.	TIME IN	TIME OUT	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS ETC.	INITIALS
1	0001		Journal opened	JS GW
2	0100		Situation negative	JS Bde GW
3	0200		Situation negative	JS Bde GW
4	0300		Situation negative	JS Bde GW
5	0400		Situation negative	JS Bde GW
6	0405		D Co on LZ Anne had a mad minute for H&I	JS GW
7	0500		Situation Negative	JS Bde GW
8	0600		Situation negative	JS Bde GW
9	0702		All 1/8 ambushes & OPs have closed on CP locations	JS Bde GW
10	0705		Organic expenditure: A Co 53 HE, 0 ILL, 0 WP; B Co 30 HE, 0 ILL, 6 WP; C Co 0 HE, 0 ILL, 0 WP; D Co 24 HE, 1 ILL, 0 WP; E Co 16 HE, 1 ILL, 24 WP	JS GW
11	0800		Unit Locations: A Co @240324; B Co @314369; C Co @297373; D Co LZ Anne; E Co OP @ 293398(1) @ 286404 (2) E Co (-) LZ Sharon, E Co 4-6 LZ Anne.	JS Bde GW
12	0812		E Co 1-6 ele off PZ @ 1/8 lower pad at LZ Sharon	JS Bde GW
13	0824		E Co 1-6 ele on LZ @ 297373, C Co securing LZ- E Co 1-6 & extraction complete @297373.	JS Bde JM
14	0856		Bn 5 would like for Bn 6 to leave LZ Anne 5 min ahead of proposed 0900 in order that he may converse with him.	JS Bn6 JM
15	1000		Unit Locations: A Co @240324 1-6 @237326; B Co (-) 314367, 1-6 @314374, 2-6 @314367; C Co @297373; D Co (-) LZ Anne, 3-6 @296404, OP 1 293398, OP 2 286404; E Co (-) LZ Sharon, 1-6 @295375, 4-6 Anne	JS Bde WM
16	1000		From Bde; LRRP 20 did not go in as scheduled at 0630, will be inserted this afternoon.	JS Bn3 JM
17	1030		A Co 2-6 @239327 reports finding 2 markers. These markers were made of sticks and one marker was on the trail and the other was to the left of the trail. The one on the trail consisted of two crossed sticks with one stick under the two crossed. The single stick was pointing vertical across the trail. The marker on the left of the trail consisted of two crossed sticks with one stick on top.	

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17		Cgnt	Pointing NE down the trail. About 10 meters down the trail from the markers the 2-6 ele also believes markers were put there within the last two weeks. Readout to follow	JS Bde JM	JS Bde JM
18	1110		Ref Item 17; The A Co 2-6 ele had negative findings with the diggings. The 2-6 ele proceeded 100 meters down the trail and found another marker. This marker consisted of three sticks in a tri-trail was another stick pointing down the trail. Read out to follow.		JS Bde JM
19	1200		Unit Location; A/Co (-) 240324, 1-6 @ 237326, 2-6 @ 311364; B/Co (-) 311367 1-6 @ 300381, 3-6 @ 296370; D/Co (-) LZ ANNE, 3-6 @ 299402, OP1 @ 293398 OP2 286404; E/Co (-) LZ SHARON, 1-6 @ 295375 4-6 @ LZ ANNE		JS Bde JM
20	1235		A/Co 2-6 ele @ 239327 reports readout to item# 18. The trail they were following ran 200 meters NE from the markers and faded out. Negative findings on the trail.		JS Bde JM
21	1235		Organic Clearance for C/Co (-) 297373; Clearance granted between 1230 to 1400 4800 m to 5600 mm - 1000 m to settle base plates. C/Co is to check with E/Co 1-6 ele. For direct coord before firing		JS Bde JM
22	1245		A/Co 2-6 @ 241327 Found one spider hole 2'x3'x4' approx. 2-3 months old with negative overhead cover. Hole was along trail.		JS Bde JM
23	1400		Unit Locations; A/Co (-) 237326, 1-6 @ 238328 2-6 @ 241327, 3-6 @ 238328, 4-6 @ 240329, B/Co (-) 311369, 1-6 @ 310371 2-6 @ 309367, C/Co (-) 297373 1-6 @ 303372 2-6 @ 302375; 3-6 @ 293369; OPD/Co (-) LZ ANNE OP, 293398 OP2 286404; E/Co (-)		

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		Cont	LZ SHARON 1-6 @ 293377 4-6 LZ ANNE.		JS Bde JM
23					
24	1405		A/Co 3-6 at 238328 has found One Hootch 25'x15'x10' with bunker under it. Further readout to follow	JS Bde LG	JS Bde LG
25	1445		(Ref #24 time 1405) A/Co 3-6 at 238328 has found one stevens shotgun with the stock missing and the serial NO is 2501, 4 bags of US literature, 1 vietnamese chemistry book, 1 bottle pills, 1 bottle empty, 1 jar empty, 3 baskets, 1 empty soybean can, 1 2 man sleeping position with a tree laved over top of it, 1 fighting position 3'x3'x3' with neg over head cover, 1 double bunker 6 months old. Further read out will follow.		JS Bde LG
			B/Co 1-6 ele closed CP Loc		JS Bde LG
26	1526				
27	1535		(Ref 24&25 time 1405) A/Co 3-6 Reports that the bunker that was under the hootch was 24'x15'x10', with a storage hole 3'x3' with nothing in it. The shotgun was rusted shut, the baskets were wicker type, and the literature was tied up in shirts and not in bags. All the items reported were found in the hootch that was found at 1405 hrs.		JS Bde LG
28	1632		A/Co Reports that the bunker and hootch reported in No#24 was destroyed.		JSB Bde LG
29	1642		B/Co 2-6 ele Closed CP Loc; B/Co complete at 305326		JS Bde LG
30	1646		C/Co complet at 297373		JS Bde LG
31	1750		A/Co 2-6 ele closed CP Loc A/Co complete at 237326		JS Bde LG
32	1838		From Bde LRRP 2C was inserted at 1645 at grid 267435 LZ Green; LRRP 2B was inserted at 1705 Hrs at grid 204444 LZ Red. When on the ground they made contact with 4 to 5 ind wearing		

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32		camouflage uniforms, 2B evaded the area		JS Bde IG	
33	1850	C/Co up on malaria		JS Bde LG	
34	1851	D/Co up on malaria		JS Bde IG	
35	1859	Jim Bowie turned into Bde		JS Bde IG	
36	1900	Unit Loc, A/Co 237326, 1-la 239327, 2LA A 239324, 3LA A 236326; B/Co 305364, OP#202304384, OP 340 306365, 1-2 306362; C/Co 297373, 1-6 300373, OP# 296373, 2-1 293370; D/Co LZ ANNE, OP#1 293398, OP#2 286404; E/Co LZ SHARON, 1-6 294375, 4-6 LZ ANNE		JS Bde IG	
37	1904	Unit PDS A/Co 100-4-11; D/Co 92-5-12; E/Co 190-3-10; C/Co 103-4-11 E/Co 42-0-3		JS Bde LG	
38	1925	B/Co Up on Malaria		JS Bde LG	
39	1925	A/Co Up on Malaria		JS Bde LG	
40	1926	E/Co Up on Malaria		JS Bde LG	
41	2052	Organic Clearance Effective From 2000 to 0630; A/Co 4000 mils to 5600 mils, 1.5K; 5600mils to 1600mils, 2K; 1600mils to 2200, 1.5K; B/Co 0400mils to 2400 mils, 1K; 2400 mils to 32 mils, 5K; 3200 mils to 4800 mils 1K; C/Co 0000 mils to 1600 mils 2K; 3200 mils to 4800 mils 2K; D/Co & E/Co 4800 mils to 2000 mils .5K; 2000 mils to 3200 mils 1.5K; 3200 mils to 4900 mils 2K.		JS Bde LG	
42	2011	From Bde disregard entry "32 LRRP 2C was inserted at 1650 at grid 263465, and at 1850 are at their night location at 266434; LRRP 2B was inserted at 1700 at grid 209337 with a green LZ, and at 1730 at grid 203445 2B made contact with 1 ind, only with 4 ind, only one had a weapon. After 1st contact 2B evaded to grid			
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