

## ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION LOCATION

PERIOD COVERED

S-2 S-3 1st Battalion 8th Cav. LZ White

0001 1 Feb. - 2400 1 Feb.

ITEM NO	TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	IN
1.	0001	Journal Opened	JS	WA
2.	0100	Situation Negative	JS Bde	WA
3.	0200	Situation Negative	JS Bde	WA
4.	0310	Situation Negative	JS Bde	WA
5.	0410	Situation Negative	JS Bde	WA
6.	0545	A/Co, B/Co, D/Co, E/Co 4-6, & C/Co 2/8 up for stand to.	JS	SH
7.	0800	Unit locations: A/Co 488669; B/Co 440644; D/Co LZ White; E/Co 4-6 LZ White; C/Co 2/8 454640.	JS Bde	SH
8.	0815	D/Co (-) moving north at this time they are working from LZ White.	JS Bde	SH
9.	0830	En. 6 taking log to B/Co on Charlie Charlie aircraft.	JS	SH
10.	0832	A 1/9 aircraft checked the area around A/Co, and A/Co's PZ for today and had negative findings. Will RDA air strikes and check the area around D/Co.	JS Bde	SH
11.	0834	C/Co 2/8 moving west at this time.	JS Bde	SH
12.	0845	A 1/9 aircraft checked area of air strikes and area surrounding B/Co. The trail leading to the north shows heavy use. It is believed the enemy evaded to the north along this trail the trail is vic: 440644.	JS Bde	SH
13.	0925	D/Co (-) located at grid 455635.	JS Bde S-2	SH
14.	0930	C/Co 2/8 presently located at grid 452642 moving west.	JS	SH
15.	0940	B/Co complete at grid 440644 moving east.	JS	SH
16.	1020	Unit locations: A/Co lifting from 488669 to LZ White; B/Co 442645; D/Co (-) 453636, 4-6 LZ White 2-6 451639; E/Co 4-6 LZ White; C/Co 2/8 450643.	JS Bde	SH
17.	1100	A/Co 2-6 and CP off PZ (488669). (Delayed from 1005)	JS Bde	SH
18.	1100	A/Co 2-6 and CP on LZ (LZ WHITE). (Delayed from 10-17).	JS Bde	SH
19.	1100	A/Co 1-6, 4-6 (-) off PZ (488669). (Delayed from 1025).	JS Bde	SH
20.	1100	A/Co 1-6, 4-6 (-) on LZ (LZ WHITE). (Delayed from 1032).	JS Bde	SH
21.	1100	A/Co 4-6 (-), 3-6 (-) off PZ (488669). (Delayed from 1040).	JS Bde	SH
22.	1100	A/Co 4-6 (-), 3-6 (-) on LZ (LZ WHITE). (Delayed from 1045).	JS Bde	SH
23.	1100	A/Co 3-6 (-) off PZ (488669) (PZ CLEAR). (Delayed from 1049).	JS Bde	SH
24.	1100	A/Co 3-6 (-) on LZ White (A/Co complete). (Delayed from 1055).	JS Bde	SH
25.	1107	B/Co at grid 443647 found 6 old bunkers 1½ months old used within the last day or so; a fresh pile of defication inside one of the bunkers, 2 or 3 hrs. old; 2 B-40 rockets; 2 Chi Com grenades; NVA type clothes; and a fresh blood trail running to the	JS Bde	SH

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25.		north east. Bunker's, Chi Com grenades, B-40 rockets, NVA type clothes will be destroyed by B/Co.	JS Bde	SH
26.	1117	A 1/9 aircraft at grid XT 442643 at 0915 hrs. spotted 30 bunker's, 20 of the bunker's showed recent construction. 1 bunker was 10'x10' with overhead cover, the rest of the bunker's were 4'x4'.	JS S-2	SH
27.	1120	(Ref. item #25) B/Co at grid 443647 found an additional 6 rifle grenades; 4 Chi Com grenades; 6 graves approx. 3 months old, 1 grave was dug up they found 1 body about 3 months old; also found 70 brand new AK-47 rds. AK-47 rds., 4 Chi Com grenades and rifle grenades will be destroyed by B/Co. The other 5 graves will be dug up.	JS Bde	SH
28.	1135	(Ref. items # 25 & 27) All 6 graves were dug up, they found 6 male bodies killed by small arms fire; bunker's were 4'x5'x3' with 2' of overhead cover, and in good shape.	JS Bde	SH
29.	1135	Air requests sent into Bde. (for 2 Feb. 69).	JS Bde	SH
30.	1217	Plans for 2 Feb. sent into Bde.	JS Bde	SH
31.	1235	Unit locations: A/Co 452657; B/Co 443647; D/Co 4-6 LZ White; D/Co (-) 449639; E/Co 4-6 LZ White; C/Co 2/8 445656.	JS Bde	SH
32.	1235	A/Co 2-6, CP off PZ (LZ White). (Delayed from 1115).	JS Bde	SH
33.	1235	A/Co 2-6, CP on LZ (452657) (LZ GREEN) (Delayed from 1216).	JS Bde	SH
34.	1235	A/Co 1-6, 4-6 (-) off PZ (LZ White). (Delayed from 1216).	JS Bde	SH
35.	1235	A/Co 1-6, 4-6 (-) on LZ (452657). (Delayed from 1220).	JS Bde	SH
36.	1235	A/Co 4-6 (-), 3-6 OFF PZ (LZ WHITE) (PZ CLEAR) (Delayed from 1226).	JS Bde	SH
37.	1235	A/Co 4-6 (-), 3-6 on LZ (452657) (A/Co complete) (Delayed from 1231).	JS Bde	SH
38.	1245	B/Co at grid 443647 found 1 bike destroyed by ARA, 3 bunkers 4'x5'x3' with 2' over head cover showed signs of recent use. Bunkers are two months old and in good shape; 1 Chi Com grenade; a handful of human hair and approx. 20 bandages with fresh blood on them. Everything will be destroyed by B/Co.	JS Bde	SH
39.	1317	A/Co at grid 451660 found a fresh puddle of blood. Blood was on bushes and on the ground. There are not any trails, in the immediate area.	JS Bde	SH
40.	1330	A/Co complete at grid 451661.	JS	SH
41.	1345	B/Co complete at grid 445650.	JS	SH
42.	1400	Unit locations: A/Co 451661; B/Co 445650; D/Co 4-6 LZ White D/Co (-) 445639; E/Co 4-6 LZ White; C/Co 2/8 446649.	JS Bde	SH

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ITEM NO	TIME	INCIDENT, MESSAGE, ORDERS, ETC.	0001 1 Feb-2100 1 Feb	IN
43.	1420	B/Co at grid 445650 found 8 bunker's 4'x5'x3' with 2' of overhead cover, approx. 2 months old. 4 bunker's had been destroyed by air strikes; also found 1 B-40 rocket, and 2 NVA gas masks. Will be destroyed by B/Co.	JS Bde	SH
44.	1438	D/Co at grid 444639 found 2 bunker's 4'x6'. One bunker was destroyed by air strikes. Bunker's are very old and haven't been used in a long time. D/Co will destroy the other bunker.	JS Bde	SH
45.	1440	Pass-word for 1200 hrs. 1 Feb.-1200 hrs. 2 Feb. is OAK FORT.	JS S-2	SH
46.	1450	A 1/9 aircraft at grid XT 445648 at 0910 hrs. EDA on air strike east of bunker complex. Spotted 3 bunker's 4'x6', 4 fighting positions, and 1 footbridge, all destroyed. They uncovered 1 mortar pit.	JS S-2	SH
47.	1500	Psychological Operations aircraft is on station. They will work a 3 K's radius around grid 445650.	JS	SH
48.	1530	A/Co complete at grid 447665.	JS	SH
49.	1610	D/Co closing on LZ White at this time.	JS	SH
50.	1610	Spray aircraft inbound to LZ White.	JS	SH
51.	1616	D/Co closed on LZ White at this time.	JS	SH
52.	1620	Unit locations: A/Co 447664; B/Co 445650; D/Co LZ White; E/Co 4-6 LZ White; C/Co 2/8 448650.	JS Bde	SH
53.	1640	C/Co 2/8 moving west at this time.	JS	SH
54.	1645	B/Co 3-6 at grid 44651 found 7 bunker's, 4'x5'x3' with 2' of overhead cover; 2 B-40 rockets; 1 60mm mortar round; 1 bicycle; 80 rds. of AK-47 ammo.; 2 NVA field packs; 10 Chi Com grenades; 1 antitank grenade; 1 NVA canteen; 28 8oz blocks of C-3; 1 30 cal. machine gun barrel. The 30 cal machine gun barrel will be sent to LZ White on Log bird. Everything else will be destroyed by B/Co. Bunker's are in good shape, used within the last day or so. 30 cal. machine gun barrel is dirty, still has oil on it, was packed in grease, in good shape, probably used as a spare barrel. Hasn't been used in at least 3 weeks.	JS S-2	SH
55.	1830	UNIT FINAL LOCATION: A/Co (-) 447664, 1-6 mass 445667, 2-6 mass 449668, OP 3-1A SW 75m, OP 3-2A SE 75m; B/Co (-) 446647, OP 1-3 SE 75m, OP 2-2 SW 75m, OP 3-3 NE 75m, OP 4-1 NNW 75m; D/Co LZ White, OP's 1-1 N 100m, 1-2 NE 100m, 2-1 SE 100m, 22 S 100m, 3-1 SW 100m, 2-2 NW 100m; E/Co 4-6 LZ White; E/Co 2/8 448650, OP 2-6 SW 75m, OP 3-6 W 75m, OP 1-6 NE 75m.	JS Bde	SH
56.	1830	UNIT FDS: A/Co 99-4-9; B/Co 91-4-13; C/Co OP-CON 1st Bde D/Co 107-4-7; E/Co 4-6 23-0-0; C/Co 2/8 81-4-6.	JS Bde	SH
57.	1835	Organic Clearances; A/Co 4800-2400 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ km, 2400-4800 500 meters; B/Co 2800-5600 1km; C/Co 2/8 5600-0800 500 meters, 0800-2400 3km; LZ White 0800-500 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ km, 5000-0800 500 meters.	JS	SH
58.	1837	Jim Bowie turned in to Bde.	JS Bde	SH
59.	1915	A/Co. and B/ co ; O P's and massives in position at this time	JS BDE	SH
60.	1930	C/Co 2/8 OP 3-6A had movement as they were moving into night locations.		

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60.	1900	several d beret worn by C/Co 2/8 CP location is in negative assessment. D/Co 2/8 is in position at this time. D/Co 2/8 will check the area at daylight. D/Co firing organics for C 2/8.	JS Bde SH
61.	1940	A red star cluster trip flare device set up by D/Co in vic 450635 has been set off. No friendly troops in the area engaging with organics at this time.	JS Bde SH
62.	1950	D/Co OP's in position at this time. All OP's and massive in position at this time.	
63.	2020	C/Co (0945) at XS 391725 hit chi cam mine - resulting in 8 WIA's - 3 WIA's medivaced today - other 5 lightly wounded going in tommorrow (Feb 2) also 1145 XS 356850 1 EM WIA by unknown type booby trap - at 1240 Medivac was complete.	JS Bde SH
64.	2020	C/Co at 1545 at XS 388770 found 25,280 rds of M1 47, 12-75 recoilless rifle rds, 2-57 recoilless rifle rds, 6 anti tank mines. Checking Bde as to what the disposition of chache is.	JS Bde SH
65.	2100	Air Strikes FEB 2 1969 @ 479673 time 1400 500 lbs.	JS Bde SH
66.	2115	B/Co has movement at this time. OP 303 spotted enemy (2) climbing trees, B/Co OP 3-3 threw frags, negative assessment. OP 3-3 brought into perimeter OP 2-2; OP 4-1 have movement to their front, observing at this time.	JS Bde SH
67.	2135	B/Co had 3 grenades thrown at the perimeter on the SW side and 2 grenades thrown at the perimeter on NW side. Areas were engaged with grenades with negative assessment. B/Co pulling in all OP's and will engage with area.	JS Bde SH
68.	2150	All OP's have closed on perimeter.	JS Bde SH
69.	2205	C/Co WIA's from booby-trap today - roster # 3, 68, 133, 692, 97, 122, 148.	JS Bde SH
70.	2215	Bde. strikes to go in at following grids; 2 FEB 69; 1st not earlier than 0505 not later than 0605, grids 496681; 505676; 511705; 520700. 2nd not earlier than 0710 not later than 0810 grids 508679, 521702, 530698, 517674, 3rd not earlier than 0915 not later than 1015 grids 520680, 529674, 542698, 532703.	JS Bde SH
71.	2300	OP's back in position at this time. Area engaged with Artillery with negative assessment.	JS Bde SH
72.	2330	Situation Negative.	JS Bde SH
73.	2355	E/Co recon will set up ambush FEB 2 69 @ 425630.	JS Bde SH
74.	2357	Situation negative.	JS Bde SH
75.	2400	Journal Closed.	JS SH

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