

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION LOCATION  
S-2 S-3 1st Battalion 8th Cav LZ Rock

PERIOD COVERED 1969  
0001 to 2400 10 June

ITEM TIME INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.

ACTION TAKEN IN

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| 1.  | 0001 | Journal opened.                                                                                                                                                                                                            |        |    |
| 2.  | 0100 | All units report situation negative.                                                                                                                                                                                       | JS     | JV |
| 3.  | 0200 | All units report situation negative.                                                                                                                                                                                       | JS Bde | MG |
| 4.  | 0245 | Killer team while working N for C/co 2 1/2 km received small arms ground to air fire 0145 525455 engaged with arty.                                                                                                        | JS Bde | MG |
| 5.  | 0300 | All units report situation negative.                                                                                                                                                                                       | JS S-2 | MG |
| 6.  | 0335 | Bde 2MC mission 160-7 IR TOT 091925 to 092147: 434387 1 near bridge, 442379 1 in woods, 491352 490351 498351 1 in woods, 498350 3 in woods, 495352 493358 1 in woods.                                                      | JS Bde | JV |
| 7.  | 0434 | LZ Rock 50% alert because of IR. Concentration in small numbers to the SE.                                                                                                                                                 | JS S-2 | MG |
| 8.  | 0500 | All units report situation negative.                                                                                                                                                                                       | JS     | JV |
| 9.  | 0627 | Bde 83M C/C will be Snoopy 440 lob bird Drumstick 776.                                                                                                                                                                     | JS Bde | MG |
| 10. | 0635 | D 1/9 closed on Rock at 0650.                                                                                                                                                                                              | JS     | JV |
| 11. | 0645 | Bde CS can be picked up at chemical pad at PV 0840.                                                                                                                                                                        | JS     | JV |
| 12. | 0715 | AS for 0910 447378 has been cancelled.                                                                                                                                                                                     | JS     | JV |
| 13. | 0740 | D/co in contact receiving SA and RPG from SW encountered by 4 indiv. suffered 1 WIA medevac requested 0738. Contact ended 0750. 514433.                                                                                    | JS     | JV |
| 14. | 0745 | Call sign medevac 20 ETA 15-20 min.                                                                                                                                                                                        | JS Bde | JV |
| 15. | 0800 | hickman 776 released due to motor trouble.                                                                                                                                                                                 | JS     | JV |
| 16. | 0830 | Medevac complete at 0830, Cav 1-4 picked the man up and took him to Rock. Medevac picked him up at Rock. #48 Goolsby, James R US53581620. Man shot in neck and shoulder (AK) went to Blackhorse.                           | JS     | JV |
| 17. | 0855 | A/co requested clearance to fire organics dist 800m, 600, max ord 2000' air advisory posted, clearance given.                                                                                                              | JS Bde | TB |
| 18. | 0938 | Cav 14 reports in vic of D/co contact 12-15 hooches made of palm leaves fresh still green. Sizes range from 10x15 to 15x20 there are baskets of rice outside doors and believes more inside. Engaging with arty.           | JS Bde | TB |
| 19. | 1000 | Current locations sent to Bde: A/co 432388; B/co Rock; C/co 531431; D/co 514433; E/co Rock; D 1/9 Rock.                                                                                                                    | JS Bde | TB |
| 20. | 1025 | Cav 14 report after adjustment 155 in area of hoochs 5 hooch destroyed. One took direct hits and are burning believes gasoline inside some hooches because of the burning.                                                 | JS Bde | TB |
| 21. | 1030 | Request A hooks and PW to get B/co to R&R center in TN                                                                                                                                                                     | JS Bde | TB |
| 22. | 1034 | AS for 1100H cancelled.                                                                                                                                                                                                    | JS Bde | TB |
| 23. | 1050 | A/co reports their 36 at 432388 found a dud 105mm and dud 81mm, they are going to blow them.                                                                                                                               | JS Bde | TB |
| 24. | 1051 | URS time date morning 436367 general vicinity.                                                                                                                                                                             | JS     | TB |
| 25. | 1130 | 62 requested for 11 June for C/co.                                                                                                                                                                                         | JS S-2 | MG |
| 26. | 1145 | E/co reports at 479355 they found 1-2 man saw. There are also numerous signs in the area (deerskin hanging from two vines tied together about 5' above ground, hanging over a trail). Believes the sign is a warning sign. | JS Bde | GP |
| 27. | 1200 | Bn 3 to Bn 3MB spotted 1 enemy indiv in bomb crater 501400, engaged with arty small arms enemy was moving E to W on a heavily used trail neg assessment.                                                                   | JS Bde | TB |
| 28. | 1400 | Locations sent to Bde: A/co 440391 36 432388; B/co Rock; C/co 525427; D/co 514431; E/co 479355, 11 475354, 13 477358 D 1/9 494345.                                                                                         | JS Bde | TB |
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| ITEM NO                               | TIME | ACTION TAKEN                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | IN                   |    |
| 29.                                   | 1425 | D/co reports finding the following at 511431: 1 200 lb bag of tea, 31 cases of mackerel 100 cans/case 5 oz/can), 150 rolls of plastic (1 1/2" wide 60m long), 150 rolls cloth (36" wide, 50" long), 11 100 lb bags of sugar, 11 bags of plasma bottles 30 bottles/bag, 2 100 lb bags of soybeans, 2 100 lb salt, 200 handkerchiefs, 1 100 lb bag of baking powder, 2 15 lb bags of baking powder, 1 case rubber bands, 100 bottles preservative, 1 100 lb bag rice, 2 cases cookies, 100 bottles of antibiotic, 28 intravenous cutter sets, 20 vials of pain killer, 1 100 lb bag of penicillin and streptomycin, 3 bottles milk magnesia, 100 vials glucose(5%), 15 lbs of food spice. | JS Bde               | TB |
| 30.                                   | 1535 | A/co requests log bird to pick up indiv who was hurt while blowing a tree. Indiv was hit in head with flying piece of wood. Taken to aid station at Rock. "102 Hill, Donald D. RA18755446 medevac complete at 1510.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | JS Bde               | TB |
| 31.                                   | 1622 | On 3A to Bde plans for 11 June and tentative plans sent to Bde.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | JS Bde               | RV |
| 32.                                   | 1705 | On 83M to Bde 3MB request a scout dog team for /co for 11 June to be picked up at Castle pad at 0700.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | JS Bde               | SH |
| 33.                                   | 1720 | Bde to On 3MB 10 June weather report: 200 scattered, 10,000 scattered visibility before 0900 3-5 knots temp 93-77. Hum 33%.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | JS                   | RV |
| 34.                                   | 1725 | From Bde: Dog team will be at Castle pad at 0200 on 11 June for Pickup.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | JS Bde               | KG |
| 35.                                   | 1825 | Requested routine medevac for 1 amb patient at Rock. Man has temp 104. Medevac 20 ETA 15-20 on "Rock control" push. Medevac complete 1850. Russell, John R. O/co #71 US51968172.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | JS Bde               | TB |
| 36.                                   | 1905 | Hatchet report: day 2 pit, 3 squad; night squad 3.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | JS Bde               | RV |
| 37.                                   | 1906 | Night final locations sent to Bde: A/co 440390, 26 mass 170 100m, 36 mass 80 75m, PDS 77-3-11; B/co Rock; C/co 520427, OP1 85 50m, OP2 245 50m OP3 320 50m; D/co 511425, 13 511426, 26 511424, PDS 82-4-9; E/co Rock PDS 52-1-7; D 1/9 Rock.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | JS Bde               | KG |
| 38.                                   | 1920 | A/co reports the following at 440390 3 bnks 1 man t be fresh entrancing facing toward the river (past week). A case that use to contain mackerel cans and an few old mackerel cans rusty. A well used trail. A HCM sandal print week old. Numerous old cooking fire spots. GI grenade old.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | JS Bde               | TB |
| 39.                                   | 1927 | C/co 520427 reports hearing a gook mortar tube popping 130 2 km from his location. Could not hear the rds landing. Checked with D/co the could hear nothing.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | JS Bde               | TB |
| 40.                                   | 1937 | From Bde: URS 436367 via time early morning 10 June.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | JS S-2               | TB |
| 41.                                   | 2018 | B/co reports had star cluster go off 180 at 200m. Neg assess                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | JS Bde               | JV |
| 42.                                   | 2041 | Organic clearance passed to O's.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | JS                   | JV |
| 43.                                   | 2100 | All units report situation negative.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | JS Bde               | JV |
| 44.                                   | 2200 | All units report situation negative.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | JS Bde               | JV |
| 45.                                   | 2215 | 3MA to Steel 82A command vaults requested areas follows: 518434, 516447, 527459, 429358.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | JS Bde               | TR |
| 46.                                   | 2250 | Bde confirmation on 2 dog teams they will be at Castle pad at 0730.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | JS                   | JV |
| 47.                                   | 2255 | Plans for 12 June sent to Bde.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | JS Bde               | JV |

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| 48.                                   | 2300 | All units report situation negative.                                                                        | JS Bde       | JV |
| 49.                                   | 2330 | Change of plans sent to Bde for D 1/9 on 11 June.                                                           | JS Bde       | JV |
| 50.                                   | 2355 | All units report situation negative.                                                                        | JS Bde       | JV |
| 51.                                   | 2400 | Summary: D/co had contact resulting in 1 friendly US KIA.<br>D/co found cache of food and medical supplies. | JS           | TR |
| 52.                                   | 2400 | Journal closed.                                                                                             | JS           | JV |

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