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INFO: CO 1ST BDE 101ST ABN DIV (AMBL) CEA, RVN
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CO 5TH INF REGT (ARVN), FB NANCY, RVN
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SUBJECT: COMMANDER'S DAILY SITUATION REPORT (SITREP) 054-71
222000H FEB to 232000H FEB 71

"TRIPLE THREAT IS ALWAYS SET"

1. (C) OPERATIONAL SUMMARY.

a. The 3d Bde 101st Abn Div (Ambl) maintain forward CP at Camp Carroll cdt search and attack plt and ambush op to locate and destroy en forces, cache sites and staging areas and to interdict en movement into the populated lowlands in support of CO JEFFERSON GLEN. Coord is maintained through liaison with the 1st Inf Div (ARVN) forward CP at Dong Ha, with the 5th Regt (ARVN) at FB NANCY, with 2nd Inf Regt (ARVN) at Camp Carroll and rural dist hq at Huong Dien. The 1-506 Inf Bn CP at FB JACKSON. Bn cdt search and attack plt and ambush op in vic of FB's MEXICO, TRIUMPHATOR and RAKKASAN. The 2-506 Inf Bn CP at FB JACK. Bn cdt search and attack plt and ambush op in the vic of FB JACK. Bn provide liaison and assistance to Phong Dien dist.

b. 1-506 Inf Bn: Bn CP at FB RAKKASAN. Bn cdt search and attack plt and ambush op in assigned AO. Established 12 US ambushes and 20 mech ambushes.

- (1) Co A: A(-) vic YD5121, 1st and 2nd plt vic YD5022.
- (2) Co B: B(-) vic YD5215, 1st plt vic YD5617, 2nd plt vic YD4816.
- (3) Co C: C(-) vic YD4424, 1st plt vic YD4823, 3rd plt vic YD4024.
- (4) Co D: D Co at FB RAKKASAN, cont const and scry of FB RAKKASAN.

(5) Recon Plt: Plt(-) vic YD4117, Tm A and Tm C vic YD4018.

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(6) Mortar Plt: 2 tubes OPCON to Base Defense, CAMP EVANS. 2 tubes at FB RAKKASAN to provide DS from FB RAKKASAN. 2 tubes OPCON to B Co vic YD5215 for DS to field units from vic YD5215. 3 tubes held in reserve at CAMP EVANS.

(7) LZ Const: Neg.

c. 2-506 Inf Bn: Bn CP at FB JACK. Bn cdt search and attack tnl and ambush op in assigned AO. Established 13 US ambushes and 12 mech ambushes.

(1) Co A: A Co at FB JACK, cont const and scy of FB JACK.

(2) Co B: B(-) vic YD3830, 1st plt vic YD3829, 3rd plt vic YD3730.

(3) Co C: C(-) vic YD5123, 1st plt vic YD5124.

(4) Co D: D(-) vic YD5728, 1st plt vic YD6025, 2nd plt vic YD5426, 3rd plt vic YD5927.

(5) Recon Plt: Plt(-) at CAMP EVANS. Tm A CA vic YD4732, Tm E MBA to CAMP EVANS.

(6) 352 RF Co: Co OPCON to 2-506 Inf Bn, Co(-) vic YD5728, 1st plt vic YD6025, 2nd plt vic YD5426, 3rd plt vic YD5927.

(7) Mortar Plt: 3 tubes at FB JACK for DS to field units from FB JACK. 1 tube OPCON to Base Defense, CAMP EVANS. 4 tubes in reserve at CAMP EVANS.

(8) LZ Const: Neg.

d. Bde R&S Plt: OPCON to 1-506 Inf. Plt at CAMP EVANS.

Artillery:

(1) A/2-319 Arty: DS to 2-506 Inf fr CAMP EVANS.

(2) B/2-319 Arty: DS to 2-506 Inf fr FB JACK.

(3) C/2-319 Arty: DS to 1-506 Inf fr FB RAKKASAN.

(4) C/4-77 Arty (ARA): GS to 101st Abn Div Arty fr CAMP EVANS.

(5) A/1-39 Arty (8"): GSR to 1st Inf Div (ARVN) fr FB BARBARA.

(6) A/2-11 Arty (155mm): GS to 101st Abn Div Arty fr FB RAKKASAN.

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS.

(a) At 231100H vic YD516216 (1/4 KM S of FB HELEN) 2/A/1-506 Inf an indiv det'd a BBT consisting of 1 lb TNA w/pressure release firing device. BBT empl'd at the edge of an LZ. Results: 1 US WIA (E).

(b) At 231405H vic YD382299 (4 1/2 KM WSW of FB SWORD) 2/B/2-506 Inf an indiv det'd an unk type device in the ground beside the indiv's NDP site. The expl left a crater 10'x3'. Neg en acty in the area. Results: 1 US MIA.

(c) At 231400H vic YD569315 (1 KM W of CAMP EVANS) 237 RF Co. An indiv det'd an NVA M-14 mine located off trl. Results: 2 RF WIA (E).

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(d) DELAYED ENTRY: At 221706H vic YD329337 (FB BARBARA) 1'1'5 ARVN. Rec'd 6 82mm mtr rds impacting outside of perimeter. 1 CH-47 rec'd minor dam. Results: 1 US CH-47 damaged (minor).

3. (C) Results:

a. Yesterday's Results: OP JEFFERSON GLEN (TOTAL for period 222000H FEB to 232000H FEB 71):

<u>FRIENDLY</u>	<u>ENEMY BY US</u>	<u>ENEMY BY ARVN</u>	<u>ENEMY BY CLAYMORE TRAPS</u>
0 KIA	0 KIA	0 KIA	0
1 WIA	0 PW	0 PW	
1 MIA	0 IWC	0 IWC	
	0 CSWC	0 CSWC	
	0 HOI CHANH	0 HOI CHANH	

b. Cumulative Results: OP JEFFERSON GLEN (TOTAL for period 052010H SEP to 232000H FEB 71):

<u>FRIENDLY</u>	<u>ENEMY BY US</u>	<u>ENEMY BY ARVN</u>	<u>ENEMY BY CLAYMORE TRAPS</u>
14 KIA	79 KIA	432 KIA	0
199 WIA	1 PW	12 PW	
1 MIA	210 IWC	150 IWC	
	14 CSWC	32 CSWC	
	1 HOI CHANH	4 HOI CHANH	

4. (U) Special Operations: Neg.

5. (U) Air Support:

a. Number of aircraft: 0.

b. Type of aircraft: 0.

c. Ordnance expended: 0.

d. Visual Recon: 0.

6. (C) Armed Aerial Recon: 3d Bde White Tm flew 4 hours and 30 minutes.

7. (U) Effect of weather on operations: Neg.

8. (C) Chemical: 3 sorties of flame flown.

9. (C) PSYOP: 1 mission flown vic FB HELEN.

10. (C) Night Locations: Established 25 US ambushes and 32 mech ambushes.

11. (U) Remarks: Neg.

12. PLANS SUMMARY.

a. 1-506 Inf Bn: Bn CP at FB RAKKASAN. Bn cdt search and attack ptl and ambush op in vic of FB's MEXICO, GLADIATOR and RAKKASAN.

(1) Co A3: A(-) vic YD5121, 1st and 2nd plt vic YD5022.

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(2) Co B: B(-) vic YD5215, 1st plt vic YD5617, 2nd plt vic YD4816.

(3) Co C: C(-) vic YD4424, 1st plt vic YD4823, 2nd plt vic YD4024.

(4) Co D: D Co at FB RAKKASAN, cont const and scety of FB RAKKASAN.

(5) Recon Plt: Plt(-) vic YD4117, Tm A and Tm C vic YD4018.

(6) Mortar Plt: 2 tubes OPCON to Base Defense, CAMP EVANS. 2 tubes at FB RAKKASAN to provide DS from FB RAKKASAN. 2 tubes OPCON to B Co vic YD5215 for DS to field units from vic YD5215. 3 tubes held in reserve at CAMP EVANS.

b. 2-506 Inf Bn: Bn CP at FB JACK. Bn cdt search and attack ptl and ambush op in vic of FB JACK. Provide liaison and assistance to rural dist hq at Phong Dien.

(1) Co A: A Co at FB JACK, cont const and scety of FB JACK.

(2) Co B: B(-) vic YD3830, 1st plt vic YD3829, 3rd plt vic YD3730.

(3) Co C: C(-) vic YD5123, 1st plt vic YD5124.

(4) Co D: D(-) vic YD5728, 1st plt vic YD6025, 2nd plt vic YD5426, 3rd plt CA vic YD5924.

(5) Recon Plt: Plt(-) at CAMP EVANS, Tm B CA vic YD3727.

(6) 352 RF Co: OPCON to 2-506 Inf Bn, Co(-) vic YD5728, 1st plt vic YD6025, 2nd plt vic YD5426, 3rd plt CA vic YD5924.

(7) Mortar Plt: 3 tubes at FB JACK for DS to field units from FB JACK. 4 tubes OPCON to Base Defense, CAMP EVANS. 4 tubes in reserve at CAMP EVANS.

Bde R&S Plt: OPCON to 1-506 Inf Bn. Plt CA to FB KATHRYN, MBA to FB JACK.

c. Artillery:

(1) A/2-319 Arty: DS to 2-506 Inf fr CAMP EVANS.

(2) B/2-319 Arty: DS to 2-506 Inf fr FB JACK.

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13. NIGHT LOCATIONS.

a. 3d Bde CP

3d Bde CP Forward

(OPCON to 1st Bde, 5th Inf (MECH))

Bde Rcn and Scety Plt

CAMP EVANS

CAMP CARROLL

CAMP EVANS

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b. 1-506 Inf Bn CP

FB RAKKASAN

A CO(-)	YD514215
1st Plt	YD501228
2nd Plt	YD501228
B CO(-)	YD525154
1st Plt	YD562179
2nd Plt	YD489161
C CO(-)	YD447241
1st Plt	YD481237
3rd Plt	YD402240
D CO	FB RAKKASAN
RECON PLT(-)	YD418171
TM A	YD406184
TM G	YD406184

c. 2-506 Inf Bn CP

FB JACK

A CO	FB JACK
B CO(-)	YD389303
2nd Plt	YD382299
3rd Plt	YD379301
C CO(-)	YD517242
1st Plt	YD517242
2nd Plt	YD518231
D CO(-)	YD578282
1st Plt	YD603257
2nd Plt	YD547263
3rd Plt	YD594274
RECON PLT(-)	CAMP EVANS
TM A	YD475325
352 RF CO(-)	YD578282
1st Plt	YD603257
2nd Plt	YD547263
3rd Plt	YD594274

d. Artillery

A/2-319 Arty	CAMP EVANS
B/2-319 Arty	FB JACK
C/2-319 Arty	FB RAKKASAN
C/4-77 Arty	CAMP EVANS
A/1-39 Arty	FB BARBARA
A/2-11 Arty	FB RAKKASAN

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