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1st Bn 14th Inf LZ Chara Maine

3rd Bde 4th Inf Div YA 999219 TO 0001 28 Jan 69 FROM 2400 28 Jan 69

- 1 0001 (U) Journal Opened RM
- 2 0945 (U) To Bn from C Co SRP #9 reports hearing about 6 rounds semi-automatic fire at a distance of about 2 to 3 clicks on an azimuth of 160 degrees, also 2 rounds at an azimuth of 80 degrees at a distance of 500 to 1000 meters. The bushmaster element reports one shot at 0900 at about 3 clicks out on a 120 degree azimuth. At 0915 1 more round from the same direction at a range of the same. At 0940 they heard 2 shots at a distance of 1 click on an azimuth of 80 degrees and at the same time heard about 6 rounds on an azimuth of 120 degrees about 2 or 3 clicks out. At 1011 commo was negative with SRP #8. Bushmaster was instructed to recon the area. At 1030 the bushmaster team moved out on an azimuth of 120 degrees to an estimated distance of about 2 clicks. It will take them an estimated 60 to 90 to reach this location. MS
- 3 0948 (U) To Bn S-2 from Bde S-3 Have one company size element on 30 min alert as reaction force of D 1/10 Cav. (C) 46.50 (C) Call sign Shamrock 45 (C). Operation inserted at 100 hours on W side of river in vicinity of area where cobra went down about 1 week ago. S MS
- 4 1050 (U) To Bn from C Co The bushmaster element found four sets of prints, 2 boot type (non-jungle type) 1 boot, and 1 sandal type, at a pluto of 043173. The prints were moving in an eastern direction. The estimated age of prints were 1 day, and it seems as though prints were carrying a lot of weight. The prints were on a trail. The tracks were moving to a northern direction. At 1130 2 more rounds were heard at 050170. The bushmaster is now located on high terrain at 050175. The bushmaster is sending a small patrol to check the rounds heard. At 1500 hours the bushmaster had negative findings on the rounds they heard fired, have screened area. Bde MS
- 5 1245 (U) To Bn from D Co Dustoff requested for a man with 103 temp. Bde MS
- 6 1309 (U) To Bn from C Co Commo reestablished with SRP #8 Bde MS
- 7 1425 (U) To NCS from C Co Bushmaster at 048178 in route to ass A/O. Bde GC
- 8 1445 (U) To NCS from B Co Confirmed SRP locations: #1 974217 #2 976238 #3 003241 #4 020233 #5 023214. Bde GC
- 9 1620 (U) To NCS from C Co Confirmed SRP locations: #6 996156 #7 010143 #8 040156 #9 043176 #10 013179. Bde GC

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- 10 1930 (U) To NCS from C Co All of SRP returned along with bushmaster. Bde GP
- 11 1946 (U) To NCS from B Co SRP 1-2-4- have returned with 3 NL 0031228 Bde GP
5 NL 013212 At 2300 heard explosion vic SRP 5 I have negative contact with them since then. Commo regained at 2339.
- 12 0755 (U) To Bde from Bn All units report 100% Malaria roster signed Bde AM
with shirts on and sleeves rolled down: A,B,C,D,E, MORTARS, TOC, COMMO, RECON, 106RR AND THE OASIS.
- 13 2000 (U) To Bde from Bn Closing locations for elements of 1/14 Inf: Bde GP
A Company OP/CON to 1/35, B Company is at LZ Chara Maine with 2nd platoon OP/CON to 1/10 Cav at Jackson Hole, C Company is at LZ Bridgit with 1st platoon OP/CON to Bde at Rock Quarry, D Company is at LZ Bridgit, Recon is at LZ Chara Maine, 4.2 Mortars have 3 tubes at LZ Chara Maine and 1 tubes back in Plei au being retrograded, 106 RR has one gun at LZ Chara Maine and one gun at LZ Bridgit.

		KIA	KIA(EST)	CIA	WPNS
Enemy Casualties Cumulative	(C)	528	152	58	99
Enemy Casualties	(C)	0	0	0	0
		KIA	WIA	MIA	
US Casualties Cumulative	(C)	68	269	0	
US Casualties	(C)	0	0	0	

22 January 1969 Summary

(C) The Golden Dragons continued SRP and Ambush operations within assigned area of operations. Company A continued OP/CON to the 1/35 Infantry. The 2nd platoon of Company B continued OP/CON to 1/10 Cav at Jackson Hole.

(C) Plans: Indications are that 1/14 Infantry will be re-located to a new area of operations.

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