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			FROM		TO	
			HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
			0001	13 July 69	2400	13 July 69

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
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1	0001	0002	(U) Journal Opened.		RM
2	2308	2309	(U) LATE- To Bn from Bde. Operation 103/69 has Bde		RC
3	0215	0216	been discontinued. Received 12 July 69. (U) To Bn from Bde. Request clearance for Snoopy Box for 13 July 69, 8009-7708-2077-1822. Cleared.	S	GC
4	0735	0736	(U) To Bde from Bn. All SRPs have closed at	Bde	SC
5	0835	0836	this time. (U) To Bde from Bn. LRP 77 has SF NL, 1st platoon Bde		SC
6	0830	0831	A Company has SP, LRP 4C has SP at this time. (U) To Bn from Recon. We spotted one individual Bde about one click to our north at grid AR 959173. Person was crawling in the grass and it looked like he had a weapon. He was Montagnard. We shot at him and we think he fell. He may have been a trail watcher.		SC
7	0930	0931	(U) To Bde from Bn. 3rd platoons of both	Bde	SC
8	1000	1001	A and B Company have SP at this time. (U) To Bde from Bn. Present Locations: A Company 1st platoon is at 959178, 3rd platoon is at 972202. B Company 3rd platoon and CP are at 9010. C Company is at NL. D Company 1st platoon is at 845155. Recon is at NL. LRP 77 is at 926100. LRP 66 extracted, LRP 68 inserted.	Bde	SC
9	1055	1056	(U) To NCS from LRP 4C. Present location is	Bde	JRF
10	1130	1131	900134 and are still moving. B Company 3rd platoon is at checkpoint 3. (U) To NCS from C Company. Our 4th platoon found at grid 028175 at 1015 hours, one company size VC NL about one week old, one rucksack NVA, 2 sandbags with cotton, one 57mm casing, one M-16 magazine full, one spinning wheel, pots and pans for cooking enough food for half a company. We are destroying at this time.	Bde	JRF
11	1140	1141	(U) To NCS from Recon. We have SP at this time.	Bde	JRF
12	1155	1156	(U) To Bde from Bn. C Company 4th platoon found at 1135 hours at grid 026185, one bunker, 4x4 with one foot overhead cover, about one week old; three 8x6x5 hooches and two baskets of fresh rice.	Bde	JRF

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13	1158	1159	(U) To NCS from LRP 77. We are at the center of mass. LRP 68 is at 934185, inserted at center of mass 9319. B Company 3rd platoon is at Checkpoint 4, 870116.	Bde	JRF
14	1225	1226	(U) To Bde from Bn. At grid 039179, 1st platoon C Company found foxholes, not in recent use, and then linked up with the 4th platoon at grid 03187. At this location, they found one cave 4x5x10 about one week old, ten hooches (6) 8x6x5 (4) 4x4x4 and all fresh. There were sleeping mats in one hooch along with cooking utensils. One bunker 4x4 with overhead and had 5 baskets of cotton, and one hole 4x6 with 30 lbs of rice. We are destroying all at this time.	Bde	JRF
15	1240	1241	(U) To NCS from Recon. Present locations: Recon is holding up at 954148, and LRP 4C is at 900138.	Bde	JRF
16	1300	1301	(U) To NCS from C Company. Our 3rd platoon at grid 019181, found twenty 6x6 holes to sleep 3 people each, and used in the last two days. There was fresh corn, one bottle of rice wine, 4 baskets of rice, and 2 pumpkins. There were 8 hooches 6x8x5 that were fresh.	Bde	JRF
17	1320	1321	(U) To NCS from A Company. LRP 68 spotted 12 male individuals at grid 952195, wearing Montagnard clothing, leaving a village. Our present location is 930190.	Bde	JRF
18	1337	1338	(U) To NCS from LRP 4C. We found, at grid 900139, a one bird LZ with punji sticks all around.	Bde	JRF
19	1400	1401	(U) To NCS from C Company. Our 3rd platoon is 100 meters northwest of last cache and found 7 fresh hooches, one firecracker bomblet dud with no fuse, and a 105mm round that was a dud.	Bde	JRF
20	1410	1411	(U) To NCS from A Company. Our 1st and 3rd platoons have closed to FB, D Company 1st platoon and B Company 3rd platoon have all closed to FB.	Bde	JRF
21	1500	1501	(U) To Bde from Bn. Hook request: 12 sorties first flyable, 8 for artillery and 4 for infantry.	Bde	JRF
22	1800	1801	(U) To Bn from District. VN operation similar to 103/69 which was aborted last night and is controlled by Dak Door, A/O 8906 to 8909 to 9106 to 9109, starts today and ends on 17 July.	Bde	RC

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23	2133	2134	(U) To Bn S-3 from Bde S-3. Be prepared to release D Company tomorrow morning for vehicular move to reinforce 1/10 at ZA 045365. D Company will be OP/CON to 1/10 upon arrival to Big "O".	S	GC		
24	2300	2301	(U) To Bn from Bde. Crossbow- DD- 130700 to 171700 July for Search and Clear. One platoon size. AR 8906-9106-8909-9109. Needs to be cleared by 1/14 and Phu Nhon. Cleared through Phu Nhon and Bn.	S	GC		
25	0755	0756	(U) To Bde from Bn. All elements report malaria roster signed with shirts on and sleeves rolled down: A,B,C,D,E, MORTARS, RECON, COMMO, 106RR, AND BASE CAMP REAR.	100% Bde	RM		
26	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn. Closing locations for elements of 1/14th Infantry, A Company is at Red Fox with SRPs at 968224, 967200, 965194, 959198, 961217. B Company is at LZ Weight Davis with SRPs at 903113, 900123, 885127, 891107, and 1st platoon bushmaster at 885105. C Company is NL at 013152 with bushmasters at 007146, 009157, 018156, 020146, 012143. D Company is at LZ St. George with SRPs at 847156, 860153, 870145, 869132, 847135. Recon is at 958140. Mortars are at LZ Weight Davis. LRP 68 is at 931195, LRP 77 is at 933098, LRP 4C is at 923143. Plans Summary: A Company will close out LZ Red Fox 14 July depending on birds. They will proceed to Sweep south and check out vic 953172. B Company will continue defense of LZ Weight Davis with 2nd platoon conducting a day recon from FB to Checkpoint 1- 900123 to CP2- 894137, CP3 884138, CP4- 877146, CP5- 875141, CP6- 883128, and return to FB. 3rd platoon will conduct a day bushmaster vic 901104. C Company will continue sweeping south and check out Hill #408 at grid 013140. D Company will continue defense of LZ St. George with 2nd platoon OP/CON to 1/10, 3rd platoon will conduct a day recon from FB to 869153-875170-850162 and return to FB. Recon will continue moving south along blue line and report all possible river crossings. Air Request: one slick first flyable for backhaul for 45 minutes, one slick for resupply at 1500 hours for 2 hours, requested 12 sorties earlier, One LOH first flyable for four hours for VR and CC. LRP 68 is at 931195, LRP 77 at 933098, LRP 4C at 923143.	Bde	RM		

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			KIA	KIA (EST)	CIA	MINS		
	Enemy Casualties		(C) 0	0	0	0		
	Enemy Casualties		(C) 705	155	59	128		
	Cumulative							
			KIA	MIA	CIA			
	US Casualties		(C) 0	0	0			
	US Casualties		(C) 83	402	0			
	Cumulative							
			13 July 1969 Summary					
			(C) The Golden Dragons continued RIF, SRP, and Ambush operations within assigned A/O. Enemy contact was made by Recon which resulted in no casualties on either side. C Company found numerous enemy positions and enemy equipment which later destroyed.					
			(C) Plans: The 1/14th Infantry will continue RIF, SRP, and Ambush operations within the assigned A/O. D Company will be OP/CON to 1/10 Cav. LZ Red Fox will be closed down.					
27	2400	0001	(U) Journal closed.					RM

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