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| 1        | 0001 | 0002 | (U) Journal opened.   |              | RM       |
| 2        | 0100 | 0101 | (U) To Bn from Bde. From CO 3rd Bde to all elements of the 3rd Bde. 1. The number of initiated contacts has reduced sharply in the last 10 days. Reduction has been accompanied by reports of US units failing to engage the enemy element. The Bde mission of defeating the enemy in decisive combat remains the same. I believe the enemy is still here and need a hard look. 2. COs at all levels are encouraged to conduct aggressive tactical operations capitalizing on surprise and greater mobility. Effective each battalion size unit will conduct a minimum of one night operation a week, involving night movement and occupation of acceptable ambushes along blue lines and trails. COs are encouraged to conduct (a) a stay behind element, (b) element on standby for a CA, (c) a CA with multiple LZs, (d) saturation patrolling at night. Good hunting, Col Warner. | S            | JRF      |
| 3        | 0735 | 0736 | (U) To Bde from Bn. B Company SRPs closed at 0650 hours. Mine sweep to the north SP at 0655 hours. D Company SRPs closed at 0705 hours. Tanks at 0735 hours toward checkpoint 31.   | Bde          | HH       |
| 4        | 0930 | 0931 | (U) To Bde from Bn. C Company SRPs closed at 0800 hours. B Company SP at 0805 hours. A Company SRPs closed at 0825 hours. Tanks closed 0835 hours. LRP Driving 68 SP ML at 0925 hours.  | Bde          | HH       |
| 5        | 1100 | 1101 | (U) To Bde from Bn. D Company - 1st PZ at 1000 hours, 1st LZ at 1000 hours, final PZ at 1024 hours, final LZ at 1030 hours.   | Bde          | HH       |
| 6        | 1101 | 1102 | (U) To Bde from Bn. Present location for the tanks is 229247.   | Bde          | MB       |
| 7        | 1102 | 1103 | (U) To Bn from Bde. Push Changes: (C) C Company command 66.40; 1/69 AG 58.95, these pushes go into effect on 1 Sept. (C)  | 1/69 S       | MB       |
| 8        | 1140 | 1141 | (U) To Bde from Bn. Final LZ at LZ 2 at 1100 hours, final LZ at LZ 3 at 1120 hours. RF/PP units   | Bde          | MB       |
| 9        | 1220 | 1221 | (U) To Bde from Bn. C Company closed to St. George at this time.  | Bde          | MB       |
| 10       | 1300 | 1301 | (U) To Bn from Bde. Push changes: (C) B Company 43.10; 1/69 B Company 2nd platoon effective 1 Sept. Div net MI DIT 62.30; 1/22 AD (cont'd)  | 1/69 S       | MB       |

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| 10  | 1300 | 1301 | (U) To Bn from Bde. (cont'd) Log 68.80:<br>1/22 Survey Team 67.25; 2 Bde Secretary of Defense<br>64.10; 1/8 command primary 61.60, effective now.   |  |                | S             | MB               |
| 11  | 1530 | 1531 | (U) To Bde from Bn. Called dustoff for<br>plague for VN child in the Phu Nhon area.   |  |                | possible Bde  | MB               |
| 12  | 1620 | 1621 | (U) To NCS from A Company. Late report.<br>grid 894137, A Company 3rd platoon 1st squad<br>patrol reported 4 men in loin cloths; they were<br>light skin men who moved back into the village.   |  |                | At Bde        | JRF              |
| 13  | 1930 | 1931 | (U) To Bde from Bn. Late report by LRP<br>At 1630 hours 31 found at grid 939133 a bunker complex<br>of 10-15 bunkers. They were 5-7 feet deep,<br>7 feet wide with 2 feet of overhead of logs and dirt.<br>Also at 941132, 10-12 bunkers 3-5 feet deep<br>and 5 feet wide with one foot of overhead cover.          |  |                | 31 Bde        | JRF              |
| 14  | 2000 | 2001 | (U) To NCS from A Company. SRP 11 reported<br>movement at 74 degrees 200 meters out. Employed<br>light organics of 13 rounds and working up heavy<br>stuff. Illumination showed possibly 2 individuals.<br>SRP has moved 100 meters to the north. EOM. They<br>fled to the southeast. We will sweep in the morning. |  |                | Bde           | JRF              |
| 15  | 2130 | 2131 | (U) To Bde from Bn. A Company SRP 11 reported<br>more movement to southwest 200 meters from<br>Employing illumination and HE at this time. SRP is<br>moving and is located vic 902110. More movement,<br>believed individuals moving into the village.  |  |                | Bde           | JRF              |
| 16  | 2215 | 2216 | (U) To NCS from A Company. SRP 11 reported<br>2 individuals approaching him and he set off clay-<br>mores which resulted in 2 enemy KIA, at grid<br>SRP is moving again to the northeast.   |  |                | Bde           | JRF              |
| 17  | 2230 | 2231 | (U) To NCS from District. Crossbow PN<br>from 290700 to 291800 Aug for search and clear by<br>39 PF Plt. AO 8598, 8198, 8193, 8593. PN<br>from 290700 to 291800 Aug for search and clear by<br>one PF platoon AO 8204, 8404, 8299, 8499.  |  |                | 132/69 Bde    | JRF              |
| 18  | 2340 | 2341 | (U) To Bn from Bde. 1. Bde CO will attend a<br>conference on Sunday on small unit tactics and small<br>unit night operation tactics. 2. Request your comments,<br>suggestions and variations on small unit tactics.<br>3. Submit no later than Saturday via radio or courier.                                       |  |                | S             | JRF              |
| 19  | 0755 | 0756 | (U) To Bde from Bn. All elements report 100%  |  |                | Bde           | RM               |
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| 19  | 0755 | 0756          | (U) To Bde from Bn. (Cont'd) malaria roster signed with shirts on and sleeves rolled down: A,B,C,D,E, MORTARS, RECON, COMMO, 106RR, AND BASE CAMP REAR.  | Bde            | RM        |      |           |
| 20  | 2000 | 2001          | (U) To Bde from Bn. Closing locations for elements of 1/14th Infantry, A Company is at Weigt Davis with SRPs at 902107, 893133, 882119, 881129. B Company NL is at 772191 with 1st platoon at 780212 with bushmasters at 777198, 767182, 768197. C Company is at St. George, 3rd platoon is at 826187, SRPs at 870143, 867136, 861131. D Company NL is at 761138 with SRPs at 760124, 247134, 248152, 248143, 4th platoon is with tanks 1/69 at 169151 with bushmasters at 187160, 163155. Recon is at St. George with bushmasters at 846150, 863151. LRP 63 is at 932202, LRP 68 is at 972167, LRP 31 is at 932123. CSF platoon at 189077, platoon at 139067, platoon at 203121. PK 61/59 1/42 at 198157 with bushmasters at 195158, 195154. 72B at 169161 with bushmasters at 172165, 165156, 171156. 9A at 223147 with bushmasters at 221146, 227144. Plans Summary: A Company will continue defense of Weigt Davis with 3 daylight patrols and one squad for security of mine sweep team. 1st platoon 1st squad to 900103-898099-890095; 2nd platoon 1st squad to 896129-897137-894137; 3rd platoon 1st squad to 886128-884136-875136. B Company 1st platoon moves to vic of LZ Sylvia to be picked up by trucks and move to hipshoot site vic 702260 to provide security for artillery. The rest of B Company will move from ambush sites to southwest and conduct 3 daylight patrols with PK 61/59. C Company will conduct a standdown at St. George with care and cleaning of equipment and weapons and conduct one day patrol and security for mine sweep team. Day patrol by 1st platoon to 867128-875124-885115-874114-864122; 3rd platoon will continue to instruct RF/PF units in My Thach, with 60 people attendance in class on fire and maneuver plan. Plan combined operation for 28 in grid 8321-8721-8718-8318 with Recon as a blocking force to the north vic 8421 grid. D Company will move from ambush sites into northeast logger position for the day and conduct local security in preparation for night operation. Recon will move overland by vehicle to vic LZ Sylvia, move to the east to conduct RIF in box 8120-8121-8721-8915-8415, acting as a blocking force for combined operation of C Company 3rd platoon and (cont'd) | Bde            | RM        |      |           |
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| 20               | 2000    | 2001     | (U) To Bde from Bn. (cont'd) RF/PF units at Bde My Thach. A Company 4th platoon 1/69 is OP/CON to 1/14th and will continue RIF in combined operation. Air request: one LOH for 3 hours for VR and CC, one slick at 1530 hours for resupply for 1 1/2 hours.  |              | RM       |          |     |               |                  |       |   |               |        |                  |         |            |    |     |            |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|                  |         |          | 28 August 1969 Summary   |              |          |          |     |               |                  |       |   |               |        |                  |         |            |    |     |            |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                  |         |          | (C) The Golden Dragons continued RIF, SRP, and Ambush operations within the assigned AO. A Company SRP killed 2 enemy with claymores and 2 enemy were killed by mortar fire. A Company 4th platoon 1/69 are OP/CON to us.  |              |          |          |     |               |                  |       |   |               |        |                  |         |            |    |     |            |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                  |         |          | (C) Plans: The 1/14th Infantry will continue RIF, SRP, Ambush operations within the assigned AO. 1/69 Armor will be OP/CON to us.  |              |          |          |     |               |                  |       |   |               |        |                  |         |            |    |     |            |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 21               | 2400    | 0001     | (U) Journal closed.  |              | RM       |          |     |               |                  |       |   |               |        |                  |         |            |    |     |            |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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