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1st Bn 14th Inf 3rd Bde 4th Inf Div		LZ St. George	FROM		TO	
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			0001	8 Oct 69	2400	8 Oct 69

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
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1	0001	0002	(U) Journal opened.		RM
2	0510	0511	(U) To Bn from Bde. Snoopy Box Priority 8 8 Oct 0600-1700 hours. ZA 2013-2018-2318-2318. Cleared.	S	MB
3	0727	0728	(U) To Bde from Bn. Mine sweep south SF at this time and closed at 0900 hours.	Bde	MB
4	0802	0803	(U) To Bde from Bn. C Company SRPs closed at 0725 hours; B Company SRPs closed at 0737 hours; D Company SRPs closed at 0802 hours.	Bde	MB
5	0840	0841	(U) To Bn from Bde. Flame platoon 2/8 new internal is 59.30.	B	SC
6	0847	0848	(U) To Bde from Bn. A Company CP and 1st platoon Bde has SP NL at 0845 hours. D Company day patrols from 2nd platoon SP at 0850 hours. RF with C Company SP NL at 0900 hours and closed at 1100 hours. Flame plt SP at 0830 hours. C Company 2nd and 3rd platoons SP at 1000 hours. B Company SP NL at 0800 hours.		SC
7	1140	1141	(U) To Bde from Bn. C Company SP NL at this time.	Bde	SC
8	1235	1236	(U) To Bde from Bn. Crossbow Frontier 21 by Recon for RIF from 100700 to 151800 for 5 days in AO AR9030-9230-9023-9223. Approved.	Bde	SC
9	1315	1316	(U) To Bn from Bde. Crossbow PK 68/69 from 090400 to 111800 for search and clear by 446 RF Co, 139 RF Co, and intell platoon. in AO 8422-8822-8418- 8818-770260-860260-860180-770180. Cleared by S-3.	S	SC
10	1625	1626	(U) To Bde from Bn. Activity Report-attended 37 people, sub sub patrols counter ambushes. Employ- ment of night patrols. Tomorrow sub patrols, sub ambush, sub counterambush, M-16 zeroing techniques, no other training today.	Bde	SC
11	1626	1627	(U) To Bde from Bn. At 1620 hours B Company at Bde grid 773087 found 6 hooches well camouflaged, 4 were 10x10 and 2 were 15x7. Hooches made last spring but signs of people in there in last 4-5 days. Continue to sweep area.		SC
12	1634	1635	(U) To Bde from Bn. D Company 2nd platoon closed St. George at 1630 hours from day patrols.	Bde	SC

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13	1700	1701	(U) To Bn from Bde. Crossbow PN 177/69 from 080800 to 111800 for search and clear by 2 plt from Dac Dor. AR9403-9703-9400-9700. Cleared by S-3.	S	SC
14	1705	1706	(U) To NCS from Flame Plt 2/8. Late entry: Dustoff requested at 1510 hours, routine, piece of aluminum shrapnel in chest from Flame plt. Negative ETA.	Bde	JRF
15	1820	1821	(U) To NCS from A Company. CSF picked up 2 detainees, one possible VC village chief and resupply coordinator, the other possible trail watcher, at coordinates 810089.	Bde	JRF
16	0755	0756	(U) To Bde from Bn. All elements report 100% 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
17	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn. Closing locations for elements of the 1/14th Infantry, A Company (-) NL is at 833085, 2nd platoon NL is at 845147 and 836164, 3rd platoon is at 825088, bushmasters at 838094, 848084, 813094, 832077, 838155, 832162. B Company (-) NL is at 777090, SRPs at 784094, 769089, 768099, 764101. C Company NL is at 888883, 4th platoon is at 856895, SRPs at 889890, 894880, 884878, 880885. D Company is at St. George with SRPs at 847163, 892132, 853115, 824128. Recon is at St. George. 4.2 mortars are at Weigt Davis. CSF at 810089. Flame Plt 2/8 is at St. George. Plans Summary: A Company (-) continues operations to the west of St. George with the 3rd platoon moving from bushmasters sites to the north vic 8310; CP and 1st platoon moves from NL and bushmaster sites to the north northeast vic 8509. B Company continues to conduct platoon size sweeps to the north from sites and NL with the 3rd platoon sweeping to vic 7611; CP and remainder of element sweeps from NL and bushmaster sites north to 7710. C Company (-) moves platoon from NL and bushmaster sites towards artillery hipshoot site to conduct 24 hour standdown before conducting future combined operations further south (see detailed plan) forwarded later. D Company continue defense of St. George with 4 SRPs to the north, southeast, south, and southwest; provide security for mine sweep of Hwy 14 to the north and south; one platoon on 15 minute standby; remainder of element conducts exercises in squad musketry. (cont'd)	Bde	JRF

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JRF

3 day operation with PF platoon from Hamlet located at 835192 to the east AO box 8421-8416-8921-8916, in search and clear of suspected VC platoon operating in area also one intell squad will be attached. A Company 2nd platoon will continue PF training subject for today is squad patrolling, 37 attended, combined operations after hours of darkness. CSF move north of NL checking high ground, ravines, and villages. Mech platoon conduct terrain familiarization to the south 8902 and south in the morning, the afternoons conduct screening move to the east of A Company gen vic 8413 south to 9607. Air request: one LOH at 0830 hours for VR and CC for 4 hours, one slick at 0830 hours for resupply and backhaul for 2 hours, one slick at 1500 hours for resupply for 2 hours.

Enemy Casualties

(C)

KIA

0

KIA (EST)

0

CIA

2

WPNS

0

Enemy Casualties

(C)

744

160

136

139

Cumulative

US Casualties

(C)

KIA

0

WIA

0

CIA

0

US Casualties

(C)

84

415

0

Cumulative

8 October 1969 Summary

(C) The Golden Dragons continued SRP, RIF, and Ambush operations within the assigned AO. Flame platoon 2/8 is OPCON to us. B Company found six hocches.

(C) Plans: The 1/14th Infantry will continue RIF, SRP, and Ambush operations within the assigned AO. Flame platoon 2/8 will remain OPCON to 1/14.

18 2400 0001

(U) Journal closed.

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