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ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
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1	0001	0002	(U) Journal opened.		RM
2	0320	0321	(U) To Bn from Bde. Snoopy Box priority 10	S	MB
3	0615	0616	in AO AR 9415-9913- BR 0424-0026. Cleared by S-3. (U) To Bn from Bde. Do we have anyone we wish to send to 81 and 4.2 mortar school, class 23-9. Starting day 27 Oct. Must have names today.	S	MB
4	0800	0801	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company bushmasters closed at 0800 hours. C Company SRPs closed at 0803 hours. D Company bushmasters closed at 0835 hours.	Bde	MB
5	0815	0816	(U) To Bde from Bn. At 0100 hours at grid AR 844149, 16 PSDF on bushmaster said one platoon of VC came from northwest and walked into bushmaster and captured 7 PSDF. No small arms exchanged. The remainder of PSDF fled back to village at AR 844147. Enemy fled to northwest.	Bde	SC
6	0850	0851	(U) To Bde from Bn. Mine sweeps north and south Bde have kicked out at this time.		SC
7	0905	0906	(U) To NCS from D Company. B and D Company have linked up at this time.	Bde	SC
8	1230	1231	(U) To Bn from Bde. From G-3, 1/14th will not move tomorrow, 28 Oct will be soonest move if at all. Due to enemy activities in Plei Me Rong area.	S	SC
9	1431	1432	(U) To Bde from Bn. Ranger 14 and 36 (LRP) have been extracted at this time.	Bde	SC
10	1510	1511	(U) To Bde from Bn. D Company 2/35 element closed on 1st platoon B Company location at AR 873053.	Bde	SC
11	1610	1611	(U) To Bde from Bn. CA for Recon 1/14: PZ at St. George and LZ at Plei Do Lim. 1st PZ at 1514 hours, 1st LZ at 1520 hours, final PZ at 1552 hours, final LZ at 1607 hours.	Bde	SC
12	1618	1619	(U) To Bde from Bn. Chaplin report: Protestant 4 services 83 attended. Catholic 4 services 77 attended. Character guidance 2 services 99 attended.	Bde	SC
13	1700	1701	(U) To Bde from Bn. Activities report 25 Oct.	Bde	SC
14	1755	1756	(U) To Bde from Bn. 1st platoon B Company has SP village at 1730 hours, and closed on parent unit at 1753 hours.	Bde	SC
15	2051	2052	(U) To Bn S-3 from Bde S-3. Frag 112/69 (cont'd)	S	JRF

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15	2051	2052	(U) To Bn S-3 from Bde S-3. (cont'd) on 28 Oct S will move to be CHOP to 1st Bde, control vic Pleiku. Possible area of operation upon chop, area 266 north northeast of An Khe.		JRF
16	2127	2128	(U) To NCS from Recon. At 2117 hours Plei Do Bde Lim took 25 to 30 round of 82mm from 200 degree azimuth. Gunships on station at 2125 hours. Will sweep suspected enemy location in the morning. No US casualties. Two rounds landed 50 meters from Recon. Impossible to set suspected enemy location.		JRF
17	2215	2216	(U) To Bde from Bn. At 2140 hours 3 VC platoons Bde were seen moving to the south vic 882278.		RL
18	2315	2316	(U) To Bn from Bde. Crossbow L17-15/69 from S 260600 to 281800 for search and clear of route by D Company 2/35 in AO 7915-8315-8609-8603-8203- 8209. Cleared by S-3.		RL
19	0755	0756	(U) To Bde from Bn. All elements report 100% Bde malaria roster signed with shirts on and sleeves rolled down: A,B,C,D,E, MORTARS, RECON, COMMO, 106RR, AND BASE CAMP REAR.		RM
20	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn. Closing locations for Bde elements of the 1/14th Infantry, A Company is at LZ Mary Lou. B Company NL at AR847155, SRPs at AR849173, 864182, 876148. C Company is at St. George with SRPs at AR876121, 854113, D Company NL is at AR847155, SRPs at AR826154, 831137. Recon NL at Plei Do Lim. 4.2 Mortars at Weigt Davis. 106RR at St. George. Flame plt 2/8 at St. George. Plans Summary: A Company is OPCON to 2/8 at Mary Lou. B Company will remain in NL with SRP screen to the north and northwest; tomorrow they will patrol (daylight) throughout the area; will remain at this location until further notice from your headquarters on tactical situation. C Company will continue defense of St. George with SRP screen to the south and southwest; will continue rebuilding St. George. D Company will remain in NL with SRP screen to the east and southeast; tomorrow will run daylight patrols throughout the area; will remain at this location until further notice from your headquarters on tactical situation. Recon will remain inside compound at Plei Do Lim tonight, kicking out on a three day operation tomorrow in AO 8930, 9330, 9328, 9228, 9225, 8925. Flame plt 2/8 will have two tracks for security for survey team and 2 tracks will be on standby at St. George. Air request: one LOH or slick at 0900 hours (cont'd)		JRF

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20	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn. (cont'd) for coordination and CC; one slick at 1500 hours for resupply for 2 hours.	Bde	JRF
			KIA KIA(EST) CIA WPNS		
Enemy Casualties	(C)	0	0	0	0
Enemy Casualties	(C)	750	160	168	140
		Cumulative			
			KIA WIA CIA		
US Casualties	(C)	0	0	0	
US Casualties	(C)	84	415	0	
		Cumulative			
			25 October 1969 Summary		
			(C) The Golden Dragons continued RIF, SRP, and Ambush operations within the assigned AO. A Company is still OPCON to 2/8 Inf at Mary Lou. Flame plt 2/8 is still OPCON to 1/14. This Bn preparing to move to 1st Bde on 28 Oct. Plei Do Lim received 82mm mortars with negative US casualties.		
			(C) Plans: The 1/14th Infantry will continue to prepare for move to 1st Bde.		
21	2400	0001	(U) Journal closed.		RM

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