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PERIOD COVERED

1st Bn 14th Inf
3rd Bde 4th Inf Div

LZ St. George

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| 1 | 0001 | 0002 | (U) Journal opened. | | RM |
| 2 | 0002 | 0003 | (U) To Bn from Bde. If you have to move south, S movement will be overland. | | JRF |
| 3 | 0003 | 0004 | (U) To Bde from Bn. Recon movement continued from 9 Nov. Two flashlights on 90 degree azimuth at 500 meters moving to the south. First round landed from Blackhawk at 0021 hours, EOM at 0025 hours. Second flareship off station at 0058 hours, 3rd flareship on station at 0055 hours. Spooky back on station at 0128 hours, 3rd flareship off station at 0140 hours. At 0310 hours movement has all ceased, Spooky will stay on station as long as possible. At 0425 hours Spooky spotted light approx 1 click due west of Recon, lights coming from village. Spooky off station at 0538 hours. | Ede | JRF |
| 4 | 0515 | 0516 | (U) To Bn from Bde. Snoopy Box priority 4 in AO AR 9737, 9730, BR 0337, 0330. Cleared by | S | MB |
| 5 | 0630 | 0631 | (U) To Bde from Bn. C Company SP NL at 0545 hours and has village cordoned at 0623 hours vic 823127. | Bde | MB |
| 6 | 0720 | 0721 | (U) To Bde from Bn. Company C cordoned and searched village at 823127. Results: Negative intell gathered and negative medcap. Two people questioned and one detainee caught trying to run across rice patten. There were 46 hooches (40 liveable) and 50 rice hooches. Also were 13 men, 36 women, 45 children. C Company left village 0723 hours. | Bde | MB |
| 7 | 0800 | 0801 | (U) To Bde from Bn. Recon swept immediate area of NL and had negative findings. Reference two secondary explosions- source unknown (nothing friendlies had). | Bde | MB |
| 8 | 0830 | 0831 | (U) To Bde from Bn. A Company bushmasters have closed at this time. | Bde | SC |
| 9 | 0925 | 0926 | (U) To Bde from Bn. Recon sweep of area had negative findings. Recon SP NL at 0915 hours. Rice detail team arrived at 0900 hours. | Bde | SC |
| 10 | 1000 | 1001 | (U) To Bde from Bn. D Company SP NL at 0955 hours. | Bde | SC |
| 11 | 1355 | 1356 | (U) To Bde from Bn. At 1110 hours at grid AR 877202, A Company 1st platoon found 3 foxholes 7x2x2 with no overhead about 24 hours old. (cont) | Bde | SC |

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| 11 | 1355 | 1356 | (U) To Bde from Bn. (cont'd) Also found NL for about a sub size element about 24 hours old, also fires that were still warm. Exist trail running to the southwest. Sweeping area. | Bde | SC |
| 12 | 1356 | 1357 | (U) To Bde from Bn. Cordon and search report: D Company and two National Police from Phu Non. Began at 1115 hours. There were 40 living hooches, 20 rice hooches, 2 men, 15 women, 10 children, 3 medcapped, 12 questioned, none detained. Negative intell gathered. Village at AR 944188. Found 3 NV ponchos, 1 US steel pot, 2 US T-shirts, 2 ARVN shirts, 1 khaki shirt, 1 can shoe polish. Ended at 1225 hours. | Bde | SC |
| 13 | 1357 | 1358 | (U) To Bde from Bn. C Company SP NL at 1340 hours. A Company SP NL at 1515 hours. | Bde | SC |
| 14 | 1655 | 1656 | (U) To Bde from Bn. CA for Recon: PZ at 038282, LZ at St. George. 1st PZ at 1537 hours, 1st LZ at 1550 hours, final PZ at 1537 hours, final LZ at 1550 hours. CA for D (-) 1/14th: PZ at 944188, LZ at 875135, 1st PZ at 1555 hours, 1st LZ at 1600 hours, final PZ at 1630 hours, final LZ at 1635 hours. CA for D Company 2nd platoon: PZ at 934182, LZ at 875135, 1st PZ at 1633 hours, 1st LZ at 1639 hours, final PZ at 1638 hours, final LZ at 1647 hours. | Bde | SC |
| 15 | 1815 | 1816 | (U) To NCS from A Company. Just crossed the blue line heading towards our NL. Present location is 867169 and still moving towards the road. | Bde | JC |
| 16 | 2010 | 2011 | (U) To NCS from B Company. We had one flare go off 200 meters from Bunker 1, and are checking it out at this time. Negative results. | Bde | JC |
| 17 | 2040 | 2041 | (U) To NCS from Convoy Commander. Bn and convoy about to kick out. Kicked out at 2055 hours. | Bde | JC |
| 18 | 2300 | 2301 | (U) To All Companies from NCS. Safety and movement message from Bn CO. | S | JRF |
| 19 | 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, RECON, MORTARS, COMMO, AND BASE CAMP REAR. | Bde | RM |
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| | | | 10 November 1969 Summary | | |
| | | | (C) The Golden Dragons continued RIF, SEP, and Ambush operations within the assigned AC. Flame plt 2/8 is OPCON to 1/14th. Recon had movement at NL while securing rice cache. Negative results. | | |
| | | | (C) Plans: The 1/14th Infantry prepares for battalion move to Ban Me Thout area tomorrow. | | |
| 20 | 2400 | 0001 | (U) Journal closed. | | EM |

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