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ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
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1	0001	0002	(U) Journal opened.		
2	0220	0221	(U) To Bn from Bde. Air priority: 1/14th- priority 1- CA for B Co 2/35- 4 slicks, 2 guns- AQ 875152- AQ 878145- 0830 to 0930 hours. Priority 2A- RS and VR- one slick- BMT E- unit PL in AO- 0930 to 1100 hours. Priority 3- CA for C Co 2/35- 4 slicks, 2 guns- AQ 836148- LZ to be determined after VR- 1130 to 1300 hours. Priority 4A- RS and VR- 1 slick- BMT E- unit PL in AO- 1330 to 1700 hours. Priority 1- CC and VR- LOH- LZ Lois- AO- 0730 hours. Priority 2- AL for artillery 4 tubes, 3 cl IV- hook- LZ Lois- AQ 878245- 0930 to 1230 hours. RS- convoy, 5 vehicles- BMT E- LZ Lois- 1300 hours.	S	RL
3	0315	0316	(U) To Bn from Bde. Need clarification of planned summary of A Company. Sent 0317 hours.	S	RL
4	0815	0816	(U) To NCS from D Company. Mine sweep SP LZ Lois.	Bde	JC
5	0850	0851	(U) To NCS from Stallion 15 (bird). Bird on station for CA at this time.	Bde	JC
6	0855	0856	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company ambush closed at 0745 hours. A Company ambushes closed at 0805 hours. D Company SRPs closed at 0845 hours. C Company ambushes closed at 0815 hours.	Bde	JC
7	0930	0931	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company 2/35 PZ at 878152, 1st PZ at 0919 hours, 1st LZ at 0924 hours, final PZ at 0925 hours, final LZ at 0930 hours.	Bde	JC
8	0931	0932	Advance party at 0940 hours. (U) To Bde from Bn. B Company 3rd platoon SP NL; 1st platoon SP NL. C Company 1st platoon at BM31 location. B Company(-) SP NL.	Bde	JC
9	0945	0946	(U) To NCS from B Company 2/35. Present location is at 875248.	Bde	JC
10	1000	1001	(U) To NCS from C Company. 1st platoon has NL at this time.	Bde	JC
11	1030	1031	(U) To Bn from Bde. Someone from District will be to your location today wanting to know about CS drop.	S	JC
12	1125	1126	(U) To Bn from Bde. MACV PF&RF operations beginning 022400 to 081200 in AO ZV 2015, 2012, AQ 7615, 7612.	S	JC
13	1135	1136	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company(-) at 829228, 3rd platoon at 834219. C Company 3rd platoon SP NL.	Bde	JC

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14	1246	1247	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company has SP NL at this time.	Bde	SC
15	1440	1441	(U) To Bn from Bde. Snoopy or Scorpion Boxes for 3 Dec. Priority 1- 8936, 9138, 9535, 9333- Snoopy. Priority 2- 8135, 8436, 8632, 8430- Scorpion. Priority 3- 7822, 8022, 8018, 7818- Scorpion. Priority 4- 7816, 8015, 7611, 7513- Snoopy.	S	SC
16	1450	1451	(U) To Bde from Bn. CA 2/35 C Company: at 1440 hours, 1st LZ at 1453 hours, final PZ at 1527 hours, final LZ at 1535 hours.	1st PZ Bde	SC
19	1715	1716	(U) To NCS from C Company 2/35. At 1710 hours at grid 901341 we found a old dink NL, 5 bunkers with 2 foot overhead about 3 weeks old.	Bde	SC
20	1902	1903	(U) To Bde from Bn. Ambush and SRP report: A Co: BM11- 8,7,1, linear; BM12- 8,8,1, linear; BM13- 19,10,1, linear; BM14- 10,6,1. B Co: NL- 40,15,2, area; BM21- 34,20,2, linear; BM22- 29,15,2, area. C Co: BM31- 20,6,1; BM32- 13,5,1; BM33- 12,6,1; BM34- 19,7,1; BM35- 12,6,1. D Co: SRPs- 4 men. B Co 2/35: 2 SRPs- 4 men. C Co 2/35: 1st Plt- 31,2,10; BM2- 9,1,4; all linear.	Bde	JRF
21	1905	1906	(U) To Bn from Bde. Required to send a size element to 895220, be prepared to secure one ship with Duffelbaggers on it. Required them while they implace devices.	platoon S	JRF
22	1924	1925	(U) To Bde from Bn. S-5 report for 2 Dec. V101- 32 medcaps, 5 soap, 5 lbs candy, 5 vitamins. V102- 24 medcaps, 5 soap, 5 lbs candy. V103- 20 medcaps, 5 soap, 5 lbs candy. V105- 144 medcaps, 6 lbs candy.	Bde	JRF
23	1925	1926	(U) To Bn from Bde. Do not bring hamlet in FSB tomorrow, tell him to come on his own.	chief S	JRF
24	2047	2048	(U) To Bn from Bde. AO extension 1-15 Dec. AQ 8023, 8037, 9737, 9727, 9427, 9422.	S	JRF
25	2055	2056	(U) To Bn from Bde. Three people sent for tactic seminar 1300 4 Nov. Report to Cpt Lange Bn S-4.	Bde S	JRF
26	2105	2106	(U) To Bde from Bn. Redeployment Status Report: 100 Ammo. Meals: A- 4, B-1, C-6, D(-)-2, 2/D-6, Rcn-8, 4.2- 5, B(-)2/35- 7, C2/35- 7, RRF- Recon and A Company.	Bde	JRF

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27	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, AND BASE CAMP REAR.	100% Bde	RM
28	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn. Closing locations for elements of the 1/14th Infantry, A Company(-) 896227, ambushes 897241, 906242, 821144, 824147. B Company(-) at 830230, ambushes at 831243, 847220. C Company at 868235, ambushes at 873247, 874232, 864199, 877242, 863198. D Company(-) at LZ Lois, SRPs at 838160, 862153, 854133, 832142, 2nd platoon at 784128. Recon at LZ Lois. 4.2 at LZ Lois. B Company(-) 2/35 at 875248, LP at 880247, 879248. C Company 2/35 at 901341, ambushes at 896334, 893349. LZ Marie submitted for name at 875248. Approved by higher. Plans Summary: A Company moves from NL and bushmaster sites vic of bunker complex to the northeast to gen vic 9124 conducting night ambushes interdicting trails networks vic of village located vic 9125; element start moves on northern northeastern axis in conjunction with operations to the north of Mewal plantation with emphasis on night operations; 2nd platoon completes closing of LZ Purtle and prepares to move to join parent unit in AO. B Company continues to conduct night operations interdicting trail nets to the west of Mewal with one platoon conducting ambushes along trails gen vic 8423; the CO flag and 2nd platoon working the trails vic 8422; 3rd platoon continuing to conduct ambushes along trails in vic 8521. C Company continues with Mewal plantation operations conducting night operations on the eastern portion of area with the 1st platoon conducting interdicting ambushes along the trail nets; CO flag and 2nd platoon moves to the plantation conducting ambushes gen vic 8624; 3rd platoon moves to north-northwest conducting ambush operations gen vic 8622; element will be closing on CO flag to be prepared for rotation back to LZ Lois on 4-5 Dec. D Company continues to defend LZ Lois with 4 SRPs to the north, west, southeast, and northeast; conduct squad sweep around Lois once at first light and again at dusk; remainder of element conducts test fire of weapons and prepares for rotation of C Company on 4-5 Dec; 1st platoon continues to conduct ambushes vic of village 101, 102, 103 and security for S-5 team working in AO. Recon at LZ Lois on 15 minute alert, clear fields of fire; in afternoon element conducts class on techniques of ambushing with emphasis on formations, rallying (cont'd)	Bde	JRF

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28	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn. (cont'd) points and search Bde of kill zone. B Company 2/35 secures artillery at FSB at 879249 with local LP around base and one ambush to the east vic 8925. C Company 2/35 conducts ambush screen to northwest of hill mass 721 interdicting trail nets in 8633 to the 9033 gen grids.		JRF
Enemy Casualties	(C)		KIA 0 KIA(EST) 0 CIA 0 WPNS 0		
Enemy Casualties Cumulative	(C)		804 160 195 162		
US Casualties	(C)		KIA 0 WIA 0 CIA 0		
US Casualties Cumulative	(C)		94 467 0		
2 December 1969 Summary					
(C) The Golden Dragons continued search and clear, SRP, and ambush operations within the assigned AO. CA of B and C Companies 2/35, artillery for operation in northern part of our AO.					
(C) Plans: The 1/14th Infantry will continue search and clear, SRP, and ambush operations within the assigned AO. C Company will assume defense of LZ Lois and D Company will return to the AO.					
29	2400	0001	(U) Journal closed.		RM

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