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			0001	6 Dec 69	2400	6 Dec 69
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS	
	IN	OUT				
1	0001	0002	(U) Journal opened.		RM	
2	0350	0351	(U) To Bn from Bde. Air priority: 1/14- priority S		RL	
			2- RS&VR- one slick- LZ Lois- unit PL in AO- 0800 to 1630 hours. 1/14- priority 1- VR- LOH- LZ Lois- AO-			
3	0625	0626	0930 to 1100 hrs. (U) To Bn from Bde. Need to know how you plan S		JC	
			to employ C Company 2/35? Does not seem to be feasible to run a company size sweep. Wants more information.			
4	0852	0853	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company ambushes closed Bde		JC	
			at 0830 hours. A Company ambushes closed at 0815 hrs. D Company SRPs closed at 0820 hrs. B Company 2/35			
			ambushes closed at 0730 hrs. C Company ambushes closed at 0815 hrs. C Company 2/35 hrs closed at 0800 hrs. Recon ambushes closed at 0850 hrs.			
5	0900	0901	(U) To Bde from Bn. C Company 2/35 has SP NL. Bde		JC	
6	0915	0916	(U) To Bde from Bn. The ambush from the B Company Bde		JC	
			2/35 element while sweeping back to firebase found a place that looked like a NL for 3-4 individuals, approx one day old, found some old papers with names on it, found a small trail running southwest to northeast located at 858258. Papers will be backhauled.			
7	0916	0917	(U) To Bde from Bn. Recon has SP NL and heading Bde		JC	
			north.			
8	0940	0941	(U) To Bde from Bn. A Company SP NL at this Bde		JC	
			time. C Company 1st platoon 2/35 present location is 924327.			
9	0945	0946	(U) To Bde from Bn. Recon element with dog Bde		JC	
			team attached had movement in front of them at 795152. They are sweeping the area at this time. Negative results.			
10	1020	1021	(U) To Bde from Bn. Recon found a trail Bde		JC	
			running northwest of plantation on 320 degree azimuth for 4-500 meters. Dogs have been picking up heavy scents on trail. Trail runs into another trail 20 degrees down into a draw for 150 meters and up the other side of draw. All trails lead to village. Looked like 20-30 individuals recently traveled on it.			
			Trail was very heavily used.			
11	1025	1026	(U) To NCS from Recon. The dogs have been Bde		JC	
			picking up lots of scents. Get RRF 15 minute alert. RRF alerted and ready to go at 1045 hours.			
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12	1040	1041	(U) To Bde from Bn. Recon present location is at 789162.	Bde	JC		
13	1120	1121	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company located at 837235 spotted one individual coming down a trail running north to south carrying a rucksack and weapon. When individual spotted element he ran back to the north. Artillery on standby.	Bde	JC		
14	1240	1241	(U) To Bde from Bn. At 1100 hrs the 1st platoon B Company made contact with 1-3 individuals located at 849254 at 3-400 meters on 95 degree azimuth. Received small arms and one B40 coming from the east. Enemy fire was directed at the LP. Fire was returned. Did not observe the enemy. Negative casualties. Employed artillery at 1105 hours, EOM 1130 hours. Will sweep area thoroughly.	Bde	SC		
15	1325	1326	(U) To Bn from Bde. Crossbow- PRU 041 from 061200 to 101800. Raid on dispensary, Mr. Hiett, Darlac 2 PRU, AQ 8435, 9235, 8446, 9246.	S	SC		
16	1510	1511	(U) To Bde from Bn. At 1445 hours B Company 1st platoon at grid 846244 found 55 gallon drum 3/4 full of beans up in a tree. Journal with document, one carbine rusty serial number 606090.	Bde	SC		
17	1625	1626	(U) To Bde from Bn. At 1545 hours B Company 1st platoon receiving small arms fire at grid 855240 at 400 meters from the east. Negative casualties. Negative sighting of enemy. Employing artillery at 1555 hrs, EOM at 1615 hrs. Sweeping area.	Bde	SC		
18	1904	1905	(U) To Bde from Bn. At 1815 hrs 1st platoon B Company on way to ambush sites found a hooch 8x5 with unpolished rice four feet deep in it. Estimated 4 tons of rice. Ambushing the area at grid 848247.	Bde	WA		
19	1905	1906	(U) To Bde from Bn. Ambush and SRP report: A Co: 11- 8,6,1; 12- 8,6,1; 13- 8,6,1; all linear. B Co: 21- 18,10,1, L-shaped; 22- 18,10,1, linear; 23- 16,7,1, L-shaped; 24- 16,8,1, linear; 25- CP-40,15,2, area. C Co: 31- 21,7,1; 32- 13,6,1, 33-12,7,1; 34- 20,7,1; 35- 12,6,1; all linear. D Co: 4 SRPs with 4 men each. B 2/35: 21X 7,6,1, linear. C Co 2/35: 1- 10,5,1, linear; 2- 9,5,1, linear, 3- 9,5,1, L-shaped.	Bde	WA		
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20	1906	1907	(U) To Bde from Bn. S-5 report for 6 Dec. V101- 25 medcaps; V102- 30 medcaps; V103- 40 medcaps; V105- 29 medcaps; V106- 53 medcaps, 30 lbs of rice, 8 lbs of candy; V107- 23 medcaps, 20 bars of soap.	Bde	WA		
21	2100	2101	(U) To Bde from Bn. Redeployment status: all elements 100% ammo. Meals: A-8, B-2, C-7, D-9, Rcn-3, 4, 2-5, B 2/35- 1, C 2/35-6. All elements conducting night operations, interdicting trail junctions and other possible routes of movement.	Bde	WA		
22	2101	2102	RRF- 3rd platoon D Company, A Company. (U) To Bde from Bn. A Company at intervals of movement 907289 thru 907303 found enemy foxholes and spider holes along trails Positions approx 1-2 months old. Found old fires near his NL, approx 2 days old.	Bde	WA		
23	2102	2103	(U) To NCS from A Company. At 2000 hrs observed flashlight (stationary) 75 meters to the east of his location. Light came on them and went out.	EM 12 Bde	WA		
24	2103	2104	(U) To NCS from A Company. At 2015 hrs, thought light might have been illumination.	CO Bde	WA		
25	2200	2201	(U) To NCS from D Company. D Co S-5 team in V101 thought they had movement to the north, put some small arms on it and sitting tight and observing.	Bde	WA		
26	2300	2301	(U) To Bn from Bde. On 9 Dec all our elements should be back in original AO with one company and one platoon committed to BMT East ASP security.	S	WA		
27	2338	2339	OPCON 2/35 (U) To Bn from Bde. Snoopy/ Scorpion box for 7 Dec. ZV 2324, AQ 7926, AQ 775230, ZV 2421 for Scorpion. ZV 2514, AQ 7817, AQ 8015, AQ 7511 for Snoopy. Cleared by S-3.	S	WA		
28	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, AND BASE CAMP REAR.	Bde	RM		
29	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn. Closing locations for elements of the 1/14th Infantry, A Company NL is at 897310, ambushes at 906305, 900298, 888305. B Company(-) at 838241, 1st plt ambush at 846244, 848247, 3rd plt ambush at 838222, 840218. C Company(-) 1st plt ambush 876238, 2nd plt ambush at 870234, 3rd plat ambush at 877222, 1st plt ambush at 874232, 3rd plt at 880215. D Company is at LZ Lois, SRPs at 845166, 865145, 843136, 826144, S-5 OJT V101. Recon at 793162. B Company 2/35 (cont'd)	Bde	WA		
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29	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn. (Cont'd) is at LZ Marie, Bde		WA		
			81mm C Company at LZ Marie, ambush at 881254, LP at 880247, 879248. C Company 2/35 at 912316, ambushes at 906316, 908312, 916316. Plans Summary: A Company conducts platoon size sweep from ambush sites and NDP with 1st platoon conducting sweeps to northwest gen vic 8930; 3rd platoon conducting platoon sweep to southwest vic 8929; element will conduct ambushes along trails and other suspected routes of travel in area; 2nd platoon remains with flag for reaction. B Company moves from ambush screens west of Mewal to the east for participation in cordon and search mission, element moves vic 885246 to cordon north side of village vic 8924 and 8824; element will conduct close in ambush during the hours of darkness and begins move to area of cordon responsibility NLT 0330 hrs the following morning; element cordons area 885243 to 892242. C Company moves from ambush screen to the northeast to cordon part of village vic 8924 and 8824; responsible area will be to the south and northeast of village; element will move to vic 8824 and 8923 having the responsibility of cordoning an area from 883238 to 893243. D Company remains at LZ Lois with SRP screen to northwest, west, southwest, and southeast. Conducts squad sweep vic firebase at first light and again at dusk; provide squad size element for security of mine sweep of utility road; one platoon remains on 15 minute alert; remainder of element continues to improve fire base. Recon continues to work area in gen vic 7817 conducting intell gathering mission during the hours of darkness conduct ambushes along trails leading into Buon at 793173. B Company 2/35 secures LZ Marie with one platoon and the flag and one platoon moves to the east to cordon area in gen vic 884240 to 883239. C Company 2/35 conducts platoon size sweeps vic 9132 center of mass with one platoon conducting sweep to the south gen vic 9131; 2nd platoon conducting a platoon sweep to the east 9132; flag and 3rd platoon working the area to southeast gen vic 9130.				
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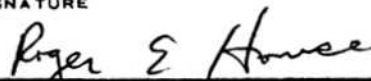
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			6 December 1969 Summary		
			(C) The Golden Dragons continued search and clear, SRP, and ambush operations within the assigned AO. B Company 1st platoon made contact with 1-3 individuals with negative results. B Company also found about 4 tons of rice in a hooch.		
			(C) Plans: The 1/14th Infantry will continue search and clear, SRP, and ambush operations within the assigned AO. B&C Companies move for cordon and search operation with the help of 2nd platoon B Company 2/35.		
30	2400	0001	(U) Journal closed.		RM

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