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1st Bn 14th Inf 1st Bde 4th Inf Div		LZ Lois		FROM		TO	
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				0001	10 Dec 69	2400	10 Dec 69

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
1	0001	0002	(U) Journal opened.		RM
2	0340	0341	(U) To NCS from C Company. At 0335 hrs 2&4 reported suspected movement near the the sump, spotted a light of some type. Employed M79 and illumination. Negative further findings.	Bunkers Bde	RL
3	0515	0516	(U) To NCS from C Company. Light appeared about 300 meters out from perimeter to northwest. M79 was employed and light went out. Negative further observation and will sweep in the morning.	Bde	RL
4	0800	0801	(U) To Bn from Bde. AO extension has been approved- indefinite.	S	JC
5	0817	0818	(U) To Bde from Bn. D Company ambushes at 0800 hrs. B Company ambushes closed at 0815 hrs.	Bde	JC
6	0845	0846	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company(-) SP his this time.	NL at Bde	JC
7	0900	0901	(U) To Bn from Bde. Air priority: 1/14- 4B- RS- one hook- BMT E- LZ Lois- 1300 hrs to 1500 hrs.	priority S	JC
8	0910	0911	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company closed 1st location.	1st platoon Bde	JC
9	0915	0916	(U) To NCS from C Company. Mine sweep Lois.	SP LZ Bde	JC
10	1010	1011	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company 1st and platoons have SP.	3rd Bde	JC
11	1030	1031	(U) To Bn from Bde. SPECOPS report due today. Disregard, wrong month.	to Bde Bde	JC
12	1031	1032	(U) To Bde from Bn. Airlift for artillery from LZ Marie to LZ Lois, 1st PZ at 0850 hrs, at 0900 hrs, final PZ at 1005 hrs, final LZ hrs.	Bde	JC
13	1045	1046	(U) To Bde from Bn. Airlift of B Company from LZ Marie to LZ Blue, 1st PZ at 1020 hrs, at 1125 hrs, final PZ at 1044 hrs; airlift from LZ Marie at 1044 hrs.	2/35: Bde	JC
14	1230	1231	(U) To Bde from Bn. At 1155 hrs the B located at 855236 received 30-40 rounds of AK47 and one B40. Enemy fire coming from the northwest at a long range, all enemy fire going over their head. Friendlies returned fire with small arms and M79. Negative casualties. Artillery employed at 1200 hrs, hrs. Believe enemy to be moving down a trail to the south. B Company sweeping area at this time. Found 4 freshly dug foxholes to the northwest approx 400 meters out on a 280 degree azimuth.	B Company(-) Bde	JC

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15	1250	1251	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company 1st platoon has closed company location.	Bde	JC		
16	1300	1301	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company 3rd platoon present location at 852228.	Bde	JC		
17	1600	1601	(U) To Bde from Bn. B Company has SP his location.	Bde	JC		
18	1615	1616	(U) To Bde from Bn. Need bird tomorrow for getting dogs up and picking up chief of police of BMT.	ASAP Bde	JC		
19	1620	1621	(U) To Bn from Bde. Snoopy or Scorpion for 11 Dec 69: box 1- 7414, 7618, 7916, 7713, scorpion; box 2- 7621, 8022, 8120, 7719, scorpion. Cleared by S-3.	Bde	JC		
20	1815	1816	(U) To Bde from Bn. Ambush and SRP report: B Co: 21- 36,4,2; 22- 17,7,1; 23- 15,6,1; all linear. C Co: 4 SRPs 4 men each.	Bde	WA		
21	1816	1817	(U) To Bde from Bn. S-5 report for 10 Dec: V101- 25 medcaps; V102- 24 medcaps; V103- 30 medcaps, 5 vitamins; V105- 35 medcaps, 25 vitamins, 5 lbs candy, 25 bars soap; V106- 12 medcaps, 10 lbs candy, 90 lbs food, 60 eggs; V107- 15 medcaps, 5 lbs candy, 2 bars soap.	Bde	WA		
22	2050	2052	(U) To Bde from Bn. Redeployment status report: All elements 100%, except for B Company with 83% for M79. Meals: A-4, B-5, C-0, Recon-4, 4.2-5. Mission: conducting night operations, interdicting trail junctions and other possible routes of movement, conducting detailed search of area for caches and suspected enemy positions. RRF: Recon and B Company.	Bde	WA		
23	2051	2052	(U) To Bde from Bn. At 1921 hrs Dufflebag 2A Watchdog 17 (infrared), activation stopped at 1934 hrs. Type of activity infrared, estimated size of enemy- 5 or more, direction of travel is unknown, indirect response. 105mm artillery used 81 rounds HE, first 1935 hrs, EOM 2025 hrs, fuse PD.	Bde	WA		
24	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		
25	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn. Closing locations for elements of the 1/14th Infantry, A Company is at BMT East. B Company NL at 869233, ambushes at 875247, (cont'd)	Bde	WA		
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25	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn. (cont'd) 862224, 855220. Bde C Company is at LZ Lois, SRPs at 855150, 85334, 828134, 828159. D Company is OPCON to 2/35. Recon is at LZ Lois. Plans Summary: A Company is CHOP to 1st Bde securing ASP and B 7/17 Cav with 1st platoon C Company 1/14 attached. B Company moves from ambush sites to LZ Marie to clear the area and position another stay behind in the area; remainder of ambushes will be in the vic 8625. C Company(-) will provide security for FB Lois with SRP screen and daily patrols; security is provided for the mine sweep of the utility road to Hwy 14; remainder of the personnel engage in marksmanship classes and preparation of rifle range; 1st platoon is attached to A Company. D Company is CHOP to 2/35. Recon assists in security of FB Lois; remainder on 15 minute RRF. 4.2 mortars remains at Lois to provide heavy organic fire support for the base.	Bde	WA
			KIA KIA(EST) CIA WPNS		
			Enemy Casualties (C) 0 0 0 0		
			Enemy Casualties (C) 805 160 195 164		
			Cumulative		
			KIA WIA CIA		
			US Casualties (C) 0 0 0		
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			10 December 1969 Summary		
			(C) The Golden Dragons continued search and clear, SRP, and ambush operations within the assigned AO. B Company received AK47 and B40 fire with negative casualties and negative results from contact.		
			(C) Plans: The 1/14th Infantry will continue search and clear, SRP, and ambush operations within the assigned AO. B Company ambushes area around LZ Marie. C Company secures LZ Lois.		
26	2400	0001	(U) Journal closed.		RM

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