

DAILY STAFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG

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					0001	27 Apr 69	2400	27 Apr 69
ITEM	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.				ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
NR	IN	OUT						
01	0001		(U) JOURNAL OPENED					
02	0100		(U) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.				BDE, DO	MM
03	0200		(U) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.				BDE, DO	MM
04	0245		(C) Dust Off called for 1 US fr Co C				BDE, DO	MM
			who was hit in the back with shrapnel					
			fr a 81mm mort rd that hit a tree. Line					
			#44 Davis, Jerry L. US56432085 SP/4.					
			Dust Off completed at 0325H.					
05	0300		(U) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.				BDE, DO	MM
06	0400		(U) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.				BDE, DO	MM
07	0500		(U) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.				BDE, DO	MM
08	0510		(U) 4.2 ammo rept and Bn strength rept				DO	MM
			called into Bde.					
09	0600		(U) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.				BDE, DO	MM
10	0610		(U) All ambs closed back on NDP's.				DO	MM
11	0700		(U) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.				BDE, DO	MM
12	0800		(U) Bn SITREP neg: loc same except Co A				BDE, DO	AJH
			moving fr NDP.					
13	0800		(C) Rec'd msg fr Bde Lt Jordan: AO				S3	AJH
			extension approved until 291000H Apr 69.					
14	0815		(C) Co A spotted 4 VC wearing green				BDE, DO	AJH
			unifs with packs and carrying wpns at				cont	
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14	cont		coord BS667313. Arty fired with unk res. A sweep of the area is planned when Arty is lifted.				
15	0900		(C) Bn SITREP neg: loc; Co A BS664311; Co B same; Co C (-) same, 1st plat at BS658313, 2nd plat BS651323, 3d plat at BS656322; Co D (-) BS676333, 3d plat BS- 676324; Rcn plat departing NDP.	BDE DO	WS		
16	1000		(C) Bn SITREP neg: loc; Co A BS666311; Co B same; Co C same; Co D (-) same; 2nd plat BS673335; Rcn plat BS656326.	BDE DO	WS		
17	1010		(C) Co A at BS667311 KIA 1 VC & CIA 1 NVA with AK47 rifle wearing a green unif, pack (with change of clothes, mess kit and 20 rds of AK47 ammo). The NVA did not offer any resistance.	BDE DO Bde S2, Bn S2 & Psyops Tm	WS		
18	1100		(C) Bn SITREP neg: loc; Co A loc same and calling an AS & Arty on an unk num- ber of NVA evading to N at coord BS672- 311 & BS666311 res are unk at this time. Co's B & C same; Co D 1st & 2nd plats at BS676329, Co (-) moving to 1st & 2nd	BDE DO cont.	WS		
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18	cont		plat pos; Rcn plat moved to PZ for CA to an LZ at coord BS659335.																
19	1120		(C) Ref item #17: POW brought to LZ SAN JUAN HILL for interrogation. For res see S-2 files.	BDE, DO	WS														
20	1200		(C) Bn SITREP neg: loc; Co's A, B & Rcn plat same loc; Co D 1st & 3d plats at BS676325, Co (-) moving; Co C B S658315.	BDE, DO	WS														
21	1230		(C) Rcn plat CA schedule: PZ time 1225H at coord BS659335. LZ at 1230H at coord BS687310.	BDE, DO	WS														
22	1300		(C) Rec'd rept fr FAC (HELIX): Put in an AS at coord BS673324 & destroyed 15 bunkers.	BDE, DO	WS														
23	1300		(C) Bn SITREP neg: loc; Co A 1st & 3d plats BS669317, Co (-) BS666311; Co B same; Co C BS659310; Co D BS676320; Rcn plat BS677311.	BDE, DO	WS														
24	1400		(C) Bn SITREP neg: loc; Co A (-) moving N, 1st & 2nd plat BS665319, 3d & 4th plat BS666311; Co B same; Co C same; Co D 1st & 3d plats BS677324, Co (-) BS676330; Rcn plat NDP BS678309.	BDE, DO	WS														
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	IN	OUT					
25	1445		(C) (Late Entry): At 1345H Co A fd 1 hut, 35-40 rds 30 Cal ammo, 1 NVA pistol belt and obs 1 VCS evading at coord BS-669317.	BDE, DO	WS		
26	1500		(C) Bn SITREP neg: loc same except Co A at BS668327.	BDE, DO	GR		
27	1600		(C) Bn SITREP neg: loc; Co A BS666311; Co's B & C same; Co D (-) BS676330, 2nd plat BS676333; Rcn plat BS678297.	BDE, DO	GR		
28	1630		(C) Bn strength rept: Co A 74, Co B 118 Co C 93, Co D 78, Co E 62.	Posted	GR		
29	1635		(C) (Late Entry): At 1505H Co A at BS668327 fd 30 bunkers with thatched roofs (some torn off) and tunnels leading to the bottom of the bunkers.	BDE, DO	GR		
30	1635		(C) Rec'd URI fr Bde. (see S-2 files).	DO, S2	GR		
31	1700		(C) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.	BDE, DO	GR		
32	1705		(C) (Late Entry): At 1600H Co A at coord BS677311 fd a flak vest (not US type) all blown to pieces and unable to identify origin.	BDE, DO	GR		
33	1800		(C) Bn SITREP neg: loc; Co A NDP at BS-	BDE, DO cont	GR		
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	IN	OUT					
33	cont		665311; Co B same; Co C NDP at BS659310; Co D BS676333; Rcn plat BS678297.				
34	1855		(C) Dust Off called for 1 US EM fr Co C line #53 SP/4 William Gvoskrevtz, US56- 463636. Man was burned on hands & face fr a trip flare. Dust Off completed at 1920H.	BDE, DO	GR		
35	1900		(d) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.	BDE, DO	GR		
36	2000		(C) Bn SITREP neg: loc same except Co C 3d plat amb at BS662312.	BDE, DO	GR		
37	2015		(C) Co D amb in pos at coord BS676331.	BDE, DO	GR		
38	2100		(C) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.	BDE, DO	GR		
39	2155		(C) Co B spotted 2 VC in the wire at their 1st plat pos on the NW side of LZ SAN JUAN HILL. The 1st plat threw grens & fired M79's into the area and also called in 4.2 & 81mm morts. The VC moved W.	DO	GR		
40	2200		(d) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.	BDE, DO	GR		
41	2300		(d) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.	BDE, DO	GR		
42	2355		(d) Bn SITREP neg: loc same.	BDE, DO	MM		
43	LOG Summary: (c) 4-3 Inf continues offensive search and sweep ops in the cont						
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43	cont		SAN JUAN HILL FCA with Co B securing LZ SAN JUAN HILL and				
	Co's A, C, D & Rcn	plat operating in grid squares 6631, 6531, 6733 and 6729.					
	At 0825H	1 US fr Co C was Dusted Off with shrapnel wounds in the back fr an					
	81mm mort rd	which hit a tree and pieces fr the rd hit the US. At 0800H 4-3					
	Inf rec'd word fr	Bde of approval for an AO extension until 291000H April 69.					
	At 0815H	Co A spotted 4 VC wearing green unifs, packs and AK47's at coord					
	BS667313.	Arty was called in and a sweep of the area res in neg findings.					
	At 1010H	Co A at coord BS667311 KIA 1 VC & CIA 1 NVA with an AK47 rifle					
		wearing a green unif, pack (with mess kit and clothes inside). The NVA					
		was then extracted to LZ SAN JUAN HILL and interrogated by the En S-2					
		Officer (Cpt Blanks) and interpreter (for res see S-2 files). At 1100H					
	Co A req'd an AS and Arty on an unk number of NVA evading N	at coord BS672311					
	and BS666311; res are unk.	At 1230H Rcn plat completed a CA fr PZ BS659385					
	to LZ BS687310 and the LZ was cold.	At 1300H FAC (HELIX) rept'd putting in					
	an AS at coord BS673324 and destroying 15 bunkers.	At 1345H Co A fd 1 hut,					
	35-40 rds of 30 Cal ammo, 1 NVA pistol belt and obs 1 VCS evading at coord						
	BS668827. At 1505H	Co A at coord BS669317 fd 30 bunkers with thatched roofs					
	and tunnels leading to the bottom of the bunkers.	At 1600H Co A fd 1 flak					
	vest of unk origin (not US) at coord BS677311.	At 1920H a Dust Off was					
	completed for 1 US fr Co C with burned hands and face fr a trip flare.						
	At 2155H	Co B (securing LZ SAN JUAN HILL) spotted 2 VC in the perimeter wire					
	on the NW side of the hill. They engaged the VC with grens and M79 rds and						
		cont					
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AMERICAL DIV SOI ITEM 93-1
REQUEST FOR MEDICAL EVACUATION

PROCEDURE: Aero medical evacuation may be requested in the following manner: Switch to DUSTOFF frequency given in SOI Item 22A 2-() using the following format.

FORMAT

- NO _____ DATE 27 Apr
1. LOCATION OF PICKUP SITE 653322
2. REQUESTOR YANKEE 63 F
3. NUMBER OF PATIENTS: LITTER ☒ AMBULATORY _____
4. NATIONALITY: US ☒ VN _____ FWF _____
5. NATURE OF INJURIES: shrapnel in back
6. CATEGORY: URGENT ☒ PRIORITY _____ ROUTINE _____
7. CONDITION & TYPE OF PICKUP SITE: Good
8. SECURITY OF PICKUP SITE: SECURE
9. WEATHER AT PICKUP SITE: Good
10. MARKING (SMOKE, PANELS, LIGHTS ETC.) Lights
11. RADIO FREQUENCY: 45.70 CALLWORD: YANKEE 63 F
12. ANY US PERSONNEL AT PICKUP SITE: YES ☒ NO _____
13. REMARKS: Sp/4 Davis, Jerry L US 56432085
14. REQUEST CALLED IN BY: Month 41 PHONE NR: _____
15. REQUEST RECEIVED BY: Doctor Control TIME 0250
- TIME COMPLETED 0325

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