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Organization or Installation: S2/S3 4-3 INF
 Location: LZ THUNDER BS 874325
 Period Covered: From 0001 04 Oct 68 To 2400 04 Oct 68

ITEM NR	TIME		EVIDENCES, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INI- TIALS
	IN	OUT			
1	0001		(U) Journal Opened		
2	0055		(C) Bn Neg Sitrep locations same	CO, S3, Bde	TJS
3	0155		(C) Bn Neg Sitrep locations same	Bde, CO, S3	TJS
4	0255		(C) Bn Neg Sitrep locations same <i>Thomas J. Sarasin</i> THOMAS J. SARASIN 1st Infantry	Bde, CO, S3	TJS
5	0355		(C) Bn Neg Sitrep locations same	Bde, CO, S3	JFM
6	0455		(C) Bn Neg Sitrep locations same	Bde, CO, S3	JFM
7	0555		(C) Bn Neg Sitrep locations same	Bde, CO, S3	JFM
8	0615		(C) Co D 3d Plat departed HARDSTAND at 0555 hrs; 2nd sqd 2nd plat closed in on LZ Charlie Brown.	Bde, CO, S3	JFM
9	0635		(C) Co C CP, 1st & 2nd Plats departed LZ BRONCO <i>John P. McAnaw</i> JOHN P. McANAW Maj, Infantry	Bde, CO, S3	JFM
10	0640		(C) Co B 3d Plat closed in on LZ Thunder	Bde, CO, S3	WM
11	0655		(C) All units neg Sitrep, loc: Co D (-) BS833223, 1st Plat BS914252; 1st sqd 2nd Plat Bridge 94, 81mm Plat, LZ Charlie Brown;	Bde, CO, S3	WM
12	0725		(C) Ron Plat closed on LZ THUNDER	Bde, CO, S3	WM
13	0735		(C) Ref Item 51 dtd 3 Oct 68, 3 US Mediv ac to LZ Bronco for treatment	Bde, CO, S3	WM

DOWNGRADE AT 3 YR INTERVAL
 DECLASSIFIED AFTER 12 YEARS

Name and Grade of Officer on Duty
 WALTER McDONALD 1st Infantry

Signature
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14	0815		(U) Cpt Henderson, Bde TOC, rpts that Dog tms will be training in grid BS8239	CO, S3, Co C	WM		
15	0816		(C) Bn Loc: Co A(-) BS846282, 2nd & 3d plat BS835284, Co B LZ THUNDER, Mort Plat 1st sqd Bridge 111, Co C(-) BS833223, 1st Plat BS899395, Mort Plat MONTEZUMA, Co D(-) BS833223, 1st Plat BS914252, 2d plat (-) BS919249, 1st sqd Bridge 94, 3d Plat BS908239, Mort Plat CHARLIE BWN	Bde, CO, S3, M	WM		
16	0825		(U) Co D 2nd plat 1st sqd at Bridge 94 rpted receiving SA fire fm BS914203. Neg cas. Els from E trp presently check ing area. Co D req 81mm Mort be placed on target (approved)	Bde, CO, S3	WM		
17	0840		(U) Cpt Henderson rpts on 6 Oct 68 1100 hrs Defoliation will be sprayed from GS 8427 to 7143. Approx 2,000m inside 4-3 AO along Boundary line. Req approval fm 4-3 Inf. (Approved by Maj McAnaw Bn S3)	CO	WM		
18	0905		(U) Ref Item 16: D Co rpts end of miss ion for 81mm at 0905. Neg results. 5 rds expended, air advisory lifted.	Bde, CO, S3	WM		
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	IN	OUT			
19	0906		(C) Bn sitrep Neg: Loc: C Co 1st Plat BS783405, 2nd Plat & CP BS775405, 3d Plat BS794406, D Co 1st Plat BS913256, 2nd Plat 2nd sqd BS925264, 3d Plat BS912242	CO, S3, M, Bde	WM
20	1000		(C) Bn Loc: Co A departed at 0935hrs fm BS846282; Co C(-) BS778408, 1st plat BS783405, 3d Plat BS794406, Co D(-) BS 933223, 1st plat BS913251, 2nd plat (-) HARDSTAND, 1st sqd BS913242, 2nd sqd BS 910242, Co D(-) HARDSTAND, 1st plat BS 922267, 2nd plat(-) BS924265, 3d Plat BS913242	Bde, CO, S3, M	WM
21	1100		(C) Bn Loc same except for Co A BS855295, Co C(-) BS785413, 1st plat BS788393, 2nd Plat LZ Bronco, Co D(-) BS933223, 1st plat BS913251, 2nd Plat(-) BS924265, 1st sqd HARDSTAND, Co D 3d Plat 1st sqd BS 913245, 2nd sqd BS913242	Bde, CO, S3, M	WM
22	1115		(U) A Co BS845285 fd 3 freshly dug graves believed dug last night.	Bde, CO, S3	WM
23	1130		(C) A co 19th Eng BS798400 a 5 ton trk following Mine Sweep north hit 40 lb		

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				Hour	Date	Hour	Date
				0001	04 Oct '68	2100	04 Oct '68
ITEM NR	TIME		EVIDENCES, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS		
	IN	OUT					
23	(Cont'd)		(C) mine at cent or road. Checkpoint 114C. Driver was thrown out of trk and rec wds in cheek and knees. (Dusted Off)	Bde, CO, S3, M	WM		
24	1140		(U) Co A found 2 graves about 1-2 wks old. Found NVA star on graves.	Bde, CO, S3,	WM		
25	1200		(C) Bn Loc same except Co C(-) BS793406, 1st plat BS795395, Co D(-) HARDSTAND, 1st plat BS922267, 2nd plat(-) BS924265, 3d Plat BS913242.	Bde, CO, S3, M	WM		
26	1217		(C) Co D 1st plat closed HARDSTAND	CO, S3, M	WM		
27	1230		(C) Co A BS855295 rpts Item 22&24: all graves neg finding, determined decoy	CO, S3	WM		
28	1300		(C) Bn Loc: Co A BS855295, Co C(-) BS 793407, 1st Plat BS799394, Co D(-) HARD STAND, 1st plat CHARLIE EWN, 2nd Plat (-) BS925253, 3d Plat BS908246.	Bde, CO, S3, M	WM		
29	1308		(U) Cpt Sam while conducting Aero Recon in 4-3 AO fac a circular "Anti Aircraft pens) vic BS817327. Psn had 5 meters of trench line in donut shape w/dirt mount in the center.	Bde, CO, S3, M	WM		
30	1315		(C) Lt McDonald 4-3 INF TOC DUTY OFF.				
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WALTER McDONALD, Lt Infantry				<i>Walter McDonald</i>			

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				Hour	Date	Hour	Date
				0001	04 Oct 68	2400	04 Oct 68
ITEM NR	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS		
	IN	OUT					
30	(Cont'd)		(C) requested air requirements for tomorrow	CO, S3, Bde	WM		
31	1330		(C) Co C(-) closed LZ Bronco at this time	Bde, CO, S3	WM		
32	1358		(U) Hwy 1 open N&S	CO, S3, Co's	WM		
33	1400		(C) Col Donaldson, Bde Cmdr, arrived this location at 1300. met and briefed by Ltc Russell. departed at this time	Bde	WM		
34	1500		(C) Bn Neg Sit, loc: Co A BS867294, Co D 2nd Plat 1st sqd closed HARDSTAND, at 1500, Co D 3d Plat BS908239	CO, S3, M, Bde	WM		
35	1600		(C) Bn Loc: Co A BS867294, Co B LZ Thunder Co C LZ Bronco, Co D CP & 2nd plat HARDSTAND, 3d Plat BS908239, 1st plat & Wpn LZ CHARLIE BWN, Recon Plat LZ THUNDER.	CO, Bde, S3, M	WM		
36	1700		(C) Bn Loc: Co A BS867294, Co B LZ THUNDER, Co C LZ BRONCO, Co D CP HARDSTAND 1st Plat, 2d Plat, Wpns, LZ CHARLIE BROWN, 3d Plat BS908239, Recon LZ THUNDER	CO, S3, M	WM		
37	1750		(C) Rec E Troop loc: Bridge Tracks	CO, BDE, S3, M	WM		
			107 24				
			104 25				
			95 22-23				
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				0001	01 Oct 68	2100	01 Oct 68
TIME	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INI- TIALS		
	IN	OUT					
37 (Cont'd)			(C) 94 21				
			LOWBOY 28-26				
			HARDSTAND 27-40				
38	1755		(C) Rec PF loc fm Bde:				
			802376, 803380, 834310, 834317, 806369,				
			819364, 795381, 843325, 887292, 925266.				
			Day loc: 848325, 854323, 855319.	CO, S3, M	WM		
39	1800		(C) Bn loc: A Co 870293, B Co LZ THUNDER,				
			C Co LZ BRONCO, D Co CP HARDSTAND, 1st				
			Flat, 2d Flat, Wpns Flat LZ CHARLIE				
			BROWN, 3d Flat 908239, Recon LZ THUNDER,	CO, Bde, S3	JS		
40	1815		(C) B Co Wpns: Bridge 111 at 1810H.	CO, Bde, S3, M	JS		
41	1825		(C) D Co, 2d Flat, 1st Sqd, closed on				
			bridge 94 at 1815H.	CO, Bde, S3, M	JS		
42	1840		(C) D Co 3d Flat NDP closed at 1838H				
			coord BS 910256.	CO, Bde, S3, M	JS		
43	1850		(C) A Co req dustoff at 1830H for 1 EM				
			heat cas, SP4 Darryl Thomas, line 164				
			Dustoff completed 1847H.	SL, CO, S3	JS		
44	1900		(C) Bn loc: A Co NDP 877286, B Co LZ				
			THUNDER, wpns 1 sqd bridge 111, C Co				
			LZ BRONCO, 1st Plat enroute to amb site,				
			D Co CP HARDSTAND, 1st Flat, 2d Flat, Wpns				

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ITEM NR	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS		
	IN	OUT					
44	(Cont'd)		(C) IZ CHARLIE BROWN, 3d Plat amb BS910 256, Recon IZ THUNDER.	M, CO, S3	JS		
45	1901		(C) C Co 1st Plat amb in position at coord BS828363.	CO, Bde, M, S3	JS		
46	1940		(C) At 1930H ^{Co B 3d Plat} coord 877304 (TENTATIVE LOC)	M, CO, S3	JS		
47	2000		(C) Bn Sit Rep Neg Loc: A Co BS877286, B Co (-) IZ THUNDER 2d Plat BS879305, C Co (-) IZ BRONCO 1st Plat BS828363, D Co (-) IZ CHARLIE BROWN, op 932222, 3d Plat amb 910256.	CO, Bde, S3 M	JS		
48	2100		(C) Bn Sit Rep Neg Loc: A Co BS877286, B CO (-) IZ THUNDER 3d Plat 879305, C Co (-) IZ BRONCO 1st Plat 828363, D Co (-) 3d Plat amb 910256, OP 932222	CO, S3	JS		
49	2200		(C) Bn Neg Sit Rep Loc Same	Bde, CO, S3	JS		
50	2210		(C) At 2205 B Co 2d Plat amb spotted 4-5 VC on highway 1, 200 meters from their amb loc: Engaged VC w/SA fire. Results: Sweep area neg findings; Moved to new amb loc.	Bde, CO, S3 M	JS		
51	2215		(C) B Co 2d Plat amb new loc BS883305.	Bde, CO, S3, M	JS		
52	23 00		(C) Bn Neg Sit Rep Same Loc	Bde, CO, S3	JS		
53	2312		(C) Track on bridge 104 reports hearing M79 explode fr BS893282 and reed 5-10 rds				
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53	(Cont'd)		(C) SA fire fr same grid. Neg cas.	Bde, CO, S3 Arty called 4.2" fired	JRS
54	2355		(C) All units Neg Sitrep, Loc Same	Bde, CO, S3	JRS
55			(C) Summary - Bde requested clearance to spray defoliation from GS8427 to GS743 on 6 Oct 68 at 1100H. Approved (Approx 2,000 meters inside 4-3 AO along boundary line). Co A 19th Engrs rptd their 5th truck detonated a 40 LB. mine. Results 1 US WVA (Dusted off). C/C helicopter obs a circular position, possibly a Anti-aircraft position. Co B 2d Plat sprang ambush on 4-5 VC. Neg results. New location of ambush site was established.		
56		2400	(U) Journal Closed		JRS

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JOHN R SAM, CPT, Infantry

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John R Sam

DUSTOFF REQUEST

- NR 1 DATE 4 Oct 68
1. LOCATION OF PICKUP SITE BS 875289
2. REQUESTOR Co A
3. NUMBER OF PATIENTS: LITTER _____ AMBULATORY
4. NATIONALITY: US VN _____ FWF _____
5. NATURE OF INJURIES HEAT CASUALTY
6. CATEGORY: URGENT _____ PRIORITY ROUTINE _____
7. CONDITION & TYPE OF PICKUP SITE Good
8. SECURITY OF PICKUP SITE SECURE
9. WEATHER AT PICKUP SITE CLEAR
10. MARKING (SMOKE, PANELS, LIGHTS, ETC.) LIGHTS
11. RADIO FREQUENCY 45.70 CALLWORD MAIN VOOKA 966
12. ANY US PERSONNEL AT PICKUP SITE? YES NO _____
13. REMARKS Line #164 SPA DARRYL THOMAS
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14. REQUEST CALLED IN BY: SHADED LEDGER 39
15. REQUEST RECEIVED BY Doctor Controc TIME 1830
TIME COMPLETED 1842

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LZ THUNDER (BS874325) RVN

041200H Oct 68

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FRAGORD 12-68 to OPORD 10-68, Hqs 4-3 Inf

Task Org:

A Co 4-3 Inf

D Co

Bn Control

B Co

E Co

C/6-11 Arty DS

C Co

MHC (-)

Flat(-)/Trp E 1st Cav
(OPCON)

1. Co A establishes NDP vic BS875290 and (1) plat night ambush vic BS882290. Moves, commencing 050530H Oct 68 and establishes cordon in assigned sector (BS884296-BS887277, NLT 050700H Oct 68); establishes and maintains visual contact w/Co B on left flank and 1st plat Co D on right flank; on order moves in coordination w/adjacent units and conducts cordon and search operation to PZ COT; on order continues to PZ END. Commencing 051530H Oct 68 conducts final extraction to CHARLIE BROWN and HARDSTAND, closing NLT 051630H Oct 68; secures bridge 9w/ 1 rifle sqd NLT 051800H Oct 68. Extraction to CHARLIE BROWN from vic BS892302.
2. Co B secures and improves defensive positions LZ THUNDER; establishes plat night ambush vic BS877304; moves w/Co(-), commencing 050545H Oct 68 and establishes cordon in assigned sector (BS875312-BS884296), NLT 050700H Oct 68, establishes and maintains visual contact w/Rcn plat on left flank and Co A on right flank; on order move in coordination w/adjacent units and conducts cordon and search operation to PZ COT; on order continues to PZ END. Upon termination of operation establishes NDP and 1 plat night ambush vic BS877292.
3. Co C secures LZ BRONCO; conducts combat assault to vic BS888325; 1st LZ 0700H and establishes cordon ASAP in assigned sector (BS883320-BS893326); establishes and maintains visual contact w/Rcn plat and Flat (-)/Trp E-1st Cav; on order moves in coordination w/adjacent units and conducts cordon and search operations to PZ COT, on order continues to PZ END. Conducts final extraction from vic BS895310 (1st PZ time 1500H) and conducts combat assault to vic BS810343 (1st LZ time 1500H); establishes NDP and 1 plat ambush vic BS818342.
4. Co D secures LZ CHARLIE BROWN w/Co(-) and bridge 9w/1 rifle sqd, moves, commencing 050515H Oct 68 and establishes cordon in assigned sector (BS908283-BS918285) NLT 050700H Oct 68; 1st Plat Co D will move from assigned AO and establish cordon in assigned sector (BS890278-BS898277); establishes and maintains visual contact w/Co A on left flank. On order, moves in coordination w/adjacent units and conducts cordon and search operation to PL COT; on order, continues to PL END. Upon termination of operation moves to and secures LZ THUNDER, closing NLT 051730H Oct 68; secures bridge 111 w/1 rifle sqd NLT 051800H Oct 68.

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5. Co E: a. Recon Plat moves, commencing 050600H Oct 68 and establishes cordon in assigned sector. (BS875312-BS882321) NLT 050700H Oct 68; establishes and maintains visual contact w/Co C on left flank and Co B on right flank; on order, moves in coordination w/adjacent units and conducts cordon and search operations to PZ COT; on order, continues to PZ END. Upon completion of operation returns to LZ THUNDER and prepares for night ambush vic BS867305.

b. Heavy Mortar Plat: No Change.

6. Coordinating Instructions:

a. Personnel will not enter an RD area unless directed to do so by Bn CO.

b. Personnel will not handle any household or personal belongings of the Vietnamese unless directed to do so by the unit commander.

c. All Vietnamese with the exception of infirm or obviously ill personnel and small children will be detained and will be screened/interrogated vic the Detainee Collection Point loc vic BS896308.

d. Unit commanders that the cordon in their assigned sectors is complete and that the search for VCS is thorough. Unit commanders will further insure that all platoons maintain depth to their formations and are constantly on alert for VC snipers.

Acknowledge:

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ANNEX A - Operation Overlay
ANNEX B - Sequential Airlift Schedule

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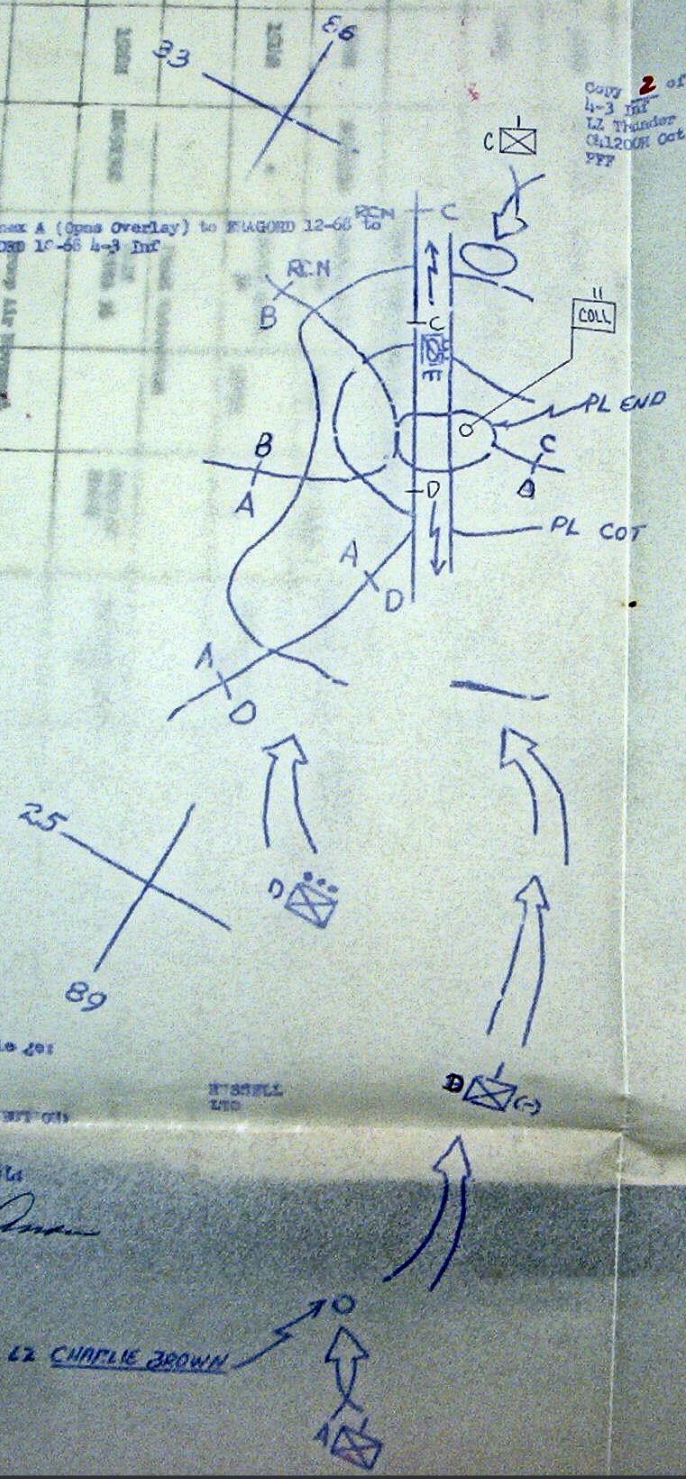
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Annex A (Ops Overlay) to FRAGORD 12-68
OPORD 10-68 4-3 Inf



Annex A to:

FRAGORD 12-68

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SEQUENTIAL AIRLIFT SCHEDULE
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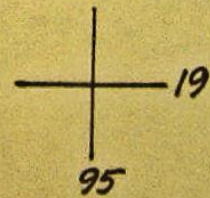
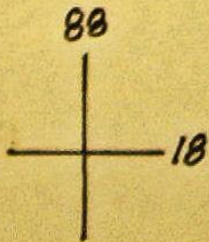
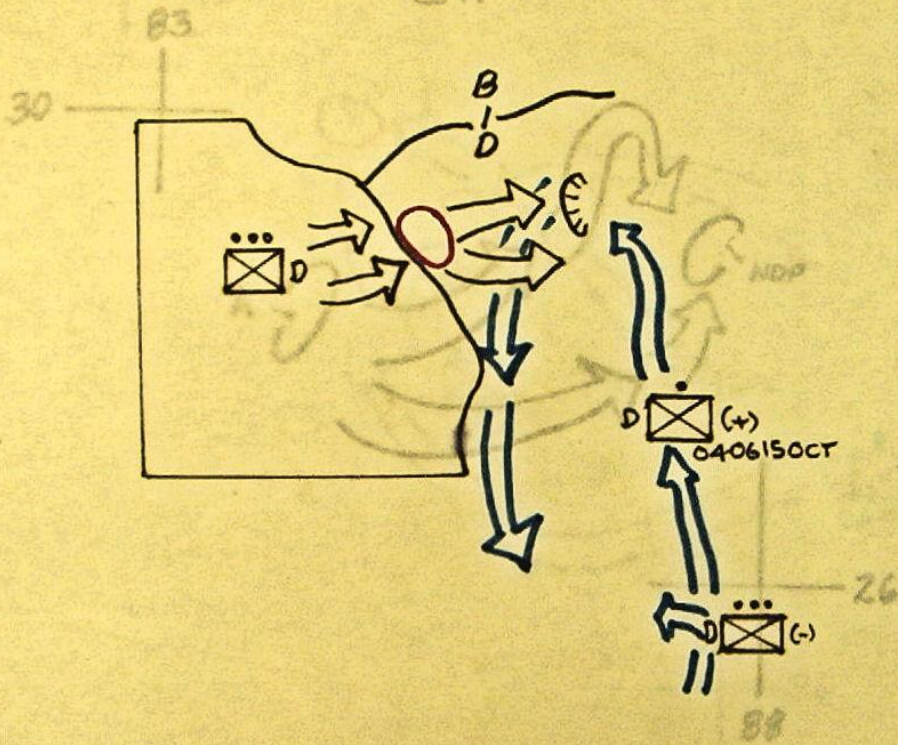
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I T E M	UNIT	PZ TIME	PZ COORD	PZ CONTACT 30.30	LZ TIME	LZ COORD	LZ CONTACT 30.30	LZ PREP TYPE	PREP TIME	A/C REQ	PAX
1	C 1/3	0650H	SE Pad LZ BRUNCO	HARPER GRIPS 96	0700H	ES 883325	SHADED LEDGER 96	on call ARTY GUNSHIPS	0652-0657 0658-0700	7	12
		0706H	"	HARPER GRIPS 36	0712H	"	HARPER GRIPS 96	-	-	7	33
3				Final Extraction and Combat Assault							
4	C 1/3	1500H	ES895310	HARPER GRIPS 96	1507H	ES 810343	SHADED LEDGER 96	on call ARTY	1459-1504 1505-1507	7	12
5		1514H	"	HARPER GRIPS 36	1521H	"	HARPER GRIPS 96	-	-	7	33
				Final Extraction							
7	A 1/3	1528H	ES892302	MAIN VODKA 96		CHARLIE BROWN	SLOUCHY MUMPS 46	-	-		108
8				Troop Air Movement							
Next Fl D 1/3		1645H	CHARLIE BROWN	SLOUCHY MUMPS 46	1655H 1640H	VIP Pad LZ THUNDER	SHADED LEDGER 39	-	-	CH47B	33

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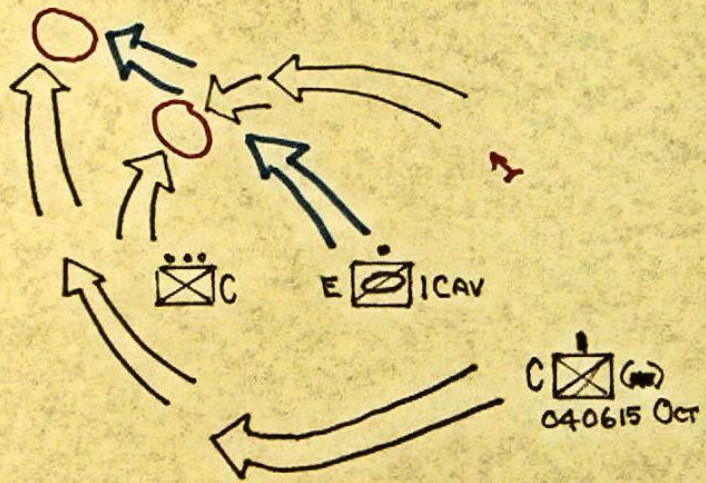
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Co A



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Co C



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OPERATION SUMMARY - 4 October 68

A Company - NDP vic BS815307 w/2 amb W&E of NDP. Continued combat sweep S.

B Company - Secured LZ THUNDER and bridge 111. 1 plat ambush BS878318. Neg day activity. Improving defenses, "bunkers".

C Company - Secured LZ BRONCO w/1 amb BS818401. C(-) moved to grid BS777407 and BS791401 and searched. Amb Plat blocked BS786407.

D Company - Secured HARDSTAND and bridge 94 and CHARLIE BROWN. 1 sqd amb BS916206 and 1 plat amb BS911256. 1st Platoon swept BS9226. One plat fr CHARLIE BROWN blocked BS924263. One plat moved W to NDP BS905245.

RECON - Amb BS866307 and closed THUNDER.

PLANS SUMMARY - 4 October 68

A Company - NDP BS853290 w/1 amb vic. 5 Oct 68 conduct block BS888271 to BS882294. Commencing 051530H Oct 68. Final extraction from PZ BS8923 to CHARLIE BROWN and HARDSTAND.

B Company - Secure THUNDER and Bridge 111 w/1 plat amb BS877304. Commencing 050545H Oct 68 block BS875312 to BS884296. End operation move to MBP BS877292.

C Company - (-) Secures BRONCO conducts CA from PZ SE Pad to LZ BS888325 NLT 0700H. Conduct cordon BS883320 to BS893326. End operation extraction 1500H from PZ BS895310 to BS 810343 for NDP.

D Company - Secure CHARLIE BROWN and Bridge 94, w/1 plat amb BS905245. 050515H Oct 68 establish block BS893278 to BS918285 NLT 0700H. Closing THUNDER.

RECON - Neg night activity. 5 Oct 68 block BS875312 to BS882321 and return THUNDER.

4.2" MORTAR - AMMO REPORT - 4 October 68

OBSERVED-----1	HE-----52
NOT OBSERVED-----0	WP-----0
M&I-----12	ILL-----0
<u>TOTAL-----13</u>	<u>TOTAL-----52</u>

BRIEFING - 4 October 68

ENEMY LOSSES:

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>KIA</u>	<u>PW</u>
3/1	1	0
4/3	0	0
1/20	0	1

ACTION:

1. D 19th Engrs hit mine: 5 ton truck destroyed 2 WHA.
2. Quang Ngai supposed to be hit 5 Oct 68. Enemy reported massing both sides of river.
3. Hat Ton to be hit 15 Oct 68.
4. "DUKES GLADE", 1/46. 8 VC PW, 3 wpns north of BALDY.

WEATHER: CLOUDY, SCATTERED SHOWERS, 75 to 87 degrees, 93% ILL.

* SMOKE NOTED DURING DAY WAS 19TH ENGRS BURNING HUT AFTER MINING OF TRUCK INCIDENT.

MAIL: 2400 LBS., 35 LB. from HAWAII.

* SAT: COMMANDERS MEETING 1600H SUNDAY. AT BRONCO BDE COMMANDER BRIEF ON REAR OPERATION.