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			Hour 0001	Date 14 May 68	
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	IN	OUT			
01	0001	(0)	JOURNAL OPENED		
02	0005	(C)	Co B 39th Engr rept hearing small arms fire north of bridge. Also suspects move- ment approx 200-250 M in front of one of their bunkers. Req Illum - approved. Neg results.	CO,S3	DKK
03	0045	(C)	Rec rept fr Co E CO that 3 men were burnt by a 4.2" ignition cartridge. Rec 1st and 2d degree burns in face, on hands, neck and arms. One of the indiv will be mede- vaced first thing in the morning.	Bde,CO,S3,S1	DKK
04	0100	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.		
05	0120	(C)	Co B Bunkers 6 & 7 rept someone tripped a trip flare in front of their bunker. Req one Illum round - approved. Neg results.		
06	0200	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.	Bde	DKK
07	0300	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.		
08	0400	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.	Bde	DKK
			JOHN F REIGER, 1LT Sig, OIC		
09	0500	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.		
10	0545	(C)	Co A stand to completed.		
11	0600	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.	Bde	DKK
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty			Signature		
ROBERT F WOODS/ITE, 1LT Inf			DOWNGRADE AT 3 YR INTERVAL DECLASSIFIED AFTER 12 YEARS <i>Robert F Woods/ITE</i>		

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12	0628	(C)	Co B 3d Plat ambush element closed in on IZ Uptight. <i>Robert F Woodruff</i> ROBERT F WOODRUFF, LIT Inf, OIC	M, CO, S3	DKK
13	0710	(C)	At 0618 hrs Co A loc and destroyed two 175mm rounds at coord BS567771.	Bde, M, CO, S3	m
14	0715	(C)	At 0700 hrs C&C helicopter made aerial recon of north and south bridges. Rept north bridge at coord BS623865 was destroyed.	Bde, M, CO, S3	gm
15	0730	(C)	Co C 1st Plat 3d Sqd closed in on Co base vic coord BS538825.	M, CO, S3	gm
16	0735	(C)	Co A repts Montagnard unit working in GS BS5378, BS5278, BS5279 until 141600H May 68.	M, CO, S3, Co A	gm
17	0740	(C)	1st Plat E Trp dprt IZ Dottie for today's operations.	CO, S3	gm
18	0745	(C)	At 0730 hrs Co B 39th Engrs rept villagers vic BS625855 state 1 VC - name: Nguyen Tue - is in the village at this time.	CO, S3, S2	m
19	0800	(C)	Unit loc: Co A, BS569776. Co B, IZs Dottie and Uptight. Co C, BS538825. Recon Plat, OP George.	Bde, M, CO, S3	gm
20	0805	(C)	At 0800 hrs Co A 2d Plat, coord BS569763, rec 2 rounds of sniper fire. Conducting search of area. Neg results.	Bde, M, CO, S3	gm
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JOHN P McANAN, MAJ Inf			<i>John P. McAnan</i>		

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21	0900	(C)	Unit loc same except for Co A(-), BS569776; 1st Plat, BS568766; 2d Plat, BS564762. 1st Plat E Trp, BS562820.	M, CO, S3	gm
22	0902	(C)	Co A 1st Plat, coord BS562766, rec two rounds sniper fire. Conducting search of area.	Bde, M, CO, S3	gm
23	0905	(C)	At 0827 hrs Co A, coord BS557765, detained 1 female VCS - 65-70 yrs old. Determined IC and released.	CO, S3	gm
24	0914	(C)	1st Plat E Trp, coord BS561823, found a tunnel w/a trap door leading to a tunnel. Captured 1 probable NVA and 2 VC in tunnel. Extracted to LZ Dottie for interrogation. Tunnel was destroyed.	Bde, M, CO, S3	gm
25	0930	(C)	Co A 1st Plat, coord BS561768, found a tunnel complex w/misc supplies & plasma bottles. Tunnel complex large enough to accomodate 3 plats. Tunnel complex will be destroyed.	Bde, M, CO, S3	gm
26	1000	(C)	Unit loc same except for Co A 1st Plat, BS561764; 2d Plat, BS560761; 3d Plat, BS 560762. 1st Plat E Trp, BS562820.	Bde, M, CO, S3	gm
27	1020	(C)	Opt Lawson (Bn S2) detained 1 male VCS vic BS620853. Indiv name did not corre-	Bde, M, CO, S3	gm
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty JOHN P McANAW, MAJ Inf				Signature John P. McAnaw	

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27	cont	(C)	spond with ID card. Claims to be fr 1st ARVN Div. Sent to Quang Ngai for inter- rogation and identification.		
28	1035	(C)	Co B 2d Plat dprt IZ Dottie for today's operations.	Bde, M, CO, S3	m
29	1050	(C)	Rec msg fr Binh Son Dist Hqs that 18 PW in tiger suits will be operating at the following coords at 1200 hrs: BS707875, BS711869, BS714878, BS718873.	CO, S3, M, Aero Scouts, Co B 3d Plat & Mort Plat	m
30	1100	(C)	Unit loc same except for Co A 1st Plat(-) & 2d Plat, BS560764; 3d Plat, BS548764; 1st Plat 1st Sqd, BS559767; 1st Plat 2d Sqd, BS559764; 1st Plat 3d Sqd, BS561768.	M, CO, S3	m
31	1115	(C)	1st Plat E Trp engaged 1 VC evading S along RR tracks vic BS605818. Neg results.	Bde, M, CO, S3	m
32	1140	(C)	Co A 2d Plat, coord BS558762, found 20 complete punji stakes with wooden base & 20 incomplete punji stakes. Appears to be an area where punji stakes are made. Punji stakes destroyed.	Bde, M, CO, S3	m
33	1153	(C)	Aero Scouts cptr 1 VC evading vic BS620 812. VC evac to IZ Dottie for interrogation. Evac to 11th	Bde, M, CO, S3, Bde PW Compound	m
34	1200	(C)	Aero Scouts apprehended 4 male VC evading	Bde, M, CO, S3	m
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JOHN F NEAHAM, MAJ Inf			John P. M. O'Connell		

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34	cont	(C)	vic BS609813. Also apprehended 1 VC evad- ing at coord BS621813. VCs were extracted to LZ Dottie for interrogation.		
35	1210	(C)	1st Plat E Trp, coord BS606842, loc and destroyed a 250 lb bomb.	Bde, M, CO, S3	Am
36	1230	(C)	Unit loc same except for Co B 2d Plat, BS625828. 1st Plat E Trp, BS615837, BS 614829, BS614819.	M, CO, S3	Am
37	1230	(C)	Aero Scouts engaged 1 VC evading vic BS 675852 with neg results.	Bde, M, CO, S3	Am
38	1240	(C)	At 1100 hrs Aero Scouts apprehended 3 male VC evading coord BS687828. Extracted to LZ Dottie for interrogation.	Evac to 11th Bde PW Campd	Am
39	1300	(C)	Unit loc remain the same.	CO, S3	Am
40	1320	(C)	At 1200 hrs Co B 2d Plat, coord BS626813, detained 11 VCS trying to evade. Extract- ed to LZ Dottie for interrogation.	Bde, M, CO, S3 Evac to 11th Bde PW Campd	Am
41	1400	(C)	Unit loc same except for Co A 1st Plat, BS567771; 2d Plat(-), BS568772; 3d Sqd, BS560762. Co B 2d Plat & 1st Plat E Trp closed LZ Dottie at 1357 hrs.	Bde, M, CO, S3	Am
42	1425	(C)	MG Koster, Div Cmdr, arrived LZ Dottie at 1425 hrs and dprtd 1440 hrs. Met and briefed by Maj McAnaw, Bn S3.	Bde, CO	Am
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty JOHN P McANAW, MAJ Inf				Signature <i>John P. McAnaw</i>	

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43	1500	(C)	Unit loc same except for Co A(-), BS569776; 3d Sqd 2d Plat, BS560762.	M,CO,93	Am
44	1505	(C)	At 1407 hrs Telecon between Maj McAnaw & Cpt Henderson (Bde TOC): Co D will return to 4-3 Inf in Mascatine AO on 16 May 68. Time unk at this time.	CO	Am
45	1530	(C)	Telecon between Maj Schleicher (Bde S2 Air) and SFC Kalepa (Bn OPSGT): VR rept at vic BS681824 observed large trail leading up hill and disappearing into brush. Possible VC bivouac area in underbrush. Also at BS495747 a sand bunker 20' long on sand bar with exit doors on east and west sides.	CO,S3,M	Am
46	1600	(C)	All unit loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	Am
47	1628	(C)	Co A 2d Plat 3d Sqd, coord BS530764, engaged 1 VC evading. VC dropped a bag containing the following items: 15 lbs rice, 4 lbs sugar, pepper, tobacco, wash cloth, 8-10 packs cigarettes, 20 packs of cigarettes paper, toothpaste & tooth brush, 12 new flashlight batteries, bar of U.S. soap. Neg results on VC.	Bde,M,CO,S3	Am
48	1645	(C)	Rec weather report fr Bde.	CO,S3,S2	Am
49	1650	(C)	Ref to last night's satchel charge atk on	Bde,M,CO,S3	Am
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49	cont	(c)	LZ Dottie, rec 6 satchel charges (3 of which were ignited and 3 duds). Duds were found lying between Bunkers 1 & 2.		
50	1700	(c)	PT loc rec fr Binh Son Dist Hqs: BS623 869, BS615879, BS474864, BS622867, BS627 865.	Bde, M, CO, S3, Recon Plat, Co B 39th Engr	gm
51	1750	(c)	Co C, coord BS540817, rept rec 1 round sniper fire. 81mm Mort fire returned, neg sniper fire.	Bde, M, CO, S3	gm
52	1800	(c)	Unit loc same except for Co A 2d Plat 3d Sqd, BS565770.	Bde, M, CO, S3	gm
			<i>John P. McAnaw</i> JOHN P McANAW, MAJ Inf, OIC		
53	1902	(c)	Co B Mort Plat rept rec 3-4 rounds sniper fire fr coord BS728845. M60 MG fire returned w/neg results.	Bde, M, CO, S3	DKK
54	1940	(c)	Binh Son Dist Hqs repts PW loc: BS598 912, BS603912, BS602916.	M, CO, S3	DKK
55	1945	(c)	Co A rec 1 Mort round vic BS574774. Neg casualties. 81mm Mort fire and SA fire returned w/neg results.	Bde, M, CO, S3	DKK
56	1955	(c)	Co B 2d Plat ambush patrol dprnt LZ Dottie for ambush site.	Bde, CO, S3	DKK
57	2000	(c)	Unit loc: Co A(-), BS569776; 1st Plat,	Bde, M, CO, S3	DKK
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PETER L. LAWSON, CPT Inf					

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57	cont	(C)	BS561780 (1st Sqd); 2d Plat, BS565770 (3d Sqd). Co C, no change.		
58	2100	(C)	Unit loc same except for Co B 2d Plat ambush, BS618840; 3d Plat ambush, BS719843. PETER L LAWSON, CPT Inf, OIC	Ede, M, CO, S3	DKK
59	2200	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.	Ede	DKK
60	2300	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.		
61	2355	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.	Ede	DKK
62		(C)	Summary: Operations continued as normal throughout the MISCALINE AO with Co A conducting an intensified search of vic . Co B conducted local security on LZs DOTTIE & UPTIGHT with a local patrol to the west of LZ DOTTIE. Co C secured LZs BUFF & SUE. Co D remained OPCON to 198th LIB. Recon platoon secured OP GEORGE.		
63	(U)	2400	Journal Closed		
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty			Signature		
WINSTON GONZALES, CPT Inf					

LNO NOTES
14 May 68

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SCOREBOARD

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>ENEMY</u>				<u>FRIENDLY</u>	
	<u>KIA</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>CIA</u>	<u>WPNS</u>	<u>KHA</u>	<u>WHA</u>
4/3	1		24			
3/1			3			
4/21			5		2	2

3 enemy initiated incidents in the Americal AO; none significant.

S-3

OPERATIONS: 3/1 - Co C CA to the coast; 4/21 - Normal operations.

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No mail. Should be delivered to Duc Pho 150730H May 68.