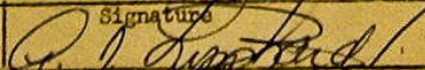


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	IN	OUT			
1	0001	(U)	Journal Opened		
2	0045	(C)	Gun & Flare ships rept to 4-3 Inf TOC for this mornings mission.	CO,S3	DKK
3	0100	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DKK
4	0145	(C)	Gun & Flare ships off station, results of mission: Sank 35-40 sampans; engaged 2 VC along shore, est 1 en KIA; req to engage fishing boats in ocean E of mouth of river. Req denied; informed Swiftboats, req they investigate fishing boats & rept results to this TOC.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK
5	0200	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK
6	0205	(C)	Rec call fr Bde (SFC Gross): IR emissions at fol loc: BS630727, 622747, 634743.	CO,S3,M	DKK
7	0300	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DKK
8	0400	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK
			JOHN F REIGER, 1LT SIGC, OIC		
9	0500	(C)	Bn SITREP neg,loc same.	CO,S3	DKK
10	0600	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK
11	0635	(C)	Co D 1st plat 2d sqd & 1st plat 2d sqd & 2d plat 3d sqd night ambs closed NDP 0630 hrs w/neg results.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK
				DOWNGRADE AT 3 YR INTERVAL DECLASSIFIED AFTER 12 YEARS	
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty			Signature		
ROBERT F WOODRUFF, 1LT Inf					

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12	0701	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DKK			
13	0731	(C)	Co D(-) dprt NDP BS496800 to conduct asg mission; 1st & 3d plat loc BS493814.	CO,S3,M	DKK			
14	0801	(C)	Co C & D SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DKK			
15	0810	(C)	Co D 2d plat vic BS499808 apprehended 1 VCS evading. w/o ID card, age 30-40; presently being interrogated by VN interpreter.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK			
16	0820	(C)	Co C 3d sqd 3d plat closed on NDP (LZ BUFF) fr night amb w/neg results.	CO,S3,M	DKK			
17	0845	(C)	Co D(-) w/2d plat BS490807, 1st plat BS 486815, 3d plat BS486813, mort plat BS 493803.	CO,S3,M	DKK			
18	0901	(C)	Co D & C SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DKK			
19	0920	(C)	Co B 39th Engr-Op rept Hwy #1 open fr LZ DOTTIE to Binh Son.	CO,S3,Units concerned.	DKK			
20	0928	(C)	COL Henderson, Bde Cmdr, arr LZ DOTTIE; met & briefed by LTC Barker, Bn Cmdr; CPT Michles briefed on today's ops; Bde Cmdr dprt 0951 hrs.	CO,S3	DKK			
21	1004	(C)	Co C & D SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DKK			
22	1020	(C)	Co C 2d plat 2d sqd loc BS546818.	CO,S3,M	DKK			
23	1058	(C)	Co B 39th Engr-Op rept Hwy #1 now open in southern 4-3 Inf AO.	CO,S3,MP Det	DKK			
24	1103	(C)	Co C & D SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DKK			
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A J LIPPARDT, 1LT Inf				<i>A. J. Lippardt</i>				

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25	1103	(C)	Co C 1st & 2d plat dprnt LZ BUF on asg mis- sion. See Op Overlay.	CO,S3	DKK			
26	1201	(C)	Co D & Co C SITREP neg; Co C 1st plat BS 546826, 2d plat BS545815.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK			
27	1254	(C)	Co C 2d plat at BS555823 detained 2 VCS evading & hiding in tunnel. Will extract to LZ DOTTIE for interrogation.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK			
28	1300	(C)	Co C & D SITREP neg; Co C 1st plat BS555- 832, 2d plat BS555832, 2d plat 2d sqd BS 544865.	CO,S3,M	DKK			
29	1301	(C)	DUSTOFF req for 1 VN girl, age 11, fr PZ LZ DOTTIE (agitation of R foot). Completed 1340 hrs.	CO	DKK			
30	1331	(C)	Complete rept of Recon Plat extraction fr OP GEORGE (BS474863) to LZ DOTTIE (BS629- 854): Time commenced: 1115 hrs Time completed: 1245 hrs Sorties required: 6 Total pers ext: 20	CO,S3,Bde,M	DKK			
31	1347	(C)	Co C 2d plat vic BS556823 found est 700- 800 lbs of rice hidden behind a false wall; also found a tax collector's book. Rice will be destroyed due to nonavailability of acct for extraction. Book to be dlvr	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK			
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty A J LIPPARDT, 1LT Inf				Signature <i>A. J. Lippardt</i>		Cont DKK		

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31	Cont	(C)	LZ DOTTIE for Intel evaluation.		
32	1350	(C)	Co C 2d plat apprehended 1 VCS evading vic BS555823; extracted to LZ DOTTIE for inter- rogation.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK
33	1402	(C)	Co D & C SITREP neg, loc same except Co C 1st plat BS555826.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK
34	1408	(C)	AS-123 Avn Bn apprehended 3 VCS evading, 2 at BS438836 & 1 at BS762838.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK
35	1500	(C)	Co D SITREP neg, loc same; Co C 2d plat rec 3 rds sniper fire fr vic BS553840; fire returned w/arty; Results unk - en fire ceased.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK
36	1525	(C)	Ref item #27, 1 VC died of unk cause at LZ DOTTIE while being interrogated. Details to follow pending complete examination.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK
37	1528	(C)	At 1525 hrs Co C 2d plat vic BS560839 apprehended 1 VCS evading; will extract to LZ DOTTIE.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK
38	1549	(C)	C&C helicopter w/ITC Barker aboard obs & engaged 4 V hiding in hedgerow resulting in 1 VC KIA. Aero Scouts dispatched to pursue 3 remaining VC while Co C 2d plat maneuvers towards VC.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK
39	1602	(C)	Co D SITREP neg, loc same; Co C ref item 38.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK
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40	1612	(C)	Rec weather rept fr Bde.	S2	DKK	
41	1623	(C)	At 1617 hrs, ref item 38, C&C ship KIA 1 VC in same vic; also 1 female VC WHA/CIA. DUSTOFF req 1625 hrs, completed 1630 hrs.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK	
42	1637	(C)	Co C 2d plat at BS560839 apprehended 5 VCS (3 MAM; 1 male, age 17, 1 fem, age 22).	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK	
43	1701	(C)	Aero Scouts rifle element vic BS568878 (LZ SUE) engaged & KIA 2 VC, presently searching area further.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK	
44	1705	(C)	Co D SITREP neg, all elements at NDP BS 503833; Co C made contact, ref item #42; Co C(-) LZ BUF, 2d plat BS550840.	CO,S3,M	DKK	
45	1714	(C)	Aero Scout Rifle Plat in checking out 2 VC KIA, ref item 43, found 1 wearing web belt w/2 gren.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK	
46	1715	(C)	Rec PF loc fr Binh Son Dist Hq as fol: BS617872, 600918, PF loc fr Son Tinh Dist: BS604874, 632822, 652814.	BdeCO,S3,M	DKK	
47	1800	(C)	All units SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK	
48	1820	(C)	Msg fr Bde: C&C ship to arr 0700 hrs to- morrow; hook & util at 0800 hrs.	CO,S3,M	DKK	
			A J LIPPHARDT, 1LT, Inf, OIC			
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty				Signature		
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49	1840	(C)	Co C 2d plat(-) closed on LZ BUF.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK
50	1900	(C)	All units SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DKK
51	1901	(C)	PF on OP GEORGE rept to Co C 3d plat that there is a VC Co loc BS460873. Req arty. Appr - arty firing on tgt.	CO,S3,M	DKK
52	1936	(C)	Co C 2d plat 3d sqd rec 2 bursts AW fire fr BS555826.	CO,S3,M	DKK
53	1940	(C)	Co A 1st plat 1st sqd amb loc BS738857.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK
54	2000	(C)	All units SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DKK
55	2002	(C)	Co A 3d plat 2d sqd amb loc BS627834.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK
56	2006	(C)	CPT Michles informed CPT Holbrook, Bde SDO, that 2 175mm guns fr A/3-18 Arty had moved N to Hill 54 in spt of op. It is not known whether two 155mm guns will also move.	CO,S3	DKK
57	2015	(C)	Co D amb loc: 1st plat 1st sqd BS507835, 2d plat 1st sqd BS498833, 3d plat 2d sqd BS504825.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK
58	2020	(C)	Co C 2d plat 3d sqd amb loc BS556827.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK
59	2050	(C)	All units SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DKK
60	2122	(C)	Binh Son Dist rept that a truck & a jeep are heading S on Hwy #1. Did not stop at Binh Son. LTC Barker, Bn CO, directed MP Det at LZ DOTTIE to stop these vehicles	Cont	DKK
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty EARL R MICHLES, CPT Inf				Signature <i>Earl R. Michles</i>	

VIP AMMUNITION COLLECTION

DATE: 31 May 68

NO. INVENTORY: 55

AMT. PAID: 12,400 \$ VN

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>
M26 Frag Gren	64
M16A1 AP Mine	8
81mm HE	
81mm WP	
60mm HE	2
60mm WP	
Claymore Mine	1
3.5" Rocket	
TNT	
5.56 Rds.	500
.30 Cal Rds.	3462
M1 Carbine Rds.	96
Mixed Rds., Small Arms	
M72 LAW	
M14A1 Frag ren	2
.40mm M79 Rds.	5
ChiCom Frag Gren	
OTHER: 30 cal mag	5
105 mm Dud	2
WP Gren	1
AK47 rd	200

STANDARD MEDCAP REPORT

LOCATION: Dinh Lien - Lien Tri COORDINATES: BS 623 875

TIME COMMENCED: 1300 TIME COMPLETED: 1700

NUMBER TREATED:

MEN: 21

WOMEN: 31

TOTAL: 98

CHILDREN: 46

Significant Diseases (Defined as any disease that might infect troops operating in the area):

EVACUATION ASSISTANCE:

MALE

COORDINATES

REASON

FEMALE

CHILDREN

COMMENTS:

1900-1900

LNO NOTES
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SCOREBOARD

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>KIA</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>CIA</u>	<u>WPNS</u>	<u>OTHER</u>	<u>KHA</u>	<u>WHA</u>
4/3	25		4				
A/S	1		3		35-40 sampans		
4/21	1		4			1	
HEC			1				
1/20							2

2 month training course observed in op vic BS650482. Est 70 pers, 20 female.

MACV predicts BRONCO/DUC PHO to be attacked. Believed on sapper unit loc approx 7 Km NE of BRONCO to take part in atk

S-3 Light activity in Bde AO.

OPERATIONS: 4/21 - Normal Operations; 3/1 - normal ops w/Co A, Recon conducting Stand-Down.

S-1 2355 lbs of mail.

Duc Pho "Shopping district" has been put on limits daily 0900-1500 hrs effective 1 Jun.

Bde Cmr met w/District Dai Uy: VN are drafting own people in order to show attempt to protect their hamlets. So far 300 pers have been drafted, 200 of which have been issued M2 carbines and sub-M19s. With the 4/21 Inf, the Bde will help these VN forces gain confidence and prestige as 2 VN will be asg to ea rifle sqd. These VN will be paid 80 P/day. The practice will last one week, initially.

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