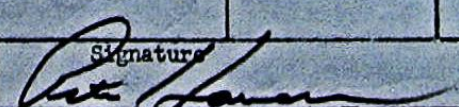


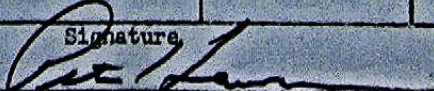
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	IN	OUT			
01	0001	(U)	JOURNAL OPENED		
02	0004	(C)	Ref Item #58, 06 May 68: Neg assessment at this time. Will check area of contact at first light. Also, one gun fr 4.2" mort was used during contact.	Bde, CO, S3	DKK
03	0101	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.		
04	0200	(C)	All units neg Sitrep except Co B 2d Plat(-) ambush. Rec 1 round of either M79 or 60mm mort fire which landed 30 to 60 M behind ambush site.	Bde	DKK
05	0254	(C)	At 0210 hrs Co B 2d Plat(-) ambush obser- ved 9 to 10 indiv moving behind their loc about 75 meters. 5 rounds 4.2" Mort was fired. Neg assessment at this time, will check area at first light.	Bde	DKK
06	0302	(C)	All units neg Sitrep except Co B 2d Plat(-) ambush ref Item #4 & #5, all loc same.		
07	0401	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.  JOHN F REIGER, 1LT Sig, OIC	Bde	DKK
08	0501	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.		
09	0508	(C)	Co D stand to completed at 0505 hrs.		
10	0602	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.	Bde, CO, S3	DKK
11	0637	(C)	Reg activities in Anceal Div AO fr SFC	CO, S3	DKK

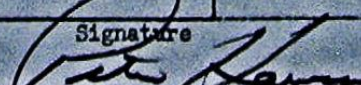
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty  
ROBERT F WOODRUFF, 1LT Inf

Signature: *Robert F Woodruff*  
 DOWNGRADE AT 3 YR INTERV  
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	IN	OUT				
11	cont	(C)	Gross, Bde Duty NCO: Only activity was in 1-20 Inf, they rec unk nr of mort rounds.			
12	0648	(C)	Co D repts last ambush element closed in at this time, all w/neg results.	CO,S3	DKK	
13	0700	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, Co C 3d Plat - BS543 813; all others no change in loc.	M,CO,S3	DKK	
			<i>Robert F Woodruff</i> ROBERT F WOODRUFF, 1LT Inf, OIC			
14	0720	(C)	Co B 2d Plat ambush element closed in IZ Dottie with neg results.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK	
15	0733	(C)	Aero Scouts, coord BS734893, repts rec AW fire fr village, fire returned w/neg results.	Bde,M,CO,S3	DKK	
16	0745	(C)	Aero Scouts, coord BS720902, apprehended 1 male VCS, military age, evading. Extracted to IZ Dottie for interrogation.	Bde,M,CO,S3	DKK	
17	0800	(C)	Aero Scouts, coord BS720906, apprehended 1 male VCS, military age, nude, evading. Extracted to IZ Dottie for interrogation.	Bde,M,CO,S3	DKK	
18	0810	(C)	At 0722 hrs Co D conducted a CA. 1st PZ time 0722 hrs; IZ time 0730 hrs, IZ cold. 2d PZ time 0738 hrs; IZ time 0742 hrs, IZ cold. 3d PZ time 0746 hrs; IZ time 0757 hrs, IZ cold. 4th PZ time 0800 hrs; IZ	Bde,CO,S3	DKK	
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty PETER L LAWSON, CPT Inf				Signature <i>Peter Lawson</i>		

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	IN	OUT			
18	cont	(C)	time 0808 hrs, LZ cold.		
19	0800	(C)	Unit loc: No change except for Co D(-), BS720887; 1st Plat, BS734894; 2d Plat, BS 720898.	Bde, M, CO, S3	DKK
20	0834	(C)	Co D 2d Plat apprehended 1 male VCS, mili- tary age w/o ID card, hiding in a tunnel vic BS718888. Extracted to LZ Dottie for interrogation.	Bde, M, CO, S3	DKK
21	0900	(C)	Unit loc: Co A 1st Plat, BS571903. Co B, no change. Co C 3d Plat, BS555810. Co D CP, BS722889; 1st Plat, BS733892; 2d Plat, BS718890; 3d Plat, BS711896; Mort Plat, BS726890.	M, CO, S3	DKK
22	0901	(C)	At 0856 hrs Aero Scouts, coord BS725871, apprehended 1 male VCS evading. Extracted to LZ Dottie for interrogation.	Bde, M, CO, S3	DKK
23	0935	(C)	Co D 2d Plat, coord BS719890, found 3 VC hiding in a tunnel. A grenade was thrown into tunnel resulting in secondary explo- sion and 3 VC WIA/CIA. VC dusted off.	Bde, M, CO, S3 MI	DKK
24	0940	(C)	Co A 1st Plat closed LZ Sue w/neg results. 2d Plat dpmt for today's operations.	CO, S3	DKK
25	1000	(C)	All units no change in loc except for Co C 3d Plat, BS555815.	Bde, M, CO, S3	DKK
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty				Signature	
PETER L. LANSON, CPT Inf					

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26	1010	(C)	Cpt Gouzoules, Bn S5, repts that the HB Psyops Tm dprt this loc at 0945 hrs to work on Route #1 S to Duyen Phuoc (GS BS 6381). Subject: Reward for info on VC activities and Chieu Hoi.	CO,S3	DKK
27	1020	(C)	Rwy #1 cleared North and South of 4-3 Inf AO.	Bde,CO,S3, MPs	DKK
28	1025	(C)	Ref Item #20: VCS led Co D to a tunnel loc at coord BS723892. Tunnel complex was 20 ft in length and branched out into 2 more tunnels 20 meters long. Tunnel was destroyed.	CO,S3,Bde	DKK
29	1100	(C)	Bn loc same except Co A 2d plat BS566886.	CO,S3,M	DKK
30	1200	(C)	Bn loc: Co B,D no change, Co A 2d plat BS554893; Co C BS538825.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK
31	1250	(C)	All units rept neg SITREP, loc same.	CO,S3	DKK
32	1400	(C)	All units rept neg SITREP, loc same except as fol: Co D CP BS720888, 1st plat BS730892, 2d plat BS713855, 3d plat BS726896, Mort plat BS726890.	Bde,M,CO,S3	DKK
33	1401	(C)	Co D 2d plat, BS719890, apprehended 1 VC, age 45-50, w/o ID card. No wpn or web gear, but in possession of documents.	Bde,M,CO,S3	DKK
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty			Signature		
PETER L. LAWSON, CPT Inf					

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34	1440	(D)	At 1440 hrs rec rept fr Binh Son Dist HQ: 6 VC have set up a road block at BS577904. They have arrested several boys who have sold beer and cokes to americans and are holding them at above location. 6 VC at another road block at BS568900 are to warn of US approach. VC at both road blocks are armed with M79s, carbines, AR-15s, & hand grenades. Also 1 VC plat is inform- ing people to be at meeting conducted between 2000-2400hrs somewhere vic BS578- 908. Also a VC plat loc at BS566907 & BS572908.	CO,S3,Co A M	DKK
35	1500	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3,M	DKK
36	1600	(C)	Bn loc same except Co D BS720888; SITREPs neg.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK
37	1700	(C)	Bn loc same; SITREP neg.	CO,S3,M	DKK
38	1800	(C)	Bn loc same; SITREP neg. PF loc BS470875, 474864, 477872, 623866.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK
39	1830	(C)	Rec weather rept fr Bde S2.	CO,S3,S2	DKK
40	2100	(C)	At 1851 hrs Co A 2d plat, BS555898, detonated a mine w/secondary explosion 50m away, resulting in 4 US WHA, 1 US KHA (no casu- alties fr 2d explosion).	Bde,CO S3,S2,S1	DKK DKK
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Name and Grade of Officer on Duty			Signature		
PETER L. LAWSON, 2PT Inf					

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40	Cont	(C)	Casualties as fol:  Line #3 2LT Anderson, Robert C - rec frag wound on R thumb; #94 PFC Booker, Cornel D - rec minor frag wounds in legs; #117. PFC Kastern, Michael E - rec mult frag wounds in legs; #155 SP4 Cerda, Mamel - rec mi- nor frag wounds in legs; #59 SP4 Grant, James W - KIA. DUSTOFF Req 1851 hrs, completed 1900 hrs.			
41	2110	(C)	Bn loc: Co A 2d plat ambush site BS557- 896; Co B 2d plat ambush site BS629834; Co C 2d plat ambush site BS533819; Co D(-) BS720888, ambush sites - 2d sqd 1st plat BS723884, 1st sqd 2d plat BS724888, 3d sqd 2d plat BS724883; Recon plat OP GEORGE.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK	
42	2115	(C)	At 1940 hrs Son Tinh Dist HQ rept 4 VC plat loc at BS654821.	CO,S3,S2,M	DKK	
43	2130	(C)	At 2100 hrs Co D rept receiving 15 rds AW fire fr W of Co loc, BS717887. 81mm mort fired upon suspected en psn & AW fire ceased.	Bde,CO,S3,M	DKK	
44	2131	(C)	At 2100 hrs, Telecon between SFC Cross, Bde SBNCO, & SFC Kalepa, Bn Op Sgt: Be- tween 080200 hrs & 080300 hrs, LZ BRONCO,	CO,S3,S2 Cont	DKK	
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty			Signature			
WINSTON SOUZGULES, SPT Armor						

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44	Cont	(C)	LZ LEZ, & MAAV HQ at Duc Pho will be under atk by 21st Regt, 30th NVA Div.		
45	2200	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde, CO, S3	DKK
46	2207	(C)	(LATE ENTRY) At 2115 hrs CPT Gouzoules, Bn S-5, rept ammo collected fr VN children at BS625854 & BS618876 as fol: 17 rds 60mm mort, HE 1 rd 60mm mort, WP 15 ea M16A1 AP mines 3 rds 81mm mort, HE 1 rd 81mm mort, WP 11 rds 81mm mort, illum 1 ea M72 LAW 25 ea M26 hand gren 13 rds 40mm (for M79 GL) 1 ea 3.5" rkt 33 ea Chicom gren 6 ea VC type AP mine 1 ea blasting caps container. 18,339 rds .30 cal, M-1 rifle 75 rds .50 cal, linked 600 rds .30 cal, linked 350 rds .30 cal, carbine 11 lb TNT; 4 ea smoke pots.		
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty			Signature		
WINSTON GOUZOULES, CPT Armor					

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47	2210	(C)	(LATE ENTRY) At 2145 hrs Binh Son Dist Adv rept VC are laying ML4 APmines at fol loc: BS 633924, 635926, 644922, 643947.	CO,S3,S2	DKK			
48	2223	(C)	Rec loc of frd elements fr 5-46 Inf (CAT): BS578918, 564916, 555916.	CO,S3, Co A 2d plat	DKK DKK			
49	2301	(C)	Bn & atch unit SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DKK			
50	2359	(C)	Bn & atch unit SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	DKK			
51	(C)		Summary: operations continued as normal throughout the Co A securing LZ BUE while the 2d plat conducted GOLDEN FLEECE Operations in the Tra Bong River valley. At 1851 hrs, vic BS555898, 2d plat Co A sustained 4 US MIA and 1 US KIA as a result of the detonation of an unknown type mine. Individuals were evacuated at 1900 hrs. Co B engaged in securing LZs DOTTIE & UPTIGHT and conducting local patrols and ambushes. Co C conducted local security and assisted in construction of LZ BUFF. Co D at 0722 hrs conducted CA into LZs vic BS733892, 718899, & 722889. As a result of the CA, Co D, vic BS719890, woun- ded and captured 3 VC found in a tunnel. All LZs were cold. Recon plat conduc- ted local security of OP GEORGE.	MUSCATINE AO with				
52	(U)	2400	Journal Closed					
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty				Signature				
WINSTON GONZALEZ, OPT Armor								



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 1 DATE 07 May 68

1. LOCATION OF PICKUP SITE BS 719890

2. REQUESTOR CO, Co D

3. NUMBER OF PATIENTS: LITTER 3 AMBULATORY \_\_\_\_\_

4. NATIONALITY: US \_\_\_\_\_ VIETNAMESE \_\_\_\_\_ VC \_\_\_\_\_ FWF \_\_\_\_\_

5. NATURE OF INJURIES: 1 FEM W/HIP, ARM; 2 MALE W/LEG & ARM INJURIES

6. CATEGORY: URGENT 2 PRIORITY 1 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.) SMOKE

11. RADIO FREQUENCY: 45.70 CALLWORD: LOBO D26

12. ANY US PERSONNEL AT THE PICKUP SITE: YES X NO \_\_\_\_\_

13. REMARKS: \_\_\_\_\_

14. REQUEST CALLED IN BY: LOBO 65 PHONE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

15. REQUEST RECEIVED BY: CHU LAI CONTROL TIME 0945

TIME COMPLETED 1006

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1. LOCATION OF PICKUP SITE BS 568878 LZ SUE

2. REQUESTOR CO, Co A

3. NUMBER OF PATIENTS: LITTER 1 AMBULATORY \_\_\_\_\_

4. NATIONALITY: US X VIETNAMESE \_\_\_\_\_ FWF \_\_\_\_\_

5. NATURE OF INJURIES: TEMP 105.4°

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.) SMOKE

11. RADIO FREQUENCY: 45.70 CALLWORD: LOBO A6

12. ANY US PERSONNEL AT THE PICKUP SITE: YES X NO \_\_\_\_\_

13. REMARKS: \_\_\_\_\_

14. REQUEST CALLED IN BY: LOBO A6 PHONE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

15. REQUEST RECEIVED BY: LOBO 65 relay to CHU LAI TIME 1155  
TIME COMPLETED 1216

AMERICAL DIV SOI ITEM 93-1  
REQUEST FOR MEDICAL EVACUATION

MINE & BOOBY TRAP INCIDENT  
REPORT

07 May 68

Reference item 40

- A. TYPE OF TACTICAL FORMATION USED: Squad File
- B. RATE OF MARCH: Slow
- C. DISTANCE BETWEEN INDIVIDUAL CASUALTIES: 15 meters
- D. BODY ARMOR USED: Flak Jackets
- E. WARNING DEVICE USED: None (Had a mine detector which was not utilized because they had just left the village.)
- F. ANY SOUNDS PRIOR TO DETONATION: None
- G. WAS BOOBY TRAP/MINE NEAR AN EASILY IDENTIFIED OBJECT: Were placed in a bank of a rice paddy which had been recently trimmed, 150m from village.
- H. DO VILLAGERS KNOW THIS OR OTHER MINES OR BOOBY TRAPS: Most likely (Will check villagers tomorrow, 08 May 68.)

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LNO NOTES  
07 May 68

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<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SCOREBOARD</u>				<u>FRIENDLY</u>	
	<u>KIA</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>CIA</u>	<u>WPMS</u>	<u>KVA</u>	<u>WVA</u>
4/3	2		14		1	2
3/1	2		6			
4/21			5			1

12 enemy initiated incidents in the Americal AO.

S-3 Operations are as normal in the Bde with no CAS planned.

Quang Ngai received 11 82mm mort rds and SA fire which damaged the power plant & radio station.

S-1 5300 lbs of mail