

DAILY STAFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG
(AR 270-346)

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ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION
S-2/S-3 4th Bn, 3d Inf
AVDF-BARK

LOCATION
LZ SAN JUAN
BS635382

PERIOD COVERED

FROM		TO	
HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
0001	14 Nov 69	2400	14 Nov 69

ITEM NO	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
01	0001		(U) Journal opened.		LW
02	0100		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	LW
03	0200		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	LW
04	0300		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	LW
05	0400		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	LW
06	0500		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	LW
07	0530		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same. Rec 4.2 ammo rept.	Bde, DO	LW
08	0600		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	LW
09	0700		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	LW
10	0800		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	LW
11	0900		(C) Bn SITREP neg; loc same expt Co A BS655-378, Co B BS630454, Co D BS702392.	DO	DS
12	1000		(C) Bn SITREP neg; loc same expt Co B BS622-466.	Bde, DO	DS
13	1025		(C) Skyspot BS613427, 22 500 lb bombs.	Bde, DO	DS
14	1100		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	DS
15	1120		(C) Co B BS613480 obsr 2 VC/NVA wear black pj's; eng w/ arty, res unk.	Bde, DO	DS
16	1125		(C) COL HOFFMAN, Bde CO, arr LZSJ.	Bde, DO	DS
17	1135		(C) Co B obsr 5 VC/NVA at BS617475 in black pj's entering hut in complex of 17-18 huts, 1st plat checking.	Bde, DO	DS
18	1135		(U) Requested Warlords for VR.	Bde, DO	DS
19	1150		(C) Ref #16, COL HOFFMAN dept LZSJ.	Bde, DO	DS
20	1200		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	DS
21	1250		(C) BG DONALDSON, DCG-M, arr LZSJ.	Bde, DO	DS
22	1300		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	DS
23	1310		(C) Ref #21, BG DONALDSON dept LZSJ.	Bde, DO	DS
24	1400		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	DS
25	1410		(C) Co B BS610477 CIA 7 VC/NVA sus: 3 child, 3 female, 1 male, evac to Bde POW camp LZ BRONCO, also fd same loc: 27 AK-47 rds, 3 lbs powdered CS, 20 penicillin tabs, 450 gal cook oil, 4 pigs, 10 lbs peas, 300 lbs potatoes, 5 oil lamps, 100 lbs charcoal, 5 NVA canteens.		

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SIGNATURE GROUP 4:
Downgraded at 3 yr intervals
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	IN	OUT						
25	cont		6 pr black pj's; all dest expt gas mask and canteens. Also 15 huts dest same loc.	Bde, DO	DS			
26	1500		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	DO	DS			
27	1540		(C) Skyspot BS662451, 21 500 lb bombs.	Bde, DO	DS			
28	1545		(C) Co B 1st plat BS621470 returning to PB at BS620469 when EM lost his footing in river and went under: #102 Haglund, Victor, PFC.	Bde, DO	JV			
29	1550		(C) Ref #28, C/C went to search for man w/ LTC FERNANDEZ, Bn CO and MAJ MCGEE, Bn S-3.	Bde, DO	JV			
30	1600		(C) Bn SITREP neg; loc as fol: Co A NDP BS 655378, Co B NDP BS620469, Co C LZSJ, Co D NDP BS702407, Rcn (-) LZSJ.	Bde, DO	JV			
31	1600		(U) Rec rept fr BA TO and MINH LONG, see S-2.	Bde, Bn S-2, DO	JV			
32	1600		(C) Ref #28, Utility chopper began to assist, also FAC aircraft.	Bde, DO	JV			
33	1625		(C) Co A BS655378 req dustoff for EM: #41, Dino, Gary P., SPL, deep cut on right hand.	Bde, Bn S-1, DO	JV			
34	1645		(C) Ref #33, dustoff compl.	Bde, DO	JV			
35	1645		(C) Ref #29, 28, C/C rec AK fire at BS603492, suspect came fr village, also obsr cam boats; info relayed to PAC and MINH LONG SF/CIDG.	Bde, DO	JV			
36	1700		(U) Ref #28, Early word began assist in search.	Bde, DO	JV			
37	1700		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	JV			
38	1715		(C) Ref #28, Warlords came on station cont search and giving air support to C/C.	Bde, DO	JV			
39	1720		(C) Ref #29, 28, LTC FERNANDEZ, MAJ MCGEE, return to LZSJ in C/C.	Bde, DO	JV			
40	1725		(C) Ref #28, MINH LONG SF/CIDG obsr 6 VN pers pulling long object out of river at BS603482.	Bde, DO	JV			
41	1730		(U) Ref #32, 28, Utility chopper to return to LZSJ to cont resupply.	DO	JV			
42	1745		(U) Ref #36, 28, Early word broke station.	Bde, DO	JV			
43	1750		(C) Ref #40, 28, Elm of MINH LONG SF/CIDG CA into area of sightings; CA by 4-3 Inf C/C.	Bde, DO	JV			
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44	1800		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	JV	
45	1815		(C) LRRP Oregon insert BS668403.	DO	JV	
46	1840		(U) Ref #43, 28, C/C broke station.	DO	JV	
47	1900		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	JV	
48	1920		(C) Ref #43, 40, 28, Elm of MINH LONG SF/CIDG that CA'd across river ran into heavy en contact at BS603482; radio contact w/ elm lost and they are attempting to get out of area.	Bde, DO	JV	
49	1940		(C) Strength rept: Co A 77, Co B 88, Co C 114, Co D 82, Rcn 8.	Bn S-1, DO	JV	
50	2000		(C) Bn SITREP neg; loc same expt Co A 1st plat 50m N, 3d plat BS654378, Co B 1st plat BS621466, 2nd plat BS615471, 3d plat BS619468, Co D 2nd plat BS711405, 3d plat BS711409.	Bde, DO	JV	
51	2045		(C) Co B BS620469 heard mvmnt at BS623469; eng w/ 81 and arty, res unk.	Bde, DO	JV	
52	2100		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	JV	
53	2130		(C) LRRP Box Oregon has been extend 1 km S by Bde.	DO	JV	
54	2200		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	JV	
55	2300		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	JV	
56	2355		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	JV	
57			(C) Log summary: 4-3 Inf cont off search and amb oper in the SAN JUAN AO w/ Co C securing LZSJ w/ Recon Plat (-) OPCON, and Co's A, B, D oper in grid sq BS6537, BS6246, BS7040 respectively. At 1410 at BS610477 Co B CIA 7 VCS and evac to LZ BRONCO, at same loc they fd 15 huts and misc food and other items to include 27 AK rds and 5 pigs, see list in itme #25. At 1545 at BS621470 1 EM fr Co B lost in river, actions were taken during the rest of the day to try to find him which included use of C/C, FAC, and early word. At 1645 at BS603492 C/C with Bn CO and Bn S-3 aboard rec AK fire w/ neg cas or dam while searching for missing EM. At 1725 MINH LONG SF/CIDG ober 6 VN pers pulling long object out of river at BS603482. An elm of the MINH LONG SF/CIDG was CA'd in to check out and rec heavy SA fire fr BS603482, at this time 4-3 lost radio contact w/ the unit. At day's end the EM fr Co B was still MIA. At 1645 Co A dusted off EM w/ badly cut right hand. There were neg other significant events during the day.			
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WILLIAM J. MCGEE, MAJ, Inf, S-3				<i>William J. McGee</i>		

IS WHOLE BLOOD NEEDED

15 to 20

DUSTOFF REQUEST NR 51 DATE 14 Nov.

1. LOCATION OF PICKUP SITE 655378

2. REQUESTOR GOLF 22 T

3. NUMBER OF PATIENTS: LITTER _____ AMBULATORY _____

4. NATIONALITY: US VN _____ IWF _____

5. NATURE OF INJURIES Cut on right hand - cut by machete - down to bone

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.) Smoke

11. RADIO FREQUENCY 45.70 CALLWORD GOLF 22 Tango

12. US PERSONNEL AT PICKUP SITE? YES NO _____

13. REMARKS: _____

14. REQUEST CALLED IN BY Coffee 50

15. REQUEST RECEIVED BY Dae TIME 1625

TIME COMPLETED 1645

ref item # ³³~~1625~~

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DINO, GARY P., SP4, 

TO SI - TO B/E