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LZ SUE

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a) Journal Opened

c) All units SITREP Neg, loc same. S,L,Bde *BR*

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c) LL: Co C reports Bkr #1 spotted movement, fired grenade; Neg results at this time. S,L *BR*

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c) All units SITREP Neg, loc same. S,L,Bde *KMH*

c) All units SITREP Neg, loc same, except Co A 36, 26 elements moved out. S,L,Bde *KMH*

c) FM: Co A SITREP Neg; CP, 16 loc same, 26, 36 loc coord 507807. S,L *KMH*

K N REEDREX CPT, Inf, OIC:

c) FM: Co A CP, 16, 26, 36, 492822, 46-at ROM psn. S,L *fm*

c) FM: Co D SITREP Neg, loc same. S,L,Bde *fm*

c) FM: Recon SITREP Neg, loc same. S,L,Bde *fm*

c) ~~Recon~~ FM: Co C SITREP Neg, loc same 32 element is preparing to move to LZ SUE. S,L,Bde *fm*

c) Locations: Co D same; Co A(-) 489815, 36246 515804, Co C 36 ret'd LZ SUE 0748. S,L,M,Bde *fm*

c) FM: coord 83490613 Co A reports 2 pers leaving village before daylight; these pers tried to evade; they were carrying "Official Papers" stamped "Don V 502" and "Don V 589. One male approx 25 and one fem approx 25; both w/o ID cards. Also had picture of Ho Chi Minh. S,L,M,Bde *fm*

c) Co C 32 closed on LZ SUE fm night ambush; brought back 1 VCS apprehended at ambush site. S,L,Bde *fm*

c) All elements SITREP Neg, loc same. VCS is Chein Hoi--released after interrogation; possible use as agent. S,L *fm*

CPT, Inf, OIC:

John P. McQueen

S-2/S-3 4-3 Inf

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- 16 0927 (c) FM: Co D coord 515890 rec'd small arms fire from across river; 2 indiv wearing black pajamas and grey hats approx 100m fm our psn. Coordinated w/ element to our N, permission granted to pursue in- to their AO approx 200m. S,L,M,Bde *fm*
- 17 0947 (c) Locations: Co A(-) 486813, 46-515804; Co D(-) 512 885, 16-515889, 26-515886, 36-515884; Co C LZ SUE. S,L,M,Bde *fm*
- 18 0957 (c) FM: Co A 26 coord 486815 reports found ^{an} homemade bomb in a Wink soda can w/top cut off and top of a C-ration can inserted; it has a pull fuse; contents unknown. Also found trip wire and misc documents medical supplies--30 pills wrapped in paper-on paper was picture of a man (drawn) with a star in ~~background~~ ^{background}. S,L,M *fm*
- 19 1047 (c) FM: Co A coord 486815 reports picked up 4 males, 25-35 yr old; 2 have old bullet wounds; one identified others as VC--says they came to get men to work in the hills; men were evading when picked up. S,L,M,Bde *fm*
- 20 1200 (c) Co A,C,D SITREP Neg, loc same. S,L *fm*
- 21 1300 (c) Co C no change, Recon crossed SP 1300hrs; Co D(-) loc 535885, 36-545885; Co A no change. S,L,M,Bde *fm*
- 22 1302 (c) FM: S-2 reports has 5 more VC cadre, ref Co A search & cordon with dist forces. Coord of capture BS487814. These people are very uncooper- ative. Village of Phu Son (1). S,L,M,Bde *fm*
- 23 1400 (c) Neg Sitreps, loc: Co A, no change. Co C, no change. Recon, 477872. Co D(-), 555894; 1st Plat, 558898; 2d Plat, 556896; 3d Plat, 555896. S,L,M,Bde *fm*
- 24 1440 (c) Co C 2d Plat crossed SP. S,L *fm*
- 25 1500 (c) Loc: Co A(-), 486815, 2d Plat, 512823; 3d Plat, 487811; 4th Plat, 515805. Co D(-), 508900; 1st Plat, 570899; 2d Plat, 567908; 2d Plat, 569904. Recon, 499885. S,L,M *fm*
- 26 1545 (c) Co A 2d Plat at coord 513822 found 1000 lbs of polished rice. Request bags for evacuation. S,L,M *fm*
- 27 1600 (c) Co C 2d Plat loc at 558874, on way back to perimeter. Ambush site to be 559868. Co A(-), 515806; 2d Plat, 512823. S,L,M,Bde *fm*
- 28 1630 (c) Co C 2d Plat returned to LZ Sue. 3rd ambush loc 559868. S,L,M *fm*

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- 29 1730 (C) Notified Bde that Co A loc 1000 lbs of rice coord 513822, found in hut. Rice extracted to Trains for distribution to Son Tinh District. Extraction completed 1730 hrs. S,L,Bde *Ym*
- 30 1750 (C) Co D requested Dustoff coord 596909, 4 litter patients, priority, nature of injury - booby trap. Dustoff completed 1749 hrs. For further info see attached Medivac Request. S,L,M,Dustoff *Jm*
- 31 1759 (C) Son Tinh Advisor reports that his PF families spotted VC Bn coord 583773 w/hvy wpns at 1739 hrs. S,L,M *Jm*
- JOHN P McANAM, CPT Inf *John P. McAnam*
- 32 1802 (C) Co A RON loc: Co(-), 515804; 1st Plat ambush site, 512814; 3d Plat ambush site, 507800. S,L,M,Bde *DL*
- 33 1803 (C) FM: Squirelly Scraper Delta; no change from last nights loc. S,L,M *DL*
- 34 1915 (C) Co D loc: Co(-), 595914; 1st Plat ambush, 603893; Recon loc: 559868 (ambush). PF loc: 619879, 620019, 610920, 607921. S,L,M,Bde *DL*
- 35 1920 (C) Co A 1st Plat reports that while moving into ambush site they spotted one male VCS in black PJs. Warning shots fired, indiv continued to run, shot at him wounding him in legs. While approaching the indiv, he blew himself up with undetermined amount of explosives. Had considerable amount of money & documents laying in field as result of explosion. Results: One VC KIA vic coord 511810. S,L,M,Bde *DL*
- 36 1950 (C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc same. S,L,Bde *DL*
- 37 1955 (C) Diamond Head 3 reports he rec'd a report from Gray Fox that enemy mortar and wpns pos at vic 617865, 618863. S,L *DL*
- 38 2035 (C) Co D reports hearing rds hitting to his south and southwest of his Alpha pos. Results: 4.2 Mort firing in that area. S,L,Co D *DL*
- 39 2055 (C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc same. S,L,Bde *DL*
- 40 2150 (C) Ref Item #30: At 1730 hrs vic coord 596909, Co D 2d Plat was digging in. PFC Grigsby & PFC Jose *Sanz* were moving down a hill in westerly direction. While moving downhill PFC Grigsby tripped a wire Atchd either to a booby trap or mine. PFC Grigsby rec'd lacerations on right leg, right portion of

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0 Cont'd (c) back, right arm and also small frags. PFC JOSE SAENZ rec'd frags in chest. PFC MORGAN and PFC STANDERFER were digging in when booby trap went off; PFC STANDERFER rec'd small frags in right side of neck; PFC MORGAN was bleeding from mouth and nose. Mine detectors were used to clear path. Pers treated on site by unit medics. Dustoff completed 1750 hrs. Precedence - Priority.

PFC SAENZ, JOSE A JR US 5480002:
Multiple frag wounds in neck, head, leg, chest and right arm.

PFC MORGAN, ROBERT L RA 12885460:

PFC STANDERFER, ROBERT M US 53579235:
Frag wounds in neck and chest.

PFC GRIGSBY, VERNON O US 53843107:
Frag wounds in back and right leg.

- 2155 (c) Bn Sitrep neg, loc same.
- 2257 (c) Bn Sitrep neg, loc same.
- 2356 (c) Bn Sitrep neg, loc same.
- 2400 (c) Journal Closed

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