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ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION			LOCATION	PERIOD COVERED			
4th Bn 3d Inf AVDF-BARK			LZ Tiger XD478476	FROM		TO	
				HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
				0001	17 Apr 71	2400	17 Apr 71
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.			ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT					
1	0001		(U) Journal opened.				GD
2	0001		(C) Locations: A Co CP-452494, 1-450 490, 2-447486, 3-456502, B Co CP-433508, 1-435507 2/1-454520, 2/2-455517, 3/1-417497, 3/2-419499, C Co CP-456454, 1/1-455462, 1/2-451458, 2/1-453 437, 2/2-454440, 3/1-460463, 3/2-463466, D Co CP- 434442, 1-430450, 2-438434, 3-435452, Recon-Tiger M, Arty, DO, Bde				GD
3	0100		(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same.			M, Arty, DO	GD
4	0200	0200	(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same.			M, Arty, DO, Bde	GD
5	0300		(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same.			M, Arty, DO	GD
6	0400	0400	(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same.			M, Arty, DO, Bde	GD
7	0500		(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same.			M, Arty, DO	GD
8	0600	0600	(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same.			M, Arty, DO, Bde	GD
9	0615		(C) Expenditures: 4.2: 41 HE; 81mm: 40 HE. On hand: 4.2: 34 HE, 2 WP, 106 Ill; 81 mm: 86 HE, 46 WP, 162 Ill. 105mm expended: 16			DO, S-3	GD
10		0655	(C) Dustoff requested for line #10 of B Co SFC Van Valkenberg, Hobart, completed at 0720. Refer to spot 172005. 1/3/ B-417498. Line #135 PFC Savino, John M., , a self inflicted wound in foot while waiting for other dustoff. Statement for wound requested by CPT Mendonca. Completed 0720. 1/ 3/B-417498. Passed to rear and Bde-Brown to Rodland.			DO, S-1, S-3, Bde	GD
11	0735		(C) Mech detonation at 455462, 1/3/C. Arty blocking fire cranked up. Complete spot to follow.			DO, S-3	GD
12		0800	(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same. Passed to Bde/Tate.			M, Arty, DO, Bde	GD
13	0800		(U) CPT Jacqmein relieved 1st Deverick as duty officer.				GD
14		0830	(C) Fm 3/C Co DTG 170735, loc 464471 while in NDP element had a MAP detonate. In- vestigated with results 1 chicken KIA. Passed to Bde/Tate.			DO, S-3, Bde	GD

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15	0900		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc changes: B Co 1-438507, 2/1-452442, 3LP-459464, 4LP-456456.	M, Arty, DO	GD		
16		0930	(C) Req R/S slick DTG 181000-181200 & 181400-181600. Rpt to SE pad. Req IOH DTG 180900-181000 and 181400-181500. Rpt to Tiger. Passed to Bde/Lebar.	DO, S-3, Bde	GD		
17		0930	(C) Req CAS DTG 181000 loc 435475. Friendlies 1800m NE & 1300m S. SEL based on URI reports. G/C Segment 55, freq 62.70. Passed to Bde/Lebar.	DO, S-3, Bde	GD		
18	0945		(C) Gunship arrived on station to work APD box 163. Fire for fire clearance. Passed friendly locations. Clearance by Jacquemin.	DO, S-3	GD		
19	1000	1005	(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc changes: B Co 3LP-415496, C Co 1LP454462, 2/1-450477, 3LP-461466. Passed to Bde/Lebar.	M, Arty, DO, Bde	GD		
20	1010	1025	(C) Frn APD Team (Warlord 21) (NFI) DTG 171010, loc 442455. Team spotted 1 VC wearing black PJ's working a rice paddy at above location. There were also two hooches in the vicinity. Engaged with gunship. Results: 1 hooch destroyed. Passed to Bde/Lebar.	DO, S-3, Bde	GD		
21	1000		(C) Late Entry: COL Goodwin arrived AO Tiger. Departed at 1030. Passed to Bde.	DO, S-3, CO, Bde	GD		
22		1045	(C) Req Black Ace (NFI) land Minh Long and conduct VR with S-2 DTG 181000-181500. Passed to Bde/Lebar.	DO, S-3, Bde	GD		
23	1100		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc changes: A Co CP-450489, 1-452487, 1LP-450485, 2-447484, B Co 1-440504, 3LP-retained.	M, Arty, DO	GD		
24		1110	(U) Passed CO's plans to Bde.	DO, S-3, Bde	GD		
25	1030	1030	(C) Late Entry: Frn Bde Chem Off: APD Hotspots-425482, 426478, 427476, 429473, 431471, 433483, 435481, 416473, 417476, 418479, 419463, 419481, 421480, 421481, 422483, 423486, 425490. Passed to Bde TOC/Lebar. Passed to A, B, D Co.	DO, S-2, S-3, Bde, A, B, D	GD		
26		1150	(C) Req TPQ's A/S on following grids ASAP: #1 417475, SEL based on numerous APD hotspots, proximity 1500m SE, 1800m N, run SW NE; #2 422481, proximity same as above, SEL				

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26		(cont.)	Due to numerous APD hotspots, run SW to NE. Req Daisy Cutter ordnance. Passed to Bde/Nettles.		DO, S-2, S-3, Bde	GD
27		1155	(C) Req CA of 2/B/4-3. Req 5+2+1 package. Passed to Bde/Nettles.		DO, S-3, Bde	GD
28	1200	1205	(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc changes: A Co 1LP-retained, 3-456496, C Co 1/1-454463, 2/1-451446, 2/2-454442, 3LP-470473, 4LP-455455. Passed to Bde/Lebar.		M, Arty, DO, Bde	GD
29		1225	(C) Numerous hotspots from 416474 to 427490. Also 4 hot spots along terrain feature from 425481 to 429473. Passed to B Co at 1225 and D Co at 1245.		DO, S-2, S-3, B, D	GD
30	1230	1245	(C) Frm Bde/Lebar: URI loc 434468, company size, rad 950m, early morning. Passed to D Co, fired Arty.		DO, S-2, S-3, Arty, D	GD
31	1300		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc changes: A Co 3-456495, B Co CP-432510, 1-440500, C Co 1/2-451460, 2LP-449448, 2LP-453442, 3LP-retained, 4LP-464454.		M, Arty, DO	GD
32	1310		(C) Frm Bde/Lebar: APD box 165 DTG 18 0600-181900, UL 4058, LR 4953.		DO, S-3	GD
33	1400	1405	(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc changes: B Co 1/1-442501, 1/2-442503, C Co 1LP-458466, 2LP-454443, 3LP-458462, 4LP-463456, D Co CP-434440, 1-422454, 3-456453. Passed to Bde/Lebar.		M, Arty, DO, Bde	GD
34	1140		(C) Late Entry: Frm Bde/1LT R.D. Tye has been offered job as aide to ADC of 8th Div. Will req indef extension and transfer to Germany. Advise Bde if he wants it.		DO, S-3, B	GD
35		1155	(C) Late Entry: 1LT Tye will accept assignment. Passed to Bde/Lebar.		DO, S-3, Bde	GD
36	1500		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc changes: B Co 1/1-443502, C Co 1LP-459469, 2LP-456445, 4LP-458457, D Co CP-434439, 2-443434, 3-439456.		M, Arty, DO	GD
37		1530	(C) Warlord 21 (Initials RD) fired on 4th ARVN Recon Co. ARVN report negative casualties.		DO, S-3, Bde	GD
38	1600	1610	(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc changes: C Co 2/1-451447, D Co CP-435435, 1-424455. Passed to Bde/Lebar.		M, Arty, DO, Bde	GD

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39	1605	(C) Frm Bde/Lebar: Req clearance on 431471 for TOT. Cleared by MAJ Frakes. Friendly lies 2000m NE and 1500m S.	DO,S-3		GD	
40	1620	(C) Frm Bde/Lebar: Blade time: R/S 1000-1500.	DO,S-3		GD	
41		(C) Req IOH time from 0800-1000 and 1500-1600. Passed to Bde/Lebar.	DO,S-3,Bde		GD	
42	1700	(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc changes: D Co 1-425457, 3-439458.	M,Arty,DO		GD	
43	1710	(C) Frm Bde S-3/Req clearance on grid 428482 for morning 18 Apr. Cleared by MAJ Frakes.	DO,S-3		GD	
44	1745	(C) New AO boundaries passed to A,B, D Co's.	DO,S-3,A,B,D		GD	
45	1755	(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc changes: B Co 1/1-441511, 2-456529, 3/1-419500, 3/2-418496, D Co 2-443435. Passed to Bde/Rodland.	M,Arty,DO,Bde		GD	
46	1800	(C) Frm Bde/Rodland: Rec for our information data on APD box 165.	DO,S-3		GD	
47	1830	(C) Frm 68th Rngr LNO/Night location-489460, night ambush-479457, 489457.	M,Arty,DO,S-3		GD	
48	1830	(C) Instructed D Co not to move N of 46 grid line until told to do so. Instructed A Co not to move E of 44 grid until told to do so.	DO,S-3,A,D		GD	
49	1900	(C) Frm 4th Rgt (ARVN) LNO: Night locations 4/4 CP&1 Co-360450, Co-345455, 355 474, 4th Recon CP-405519, LRRP-321518, 367486.	M,Arty,DO,S-3		GD	
50	1940	(C) Night locations: A Co CP-450489, 1 452487, 2-447484, 3-455492, B Co CP-432510, 1/1-442503, 1/2-439503, 2/1-455517, 2/2-456519, 3/1-419500, 3/2-418496, C Co CP-456454, 1/1-454462, 1/2-451460, 2/1-451447, 2/2-453442, 3/1-458462, 3/2-463466, D Co CP-435435, 1-424459, 2-443435, 3-438456. Passed to Bde/Rodland.	M,Arty,DO,Bde		GD	
51	1950	(C) Frm Bde/Rodland: CA of 2/B/4-3 approved. AMC rpt 1300. DTG: 1330-1430, 5 slicks, 2 guns, 1 AMC.	DO,S-3,B		GD	
52	2000	(C) At 1730, PFC Mooney, James extracted to 23d Med by resupply slick due to				

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52		(cont.)	blood poisoning. Passed to relay. Relay unable to contact rear.	DO, S-3, Relay	GD		
53	2000		(U) LT Deverick relieved CPT Jacqmeins as duty officer.		GD		
54	2100		(C) Blade time: UH1H 1000-1500; LOH: 0800-0900 and 1400-1500.	DO, S-3	GD		
55	2130		(C) Frm 4-21/Request info on amt commo eqp our LNO people with Mutton Charley, for purposes of sorting out FQP when replaced. CPT Jacqmeins informs they have at least 1 PRG-77 and 1 green box.	DO, S-3	GD		
56	2245		(C) Frm S-3 Asst Bde/Have S-3 Air work up A/S vic 423482, which is vic of APD hotspot. Type ordnance to be used, command vault (same as Daisy Cutter) A/S to be requested not later than 181100 for day (morning) 19. Would like to have VR of area to build up intell in order to back up A/S req. Plans on A/S to be an LZ prep and submit plans to move at least 1 company into area day 19, however you are not limited to 1 company.	DO, S-3, CO	GD		
57	2300		(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same.	M, Arty, DO	GD		
58	2400	2400	(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same.	M, Arty, DO, Bde	GD		
SUMMARY: PFC John M. Savino, [redacted] dusted off for self-inflicted wound in foot. SFC Hobat Van Valkenberg, [redacted] dusted off from wounds received 162005. Completed 0720 at 417498 for both men. (Warlord 21) APD team spotted 1 VC and hooch, engaged and destroyed one hooch at 442455. Warlord 21 fired on 4th ARVN Recon Co, neg casualties. AD extended to West-A, B, D Co informed. PFC Mooney extracted 23d Med by admin bird due to blood poisoning. COL Goodwin wants A/S request, VR, and company standing by to go into vic 423482.							
59	2400		(U) Journal closed.		GD		
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COMMANDER'S MESSAGE OR DAILY OPERATIONAL PLANS
(notate which)

1. UNIT 4-3 Inf COVERING FROM 172000 TO 182000

2. SUBORDINATE UNIT PLANS:

A Co CP 450489 Conduct s/A patrols vic
453480, 449484, 455492 / Employs
MAP's nightly

B Co CP 432510 conduct s/A patrols vic 440506
457514, 458516, 419500, 418496 / Employs
mounted ambush at 442503 / Employs
Map's Nightly

C Co CP 456454 conducts s/A patrols vic
454463, 451460, 450447, 453442, 458461,
463467 / Employ MAP's nightly

D Co CP 435436 conducts s/A patrols
vic 421461, 443434, 439463 / Employs
MAP's nightly

RCN secures Bn CP vic 478466 /
conducts local patrols / Employs
MAP's nightly

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To LOPAR 171170
By Blevins

3. COMBINED OPERATIONS:

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4. OTHER OPERATIONS:

UNIT A-3 Int		DTG EXECUTION 181000		TOTAL PAX 27	ACL 5	AMC REPORT TO Tiger TIME 0930	
NO. AIRCRAFT-TYPE					NO. SORTIES OR LIFTS		
SLICKS 5	AMC 1	GUNS 2	SMOKE /	FLARE /			
LIFT CA OF 2 Plt of B Co		FREQ 57.85		GRND CONTACT: PZ		LZ	
1. PZ 555518 (Mask 4) (27) LZ 407485		3. PZ LZ		5. PZ LZ			
2. PZ LZ		4. PZ LZ		6. PZ LZ			
LIFT		FREQ		GRND CONTACT: PZ		LZ	
1. PZ LZ		3. PZ LZ		5. PZ LZ			
2. PZ LZ		4. PZ LZ		6. PZ LZ			
PREP		To Nettles 171155					
TIME RECEIVED		SOURCE		BY Blevins			