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S2, S3 1/8 Cav

LZ GERONIMO 879169

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23 Dec 67

2400

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ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INL
	IN	OUT			
1	0001		Journal opened.		
2	0100		SITREP Neg; all stations have authenticated correctly to the NCS and ack.		
3	0200		SITREP Neg.	JS, BDE	SK
4	0300		SITREP neg.	JS, BDE	SK
5	0400		SITREP Neg.	JS, BDE	SK
6	0500		SITREP Neg.	JS, BDE	SK
7	0600		SITREP Neg.	JS, BDE	SK
8	0650		All ele OP's and ambushes have closed the perimeters w/neg findings.	JS, BDE	SK
9	0730		1st ele of A 16 and CP off ENGLISH enroute vic 893073.	JS, BDE	SK
10	0735		A 26, 36 and 46 off ENGLISH enroute vic 893073	JS, BDE	SK
11	0745		A 16 and CP on gnd 893073. LZ green.	JS, BDE	JC
12	0750		A Co complete vic 893073.	JS, BDE	JC
13	0757		1-9 set first light recon on station vic GERONIMO.	JS	JC
14	0830		C Co vic 865167 have VN boy age 7 w/ two large chunks of skin blown off the buttocks and ankle. Also suffering fm Malnutrition w/partial paralysis.	JS, BDE	JC
15	0836		Medevac requested for C Co vic 865167 (Ref 14) but cancelled by parents.	JS, BDE	JC
16	0837		A 2/8 (Shiny Skipper) entered 1/8 net.	JS	JC
17	0853		B 16 off GERONIMO enroute vic 888203.	JS, BDE	JC
18	0908		B 16 on gnd 888203. LZ green.	JS, BDE	JC
19	1000		A 2/8 26, 36 and 46 are off LZ TWO BITS enroute vic 880097 OPCON 1/8.	JS, BDE	SK
20	1005		0930H 1-9 set released and leaving our AO.		
21	1027		B 16 checked area by air. A 16 and CP 2/8 Cav off TWO BITS enroute vic 880097.	JS	JC
22	1033		A 16 and CP 2/8 on gnd 880097. LZ green.	JS, BDE	JC
23	1045		Final ele A 2/8 on gnd 880097.	JS, BDE	SK
24	1050		3 bulldozers have arr at A Co loc 893073.	JS, BDE	SK
25	1112		B 16 repts PW vic 893198 was of no help. Claims to have been too long ago since he saw the hospital. Neg recent use or findings in area.	JS	JC
26	1220		A 2/8 vic 878092 fd dud 155mm rd - will destroy, also pu one male detainee age 45 in khaki shirt and green shorts - will send in on leg bird.	JS, BDE	AS
27	1349		A 2/8 detainee has been extracted w/guard vic 878092.	JS, BDE	AS
28	1407		The 155 mm dud at A 2/8 loc 878092 was destroyed.	JS, BDE	AS
29	1426		HHC selective snatch off LZ ENGLISH.	JS, BDE	AS
30	1428		Fm Bde: In Div: 1420H 1st Bde AO - the 2d round convoy departed - the 3d cancelled.	JS	GG

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31	1436		C Co vic 881134 fd 105mm BT - had 1 M26 fuse as detonator, trip wire running fm fuse to bush - destroyed.			JS, EDE	AS	
32	1453		C Co vic 881134 fd 60mm mortar rd BT w/M79 rd used for pressure detonator - destroyed.			JS, EDE	AS	
33	1500		The informer w/B 16 was no use at all. When taken to area of believed hospital he said he couldn't remember anything about the place - will be brought to LZ GERONIMO and extracted.			JS, EDE	AS	
34	1508		The detainee fm A 2/8 classified IC.			JS, A 2/8	GG	
35	1515		HHC selective snatch complete.			JS, EDE	AS	
36	1545		A 2/8 vic 877101 pu two detainees - suspicious - ages 10 & 12 but interpreter believes to be older - will send in on log bird.			JS, EDE	AS	
37	1547		B 16 closed LZ GERONIMO.			JS, EDE	AS	
38	1602		A 1/50 LZ LO BOY request medevac for 1 BM w/FBO.			JS	AS	
39	1621		A 1/50 medevac complete.			JS	AS	
40	1630		The 8th Engr and D-6's w/A Co have left LZ JENKINS and enroute ENGLISH.			JS, EDE	GG	
41	1705		Readout fm Bde on 16 detainees by HHC all IC's.			JS	GG	
42	1800		Anti-malaria measures taken.			JS	AS	
43	1803		The engr ele that was w/A Co closed ENGLISH at 1715H.			JS	AS	
44	1810		1/9 sct tm vic 924166 obs 1 indiv in green unif w/pack, evaded, took under fire w/neg assess.			JS, EDE	AS	
45	1840		Final loc: A Co 900073, 3 OP's 150 meters to N, S and E; B Co (-) LZ GERONIMO, 36 LZ LO BOY; C Co (-) 881134, 26 amb 878125, 25 amb 876136, 3 OP's 100 meters to S, NW and NE; A Co 2/8 880095, 16 amb 872099, 26 amb 878100, 36 amb 879089. PDS: A Co 110; B Co 104; C Co 116; A Co 2/8 109; HHC 129.			JS, EDE	AS	
46	1955		SITREP Neg.			JS, EDE	AS	
47	2000		Readout on 2 detainees pu by A Co 2/8 at 1545H; 1 classified UD, 1 classified IC.			JS	AS	
48	2055		SITREP Neg.			JS, EDE	AS	
49	2155		SITREP Neg.			JS, EDE	AS	
50	2156		A 1/50 ele at brg 92 rec 9 rds of SA sniper fire fm W - returned fire w/neg assess.			JS, EDE	AS	
51	2218		C Co vic coord 881134 rec 2 M79 rds fm NW - landed inside perimeter wounding CO in chest. CO does not request medevac at this time.			JS, EDE	AS	
52	2227		(Ref 51) C Co request medevac for CO - CPT Poer.			JS, EDE	AS	
53	2255		SITREP Neg.			JS, EDE	AS	
54	2300		C Co medevac complete.			JS, EDE	AS	
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Summary of friendly and enemy casualties and prisoners: A Co 2/8 OPCON to 1/8 had 3 detainees classified as 2 IC's and 1 UD, HHC had 16 detainees classified all IC's.

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