

DAILY STAFF JOURNAL OR BATTAL OFFICER'S LOG

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION		LOCATION	PERIOD COVERED	
S/283 1st Bn. 8th Cav		LZ Sharon YD334495	DATE	TIME
			170001 Apr 68	172400 Apr 68
TIME	DESCRIPTIONS, INCIDENTS, ORDERS, ETC.	REPORTING OFFICER	STATUS	
1 0900	Journal opened	J S	er	
2 0100	Situation Negative	J S	sk	
3 0120	Bde. effective 0900 Box to be used by B/co and C/Co while marching from Pedro to Sharon on search			
	coordance 310480-310470-330470-330480			
4 0200	Situation Negative	J S	jc	
5 0300	Situation Negative	J S Bde	sk	
6 0400	Situation Negative	J S Bde	sk	
7 0500	Situation Negative	J S Bde	sk	
8 0600	Situation Negative	J S Bde	sk	
9 0630	B/Co OP's have closed the perimeter with Negative findings	J S Bde	sk	
10 0705	D/Co Killer teams and OP's have closed, all report negative findings	J S Bde	sk	
11 0730	Unit locations and Negative situation report given A/Co at LZ Pedro, B/Co at 248482, C/Co at 251486 and D/Co (-) at 326508, D 3-3 element at Quangtri bridge 327519	J S Bde	sk	
12 0840	D/Co reports receiving Small Arms fire from Coordance 326508, they said they believe it to be ARVN's on the other side of the river. They received about 20 rounds of small arms fire, they had negative casualties. Bde has been notified to tell the ARVN's to check fire.	J S Bde	sk	
13 0850	D/Co has reported the small arms fire has stopped	J S Bde	sk	
14 0855	From Brigades All elements entering area on "D" Day will carry protective mask.	J S S-3	sk	
15 0900	B/Co 3-6 and CP are off the ground at Coordance 248482 enroute to LZ Sharon	J S Bde	sk	
16 0905	B/Co 3-6 and CP are on ground at LZ Sharon	J S Bde	sk	
17 0909	B/Co 1-6 element off the PZ at coordance 284482	J S Bde	sk	
18 0914	B/Co 1-6 element on the ground at LZ Sharon	J S Bde	sk	
19 0919	B/Co 2-6 and 4-6 elements off the PZ at coordance 284482, PZ is clear	J S Bde	sk	
20 0924	B/Co 2-6 and 4-6 elements are on LZ Sharon, Secure to secure complete	J S Bde	sk	
21 0930	Unit locations and situations reports given: A/Co LZ Pedro; B/Co LZ Sharon, C/Co at 251486 and D/Co (-) at coordance 326508, D 3-3 at coordance 327519	J S Bde	sk	
22 0930	D/Co 2-6 and 3-6 are moving North West from 327519 C/CO 1-6 and CP are off the PZ at coordance 251486 enroute to LZ Sharon	J S Bde	sk	
23 0936	C/ Co 1-6 and CP are on the ground at LZ Sharon	J S Bde	sk	
24 0941	C/Co 2-6 element off the PZ At coordance Vicinity 251486	J S Bde	sk	

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S2/83 1st Bn 8th Cav		LZ Sharon ID334495	FROM	TO	
			HOUR	DATE	TIME
			170001	Apr 68	172400 Apr 68
TIME	DATE	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC	REPORT	GRADE	INITIALS
25	0946	C/Co 2-6 element on the ground at LZ Sharon	J S	Bde	sk
26	0951	G.Co 3-6 and 4-6 elements off the PZ; PZ clear	J S	Bde	sk
27	0957	C/Co. 3-6 and 4-6 elements on LZ Sharon	J S	Bde	sk
28	1030	Negative Cofram report sent to Bde	J S	Bde	sk
29	1100	A/Co LZ Pedro request spray massive area around and possible everywhere here after	J S	Bde	sk
30	1130	Unit locations and negative situation reports given A/Co LZ Pedro, B/Co and C/Co at LZ Sharon D/Co (-) at 326508; D/Co 2-6 at 298454; D/Co 3-3 at 328519; D/Co 3-6 at 301441	J S	Bde	sk
31	1330	A/Co location LZ Pedro; B/Co and C/Co at LZ Sharon D/Co (2) at 326508; 2-6 at 288501; 3-6 at 286512 3-3 at 327519	J S	Bde	sk
32	1420	C/Co moving South from LZ Sharon	J S		jh
33	1440	D/Co requested medevac for 1 EM with an asthma attack, coordance 296513	J S	Bde	er
34	1515	Medevac Complete	J S	Bde	er
35	1517	D/Co 2-6 vicinity 311503 observed 2 male in assorted clothing who evaded to the South leaving rice and other food cooking. Negative tactical information of equipment in area	J S	Bde	jh
36	1530	Unit locations; A/Co LZ Pedro; B/Co 330481; C/CO 330481; D/Co 326508; D/Co 2-6 311503; D/Co 3-6 286513; D/Co 3-3 327519; Negative Situation Report	J S	Bde	er
37	1535	Delayed Entry; (Reference number, 35) After thoroughly searching the area, D/Co 2-6 found one SKS serial number 10093023 hidden in a hole	J S	Bde	jh
38	1630	Closed CP location at this time Brigade report, Boundaries for 1/8. Coordance 310480 to 330480 to 330470 to 310470. Have two (2) companies in this location tonight, also 1 Company on the Boundaries for 1/12 coordance 310480 to 340480 to 340460 to 387460. 2/8 stay North of 45 line and out of the other boxes. Effective date	J S	Bde	er
39	1800	Anti malaria steps taken	J S		jh
40	1900	Final locations: A/Co at LZ Pedro; B/Co 3-1 ambush 323477, 2-3 Killer Team/ OP will move to vicinity 324473 and setting vicinity 326474 as an OP; C/Co at 329475, OP 329471; D/Co at 326508, 3-3 (bridge security) 327519, Chinese Bandit A ambush, 310511, Chinese Bandit B 311503, Chinese Bandit C 313497 PDS: A/Co 110 EM, 6 Officers, 6 attached			

REPORT NAME AND GRADE OF OFFICER ON DUTY: _____ SIGNATURE: _____

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ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION & LOCATION		ARRIVAL (OPTIONAL)	
2/23 1st Bn 8th Cav		L2 Sharon YD334495	
FROM	DATE	FROM	DATE
0001	17 APR 68	2400	17 APR 68

NO.	TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC	SECTION	INITIALS
40	cont	B/Co 115 EM, 3 officers, 5 attached C/Co 108 EM, 6 officers, 5 attached D/Co 135 EM, 6 officers, 9 attached, HHC HHC 132 EM, 14 officers	J S Bde	jh
41	2024	D/Co vicinity 326508 observed 3-4 sampans in the Song Thach Han River	J S Bde	jh
42	2027	From Brigade: (Reference No. 41) There is a legal parking area in that area but 1st Brigade S2 will check futher.	J S D/Co	jh
43	2055	Situation Report Negative	J S Bde	jh
44	2155	Situation Report Negative	J S Bde	jh
45	2255	Situation Report Negative	J S Bde	jh
46	2355	Situation Report Negative	J S Bde	jh
47	2400	Journal Closed		
48	2400	<i>SUMMARY of friendly & enemy Casualties</i> <i># Pows: NONE</i>	J S	DW

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