

**DAILY STAFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG**

(AR 220-346)

PAGE NO.

NO. OF PAGES

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

S/3 S/2

LOCATION

LZ GERONIMO 877172

PERIOD COVERED

FROM

TO

HOUR

DATE

HOUR

DATE

000 1

30 Jul 67

2400

30 Jul 67

1st Bn (Abn) 8th Cavalry

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
1	0001		JOURNAL OPENED	J	JF
2	0000		B Co moving north of objective.	J, S, BDE	JF
3	0100		Sit R <sup>m</sup> p/Neg	J, S, BDE	JF
4	0200		Sit Rep/Neg	J, S, BDE	AS
5	0220		B Co has reached their objective at this time		
			via coord 858198 in process of cordoning		
			area at this time.	J, S	AS
6	0300		Sit Rep/Neg	J, S, BDE	AS
7	0315		B Co cordon complete at this time center of		
			mass coord 858202.	J, S, BDE	AS
8	0348		D Co moving to the N at this time.	J, S, BDE	AS
9	0400		Sit R <sup>m</sup> p/Neg	J, S, BDE	AS
10	0401		B Co has picked up 1 VCS age approx 30 yr wear-		
			ing Blk PJ had neg wpn or document trying		
			to run from village.	J, S, BDE	AS
11	0500		Sit Rep/Neg	J, S, BDE	AS
12	0510		D Co cordon complete center of mass coords		
			880134 have picked up 3 males 2 approx 30		
			yr old 1. 40 yrs old further details will follow		
			later.	J, S, BDE	AS
13	0600		Sit R <sup>m</sup> p/Neg	J, S, BDE	AS
14	0605		Dusters departing LZ GERONIMO at this time		
			enroute to B Co	J, S	AS

OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY

SIGNATURE

DECLASSIFIED

Authority MMD 87354

by MED NAMA Date 3/21/00

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

REPRODUCTION OF THIS FORM IS PROHIBITED

DAILY STAFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG (AR 220-346)				PAGE NO.	NO. OF PAGES		
ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION		LOCATION		PERIOD COVERED			
S/3 S/2		LZ GERONIMO 877172					
1st Bn (abn) 8th Cavalry							
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN		INITIALS	
	IN	OUT		FROM	TO		
				HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
				00001	30 Jul 67	2400	30 Jul 67
15	0630		1st Sortie of National Police on ground w/B Co.	J,S,BDE		AS	
16	0631		Sot Tm in AO working w/B Co.	J,S		AS	
17	0652		1/9 Sot Tm in AO at this time on general recon.	J,S		AS	
18	0653		National Police on ground at D Co location.	J,S,BDE		AS	
19	0652		C Co OP's have closed LZ GERONIMO.	J,S		DW	
20	0703		Dusters closed B Co location at this time.	J,S,BDE		AS	
21	0715		Bde Sot Tm working w/B Co and 1/9 Sot Tm leaving AO at this time.	J,S		AS	
22	0815		A-1 LRP of C Co checked area out VC 858174 neg results.	J,S,BDE		DW	
23	0830		Bn S-3 requests Civil affairs tm armed propaganda & some medics to work w/D Co in village.	J,S,BDE		RA	
24	0845		Bn S-3 request bulldozers to come to D Co's location to destroy bunker vic coords 880134.	J,S,BDE		RA	
25	0900		(Ref item 23) CA medics etc on ground J Co area.	J,S,BDE		DW	
26	0955		D Co reports at vic coord 8880135 found 4 VG in 2 separate holes. The VC came out of holes throwing grenades the National Police returned threw grenade resulting in 1 VC KIA and one WIA request Med-evac.	J,S,BDE		RA	

DECLASSIFIED  
 Authority MMD 87354  
 by WED NAKM UAC 3/21/0

OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

REPRODUCED FROM THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

DAILY STAFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG (AR 220-346)					PAGE NO.	NO. OF PAGES
ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION		LOCATION		PERIOD COVERED		
S/3 S/2				FROM		TO
1st Bn (Abn) 8th Cavalry		LZ GE ONIMO 877172		HOUR	DATE	HOUR DATE
				00001	30 Jul 67	2400 30 Jul 67
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS	
	IN	OUT				
27	1015		G Co 31 ele departing LZ GERONIMO to check vic of air strike.	J,S	RA	
28	1025		Bde civilian affairs tm w/D Co has found 800 lb of rice requested to have it extracted through Bde.	J,S,BDE	AS	
29	1030		(Ref entry 26) the 4 VC were dressed in assorted Blk & white PJ.	J,S,BDE	RA	
30	1045		A-2 reports at coords 895145 spotted 40 individuals moving in groups of 5 toward LZ GERONIMO requested Sot Tm to recon area.	J,S,BDE	AS	
31	1050		Sot Tm requested to check (Ref item 30) on station.	J,S	RD	
32	1105		(Ref med-evac) for 1 VC the med-evac is completed.	J,S,BDE	RA	
32	1125		(Ref item 30) Sot Tm checked area w/neg results.	J,S,BDE	RA	
<del>33</del>	1125		The National Police at B Co are ready for extraction. questioned a total of 105 per. and have 1 UD female.	J,S,BDE	RA	
34	1150		The National Police at D Co location are ready for extraction results - 91 individual interrogated 9x VDB, 60 gals coconut oil, (destroyed) searched 80 hut & found 60 bunkers 2 US grenades.	J,S,BDE	RA	
OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY				SIGNATURE		

DECLASSIFIED  
 Authority *MWD 87354*  
 by *MED* NARA *3/21/00*

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

REPRODUCED BY THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

DAILY STAFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG (AR 220-346)				PAGE NO.	NO. OF PAGES		
ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION		LOCATION		PERIOD COVERED			
S/3 S/2		LZ GERONIMO 877172					
1st Bn (Abn) 8th Cavalry							
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN		INITIALS	
	IN	OUT		FROM	TO		
				HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
				0001	30 Jul 67	2400	30 Jul 67
36	1155		B Co reports finding 6 new bunkers and 1 cave 8' x 10' will destroy bunkers & cave.			J,S,BDE	RA
37	1157		C Co 16 ele enroute to LZ GERONIMO.			J,S	BC
38	1158		National Police have been extracted from B Co's location.			J,S,BDE	BC
39	1215		C Co 31 reports relatively little damage done to caves in vic coords 870200 due to AS.			J,S,BDE	BC
40	1217		National Police extracted from D Co's location.			J,S,BDE	BC
41	1250		C Co 16 ele plus Dusters have closed LZ GERONIMO.			J,S,BDE	BC
42	1300		C Co 31 ele has closed LZ GERONIMO.			J,S	BC
43	1307		D Co 16 ele has been extracted enroute to LZ ENGLISH.			J,SBDE	BC
44	1342		From Bde: weather warning 1530 hrs Pershing AO severe thunderstorms minumim conditions 1000' broken 2000' overcast visibility 1/2 mile winds 15 knots gusting to 33 knots above 25 ft occasional severe turbulance in Pershing AO.			J,S	BC
45	1415		From Bde S-2: The 1 WCD from B Co classified as aCD. The 10 from D Co 9 were classified as UD. 1 stated that 2 gue illa and 2 cadre were left in GIA AN armed with carbines in vic grid BS 8813 1 stated 10 guerilla 3 cadres in LIEU-AN BS				

DECLASSIFIED  
 Authority *MWD 87354*  
 By *MED* NARA Date *3/21/0*

OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY

SIGNATURE

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

REPRODUCED FROM NATIONAL ARCHIVE

DAILY STAFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG (AR 220-346)						PAGE NO.	NO. OF PAGES
ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION		LOCATION		PERIOD COVERED			
S/3 S/2				FROM		TO	
1st Bn (Abn) 8th Cavalry		LZ GERONIMO 877172		HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
				0001	30 Jul 67	2400	30 Jul 67
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS		
	IN	OUT					
45	(CONT)		8713 armed with carbines.	J,S	BC		
46	1433		C Co 26 ele off LZ GERONIMO on snatch flight.	J,S,BDE	BC		
47	1453		C Co 26 ele on ground at coords 858172 on snatch tm mission.	J,S,BDE	BC		
48	1515		B Co 16 ele and Engr tm back with B Co.	J,S	BC		
49	1631		C Co 26 ele snatch tm have interrogated 98 IC have 2 VC and 1 CD.	J,S,BDE	BC		
50	1705		Snatch Tm off LZ enroute to LZ GERONIMO.	J,S	BC		
51	1708		C Co 26 ele have closed LZ GERONIMO. National Police enroute to LZ ENGLISH.	J,S,BDE	BC		
52	1710		B Co is Bn's RRF.	J,S,B Co,Bde	JE		
53	1800		B Co reports patrol 36 ele moving NW from LZ GERONIMO at this time to check around.	J,S	BC		
54	1831		B Co's (Patrol) their 36 ele has returned to B Co location.	J,S	JB		
55	1830		Anti-malaria measures taken by all elements.	J,S	BC		
56	1836		Sot Tm in AO on last light-recon.	J,S	BC		
57	1855		1/9 Sot Tm on last light recon checked coords 860128 to 866117 observed construction work on bunkers and 10 military age males in the area.	J,S,BDE	BC		
58	907		Sot Tm was given the area to recon by 1/9. 1/9 Sot Tm on recon of coords 861130 to 868148 observed construction in the village one large				

DECLASSIFIED  
 Authority *MD87354*  
 by *MD* NARA Date *3/21/00*

OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

REPRODUCED BY THE NATIONAL ARCHIVE

**DAILY STAFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG**

(AR 220-346)

PAGE NO.

NO. OF PAGES

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

S/3 S/2

LOCATION

LZ GERONIMO 877172

PERIOD COVERED

FROM

TO

HOUR

DATE

HOUR

DATE

1st Bn (Abn) 8th Cavalry

0001

30 Jul 67

2000

30 Jul 67

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
58	(CONT)		bunker being built, 2 or 3 military age males. People in village seemed to be out of the ordinary when the Set Tm flew over village.	J, S, BDE	BC
59	1935		Bde S-2: Intelligence report from 40th ARVN 5 VC Bn's (unkn) moved from coords 8018 to 855182 to 863181 to 853171 to 857156 to 867147 to 860131 to 873127 to 857113 to 864113 to 855107 to 876094. Armed w/6 - 82 mm mortar and 6 anti-aircraft guns. Wearing yellow khaki uniforms mission, to attack Tam Quam and destroy bridges.	J, S, BDE	BC
60	2000		Sit Rep/Neg	J, S, BDE	BC
61	2100		Sit Rep/Neg	J, S, BDE	BC
62	2132		1st Bde 3 request Bdy change for period 302400 to 311800 Gd Sqd 8523 to TF Oregon - OK w/CO 1/8.	J, S	DW
63	2157		A-2 LRRP at coords 897152 observed two individual trying to enter a cave. Arty is being called in.	J, S	BC
64	2200		Sit Rep/Neg	J, S, BDE	BC
65	2259		A Co LZ TWO BITS, B Co coords 851196 C Co LZ GERONIMO A-1 LRP's C Co ele coords 857179, A 2 LRRP coords 896157 D Co coords 875133.	J, S	BC
66	2300		Sit Rep/Neg	J, S, BDE	BC

OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY

SIGNATURE

DECLASSIFIED

Authority MVD 87354

By MVD NARA Date 3/21/00

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

REPRODUCED FROM THE NATIONAL ARCHIVE

**DAILY STAFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG**

(AR 220-346)

PAGE NO.

NO. OF PAGES

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

S/3 S/2

LOCATION

LZ GERONIMO 877172

PERIOD COVERED

FROM

TO

HOUR

DATE

HOUR

DATE

1st Bn (Abn) 8th Cavalry

0001

30 Jul 67

2400

30 Jul 67

ITEM NO.

TIME

IN

OUT

INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.

ACTION TAKEN

INITIALS

68

2400

Sit Rep/Neg

J, S, BDE

BC

OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY

SIGNATURE

DECLASSIFIED

Authority MMD 87354

by MMD NARA UAG 3/21/0

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

REPRODUCED BY ELECTRONIC MACHINE