

Month: October

Year: 1968

Day		Locations Coordinates
1	Location Record:	BT054175
2	Location Record:	BT042164
3	Location Record:	BT045164
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5	Location Record:	BT038143
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7	196 th Bde, C/3-21, 1332 hrs, air move from the vicinity of BT043165 to the vicinity of BT019268. Completed at 1400 hrs.	BT018269
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10	196 th Bde, C/3-21, 0925 hrs, air move from LZ East to Chu Lai. Completed at 0938 hrs. 196 th Bde, C/3-21, 1005 hrs, air move from the vicinity of BT019268 to Chu Lai. Completed at 1032 hrs. 196 th Bde, C/3-21, Sp4 Ackerman, 013 hrs 81mm, C/3-21 and HQ 4.2mm from LZ Center to Chu Lai. LZ in approximately 30 minutes. Completed at 1043 hrs. LZ 1043 hrs.	CHU LAI
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14	196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT079295 at 1500 hrs, observed and engaged 1 VC evading. Results: 1 VC KIA. No ID or weapon. 196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT044294, BT045292 and BT045285 at 0930 hrs, received 100 to 150 rounds of sniper fire from 4-6 AK-47s and possibly light machine gun from 3 positions 150-200m Northeast of their location. Called in artillery. No casualties reported. 196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT055299 at 1200 hrs, found 2 VC bodies KIA by small arms fire. Dressed in black	BT018269

	PJ's. Also detained 2 VCS in the area. Will evacuate to LZ Ross.	
15	196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT010305 and BT003305 at 1000 hrs, main body of C Co received 10 rounds of sniper fire, 200m East of their location. 3rd platoon, 700m from the main body received 10 rounds of sniper from 300m West. Sounded like AK-47 and carbines. Returned fire, VC evaded. Checking area.	BT018264
16	196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT038232 at 1430 hrs, observed and engaged 1 VC evading. Results: 1 VC KIA. No weapon or ID. 196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT029248 at 1145 hrs, engaged 2 VC. Results: 2 VC KIA. In same area detained 2 VCS.	BT081269
17	Location Record:	BT081269
18	196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT055210, called in artillery on 3 VC. Results: 1 VC KIA.	BT052253
19	Location Record:	BT052253
20	196 th Bde, C/3-21, 1 st platoon in the vicinity of BT077237 at 0945 hrs, observed and engaged, with small arms fire, 1 VC wearing a black shirt and khaki pants evading out of hut 15m South from the platoon. Results: 1 VC KIA, 20-25 yrs old, carrying 2 sand bags containing 1 khaki uniform and 1 poncho liner. 2 more VCS started to evade out of another hut and were detained. 1 40 to 45 year old and 1 12 to 14 year old. Both wearing black PJ's, without ID. Detainees will be evacuated to location of S-2.	BT052253
21	196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT065301 at 1635 hrs, observed 2 VC moving South at 200m Northwest of their location. Called in artillery. Results: 2 VC KIA.	BT052253
22	Location Record:	BT052253
23	Location Record:	BT052253
24	196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT046233 at 1325 hrs, engaged 2 VC evading. Results: 2 VC KIA. Captured 1 ruck sack, 1 air mattress and 1 blue shirt.	BT052253
25	Location Record:	BT052253
26	196 th Bde, C/3-21, 0850 hrs, air move from LZ Center to the vicinity of BT133222. Completed at 0927 hrs.	BT105230

	196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT133234 at 1225 hrs, engaged 1 VC evading. Results: 1 VC KIA. No weapon, ID or equipment.	
27	<p>196th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT134225 at 1430 hrs, observed 1 VC wearing a black shirt, cooking food in a chicom mess kit. He saw 3d platoon and started evading, engaged at 100m. Results: 1 VC KIA. Also 40m South found in a hut were 7 old PRC-25 batteries, ¼ lb TNT, 2 pressure firing devices, 50 lbs of rice, 1 Chicom mess kit, 1 flashlight, 1 pair of GI fatigues, 2 GI cots, and documents that were scattered about the hut area. Interpreter said documents contained supply list. Also 20m South of that location found a new camouflaged bunker with overhead cover 6'x5'x5'. Appeared to have been worked on today.</p> <p>196th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT144233 at 1000 hrs, engaged 4 VC, 2 wearing black PJ's and 2 in Khaki uniforms. Results: 3 VC KIA.</p> <p>196th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT141238 at 1030 hrs, received heavy automatic weapon fire. Results: 1 US KIA. Artillery being fired at this time. Passed to C/S, Sgt. Loftis.</p>	BT018269
28	<p>196th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT148221 at 0930 hrs, engaged 1 VC evading. Results: 1 VC KIA. No weapon or ID.</p> <p>196th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT157219 at 1030 hrs, engaged 1 VC. Results: 1 VC KIA, wearing black PJ's. No weapon, pack or ID.</p> <p>196th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT055305 at 1055 hrs, received 5 rounds of automatic weapon fire. Returned fire and found 1 hole 2'x3' with 46 M-60 rounds. (INFO ONLY)</p> <p>196th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT158218 at 1100 hrs, received 4 rounds of small arms fire. No casualties reported. Artillery called in with unknown results.</p> <p>196th Bde, C/3-21, at 1900 hrs, heard heavy firing from</p>	BT018269

	automatic weapons. Requested to be alerted on close enemy activity.	
29	196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT157224 at 0730 hrs, engaged 1 VC evading. Results: 1 VC KIA. No weapon or ID.	BT160248
30	196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT164263 at 1200 hrs, engaged 3 VC evading. Results: 3 VC KIA. No weapon or ID. Also in same location detained 2 VCS in a hut. 196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT164263 at 1525 hrs, engaged 1 VC. Results: 1 VC KIA.	BT165267
31	196 th Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT158256 at 1130 hrs, engaged 1 VC evading. Results: 1 VC KIA. No weapon or ID.	BT165265