

**Month: August**

**Year: 1968**

<b>Day</b>		<b>Locations Coordinates</b>
1	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT003214 at 0930 hrs, observed 1 NVA evading West at 75m, dressed in a green uniform with ruck sack. Engaged with small arms fire. Results: 1 NVA KIA. Captured 1 chicom entrenching tool and 1 NVA poncho with liner. Will extract equipment.	BT012213
2	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, TFC, in the vicinity of BT012216 at 1326 hrs, received mortar and small arms fire. Scrambled gunships. Results at this time: 2 WIA. 1 KCS KIA by mortar round. Follow up: at 1300 hrs moved into a day logger and sent a patrol on recon. Patrol spotted 10 NVA in green uniforms with AK-47s. Engaged with small arms fire. Results: 3 NVA KIA, element then received 7-8 rounds of 60mm mortar fire. Results: 2 US WIA, 1 KCS KIA. Contact broken at 1335 hrs.	BT013207
3	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, G5, Sgt Walthall, evacuated 5 refugees from the vicinity of BT010210 to Nui Loc Son at 0730 hrs 2 Aug 68.	BT022210
4	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT045218 at 0815 hrs, observed and engaged 2 military age males evading to the West. Results: 1 VC KIA, dressed in a green shirt and black shorts.	BT048237
5	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT089294 at 1500 hrs, observed 4 VC evading to the South, 1500m from their location. Called in Artillery. Results: 1 VC KIA, dressed in black PJ's.  196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT041209 at 1715 hrs, observed 4 VC moving East. Called in Artillery. Results: 1 VC KIA.	BT052253
6	Location Record:	BT052253
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8	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BS134218 at 1715 hrs, engaged 1 VC with small arms fire. Results: 1 VC KIA.	BT052253
9	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT065293 at 1840 hrs, observed 4 VN males 2000m Northwest of their location moving North and wearing khaki uniforms. Called in	BT052253

	Artillery. Results: 1 VC KIA (20 rounds were fired). At 1900 hrs, observed 3 individuals crossing a rice paddy. Fired artillery with negative results.	
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14	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT092297 at 1030 hrs, received 50 rounds of AK-47 fire 400m North of their location. Returned fire with small arms and artillery. Checked the area and found two freshly dug fighting positions, 4'x4'x6'.	BT052253
15	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BS066284 at 1010 hrs, observed and engaged 1 VC evading 300m North of their location, wearing black PJ's. Results: 1 VC KIA.	BT052253
16	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of AT073287, observed 12 VC in the open 1000m from their location. Called in artillery. Results: 3 VC KIA.	BT052253
17	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT093256 at 1300 hrs, found 1 NVA KIA, wearing a green uniform. No weapon, ID or equipment.	BT077246
18	<p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT084266 at 1215 hrs, observed 2 VN males evading 100m East of their location, engaged with M-79 and small arms fire. Results: 2 VC KIA, wearing black PJ's, approximately 25-30 years old. No weapons, ID or gear.</p> <p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT111257 at 1210 hrs, engaged 1 NVA evading at 5m with a 45 caliber pistol. Results: 1 NVA KIA, wearing a green uniform. Captured an M-1 carbine (SN: 1027480) and 1 magazine.</p> <p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT094250 at 0745 hrs, observed 1 military age male evading East 50m from their location, engaged with M-79, M-16 fire. Results: 1 VC KIA, dressed in black PJ's, approximately 30-35years old. 1 US WIA from M-79 fragments, incident occurred when the individual fired his M-79 round to close.</p>	BT084266
19	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT093294 at 1020 hrs,	BT093289

	<p>observed and engaged 1 male evading East 50m from their location, wearing black PJ's. Results: 1 VC KIA, approximately 25-30 years old. No weapon, or ID.</p> <p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT092293 at 2030 hrs, observed and engaged 4 VC. Results: 1 VC KIA, approximately 40 years old. No ID or equipment.</p>	
20	<p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT099276 1315 hrs, observed 1 VN male evading 125m from their location, engaged with small arms fire. Results: 1 VC KIA. Man was wearing black shorts and a khaki shirt. No weapon, ID or equipment. Man was carrying a sand bag containing 4 lbs of rice, 2 lbs of salt and 1 GI towel.</p> <p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT096280 at 1925 hrs, engaged 1 VC. Results: 1 VC KIA. Wearing black shorts and a gray shirt. No ID.</p>	BT096276
21	<p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT098272 at 0730 hrs. Observed 2 military age males evading North 15m from their location. One of them threw a hand grenade at US troops. Was engaged with small arms fire. Results: 1 VC KIA, also captured some documents, the other VC evaded East. Documents will be extracted to LZ Baldy.</p> <p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT087291 at 0945 hrs, observed 4 military age males moving Northeast 1200m from their location. Called in Artillery. Results: 1 VC KIA. No weapon or ID.</p> <p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT093277 at 1130 hrs, found 1 VC body in the bushes, VC was KIA by artillery. Body was approximately 36 hrs old. Dressed in black PJ's and approximately 20 years old. No weapons, documents or equipment.</p>	BT105267
22	Location Record:	BT105267
23	Location Record:	BT081261
24	Location Record:	BT093289
25	OPERATIONS SUMMARY. C/3-21 conducted a CA to an LZ in the vicinity of BT120220 at 1318 hrs (cold).	BT115225

	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT114223 at 1325 hrs, observed 1 VC evading East 25m from their location, engaged with small arms fire. Results: 1 VC KIA, approximately 25 years old. Dressed in a tan shirt and black pants. No ID, weapon or equipment.	
26	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT116227 at 0845 hrs, observed 1 VC evading South 50m from their location, engaged with M-16 fire. Results: 1 VC KIA, wearing black PJ's. No ID or equipment.	BT115227
27	<p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT103218 at 0800 hrs, observed and engaged 1 military age male evading South 300m from their location. Results: 1 VC KIA, approximately 25 years old, dressed in black PJ's. No ID or weapon.</p> <p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, at 1055 hrs, in the vicinity of BT103208 observed 6 NVA with green uniforms, steel pots, gear, packs and weapons. They moved into a tree line. A few minutes later 3 VC, wearing khakis, came from the tree line in the vicinity of BT103206 to a hootch area in the vicinity of BT105212. A few minutes later 8 more VC, coming from Northeast of the tree line also went into the hootch area. Artillery fired with 4.2mm mortars. Results: 1 large secondary explosion and numerous small explosions that looked like hand grenades and ammo exploding.</p>	BT138228
28	Location Record:	BT135229
29	<p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT125227 at 0700 hrs, observed and engaged 1 military age male, wearing black PJ's, evading East 50m from their location. Results: 1 VC KIA, approximately 25-30 years old.</p> <p>196<sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT135253 at 1715 hrs, observed 3 VN males, Northwest of their location, digging. Called in artillery. Results: 1 VC KIA.</p>	BT130245
30	Location Record:	BT146263
31	196 <sup>th</sup> Bde, C/3-21, in the vicinity of BT117272 at 1100 hrs, engaged 1 NVA evading North 150m from their location. Results: 1 NVA KIA, approximately 20-25 years old, dressed in a khaki uniform.	BT116266