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EMP01EF11352 2/~~EI/VCM~~/T1483-72 [redacted] 3/3 SONGBIRD TACREP ADDEE (TMPS) USM 808/ECHO TACREP NR,1868-72 DTG, 131425ZMAY72 UNIDENTIFIED ELEMENT, 304TH DIVISION REPORTS AIRCRAFT SHOOTDOWN
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FM,((QUANG TRI)),((U/I ELE, 304TH DIV --~~NO RD~~)) TO,((QUANG TRI)),((U/I ELE, 304TH DIV--~~NO RD~~)) THUOC((1)) ((THWOWCS)) PREC,-- NR,-- AT 1422G A 12.7 MM (ANTIAIRCRAFT GUN) SHOT ONE F4 (AIRCRAFT) ((WHICH WAS FLYING)) AT AN ALTITUDE OF ~~(C-VAL)~~ 944 METERS).. FIRING ~~((3GRG))~~ THE AIRCRAFT DOVE DOWN IN DIRECTION 4 ((2)) RETURNED TO DIRECTION 2 ((3)) AND THEN WENT ACROSS TO DIRECTION 3 ((4)). ((I)) OBSERVED IT BURST INTO FLAMES. ~~((IGRG))~~ C2 (COMPANY TWO) ~~((2GRM))~~. AFTER THAT ~~((5GRG))~~ ((WE)) FIRED MORTARS INTO THE POSITION AND THEN THE JET AIRCRAFT STRUCK WITH BOMBS. THEY ~~((XGRG/M))~~. ((1)) U/I PERS ((2)) POSS DESIGNATOR FOR WEST ((3)) POSS DESIGNATOR FOR NORTH ((4) POSS DESIGNATOR FOR EAST ME, [redacted]
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#1857 F-4E ADAIR - BR '74
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