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S-2, S-3 1/8 Cav			LZ GERONIMO 879169	FROM		TO	
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				0001	9 Dec 67	2400	9 Dec 67
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1	0001		JOURNAL OPEN	JS	SK		
2	0100		SITREP NEG.	JS, BDE	SK		
3	0200		SITREP NEG.	JS, BDE	SK		
4	0300		SITREP NEG.	JS, BDE	SK		
5	0400		SITREP NEG.	JS, BDE	SK		
6	0500		SITREP NEG.	JS, BDE	SK		
7	0530		From Bde: 40th AVRN at @ 908050 has made Enemy contact	JS, A&C Co	SK		
8	0600		SITREP NEG.	JS, BDE	SK		
9	0610		All OP's have returned w/ neg findings	JS	SK		
10	0611		D Co mortar expenditures 28HE, 30WP w/neg For A, B&C Co's	JS	SK		
11	0750		1/8 liaison has arrived with 40th ARVN's	JS, BDE	JC		
12	0800		A Co at 899076 repts they are ready to move	JS	JC		
13	0825		C-46 has returned to perimeter @ 899073 w/4 military age males Det.	JS	JC		
14	0830		A 1/50th repts ready w/ fresh replacements & new guns for the elements. He has one APC heading for English North to replace road wheel as soon as the APC returns they'll be ready w/4 APC's and 30 personnel	JS	JC		
15	0835		C-46 at vic 899073 along the new road picked up 4 male Det. w/neg ID's (area of booby trapped mine) ages 15&33 wearing blue shorts & white shirts, age 57 wearing all white, age 30 white shirt and green pants, will be sent in on log bird	JS, BDE	JC		
16	0910		First TOT on the grid vic of A&C Co 899075	JS	JC		
17	0917		CS on the way to vic 899075	JS	JC		
18	0922		CS on the grid at vic 899075	JS, BDE	JC		
19	0927		TOT on grid A & C Co moving east frm vic 899073	JS, BDE	JC		
20	0930		A & C Co moving to 902071 behind D 1/50 mech	JS, BDE	JC		
21	0938		D 1/50 have linked w/ A & C Co at the north neck (902071)	JS, BDE	JC		
22	0949		A & C & D 1/50 are sweeping frm the north neck (902071 to the wing (905068) with neg contact this time	JS, BDE	JC		
23	0954		A, C & D 1/50 have reach the northern tip of the wing (905068) Starting sweep along the wing	JS, BDE	JC		
24	0955		40th ARVN repts contact of a est. plt size ele. of VC at 906952. B Co will be put in at 922044 (op-con 1/50th) to back	JS, BDE	JC		
25	1016		A, C & D 1/50 are sweeping on the northern tip of wing. C Co has fnd in a destroyed bunker a NVA pack & some rice which they are carrying along Also D 1/50 have fnd numerous helmets,	(con't)			

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25	con't		Web gear & NVA packs in the north wing tip vic of 905068	JS, BDE	JC		
26	1032		1/8 S-3 request EOD Tm for 1-8" dud rd @ 898073	JS, BDE	SK		
27	1048		PO "TAR" has been compromised and changed by Bde to "ICE" effective at this time	JS ALL CO's	SK		
28	1050		CBS personnel are ready for extraction at C Co. control 898073, request extraction	JS, BDE	JC		
29	1057		C Co request medevac for one EM with light frag wounds while grenading some holes @ 905068	JS	JC		
30	1102		B Co was inserted at coord vic 922096	JS, BDE	SK		
31	1112		C Co medevac completed at this time	JS	SK		
32	1114		EOD Tm has reached A Co vic 898073	JS, BDE	SK		
33	1116		DELAYED: D-46 has left Geronimo sweep west at 1045 hrs	JS, BDE	SK		
34	1117		CBS Tm has been extracted along with some documents uncovered in a trench by dozers	JS, BDE	SK		
35	1132		D-46 @873170 fnd 1 mil. age male 15 yrs hiding under a bed in a hooch wearing blk shirt and grey shorts, will be sent in on a log Neg ID	JS, BDE	SK		
36	1145		PO ICE has been changed back to PO TAR	JS ALL UNITS	SK		
37	1217		The 8" dud rd has been destroyed @ 898073	JS, BDE	AS		
38	1225		Frm Bde Sgt ship spotted 1 indiv. evading 100 meters east of Hwy east of English north. Indv was moving frm house to house	JS, S-3	GG		
39	1315		A,C & APC's moving into southern neck of objective area 902068	JS, BDE	AS		
40	1330		Frm Bde: Info frm NVA POW captured by 40th ARVN. Messenger of 1st Co, 8th Bn 22nd Regt. He states the 8th Bn is at loc MY AN 910050 There are 20 men in 1st Co & 200 men in the 8th Bn. His 2nd & 3rd Co hit TAM QUAM and and future plans are. They will not retreat to Mt's, but will remain in plains. 7th Bn loc at CUU-LOI 927114. Regt CP (hearsay) at DAI-DONG	JS	GG		
41	1408		A,C & APC's are moving into clubfoot area vic 899059	JS, BDE	AS		
42	1430		Frm Bde boundary change eff. immediately, 920122-927129-934133, tip of land south of this line will come under contact of 1/50 immediately	JS	GG		
43	1432		Frm Bde: Agent rept. A VC Co that hit the 185th RF Co last night withdrew this morning to BS 920013 They have 3 VC KIA's also 1 other VC Co loc at 885987 last night. they didn't join the VC Co that hit the 185th RF Co last but joined them at 920013 Div rates F-3	(con't)			

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43	con't		HOAL- NHON as B-1	JS	GG		
44	1504		Readout on 4 Det frm C Co 2-UD, 2 IC neg info	JS	GG		
45	1505		A, C & D1/50 are on eastern portion of club-foot 899059	JS, BDE	AS		
46	1530		The clubfoot has been searched w/neg findings all ele are preparing to move back to 898073	JS, BDE	AS		
47	1620		A Co has reached LZ 898073	JS, BDE	AS		
48	1627		A-16,26 off the grd enroute to English	JS, BDE	AS		
49	1637		All of A Co off the grd at this time	JS, BDE	AS		
50	1645		A Co complete at LZ English- also sent in 2				
51	1700		Det picked up in the search operation C&D 1/50 closed vic 898073 C Co has 5 Det. 3 males ages 15,50,60 all wearing blk pants & white shirts, 2 f/m ages 18,25 wearing blk pants & blue tops will be sent in on log	JS, BDE	AS		
52	1707		Ref 50- There were 1 male, 1 f/m ages 60,70 dressed in blk PJ bottoms & white tops	JS, BDE	AS		
53	1730		A 1/50 leaving Lowboy enroute to bridges	JS, BDE	AS		
54	1800		Anti-malaria measures taken	JS	AS		
55	1816		Find by the 1/8 & Engrs dug up by dozers vic of 898073: 15-82mm mortar rds, 1 SKS # 10079335, 2 AK-47 SN# 10078719 & SN# 10091130, 1-40mm Rocket rd, 2 Chi Con mines, 1 Chicom grenade 1 pr binoculars 7X30 chinese type, 4 ruck sacks which contained asst. clothing, blk PJ's & civilian clothing, 4 blue sweat shirts, 150 bottles vitamin "C" french made, 2" documents (sent in). Also uncovered 8 mutilated bodies apparel unextinguishable	JS, BDE	JC		
56	1820		A 1/50 request medevac for one EM w/out around eye requires stiches, at LZ Lowboy	JS, BDE	AS		
57	1835		A 1/50 medevac completed at this time	JS, BDE	AS		
58	1955		SITREP NEG.	JS, BDE	AS		
59	2000		Final loc. A Co LZ English- B Co op-con 2/8- C Co 898073- D Co(-) LZ Geronimo, D-26 LZ Lowboy- D 1/50 898073- A 1/50 LZ Lowboy- D Co KT, 865172-865185-874172-874185, PDS A-68, B-90, C-94, D-106, HHC-128	JS, BDE	AS		
60	2022		Frm Bde: Readout on Det. picked up by A Co time 1130- 1, medical lessons - 2 birth certificates-3 military and political record book- 4 watch receipt-5 personal history forms-6- personal letters from 22nd Regt Hq, 93rd Bn, 2nd VC Regt, 7-medical papers from 3rd Div. Hq 8, infiltration pass from unknown unit, 5 Det by C Co 4-IC, 1-UD, 2 Det by A Co	2IC JS	AS		

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61	2055		SITREP NEG.	JS, BDE	AS
62	2139		D Co KT has closed LZ Geronimo w/neg findings	JS	AS
63	2145		The visit of Gen. Ware has been canceled	JS	AS
64	2155		SITREP NEG.	JS, BDE	AS
65	2255		SITREP NEG.	JS, BDE	AS
66	2355		SITREP NEG.	JS, BDE	AS
67	2400		Delayed entry- found by the elements of A & C Co and D 1/50 on sweep 26 shirts (heavy sweatshirts, blk Pj's tops, khakis, and dark green) 16 pants (blk Pj's, dark green, khakis) 16 packs, 50lbs rice in carrying rolls, 7 poncho, 7 food containers, 4 canteens with covers, 1 SKS SN# 7057016		
68	2400		Journal closed Summary of friendly & EN Casualties & Prisoners: A Co had 2 detainees, classified IC; C Co had 9 detainees, 6 classified IC & 3 classified UD.		
69	2400		Journal Closed	JS JS	W W

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