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				Oct 67	0001	13 Oct 67	2400
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	IN	OUT					
1	0001	JOURNAL OPENED.	J, S	SK			
2	0100	Situation Negative.	J, S, BDE	SK			
3	0200	Situation Negative.	J, S, BDE	SK			
4	0300	Situation Negative.	J, S, BDE	SK			
5	0400	Sit Rep/Neg.	J, S, BDE	SK			
6	0500	Sit Rep/Neg.	J, S, BDE	SK			
7	0600	Situation Negative.	J, S, BDE	SK			
8	0615	All OP's and ambushes inside perimeter report neg findings.	J, S, BDE	SK			
9	0620	D Co 16 ele off the ground at ENGLISH enroute to MUSTANG.	J, S, BDE	SK			
12	0658	B Co 16 ele off TWO BITS enroute to C Co location coord 853092.	J, S, BDE	SK			
13	0709	B Co 16 on ground 833092 this time.	J, S, BDE	SK			
14	0710	C Co 16 and 46 off ground 833092 enroute TWO BITS.	J, S, BDE	SK			
15	0720	A Chin Hoa and interpreter inbound to C Co location will be passed to D Co 26 then passed to B Co when B Co arrives at 833092.	J, S, C	JC			
16	0725	C Co 16 and 46 on ground LZ TWO BITS.	J, S, BDE	JC			
17	0755	The Chin Hoa and the interpreter arrived at location and joined with the D Co 26 ele.	J, S, BDE	SK			

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18	0818		Vietnamese laborers arrived at A Co location LZ MUSTANG.	J,S,BDE	SK
19	0819		B Co 26 and CP off TWO BITS enroute to to C Co location.	J,S,BDE	SK
20	0830		B Co 26 and CP on the ground at C Co location coord 833092.	J,S,BDE	SK
21	0834		C Co 26 and CP off the ground enroute to TWO BITS.	J,S,BDE	SK
22	0835		Bde advises exercise close supervision for bomb test today in An Lao.	J,S,A,D	IC
23	0840		C Co CP and 36 on LZ TWO BITS.	J,S,BDE	IC
24	0842		B Co 26 off TWO BITS enroute to 843092.	J,S,BDE	IC
25	0852		hook off B Co location enroute TWO BITS.	J,S,BDE	IC
26	0900		All C Co at TWO BITS.	J,S	IC
27	0901		B Co 26 off ground TWO BITS enroute 843092	J,S,BDE	IC
28	0902		B Co complete at 843092.	J,S,BDE	IC
29	0915		B Co 26 moving NE to 846092.	J,S	IC
30	0924		From Bde: The test bomb mission in An Lao has been canceled.	J,S,S-3,D	SK
31	0945		B Co complete moving NE to 846095.	J,S	IC
32	0950		D Co 26 moving W from 842098.	J,S	IC

3 extracted from MUSTANG enroute B Co

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33	(CONT)		coord 943092.	J.S.BDE	JC
34	1013		B Co cordon closed, center of mass vic 846095.	J.S.BDE	SK
35	1017		NP on the ground at B Co location.	J.S.BDE	SK
36	1025		D Co 16 ele on the ground at B Co location.	J.S.BDE	SK
37	1027		D Co 26 ele is searching the cave complex vic of 835098.	J.S.	SK
38	1230		B Co 16 ele at vic coord 843093. found 1 VC medicine bag hid in a water buffalo pen.	J.S.BDE	GC
39	1231		D Co 26 has joined B Co at coord 843093.	J.S.BDE	GC
40	1234		The NP at B Co location 843093 found 1 pressure type mine in hedgerow made of aluminum 6 in long 4 in diameter. Will send in ENCLOSURE, FRAGS, BOMBS, BOMBS.	J.S.BDE	GC
41	1408		B Co 26 snatch off ground coord 851092.	J.S.BDE	AS
42	1419		B Co 26 snatch on ground coord 877105.	J.S.BDE	AS
43	1432		B Co reports that the NP are ready for extraction/coord 843093 Questioned 35 females 5 male and have 1 female detainee found 1 M-26 frag grenade. 1 cook grenade Will blow in place.	J.S.BDE	GC
			have been extracted from B Co location.	J.S.BDE	AS

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45	1507		D Co 26 off ground location coord 843093.	J,S,BDE	AS	
46	1511		D Co 26 closed LZ LARAMIE.	J,S,BDE	AS	
47	1529		From Bde: There will be a spray mission for LZ MUSTANG today at 1600.	J,S,A	AS	
48	1542		B Co (-) and D Co 16 at coord 853092.	J,S	AS	
49	1624		Report made to Bde that the RRF will be B Co	J,S,BDE	GG	
50	1634		The Caiou Hoi and interpreter have been extracted from B Co location coord 853092.	J,S,BDE	GG	
51	1637		From Bde weather report: Time 131800-132300 clouds 3000 ft scattered, 5000 ft broken vis 7 miles, winds 020° 10-15 knots; time 132300-141100 clouds 7000 ft scattered, winds 040° 5 knots; time 14110-141800 clouds 3000 ft scattered vis 7 miles winds 020° 10-20 knots, rains after 1400.	J,S	AS	
52	1640		VN sandbag detail has been extracted from A Co location LZ MUSTANG.	J,S	AS	
53	1643		B Co 26 snatch ready for extraction coord 877105. Questioned 70 females, 20 males. 30 children w/male detainee age 44.	J,S,BDE	AS	
54	1700		B Co 26 snatch off ground coord 877105.	J,S,BDE	AS	
			26 on ground coord 853092.	J,S	AS	

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56	1715		B Co 26 found at coord 880105 at 1645 a pressure type booby trap (M-79 in wooden frame and blew it in place.	J,S,BDE	GG
57	1725		SPray mission at LZ MUSTANG is complete.	J,S,BDE	GG
58	1744		From Bde: 40th ARVN request boundary change from time 0400-1600 Oct BR 8400 E to 8600 S to 8698 W to 8498 Request 1/8 S3 to clear	J,S	GG
59	1756		D Co 16 off ground coord 853092.	J,S,BDE	AS
60	1801		D Co 16 has closed LZ ENGLISH.	J,S,BDE	AS
61	1807		1/8 S-3 clears box in item #58 for 40th ARVN	J,S,BDE	GG
62	1808		From Bde S3: The box I 1/9 has in 1/8 A0 will not be needed anymore It has now returned to 1/8 control.	J,S	AS
63	1817		A Co reports FRANKENSTEIN.	J,S	AS
64	1819		B Co reports FRANKENSTEIN.	J,S	AS
65	1900		Final Co locations: A Co (-) LZ MUSTANG, A Co 26 LZ TAPE, OP1 746129, OP2 746136, OP3 739120, OP4 742123; B Co (-) 853092, B Co 14A 855085, B Co 26A 851093, B Co 33 858093, B Co 46A 853088; C Co LZ TWO BITS, D Co (-) LZ LARAMIE D Co 16 LZ ENGLISH.	J,S,BDE	AS

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File S2: The detainee picked up by
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66	(CONT)		B Co cordon classified as PW hamlet guerrilla.	J,S	AS
67	1742		Bde S2 submitted following report via BS 866086 there is a cache of 150 kilos TNT also secret caves and holes immediate area w/snipers to guard the cache Plan to move soon have individual who is willing to go on ground and point out the cache Requested individual be at B Co location 0730 14 Oct.	J.S.B	DW
68	1943		Bde S2 reports following: BS 835052 VC med aid station under huts w/strong security number unk will defend. There are patients in aid station at present time Will need light cordon for there are many escape routes Individual (Ref item #67) willing to go on ground and point area out.	J.S.B	DW
69	1958		Intelligence report from Bde: In village of Hoi Nhon on 12 Oct individuals say 200 VC moved from BS 937039 to BS 920082 and BS 926074 believed to be part of B-21 1 platoon is at An Loc BS 897014 Mission is to destroy bridge at An Duong BS 890009.	J,S	AS

Locations: 875966, 876971, 872977.

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70	(CONT)	870968	874987, 875989, 867985, 869970.	J,S	AS
71	2055		Sit Rep/Neg.	J,S,BDE	AS
72	2145		D Co reports they have some movement to the NW of LZ LARAMIE size unknown Recognized by fire.	J,S,BDE	AS
73	2155		Sit Rep/Neg.	J,S,BDE	AS
74	2216		D Co reports they saw movement at coord 790045 Fired illumination and arty neg results movement has stopped.	J,S,BDE	AS
75	2255		Sit Rep/Neg.	J,S,BDE	AS
76	2355		Sit Rep/Neg.	J,S,BDE	AS
77	2358		Detainee picked up by B Co snatch classified UD.	J,S	DW
78	2400		Summary of friendly and enemy casualties and prisoners: A Co had 2 detainees classified as 1 VC and 1 UD.	J,S	DW
79	2400		JOURNAL CLOSED.	J,S	AS

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