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| S-2, S-3 1st Bn 5th Cav | LZ Sharon YD 334495 | HOUR 0001 DATE 12 Mar 68 | HOUR 2400 DATE 12 Mar 68 |

| [illegible] | TIME | | INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC | [illegible] | [illegible] |
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| 1 | 0001 | | JOURNAL OPENED. | | |
| 2 | 0012 | | B Co loc 313501 has an OP to the W of their loc that has spotted 2 ind w/wpns moving towards the perimeter. Arty being called in. | JS, BDE | RW |
| 3 | 0055 | | B Co obs 1 indiv 40m W fr OP vic 316504 crawling had some type of head gear spotted a 2d ind 75m W of OP in the tree line w/wpn, engaged w/arty and mortars & M79. Obs other movement to the SW also engaged w/mortar and arty. Movement has ceased est fr 2-8 indiv. | JS, BDE | SK |
| 4 | 0100 | | SITREP NEG. | JS, BDE | SK |
| 5 | 0130 | | B Co OP closed also 16 and 26 KTm's. | JS | SK |
| 6 | 0200 | | SITREP NEG. | JS, BDE | SK |
| 7 | 0300 | | SITREP NEG. | JS, BDE | SK |
| 8 | 0400 | | SITREP NEG. | JS, BDE | SK |
| 9 | 0500 | | SITREP NEG. | JS, BDE | SK |
| 10 | 0600 | | SITREP NEG. | JS, BDE | SK |
| 11 | 0610 | | A Co KTM's closed w/neg findings. | JS, BDE | SK |
| 12 | 0630 | | D Co OP's closed w/neg findings. | JS, BDE | SK |
| 13 | 0640 | | A 31 moving fr LZ HUCKLEBERRY to secure the trks at A/1-12 loc vic coord YD 359488. | JS | SK |
| 14 | 0658 | | A 32 moving NE fr LZ HUCKLEBERRY. | JS | SK |
| 15 | 0700 | | B 36 moving W to check area of sightings last night vic 316504. | JS | SK |
| 16 | 0703 | | A 31 reached loc of 2 1/2 trks vic 359488 and released A/1-12 16 ele. | JS | SK |
| 17 | 0742 | | 1st light sct tm and B 36 checked vic 316504 w/neg findings. | JS, BDE | SK |
| 18 | 0905 | | A 32 cleared and secured hwy for MS tm. | JS | SK |
| 19 | 0910 | | A 26 moving S on MS mission. | JS | SK |
| 20 | 0915 | | A 25 vic 385489 for hwy scty. | JS | SK |
| 21 | 0926 | | D Co moving SW fr vic 286529. | JS | LS |
| 22 | 0927 | | B Co (-) 12 ele vic 328518; 36 ele vic 317504, remaining moving S. | JS | LS |
| 23 | 0945 | | A 25 vic 385489 complete MS mission. | JS, BDE | LS |
| 24 | 1000 | | Unit loc and SITREP NEG. | JS, BDE | SK |
| 25 | 1001 | | A 16 (-) off gnd & LZ HUCKLEBERRY. | JS, BDE | LS |
| 26 | 1005 | | A 16 (-) vic 359475. LZ green. | JS, BDE | LS |
| 27 | 1007 | | A 36 (-) vic 359481. LZ green. | JS, BDE | LS |
| 28 | 1032 | | B 36 off PZ 317504. | JS, BDE | LS |
| 29 | 1045 | | B 36 vic 289481. LZ green. | JS, BDE | LS |
| 30 | 1110 | | PRU's closed A 16 loc. | JS | LS |
| 31 | 1130 | | B Co has one fm dtn age 25-30 w/documents believed to be names of VC guerrillas & cadre. Kit Carson scts rept fm this band is VC; captured vic 305483. | JS, BDE | LS |
| 32 | 1140 | | B Co has one male dtn age 45-50 in white pj fd | | |

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| 32 | CONT | | hiding in a hole vic 305483. Ind had old ID card but suspicious. He says 4 VC were in ville 1 wk ago but have not been seen since. (Ref 31) fm VOS says her husband left the ville 1 month ago and has not heard fr him since. | JS,BDE | SK |
| 33 | 1200 | | Unit loc and SITREP NEG. | JS,BDE | LS |
| 34 | 1200 | | (Ref 31) B Co vic 305483 has extracted the fm dtn. | JS | JH |
| 35 | 1335 | | (Ref 32) B Co turned this dtn loose because he had been pu by 1/12 2 Mar 68. | JS,BDE | RW |
| 36 | 1415 | | The PRU's and one fm dtn (age 27 wearing blue blouse and blk pj who states her husband is NVA) are ready for extraction @ A 36 loc 357481. The PRU's searched 20 hootches and questioned 12 people w/neg findings. | JS,BDE | JH |
| 37 | 1430 | | Fr Bde: 2 PRU's amb loc: YD 359515 and 357513. | JS,A | JH |
| 38 | 1435 | | Fr Bde: No-Fire Box for PRU's: 3552-365520-3551-365510. | JS,A | JH |
| 39 | 1530 | | A Co repts that their 31 closed LZ HUCKLEBERRY with the 2 1/2 ton trk that had turned over. | JS,BDE | RW |
| 40 | 1600 | | Unit loc given. | JS,BDE | RW |
| 41 | 1601 | | Bde rept the dtn sent in by A Co was IC. | JS | RW |
| 42 | 1605 | | Bde rept the dtn sent in by B Co was CD wife of VC. | JS | RW |
| 43 | 1617 | | B Co 1st ele off PZ vic 292482 enroute LZ BETTY. | JS,BDE | JH |
| 44 | 1620 | | B Co 1st ele on LZ BETTY. | JS,BDE | JH |
| 45 | 1622 | | B Co final ele off PZ vic 292482. | JS,BDE | JH |
| 46 | 1625 | | B Co final ele on LZ SH ROM. | JS,BDE | JH |
| 47 | 1640 | | New PO change sent to Co's. | JS | JH |
| 48 | 1750 | | A Co repts that a convoy vic 385495 rec 3 sniper rds w/neg casualties and arty being called in. | JS,BDE | RW |
| 49 | 1800 | | Anti malaria steps taken. | JS | JH |
| 50 | 1905 | | Final loc: A Co LZ HUCKLEBERRY, 23 382489, 22 & 24 KTm's 3550-3750-3548-3748; B CoLZ BETTY OPCON 1/12; C Co 328509, 11 328519, 2 OP's 326513 & 325507; D Co 274529, 3 OP's N,E,W 100m. PDS: A Co 114 Enl, 5 Off, 8 Att; B Co 116-5-6; C Co 119-4-8; D Co 115-3-10; HHC 124-13. | JS,BDE | JH |
| 51 | 1955 | | SITREP NEG. | JS,BDE | JH |
| 52 | 2055 | | SITREP NEG. | JS,BDE | JH |
| 53 | 2130 | | Fr Bde S3: PF will enter 1/8 AO @ YD 327520 and move N between stream bed and hwy to the USMC/1-8 boundary and back tomorrow 130700 - 131800 Mar 68. Cleared by S3 Off, Maj Burba. | JS,C | JH |
| 54 | 2155 | | SITREP NEG. | JS,BDE | JH |
| 55 | 2255 | | SITREP NEG. | JS,BDE | JH |
| 56 | 2355 | | SITREP NEG. | JS,BDE | JH |
| 57 | 2400 | | Summary of friendly and enemy casualties and prisoners: A Co had one dtn classified IC. | | |

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| 57<br>58 | CONT<br>2400 | | B Co had one dtn classified CD.<br>JOURNAL CLOSED. | JS | DW |

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