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				HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
				0001	1 May 67	2400	1 May 67
1	0001		JOURNAL OPENED			J,S	PS
2	0001		Changed 1/8 command freq to (59.10) loud & clear contact with A,B,C,D Cos. have neg contact with B 2/8 and Special Forces.			J,S,COMMO	PS
3	0003		Changed Div Freq to 54.10) have neg contact with division.			J,S,COMMO	PS
4	0005		Gained contact with Vinh Thanh Special Forces.			J,S,COMMO	PS
5	0009		Gained contact with Div loud and Clear.			J,S,COMMO	PS
6	0015		Lost contact with C Co using C Co 36 ele as a relay on C Co Freq.			J,S,COMMO	PS
7	0028		Gained contact B Co 2/8 loud and clear .			J,S,COMMO	PS
8	0045		Have loud and clear commo w/all elements except C Co. C Co 2/8 is acting as a relay on t the command freq.			J,S,COMMO	PS
9	0050		Gave new points of origin to all elements.			J,S,All Cos	PS
10	0100		Sit Rep/Neg			J,S	JF
11	0200		Sit Rep/Neg (-) B Co 1/8 neg commo.			J,S,S-3	JF
12	0300		Sit Rep/Neg (-) B Co neg commo.			J,S	JF
13	0400		Sit Rep/Neg (-) B Co neg commo.			J,S	JF
14	0420		C Co report that they had requested a recon by fire mission for 2/17th A Btry towever refused After checking though arty channels they say that they saw no need to fire arty in the area				

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14	(CONT)		when they have clearance to fire mortars and M-79's for H&I's, An in case of emergency they have 2500 rds to aid them.	J,S,C CO	JF
15	0440		Regained commo w/B Co sit rep/ neg	J,S	JF
16	0500		Sit Rep/Neg (-) B Co 1/8 neg commo.	J,S	JF
17	0510		Regain commo w/B Co	J,S	JF
18	0600		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S	BC
19	0715		DTOC: Requested to know, did any of our elements fire mortars in vicinity of coords 476463. A Co reports last rd fired at 0300. B Co 1/8 reports last rd fired at 0100. The rest of the ele do not have mortar tubes (-) C Co who did not fire.	J,S,DTOC	JF
20	0735		DTOC: (ref item 19) The explosion was later discovered as a C-ration can in the fire.	J,S,ARTY	JF
21	0750		Scout Tm in area for first light recon checked Hwy 19 with neg sightings now checking Z-7 ring.	J,S	BC
22	1810		Scout Tm in area has checked Hwy 19 west negative sightings and Z-7-5-6 rings negative findings.	J,S	BC
23	1855		B Co 36 ele is now QRF if 1/8 and A Co 16 is departing.	JS,DIV	RA

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24	0940		A Co LRRP C-3 will be extracted at 1100 hrs today.	J,S	RA		
25	0930		Wrecker dispatched to CP 96 to bring in downed 2½ ton truck belonging to 1/8 S-4.	J,S	BC		
26	1030		Wrecker enroute to this with 2½ truck ref 25.	J,S	BC		
27	1039		At CP 89 C Co reports 1-2½ with a flat tire proper tools have been dispatched to this area.	J,S	BC		
28	1040		D Co reports 2½ truck slid down an embankment at garbage dump due to faulty brakes.	J,S	RA		
29	1143		Div Message: Div briefing scheduled for 1300 hrs has been cancelled notify senior officer of your unit at An Khe.	J,S-3	RA		
30	1120	(DE)	A Co C-3(LRRP) has been extracted.	J,S	BC		
31	1210		C Co request Scout Tm to check area out 200 meters due north of CP 96, D Co 16 ele reported that a woman had seen two men in the bushes at this location. Neg assessment at this time.	J,S	BC		
32	1215		(Ref # 21) 2½ with flat tire tire is fixed vehicle is back on the hwy.	J,S	BC		
33	1310		Scout Tm has checked area around CP 96 w/ neg results.	J	EK		
34	1510		From Cpt Tatro at Div: At 1600 hrs at the Div briefing room the ADC-B will issue a warning				

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34	(CONT)		order concerning the change in defense of Camp Radcliff tomorrow night. The BN CO is invited and the S-3 or senior officer should attend.	J,S	CWC	
35	1730		Scout Tm in AO for last light recon.	J	CWC	
36	1800		B Co 47 ele requested an EOD Tm coords 493502 for 4 dud HE mortar rds.	J	EK	
37	1815		EOD Tm will report to Mustang Pad at 0900 hrs in the morning.	J,B Co	EK	
38	1820	(DE)	Informed A& D Cos CO of a meeting at 1800 hrs in Bn Briefing Room also informed B Co CO the switch w/A Co has been cancelled.	J	EK	
39	1830		Scout Tm checked A-7 w/neg results departing area at this time.	J	EK	
40	1830		At 0800 on 2 May 67 B Co 36 ele will change missions and 16 will become GRF.	J,S	EK	
41	1910		Engr entered the net (Rock Crickets 561).	J	EK	
42	1915		Div LRRP on gr und coords 416340 w/neg cont.	J	EK	
43	1930		Vinh Thanh Special Forces people request clearance for proposed operations at following location from 560730 to 570660 to 630660 to 630730 request this be cleared for time from 051500 to 140800 May.			

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44	1932		A Co at gate 18 tower 42 picked up 2 GIs coming through the perimeter after a truck ran over some concertina wire departing the perimeter notified the MPs.	J,S,MPs	PS		
45	2105		(Ref item 43) Grid cleared by Div (Maj Mayer) with our chance (chance grid 570660 to 560660) change excepted by Vinh Thanh Special Forces.	J,S,DIV,SEC	PS		
46	2120		MP's have taken away 2 GIs detained by A Co (Ref item 44).	J,S	PS		
47	2200		Sit Rep/Neg	J	EK		
48	2300		Sit Rep/Neg	J	EK		
49	2345		C Co receiving override from an element unknown further check found the element to be C Co 1/5th Cav who has been assigned the same freq as C Co 1/8 notified the change to 1/8 primary freq till first light when arrangement can be made for a new freq with Div.	J,S,COMMO	PS		
50	2400		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S	PS		
51	2400		JOURNAL CLOSED				

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