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1	0001		JOURNAL OPENED	J	EB		
2	0010		A Co meu-evac completed.	J,S	EB		
3	0035		A Co saw one light to the east and heard move-				
			ment of LZ SANDRA.	J,S,BDE	EB		
4	0100		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S,BDE	AS		
5	0200		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S,BDE	AS		
6	0300		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S,BDE	AS		
7	0400		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S,BDE	AS		
8	0500		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S,BDE	AS		
9	0600		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S,BDE	AS		
10	0601		B Co 16 moving to the north to check out area				
			where they had the contact coord 748032.	J,S,BDE	EB		
11	0603		A Co 26 back in the perimeter.	J,S	EB		
12	0613		D Co OP-1 has returned to LZ WILLIE.	J,S	AS		
13	0613		A Co 16 ele off LZ SANDRA at this time.	J,S,BDE	AS		
14	0620		1/9 Sct Tm in AO general recon at this time.	J,S	JC		
15	0636		A Co 16 on ground coord 742145, sit neg at				
			this time.	J,S,BDE	AS		
16	0630		D Co 21 ele in perimeter of LZ LARAMIE at				
			this time.	J,S	JJ		
17	0631		A Co OP's have returned to LZ SANDRA.	J,S	AS		
18	0650		1/9 Sct Tm working with B Co.	J,S	JJ		
19	0654		D Co 21 ele in neg contact. D Co 11 closed				

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19	(CONT)		LZ WILLIE neg contact.	J, S, BDE	JJ
20	0655		1/9 Sgt w/D Co left AO going west neg sightings also requested Montagnard box neg results.	J, S	JJ
21	0705		C Co 36 in neg findings at this time..	J, S, BDE	JJ
22	0720		K-9 reports, 1 dog handler hospital, 2 tms 2/8, 2 tms 2/12, 1 tm 1/8 Cav, 3 dogs medical hold.	J, S, BDE	JJ
23	0730		B Co 21 ele in neg findings.	J, B, BBH	JJ
24	0732		B Co requests 1 hook for 3 ext & 1 int loads at 1030 hrs coord 769001 will be LZ, coord 750008 P4.	J, S, BDE	JJ
25	0740		D Co informed to place 2 plts on standby	J, S, BDE	JJ
26	0740		D Co CP 1 out coords 782958 CP-3 out coord 785956 at this time.	J, S, BDE	J
27	0743		A Co informed 1 plt on RRF.	J, S, A Co	DW
28	0750		B Co 16 ele coord 750038 at this time.	J, S	JJ
29	0808		Read back from Bde on 10 Montagnard they are classified as refugees.	J, S	DW
30	0830		Bde advise 2 175mm guns vic 843952 will enter our AP approx 0900.	J, S	DW
31	0840		B Co reports 16 ele still check vic 748032 neg results at this time.	J, S, BDE	DW
32	0850		Bn 3 - alert A Co for 20 people w/1 officer		

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3450	(CONT)		and radio on Bn command net to be lifted 0930 vic 730224 to secure area for CH-47 load of Montagnard.	J,S,A Co	DW
35	0915		1/9 received permission to insert Blues vic 7617 to check out secondary explosion and SA fire on Air strike LZ DIME. 1000 on Blues vic 765175.	J,S,S-3	DW
36	0928		Bde S-3 Air advised that 4 UH-1Ds and Hook should go at the same time. PZ time 0950.	J,S,S-3	DW
37	0948		A 26 ele off LZ SANDRA at this time.	J,S,BDE	DW
38	0958		A 26 ele on ground condition green vic 730174.	J,S,BDE	DW
39	1003		CH-47 airborne w/94 Montagnard enroute to Bde.	J,S,BDE	DW
40	1004		1/9 Blues on ground vic 753171 moving NE.	J,S	DW
41	1009		A 26 ele off ground enroute to Sandra.	J,S,BDE	DW
42	1015		A Co 26 ele on ground at LZ SANDRA at this time.	J,S,BDE	RA
43	1024		A&B Co neg contact with enemy.	J,S	DW
44	1025		A 16 ele reports neg Montagnard in area at this time.	J,S	DW
45	1043		C Co 46 coord 733016 found caves hold about 15 people, neg findings with in caves.	J,S,BDE	DW
46	1105		B Co 36 found coord 749999 1 bag documents map of north & south Vietnam showing Dinh Binh Phu also some operation documents.		

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46	(CONT)		These were by a stream in a crotch; also coord 749002 found 2 caves, 1 recently used & can hold 2 per, the other is believed to be booby trapped checking at this time details will follow.	J,S,BDE	AS
47	1135	(DE)	The 2 175mm arty pieces are in 1/8 AO in vic of LZ WILLIE.	J,S,BDE	AS
48	1201		B Co requests med-evac for 1 E ¹² with torn ligaments.	J,S	JB
49	1207		A Co 16 ele reports neg Montagnards at this time.	J,S	JB
50	1215		From Bde S-2: So far from the Montagnards they state 100 nve working in out of a area in the vic coords 752168. Also reports of rice caches being moved do not where from or where to as of yet.	J,S	BC
51	1215		C Co 46 ele closed CP.	J,S	JB
52	1218		C Co 16 ele reports finding some large caves at coord 734027. Details will follow.	J,S	JB
53	12225		B Co reports med-evac completed.	J,S	JB
54	1258		(Ref to 47) B Co the cave had a board across the entrance. There was a 155mm round tied to the board with wire. The rd had neg trip		

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54	(CONT)		wires attached to it. 36 ele after inspection of round decided to destroy it. It was destroyed by tank fire.	J,S,BDE	JB
56	1316		Request final extraction of A Co 16 ele to Bde.	J,S,BDE	BC
57	1350		A Co 16 ele contacted us and they have 3 Montagnards at this time also 4 to 10 more to the north and A Co 16 is trying to get the Montagnard to come to them at this time.	J,S	JB
58	1855		From Bde: Curfews for HOAI-NON, HOAI-AN, PHUM districts time 1900 hrs to 0600 hrs, exception BONG SON city curfews hrs 2200 hrs to 0500.	J,S	BC
59	1450		C Co 16 & 26 ele closed CP.	J,S	JB
60	1540		8th Engr working with B Co destroyed 75 buners 42 Huts, 2200 m trench filled in 3 D-7 worked 10 hrs.	J,S,BDE	BC
61	1545		A Ci 16 ele informed their extraction time has been changed advise them when we know time.	J,S,BDE	JB
62	1548		Sit Rep concerning dog tms, 1 man in hospital 2 dog tm ith 2/8, 2 tms w/2/12, 1 dog tm w/ 1/8.	J,S	JB
63	1558		B Co 16 & 36 with B Co CP.	J,S	JB

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63	1559		C Co reports demolitions tm has blown neg bunkers bombs.	J,S	BC	
64	1600		1/9 Trps extracted neg findings.	J,S	JB	
65 65	1615		A Co 16 ele closed LZ SANDRA.	J,S,BDE	BC	
66	1622		C Co 26 ele moving north.	J,S	BC	
67	1822		Last light recon in our AO. 1 red tm working in NE & 2 suspected CP's to check out.	J,S	JB	
68	1828		CP-1 & CP-3 of D Co 16 have closed LZ WILLIE.	J,S,BDE	BC	
69	1830		B Co 36 ele reports. found in cave at coords 746001, 1 combat pack US type, inside pack was clothing, pain pills, iodine, unkn pink pills, and some French medicine, and with the pack was 49,850 N Vietnamese Dong.	J,S,BDE	JB	
70	1840		Anti-malaria measures have been taken by all ele.	J,S	JB	
71	1841		Contact comme made with C Co 16 ele C Co moving at this time.	J,S	BC	
72	1853		C Co reports CP complete at coord 735023. Also OP-1 at coords 732023 in place at this time.	J,S	JB	
73	1915		1/9 Sot Tm reports they checked out both CP's at coord 731257 & 721247 at coords 721247 they found 2 bunkers they were old, but had been cleaned up and used within			

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73	(CONT)		the last 12 hours there were fresh foot prints all around the shaft.	J, S, BDE	JB
74	1948		D Co reports OP-1 moving to position at this time.	J, S	JB
75	2000		Sit Rep/Neg	J, S, BDE	JB
76	20002		Final location of all ele A Co (-) LZ SANDRA all ele with CP. B Co at coords 768002 all other ele with CP. C Co at coords 735023 all other ele with CP. D Co (-) LZ XXXXXXXX LARAMIE, 16 ele LZ WILLIE. OP-1 at coords 787969. OP-2 at coords 792038, 13 ele at coords 798975.	J, S	JB
77	2100		Sit Rep/Neg	J, S, BDE	JB
78	2200		Sit Rep/Neg	J, S, BDE	JB
79	2300		Sit Rep/Neg	J, S, BDE	JB
80	2400		Sit Rep/Neg	J, S, BDE	JB
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