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		0001	11 Nov 67	2400	11 Nov 67

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INL
	IN	OUT			
1	0001		Journal Opened.	J,S	GG
2	0050		Situation Negative.	J,S,BDE	GG
3	0150		Situation Negative.	J,S,BDE	GG
4	0300		Situation Negative.	J,S,BDE	SK
5	0400		Situation Negative.	J,S,BDE	SK
6	0500		Situation Negative.	J,S,BDE	SK
7	0600		Situation Negative.	J,S,BDE	SK
8	0640		C Co killer Tm has returned to GERONIMO w/neg findings.	J,BDE	SK
9	0645		D Co OP's and ambush have returned w/neg findings.	J,S,BDE	SK
10	0646		LRAP 36 inserted coord 836158.	J,S	SK
11	0715		B Co OP's and ambush have returned w/neg findings vic 830048 16A find a large pool of blood that indicated 1 VC KIA There were numerous other tracks and evidence where the body had been dragged away to the N.	J,S,BDE	SK
12	0830		C Co 26 snatch off LZ GERONIMO enroute 8209204.	J,S,BDE	JC
13	0832		C Co 1/50 has closed 14 BOY.	J,S,BDE	JC
14	0850		C Co 26 on gnd vic 829204 LZ green.	J,S,BDE	SK
15	0855		B Co 26 at 834053 find one butterfly bomb booby trapped Has been blown.	J,S,BDE	JC
			D Co movin. NW from 957996.	J,S	JC

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17

0937

Med Cap tm at LZ GERONIMO treated 35 VN w/ various ailments.

J,S,BDE

SK

18

0938

C Co 1/50 repts having trouble making the time set by 1/8 S3 due to heavy traffic and muddy roads.

J,S,S3

JC

19

0945

C Co 26 at 829204 repts completed mission and request extraction.

J,S,BDE

JC

20

0955

D Co at 949000 request NP.

J,S,BDE

JC

21

1009

A Co off ENGLISH enroute vic 910136 swooper snatch.

J,S,BDE

JC

22

1012

A Co on gnd 910136 LZ green.

J,S,BDE

JC

23

1020

B Co 26 at 835055 request EDD tm to blow a 155 dud rd.

J,S,BDE

JC

24

1027

C Co 36 leaving GERONIMO perimeter to the W.

J,S,BDE

SK

25

1030

C Co 26 has been extracted from coord 829204 enroute to GERONIMO.

J,S,BDE

SK

26

1034

C Co 26 on gnd at GERONIMO.

J,S,BDE

SK

27

1038

NFFF arrived at A Co loc 897136.

J,S,BDE

SK

28

1120

1/8 CC is dropping into the valley to pick up 1 detainee at coord 869146 wearing green shirt khaki shorts age 38 neg wpn.

J,S

SK

29

1122

LRFP 26 vic 837198 Situation Negative.

J,S,BDE

SK

30

1150

1st load of NFFF at D Co loc 949000.

J,S,BDE

SK

all of NFFF at D Co loc 949000.

J,S,BDE

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32	1205		A Co repts that so far they have 17 males, 49 females and 31 children all have been interrogated and classified as IO.	J,S,S3	GG
33	1215		LRRP 36 coord 835154 rept neg findings.	J,S,BDE	AS
34	1217		B Co 26 rec EOD tm coord 835055.	J,S,BDE	AS
35	1230		EOD tm at B Co 26 ready for extraction.	J,S,BDE	GG
36	1237		The convoy moving through 1st Bde AO.	J,S	AS
37	1243		The NPFF at A Co loc 892136 ready for extraction neg detainees.	J,S,BDE	AS
38	1244		The NPFF at A Co loc 897136 ready for extraction.	J,SBDE	GG
39	1250		C Co 30 coord 874173 have 2 mil age males 1 has detainee card Will bring to GERONIMO.	J,S,BDE	AS
40	1305		From Bde: 1/9 sct tm coord 922010 spotted 2 indiv w/pistol belt and grenades 1 tried to hit sct bird w/grenade Engaged results 2 VC KIA.	J,S,D	AS
41	1310		From Bde: A hamlet chief told engr on brg 80 that there are 15 VC in his hamlet coord 888068.	J,S	AS
42	1313		NPFF have been extracted from A Co loc 897136 w/1 detainee.	J,S,BDE	AS
43	1325		when the NPFF were extracted from A Co they had 1 male detainee age 40 w/white pj.	J,S,BDE	GG
44	1400		D Co repts that the NPFF 949000 are ready for extraction Interrogated 23 females, 1 male,		

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44	(CONT)		have 1 female detainee age 49 w/blk pj is a rice collector and states that at 0400 this date 10 VC w/wpns passed through village.	J,S,BDE	GG
45	1410		From bde: The 1/9 Blues will be inserted at 905915 A Co 1/8 will be the RRF is needed.	J,S	AS
46	1415		NFFF at D Co loc 949000 have been extracted.	J,S,BDE	AS
47	1420		B Co 16 lifted off PZ coord 831048 enroute to LZ ENGLISH.	J,S,BDE	AS
48	1421		C Co 1/50 has returned to LZ ENGLISH.	J,S,BDE	AS
49	1430		C Co 36 has closed LZ GERONIMO Also B Co 26 and BOD tm off PZ 831048 enroute ENGLISH.	J,S,BDE	AS
50	1437		B Co 46 off Pz 831048 enroute LZ ENGLISH.	J,S,BDE	GG
51	1438		Request medevac for 1 M of LRRP w/fever.	J,S	AS
52	1500		All of NFFF out of D Co loc 949000.	J,S,BDE	GG
53	1505		1/9 blues will be inserted to cover the insertion of an arty listening device at coord 833112 at approx 1530 hrs.	J,S	GG
54	1506		B Co complete off PZ 831048 enroute to ENGLISH.	J,S,BDE	GG
55	1512		All B Co on LZ ENGLISH.	J,S,BDE	GG
56	1513		LRRP 26 at 836203 Sit Rept Neg.	J,S,BDE	GG
57	1533		LRRP 36 at 835154 Sit Rept Neg.	J,S,BDE	GG
58	1535		C Co request clearance for killer tm box		
			8717 - 8917 - 8716 - 8916 Time 111800 - 120600.	J,S,BDE,2/19	GG

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59

1603

1/9 Blues have been extracted and 1/8 relieved of RRF.

J,S

GG

60

1605

A Co request permission to send a sct tm to coord 890143 to check if the water level is low enough to cross Permission granted through Bde S3 at 1611 hrs.

J,S,A

JF

61

1625

1/9 blues inserted 840108 neg contact B Co RRF.

J,S

GG

62

1650

D Co coord 955000 find 4x60mm mortar rds while digging a foxhole still armed but old will destroy in place.

J,S,BDE

AS

63

1651

From Bde: Info on 11 Nov morning classified F-6 (1) NVA bn in villages Hoai Dao, Hoai Chau and Hoai Son (2) 2 NVA Co's between 883148 and 895138 believed to attack Hill #10 892133 tonight (3) NVA bn moved from Thien Chanh to Truong Lam (4) Plat district force rec rice at Truong Xuan and moved to mts 1 sqd w/inf at Truong Xuan (5) platoon district force rec rice and money from Tan Thanh moved to N side of stream 878083 (6) NVA bn moved from 882148 to 885105 to attack Tan Quan in future.

J,S

GG

A Co has left ARVN AO and loc 884142.

J,S,BDE

GG

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65	1730		Bde S2: Readout on detainees; A Co had IC; D Co had (C) woman states 10 NVA passed through hamlet last night w/wpns and packs; CC 1/8 had IC.	J,S	JF
66	1733		C Co: The 2 detainees picked up by 36 were released because they were employed and attended med call daily at LZ GERONIMO.	J,S,BDE	JF
67	1745		A Co 1/9 extracted from 841108 1/8 relieved of RRF.	J,S	GG
68	1755		C Co 1/50 in psn on brgs.	J,S,BDE	AS
69	1800		All stations ack B E N C A S E Y.	J,S	AS
70	1850		D Co request medevac for BM w/fever.	J,S	AS
71	1900		All units rept G O P H E R.	J,S	AS
72	1910		D Co medevac complete.	J,S	AS
73	1910		A Co has a no fire box 8715-8716-8815-8816 effective 111800 to 120600.	J,S	AS
74	1918		From sde: PR loc: 874987, 887987, 875988.	J,S	AS
75	1955		Situation Negative.	J,S,BDE	AS
76	2020		Bde S3: Starting tomorrow until an indefinite time the max amt of RRF birds that will be allow is 5 + 2 This does not included the fact that OH-47's can not be requested plus but for planning purposes only.	J,S	JF

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77	2030		D Co coord 947003 repts their killer tm has 1 VC KIA he was moving east along a trail was wounded and went into a bunker and threw a grenade out killer tm threw 1 in resulting in 1 VC KIA.	J,S,BDE	AS
78	2045		D Co killer tm repts another VC KIA.	J,S,BDE	AS
79	2055		D Co (-) coord 955000 repts they saw 2 indiv moving 75 meters to the S took them under fire one ran neg assessment now.	J,S,BDE	AS
80	2100		Situation Negative.	J,S,BDE	AS
81	2105		From Bde: 40 ARVN intel rept states 22d NVA Regt Bn CP w/300 troops loc in area 930055 to 923050 to 930040 to 938040 and 1 Co loc 880140, Co loc 853073, Co loc 922075 Rated F-6.	J,S	AS
82	2155		C Co 1/50 at bng 88 repts they spotted movement unk size to W fired mortars neg assessment.	J,S,BDE	AS
83	2156		Situation Negative.	J,S,BDE	AS
84	2215		D Co killer tm repts 4 VC detainees will bring in at first light w/all info.	J,S,BDE	AS
85	2255		Situation Negative.	J,S,BDE	AS
86	2315		Final Co loc: A Co (-) 873148, 26 ambush 876146, 25 871147, 31A 872149; B Co ENGLISH;		

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