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				0001	21 Dec	2400	21 Dec 66
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INL		
	IN	OUT					
1	0001		JOURNAL OPENED	J	EVK		
2	0100		Sit Rep to Bde: Neg	J,S,Bde	PRS		
3	0200		Sit Rep to Bde: Neg	J,S,Bde	PRS		
4	0300		Sit Rep to Bde: Neg	J,S,Bde	PRS		
5	0400		Sit Rep to Bde: Neg	J,S,Bde	PRS		
6	0500		Sit Rep to Bde: Neg	J,S,Bde	JAP		
7	0600		Sit Rep to Bde: Neg	J,S,Bde	JAP		
8	0653		Scout team is in our AO at this time. S3 gave				
			then a mission.	J,S,S3	JAP		
9	0730		Scout Tm reports at coords 7965. We have a valley				
			with a trail running to the north. It has				
			been heavily travelled in the past 24 hrs				
			also at coords 7464 have a heavily traveled trail	J,S,S3	PRS		
10	0730		D Co CO reports his 26 ele killed one V Cat				
			coords 787614 he had one us carbine SN M-1				
			5598867 he was wearing Blk PJs and was carrying				
			a pack with clothing. He was believed to be alone				
			he was moving east to west tle of action.	J,S,S2,Bde	PRS		
11	0804		Bde CO arrived at this location at this time.	J,S	JAP		
12	0820		Bde S3 was informed of A Co operations for				
			today.	J,Bde	JAP		
13	0830		B Co 1st ele closed LZ Gavin at thistime.	J,Bde	JAP		
14	0835		Further report from D Co on Journal no 10				

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14	(CONT)		the man seems to be a mortar man he had some paper in a pack contain three gray pants shirts small amount of medical supply papers showing VC beening from Phu Cat. He was from section 18 D and papers gave notes of meeting 20 Nov at Phu Cat.	J, S, Bde	JAP		
15	1850		B Co 4-6 ele closed LZ Gavin at this time.	J, Bde	JAP		
16	1900		D Co ele is running local patrols to find better ambush sites.	J, S	JAP		
17	1905	(DE)	B Co 16 ele is conducting local patrols around LZ Gavin.	J, S	JAP		
18	0935		D Co 6 reports (Ref item 10) name of individual is Thai Van-Phuoc. His father name Thai Nghia (cha). He lived in the village of Long-Hou in the Province of Phu Cat. He received his mail in Long-Hou village. He was carrying training manuals.	J, S2, Bde	PRS		
19	0940		LR 35 located at coords 766593. Reason beening from moving is that observation was very bad unless they was right own their objectives there was some traps but very light. They was to close to see who they were.	J, S, S2	JAP		
20	1001		A Co 1st le landed LZ Sink w/neg contact.	J, Bde	JAP		

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21	1009		A Co 2nd ele set down on LZ Sink w/neg contact.	J,S,Bde	PRS		
22	1016		A Co all ele closed LZ Sink at this time.	J,S,Bde	JAP		
23	1027		LRP 76 landed at LZ Ridgeway at this time.				
			with negative contact. Is proceeding to				
			destination.	J,S,Bde	PRS		
24	1032		LRP 16 arrived this location at this time.	J,S,Bde	PRS		
25	1035		Location for D Co 26 coords 788618; 36 and 32				
			coords 781617.	J,S,Bde	PRS		
26	1037		B Co 16 ele returned LZ Gavin at 1030.	J,S	PRS		
27	1050		Spot Report LRP 72 at 0730. They came through				
			the area going east found a trail and later came				
			back through the same location and found same foot prints				
			that wasn't there before. They are setting up on				
			this trail a coords of 762686. These foot				
			prints are believed to be VC.	J,S,S2	JAP		
28	1104		Scout Team is now working in D Co AO for about				
			1 hour.	J,S	JAP		
29	1145		Locations for D Co CP at coords 783620; 26 788624;				
			36 785614 and 32 781623.	J,S,Bde	PRS		
30	1147		A Co base located at coords 779647. Going on				
			radio silence at this time.	J,S,Bde	PRS		
31	1205		Scout Team arrived CP at this time.	J,S	PRS		
32	1215		D Co 26, 36, ele returned to their base area.	J,Bde	RA		

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33	1238		To Bde gave all location at thistime.	J,Bde	RA	
34	1335		D Co 32 ele closed with 36-26.	J,S	RA	
35	1410		Recon 76 location 758675.	J,Bde	EVK	
36	1447		A Co 2 ambush patrols came together. Results			
			2 WIA request Med-evac.	J	EVK	
37	1459		A Co 2 ambush pat ols ran together. Results			
			2 WIA request Med-evac.	J	EVK	
38	1455		Recon 35 reports 1 round was fired from Ridge			
			line N of their location believed fired at thier			
			location.	J	EVK	
39	1530		Med-evac evacuated the 1 WIA for A Co the			
			KIA will have to be moved to a PZ.	J	EVK	
40	1620		Sent all unit location to Bde.	J,Bde	EVK	
41	1630		Med-evac of A Co KIA complete at thistime.	J	EVK	
42	1630		D Co 36 ele at coords 787608.	J,Bde	RA	
43	1700		D Co 26 ele coords 781625.	J,Bde	EVK	
44	1800		A Co 1st plat found a brand new Bn size assembly			
			area, they followed fresh tracks and found 35			
			L sharpened bunkers. Arty hit area 2 days ago			
			there is fresh smell of death. A patrol will			
			be set up around area tonight and will search			
			in the morning for bdy's coords 778649.	J,S2,Bde	RA	
45	1810		D Co 25 ele at location coords 784616.	J,Bde	RA	

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