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1st Bn (Abn) Sth Cav				HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
			0001	23 March		2400	23 Mar 67
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INL		
	IN	OUT					
1	0001		JOURNAL OPENED	J	EVK		
2		0100	Sit Rep: Neg	J, Bde	EVK		
3		0200	Sit Rep: Neg	J, Bde	EVK		
4	0220		A Co 36 ele coord 865135 made contact w/4 VC				
			wearing web gear, helmets and wpns walking				
			from the south towards their perimeter tobk				
			the VC under fire and received 20-30 rds				
			of auto and SA fire called in arty they have				
			1 definite VC KIA the remaining 3 VC fled to				
			the south and west. A Co will check area to				
			first light.	J, Bde	EVK		
5		0300	Sit Rep to Bde: Neg	J, Bde	EVK		
6	0315		A Co 16&36 ele observed approx 10 VC moving NE 300 meters				
			to thier front they engaged the individuals				
			and are calling in arty, will check area at				
			first light.	J, Bde	EVK		
7		0400	Sit Rep: Neg	J, Bde	EVK		
8		0500	Sit Rep: Neg	J, Bde	EVK		
9		0600	Sit Rep: Neg	J, Bde	EVK		
10	0810		1st lift of D Co off ground coord 859132;	J	EVK		
11	0815		1st ele of D Co on ground coords 887114 w/				
			neg contact.	J	EVK		
12	0830		D Co closed LZ coord 887114 w/neg contact.	J, Bde	EVK		

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0905

From Bde 83: A Engr sqd will be going into vic coord 854157 at 1000 hrs to destroy the remains of a H-13 that crashed on 20 March.

J, S, A Co

CWC

14

0932

(Ref Item 4) in checking the area A Co 16 ele found a carbine Chinese pistol, fresh blood, and a hat coord 865135 also found some 3 expended SKS ammo and 3 live.

J, Bde

EVK

15

1000

Bde Sgt Tm departing 1/8 AO at this time.

J

EVK

16

1015

(Ref item 14) Serial No of Carbine 5443262 also found 1 pack and one pit helmet and one pair of sandals w/blood.

J, Bde

EVK

17

1047

(Ref Item 14) SN of thycom 54 pistol 661964/1100 1967.

J, Bde

EVK

18

1100

A Co picked up two (2) VCD females, NGUYEN THI DANH, asst of hamlet and NGUYEN THI TRU 30 yrs both will be evac to bde.

J, Bde

JS

19

1157

Engr w/A Co have destroyed 33 bunkers this morning vic coord 865135.

J

EVK

20

1240

A Co found 7 bodies location 865142 (2) and 866137 2-2 dressed in khakis 5 in Blk FJs all killed by SA also found 1 SKS 7057384. 3 bodies were buried two in one hold 2 khaki shirts.

J, Bde

JS

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21	1305		(Ref item 18) A Co sent 2 individuals to Bde on log ship.	J,S,Bde	RA	
22	1330		TOTAL KIAs and bodies found for 1/8 Cav A Co found 6 bodies killed 1 VC also found carbine one AK 47, pistol chinese make and SKS cicomp D Co 2/12 found (11) bodies and 1 82mm base plate D Co 1/5 Cav found 1 body and D Co 1/8 found 2 bodies additional D Co 2/12 found 3 AK-47 Sgt Tm OCA to 1/8 killed 2.	J,S	RA	
23	1455		From Bde PO HONOR and DAVID changed to HONOR to GOAT at Co 9020 DAVID to CATTLE at coords 8000.	J,Bde	BC	
24	1700		Engr with A Co to destroy 66 bunkers 23 Mar 67 using 2,500 lbschargers.	J,S	RA	
25	1845		A Co reports Sgt Dog attached to them takes off from Master unable to get him back at this time.	J	BC	
26	1910		(Ref Item 25) The Bde Sgt Tm search the area to the east for the Sgt Dog w/neg results.	J,Bde	JP	
27	1955		A Co: The Sgt Dog has returned back to its handler.	J,S,Bde	JP	
28		2000	Sit Rep to Bde: Neg	J,S,Bde	JP	
29		2100	Sit Rep to Bde: Neg	J,S,Bde	RA	

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