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| 1  | 0001       |                                  | JOURNAL OPENED  |                   |            | J                 | JF  |
| 2  | 0024       |                                  | 70th Engr has completed mission fo security<br>the down machine at An Khe Pass back to Camp |                   |            |                   |     |
|  |            |                                  | Radcliff.   |                   |            | J, S, DIV         | JF  |
| 3  | 0100       |                                  | Sit Rep/Neg   |                   |            | J, S              | JF  |
| 4  | 0200       |                                  | Sit Rep/Neg   |                   |            | J, S              | JF  |
| 5  | 0300       |                                  | Sit Rep/Neg   |                   |            | J, S              | JF  |
| 6  | 0400       |                                  | Sit Rep/Neg   |                   |            | J, S              | JF  |
| 7  | 0500       |                                  | Sit Rep/Neg   |                   |            | J, S              | EK  |
| 8  | 0600       |                                  | Sit Rep/Neg   |                   |            | J, S              | EK  |
| 9  | 0615       |                                  | Sent new PO to all Cos .  |                   |            | J, All Cos        | EK  |
| 10   | 0610       |                                  | 70th Engr 46 ele left the net at this time.   |                   |            | J, All Cos        | EK  |
| 11   | 0627       |                                  | QRF lefted of coords 418495 at this time.   |                   |            | J                 | EK  |
| 12   | 0629       |                                  | QRF on ground coord 442506.   |                   |            | J                 | EK  |
| 13   | 0630       |                                  | 1st ele of C Co 2/8 off ground at this time.  |                   |            | J                 | EK  |
| 14   | 0630       |                                  | 1st ele of C Co 2/8 on ground at An Khe air-<br>field.                                      |                   |            |                   |     |
| 15   | 0645       |                                  | Alerted QRF to stnad by coords 442506 for<br>possible move and deployment.                  |                   |            | J                 | EK  |
| 16   | 0645       |                                  | Div LRRP No # 3 in contact at this times coorde<br>493677 Receiving grenades SA fire.       |                   |            | J, S, DIV         | EK  |
| 17   | 0650       |                                  | Last ele of C CO 2/8 on ground at An Khe air<br>strip.                                      |                   |            | J                 | EK  |

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|                              | 18   | 0650 | Scout Tm in area for 1st light recon.  |                      |  |                | J             |      | EK      |  |    |
|                              | 19   | 0702 | 1st ele of C Co lifted off to LZ ENGLISH   |                      |  |                | J,S           |      | JF      |  |    |
|                              | 20   | 0706 | Div LRRP Tm 1 numbered approx 15 VC in contact with them. Has 2 WIA's (friendly) in need of Med-evac.                          |                      |  |                |               |      |         |  |    |
|                              | 21   | 21   | 0700   | (DE)                 | 1st ele of C Co 2/8 off ground at An Khe airfield. |                |               |      | J,S,DIV |  | JF |
|                              | 22   | 0705 | DIV LRRP Tm 1 reports that they have 4 WIA (2 critically) of the 6 man Tm.   |                      |  |                | J,S           |      | PRS     |  |    |
|                              | 23   | 0710 | Scout Tm departing 1/8th AO.   |                      |  |                | J,S           |      | PS      |  |    |
|                              | 24   | 0714 | C 2/8 2nd lift departing An Khe at this time.  |                      |  |                | J,S,DTOC      |      | PS      |  |    |
|                              | 25   | 0715 | Div LRRP CO r ports that Tm 1 is not receiving fire at this time contact has been broken.                                      |                      |  |                | J,S,DTOC      |      | PS      |  |    |
|                              | 26   | 0730 | Requested Med-evac w/hoist for LRRP # 1 (DIV)  |                      |  |                | J,S Med-evac  |      | PS      |  |    |
|                              | 27   | 0735 | Div LRRP requested an ele from 1/8th to assist in evac of wounded Bn S-3 notified QRF to standby for move. <del>INRAGXMK</del> |                      |  |                | J,S,DTOC,D 56 |      | PS      |  |    |
|                              | 28   | 0740 | Med-evac in bound to LRRP w/hoist.   |                      |  |                | J,S,DIVLRRP   |      | PS      |  |    |
|                              | 29   | 0753 | Div LRRP Tm 1 has been extracted at this time QRF move cancelled.  |                      |  |                | J,S,DTOC      |      | EK      |  |    |
|                              | 30   | 0735 | 1st ele of B Co 2/8 at An Khe airfield.  |                      |  |                | J             |      | EK      |  |    |
|                              | 31   | 0805 | Alloy extracting Tm 2 is out of fuel coords 490600 1/8 will deploy QRF to secure the   |                      |  |                |               |      |         |  |    |

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| 31   | (CONT)         | downed acft.   |                                     |                   |            | J                 | EK           |    |
| 32   | 0845           | QRF lifting off at this time for coorads 490<br>600 to secure downed acft.   |                                     |                   |            | J                 | EK           |    |
| 33   | 0850           | QRF on ground coorads 490600 w/neg contact.  |                                     |                   |            | J                 | EK           |    |
| 34   | 0920           | All Co Co 2/8 ele have cleared An Khe at this<br>time.   |                                     |                   |            | J                 | EK           |    |
| 36   | 0920           | D Co 36 QRF extracted from PZ coorads 490600<br>at this time.  |                                     |                   |            | J                 | EK           |    |
| 37   | 0925           | D Co 36 QRF closed Mustang Pad at this time.   |                                     |                   |            | J                 | EK           |    |
| 38   | 0915           | (DE)   | Downed acft extracted at this time. |                   |            |                   | J            | EK |
| 39   | 1020           | A Co B Co 2/8 ele have closed An Khe airfield.   |                                     |                   |            | J, DIV            | EK           |    |
| 40   | 1155           | B Co Med-evacied individual w/a temp of 103  |                                     |                   |            | J                 | EK           |    |
| 41   | 1215           | B Co's 41 ele has returned to 46 CP.   |                                     |                   |            | J                 | BC           |    |
| 42   | 1517           | From Bn S-3 officer to CO of C Co not required<br>to put a permanent guard on the MI in An Khe<br>although the ele responsible will check this area<br>out at least twice a night. |                                     |                   |            | J, C Co's CO      | BC           |    |
| 43   | 1720           | Scout Tm making last light recon at this time.<br>checking Hwy 19 and coorads 370420.  |                                     |                   |            | J, S              | BC           |    |
| 44   | 7150           | Scout Tm spotted at 370420 2 individuals<br>who ran when tm approached couldn't get to<br>them neg on Hwy.   |                                     |                   |            | J, S              | RA           |    |
| 45   | 1755           | From C Co vehicles count on CP   |                                     |                   |            |                   |              |    |

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| 45   | (CONT)              |                                  | 102 west 204, east 324 CP 70 east 413, west<br>267.   |            |      |              |              |
| 46   | 1830                |                                  | From all companies and CP preventive measures<br>have been taken for malaria.   |            |      | J,S          | RA           |
| 47   | 2000                |                                  | Sit Rep/Neg   |            |      | J,S          | RA           |
| 48   | 2005                | (DE)                             | Div LRRP us at coords 355504 at 1915 hrs sit<br>rep neg.  |            |      | J,S          | RA           |
| 49   | 2005                |                                  | Severe weather warning: Scattered thunder showers<br>in An Khe area w/minimum conditions 1000 ft<br>observed, 1 M visibility moderate thunder and rain<br>and winds variable 15-30 Knots. |            |      | J,S,All Cos  | JH           |
| 50   | 2035                |                                  | The 70th Engr ele is at coords 527472 and<br>will be there for the night,   |            |      | J,S          | RA           |
| 51   | 2040                |                                  | B Co requests Medevac for 1 EM at coords<br>493498 cause bitten several times by cent-<br>ipede.  |            |      | J,S          | RA           |
| 52   | 2100                |                                  | Sit Rep/Neg   |            |      | J,S          | RA           |
| 53   | (DE)                | 2048                             | DTOC initiated tower check this time of tower<br>22.  |            |      | J            | JH           |
| 54   |                     | 2100                             | All tower to check and submit report on con-<br>dition of lights and commo.   |            |      | J,S          | JH           |
| 55   |                     | 2103                             | DTOC: Teat message for towers 11,6,2,36,41<br>43,46,48,49,55,19,18 message is Saint Barbara   |            |      |              |              |

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