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LOCATION

PERIOD COVERED

1st Bn 8th Cav

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FSB BETTY

FROM

TO

HOUR

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0001

03 AUG 70

2400

03 AUG 70

ITEM
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TIME

IN

OUT

INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.

ACTION TAKEN

INITIALS

1.

0001

Bn NCS/Journal: JOURNAL OPENED.

JS

RL

2.

0515

Bde S-3/Bn NCS: Log aircraft 390 due at FSB

Buttons at 0645H. CC aircraft 856 due at FSB

Buttons at 0700H. Weather clear in FSB Buttons.

JS

RL

3.

0600

All Units/Bn NCS: Hourly Situation Reports;

(0100, 0200, 0300, 0400, 0500, 0600H) Negative.

JS

DW

4.

0600

Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Negative Significant Happenings

in Bde AO in the last 12 hours.

JS

RL

5.

0642

Bde S-2/Bn NCS: Arc-light will be going in

at 0730H today (03 Aug 70); all grids-YU 2345,

YU 2445, YU 2442, YU 2342.

JS

RL

6.

0705

Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Sniffer Boxes; #1-2338, 3338,

3333, 2333. 2532, 3532, 3527, 2527. 1535, 2235, 2228,

1528. 1725, 2825, 2820, 1720.

JS

DQ

7.

0740

Bde S-2 NCO Asst/Bn NCS: Night Hawk boxes: #3-

1131, 1631, 1122, 1622. #4- 624, 2224, 2219, 1619. #5-

2226, 2826, 2819, 2219.

JS

DQ

8.

0745

All Units/Bn NCS: Up on the pill (A, B, C, D, E).

Trips and claymores are in at FSB Betty at 0745H.

JS

DW

9.

0800

Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Weekly Sniper Report for period

260001JUL70 to 012400AUG70; Line A - 1/8 Cav.

Line B - 04, Line C - 04. Line D - 04, Line E -

0. Line F - 0.

JS

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10.	0940		Bde S-2 HQ ASST/Bn HQS: FY 0833, heavy YU 350634. FY 0940, heavy YU 322511. FY 0736, med-1st YU 231444. FY 0840, heavy activation YU 515583.	JS		DQ	
11.	1000		Bn HQS/Bde HQS: Current locations; A Co-YU 304290. B Co-YU 253322. C Co-FSB Betty. D Co-YU 267294. E Co-FSB Betty. Recon-YU 249308.	JS		KB	
12.	1130		Bde S-2 HQ/Bn HQS: YU 242489, late morning. YU 131854, late morning 1500 meters.	JS		DQ	
13.	1247		Bash 21/Bn HQS: On station for general VR of area of operations.	JS		KB	
14.	1314		A Co/Bn HQS: YU 315289; found 01 east west 2' wide trail with heavy use in the last 4 days. Trails also showed negative direction of movement because of rain. 01 east west trail that intersect a north east trail and north west trail and south east trail. All trails are about 2' wide with negative recent use.	JS		KB	
15.	1400		Bn HQS/Bde HQS: Current locations; A Co-YU 304290. B Co-YU 251324. C Co-YU FSB Betty. D Co-YU 267294. E Co-FSB Betty. Recon-YU 253310.	JS		KB	
16.	1410		Bde CSM/Bn HQS: 1/8 Cav's Commander will be at meeting Bde OP 1600H, 03 Aug for meeting with Bde CO.	JS		DQ	

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17. 1440

Bn S-2/Bde S-2: VR Request: please send us a
white team for VR on 04 Aug with following priority:

#1-work with A Co. #2-work with B Co and VR hill

mass #372 vicinity YU 242343. #3-VR hill mass vicinity

YU 2528,2526,2728,2726. Sniffer Request is same

as made on 02 Aug.

JS

JD

18. 1445

All Units/Bn NCS: A Co-YU 302290. B Co-YU 252316.

C Co-FSB Betty. D Co-YU 276297. E Co-FSB Betty.

Recon-YU 254313.

JS

DB

19. 1500

Bde NCS/Bn S-3: Request permission to drop CS
in grid YU 341250 on 04 Aug 70. Ranger team being
inserted and will not approve. Would rather have
ranger team in that area.

JS

JD

20. 1505

B Co/Bn NCS: Found 01 north east-southwest 2'
wide trail with heavy use by a possible company
size in last 48 hours. YU 256322 negative direction
of travel due to rain. Sign by trail says bunkers
ahead. Sign freshly put into ground constructed
of bamboo, sign is two days old at the most.
KCS says that it is a suspected ammo point, patrol
found trail which puts it about 300 meters north
west of YU 256322. At 1630H at YU 252326 found
an area that has been dug up either last night or

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20.	1505		Continuation from page 3: this morning, B Co feels it was caches, B Co also found in same area an identical site that has not been dug. B Co will move generally north then set up NDP, and send out local patrol and check out caches the first thing in the morning.	JS	JD
21.	1520		Bn S-2/Bde S-2: Request pink team to work area of B Co trail at YU 256322. Ranger will be inserted as soon as weather permits.	JS	JD
22.	1535		Bde S-2/Bn S-2: Ranger team is cranking to come to FSB Betty for pre-insertion briefing, ETA 10 to 15 minutes. Will be approximately 01 hour before pink team will be able to work area of B Co trail.	JS	JD
23.	1547		Bde S-2/Bn S-2: Pink team bounced for 01 ranger insertion then team will work for 1/8 Cavalry.	JS	JD
24.	1555		^{chem 24.} Bn S-2/Bde 75: Both CS drops have been OK'd, by 1/8 but Bde S-2 must give OK also.	JS	JD
25.	1612		Bde S-3/Bn S-3: A Co-GR to east to vicinity YU 305289. B Co-GR to west to vicinity YU 248321. C Co-FSB Betty. D Co-GR to south to vicinity YU 278285. E Co Recon-GR to northeast to vicinity YU 253312. D Co received log today.	JS	JD

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26.	1640			Bde Chemical Off/Bn S-2: Both CS drops will be postponed indefinitely. Both drops will take place at same time when they are re-scheduled.				JS	JD		
27.	1720			A Co/Bn NCS: YU 305286; water falls very swift current, very rocky, 4' deep, about 75' wide, steps on both sides of river, possible bunker on other side. Steps made of dirt. Also a 1' wide north south trail with negative recent use.				JS	DB		
28.	1825			Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Request relay to commo that 1/8 will be operating on Command alternate push.				JS	JD		
29.	1855			Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Mortar Report; 1. Bds fired; 382/381, 32/32, 2/2.				JS	JD		
30.	1900			All Units/Bn NCS: Night locations; A Co-YU 304289. B Co-YU 252323. C Co-FSB Betty. D Co-YU 281296. E Co-FSB Betty. Recon-YU 255314.				JS	DB		
31.	1930			Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Exposure Report; D Co-1st Bn 8th Cav at 1115H, last sortie at 1530H, started at 1100H. Ended at 1545H, number of sorties-11.				JS	JD		
32.	2020			Bn S-3/Bde S-3: May have new plans for future based upon pink team sightings along river to the west. Suspect movement on river and may intensify recon in area. Will give a further readout later this evening.				JS	JD		

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33.	2035		Bn HCS/Bde HCS: Back up on command (P).	JS	JD
34.	2110		Bn Sig O/Bde S-3 Air: Would like to know if anything was done to get a new lift push.	JS	JD
35.	2200		Bn HCS/Bde HCS: 1/8 Cav is now operating on command alternate frequency 57.55.	JS	DB
36.	2305		Bde S-2/Bn S-2: YU 163552; URS, 700 meters radius--late morning.	JS	JD
37.	2320		Bn S-3/Bde S-3: Final plans for 4 Aug 70; A Co--conduct a ground reconnaissance to the east, then establish NDP in vicinity grid YU 307299. B Co--will conduct a ground reconnaissance to the northeast, then establish NDP in vicinity YU 255330. C Co--base defense at FSB Betty. D Co--will conduct a ground reconnaissance to the north, then establish a NDP in vicinity grid YU 282302. E Co--base defense at FSB Betty. E Co Recon-Conduct ground reconnaissance to the northwest, and establish NDP in vicinity grid YU 258319.	JS	RL
38.	2320		Bn S-3/Bde S-3: Tentative plans for 5 Aug 70; A Co-FE/SEC from vicinity grid YU 307300 to FSB Betty, and assume base defense at FSB Betty. B Co--will conduct a ground reconnaissance to the		

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38.	2320		Continuation from page 6: north at vicinity grid YU 255335. G Co-SEC/GA from FSB Betty to vicinity grid YU 190363, then conduct a ground reconnaissance to the northeast to vicinity YU 193366. D Co- will conduct a ground reconnaissance to the north to vicinity YU 285305. E Co(-)-base defense at FSB Betty. E Co Recon will conduct ground reconnaissance to the north to vicinity grid YU 256321.	JS	RL
39.	2340		Bn S-2/Bde S-2: (A) Request change of Bde Recon zone from current to 18 NS grid line to check river traffic. (B) Request 02 ranger boxes, 02 ranger teams, center mass YU 1224, YU 1530. (C) White team request to work with B Co and then A Co. (D) Request for Map overlay of dead areas for sensors in 1/8 AO.	JS	RL
40.	2359		DAILY SUMMARY: Contact; Negative. Cache; Negative. Air Lifts; Negative. Significant Events; Hunter Killer Team (aircraft) received 05 rounds of small arms fire from vicinity grid YU 103258, Negative hits or damages.	JS	BJ
41.	2400		JOURNAL CLOSED.	JS	RL

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