

By 88 NARA Date 4-17-01

JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG

Form, see AR 220-15; the proponent agency is
Army Chief of Staff for Military Operations.

PAGE NO.

1.

NO. OF PAGES

9.

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

LOCATION

PERIOD COVERED

FROM

TO

HOUR

DATE

HOUR

DATE

1st Bn 8th Cav

CONFIDENTIAL

0001

13 AUG 70

2400

13 AUG 70

ITEM
NO.

TIME

IN

OUT

INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.

ACTION TAKEN

INI-
TIALS

1.

0001

Bde NCS/Bn NCS: JOURNAL OPENED.

JS

MD

2.

0545

Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Negative Significant Happen-
ings in the AO during the night.

JS

MD

3.

0600

All Units/Bn NCS: Hourly Situation Reports;
(0100,0200,0300,0400,0500,0600H), Negative.

JS

DW

4.

0715

Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Log aircraft 368 due to arrive
at FSB Buttons at 0648H, CC 798 also due to
arrive at FSB Buttons at 0648H. Weather clear
with clouds at 3500', storm moving in from the
south.

JS

MD

5.

0746

All Units/Bn NCS: Up on the pill (A,B,C,D,E).
Trips and claymores are in at FSB Betty 0745H.

JS

DW

6.

0748

Bde Chem Off/Bn S-3: CS Drop; YU 303332 to
YU 310332, bunker complex, recent use sometime
this afternoon will drop. Cleared by Bn CO.

JS

DQ

7.

0835

Bde S-2 Asst/Bn NCS: Night Hawk; #3-1330,1930,
1924,1324. #4-1124,1624,1618,1118. #5-2825,
3425,3421,2821.

JS

DQ

8.

0840

Bde S-2 Asst/Bn NCS: Sniffer Boxes; #1-2338,
3338,3333,2333. #2-2532,3532,3527,2527. #4-3529,
4429,4424,3524. #11-1725,2825,2820,1720.

JS

DQ

9.

0910

Bde S-2 Asst/Bn S-3 Air: (1) Ranger Team #7
was unable to be inserted due to bad weather.

TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF OFFICER OR OFFICER IN CHARGE

SIGNATURE

CONFIDENTIAL

DECLASSIFIED

Authority WFO 873541

Reproduced at the National Archives

By 88 NARA Date 4-17-01

IF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG
 is form, see AR 220-15; the proponent agency is
 the Chief of Staff for Military Operations.

PAGE NO.

2

NO. OF PAGES

9

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

LOCATION

PERIOD COVERED

FROM

TO

HOUR

DATE

HOUR

DATE

1st Bn 8th Cav

ESB BETTY

0001

13 AUG 70

2400

13 AUG 70

ITEM
NO.

TIME

IN

OUT

INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.

ACTION TAKEN

INI-
TIALS

9.

0910

Continuation from page 1: As soon as weather breaks,

Bde will try to insert team at that time. (2)

Unable to get another pink team because none

are available at this time. (3) Grids YU 321443

and YU 307450 are acceptable for battlefield

sensors.

JS

DQ

10.

1015

A Co/Bn NCS: YU 313284; A Co OP spotted 01

individual moving southwest to northeast. A Co

engaged individual with small arms. Results

negative return fire from the enemy. Individuals

then invaded to the west. Individual was wearing

a green shirt with negative weapon spotted or head

gear. A Co has sweep area with negative findings.

JS

KB

11.

1100

Bn S-2/Bde S-2 Asst: Recommended Ranger Boxes listed

by priority; (1) 1820, (2) 2125. (2) 2125.

(3) 1232 (4) 1933. (5) 2919, (all grids YU).

JS

DQ

12.

1100

B Co/Bn NCS: YU 263327; B Co has an element

in contact area of yesterday and has found

01 complete bicycle, 02 bicycle forks, 01 bicycle

frame, 01 bridge destroyed by ARA.

JS

KB

13.

1130

B Co/Bn NCS: YU 26332; B Co element which is

checking ut contact area of yesterday (12 Aug)

spotted what looks like cigarette smoke coming

TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY

SIGNATURE

CONFIDENTIALDA FORM 1594
1 NOV 62

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

PPC-Japan

Authority WFO 873541By 88 NARA Date 4-17-01F JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG
form, see AR 220-15; the proponent agency is
by Chief of Staff for Military Operations.

PAGE NO

3

NO OF PAGES

9

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

LOCATION

PERIOD COVERED

CONFIDENTIAL

1st Bn 8th Cav

FSB BETTY

FROM

HOUR

DATE

0001

13 AUG 70

TO

HOUR

DATE

2400

13 AUG 70

ITEM
NO.

TIME

IN

OUT

INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.

ACTION TAKEN

INI-
TIALS

13.

1130

Continuation from page 2: from the bunker.
B Co also spotted O1 individual standing be-
side the bunker. B Co engaged O1 individual on
outside of bunker with small arms and received
fire of AK47 from inside of bunker. Also B Co
threw grenades into this bunker. Artillery is
being employed into area and ARA on station.

JS

KB

14.

1210

Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Current Locations; A Co-YU
315284. B Co-YU 262326 moving to YU 263327
(3rd platoon). C Co-YU 214368 log pad. D Co-
FSB Betty. E Co-FSB Betty. Recon-FSB Betty.

JS

KB

15.

1428

Bn NCS/Bde NCS: VR and Sniffer; VR Request
#1-B Co. #2 - A Co. #3- C Co. Sniffer #1- Same.
#2, #3, #4 all the same.

JS

JD

16.

1435

B Co/Bn NCS: YU 262326; spotted O1 individual
and engaged with small arms with negative return
fire from the individual. Individual evaded
west and northwest wearing black pajamas. Would
like pink team at this time. 1403H, B Co in
contact gain request pink team ASAP, also
request air strike. Air strike ETA 20 to 30
minutes. Pink team inserting ranger team to
our east then pink team coming to B Co.

JS

KB

TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY

SIGNATURE

CONFIDENTIALDA FORM 1594
NOV 62

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

PPC-Japan

Authority NND 873541By 88 NARA Date 4-17-01F JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG
form, see AR 220-15; the proponent agency is
Office of Deputy Chief of Staff for Military Operations.PAGE NO. 4 NO. OF PAGES 9

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

LOCATION

PERIOD COVERED

CONFIDENTIAL

1st Bn 8th Cav

FSB BETTY

FROM		TO	
HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
0001	13 AUG 70	2400	13 AUG 70

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
17.	1439		B Co/Bn NCS: WU 263327; B Co recon and had very heavy movement to their front. Engaged heavy movement at 1403H with negative return fire from the movement. B Co believed there is a very well built bunker complex. At this time B Co is pulling back to put in ARA and an air strike of wall to wall napalm.	JS	KB
18.	1510		Bde S-3/Bn S-3: Rules on engagement; Allegedly an armed helicopter took friendly sampans under fire by mistake. This headquarters wants to re-emphasize the rules of engagement to include proper clearance which must be effected before engaging suspected enemy, especially around populated areas and all areas used by friendly such as rivers and road.	JS	JD
19.	1536		Hider 766/Bn NCS: Work in box #1-YU 2338,3338, 3333,2333. Box #2-YU 2532,3532,3527,2527. Box #1- clear B Co at bottom of box to the south on the outside. Box #2-not clear -A Co is in that box.	JS	KB
20.	1542		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Current location; A Co-YU 315284. B Co-YU 262326. C Co-YU 214368 log pad. D Co-FSB Betty. E Co-FSB Betty. Recon-FSB Betty.	JS	JD
21.	1546		Bn S-3 Air/Bde S-3 Air: Request another set of		

TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY

SIGNATURE

CONFIDENTIALDA FORM 1594
1 NOV 62

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

PPC-Japan

Authority WFO 873541By 88 NARA Date 4-17-01OFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG
is form, see AR 220-15; the proponent agency is
the Chief of Staff for Military Operations.PAGE NO. 5NO. OF PAGES 9

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

LOCATION

PERIOD COVERED

1st Bn 8th Cav

FSB BETTY

FROM

TO

HOUR

DATE

HOUR

DATE

0001

13 AUG 70

2400

13 AUG 70

ITEM
NO.

TIME

IN

OUT

INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.

ACTION TAKEN

INITIALS

21.

1546

Continuation from page 4: snakes and napalm
and some heavy stuff for a bunker complex.

JS

JD

22.

1602

Bn S-3/Bde S-3: No change in ^{plans} ~~plans~~ for tomorrow
unless we get out platoon of D Co back. C Co
was logged today. B Co will be logged tomorrow.

JS

JD

23.

1648

Bde S-2/Bn NCS: YU 276393; Ranger team #73 in-
serted at 1617H, LZ Green.

JS

JD

24.

1650

~~CO B~~
All Units/Bn NCS: An element from B Co spotted
what looks like a good area to check out. B Co
CO gave them permission so they crossed the
river. On the other side at YU 263323 spotted
01 bicycle, 02 bicycles forks, also some other
miscellaneous bicycle parts very old. The point
man then spotted an NVA head in a bunker where he saw
cigarette smoke coming out of the entrance, the
point man engaged and hit the individual, then threw
2 frags into the bunker. The element then re-
ceived return fire from AK47 fire from an adjacent
bunker. The element spotted many other large
bunkers in the area and saw 03 for sure.

JS

JD

25.

1730

Bn NCS/Bde S-3 Air: Nearest friendlies to air
strike are 600 meters to the south.

JS

JD

26.

1742

Bn S-3/Bde Chem Off: Status on availability of

TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY

SIGNATURE

CONFIDENTIALDA FORM 1594
1 NOV 62

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

PPC-Japan

By 88 NARA Date 4-17-01

F JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG
 form, see AR 220-15; the proponent agency is
 Office of Deputy Chief of Staff for Military Operations.

PAGE NO. 6 NO. OF PAGES 9

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

LOCATION

PERIOD COVERED

1st Bn 8th CavFSB Bn

FROM		TO	
HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
0001	13 AUG 70	2400	13 AUG 70

CONFIDENTIAL

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
26.	1742		Continuation from page 5: flame drops. Order up one for YU 262328 - bunker complex.	JS	JD
27.	1750		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Air craft released at 1750H. log aircraft released at 1730H.	JS	DB
28.	1830		All Units/Bn NCS: PDS: A Co-03 OFF, 18 NCO, 74 EM. B Co-04 OFF, 21 NCO 559EM C Co-03 OFF, 14 NCO, 77 EM. Commo - 01 OFF, 02 NCO, 13 EM. Pathfinders: 03 EM. Engineers-01 OFF, 03 NCO 12 EM. HHC & E Co-08 OFF, 19 NCO, 49 EM. Recon; 06 NCO, 19 EM. Base defense-02 OFF, 14 NCO, 60 EM. 105-04 OFF, 15 NCO, 40 EM. 155-04 OFF, 13 NCO, 62 EM.	JS	DB
29.	1835		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: C Co first sortie at 1030H, last sortie at 1635H, started at 1015H, ended at 1615H, REMARKS*LOG, Number of sorties-09.	JS	DB
30.	1900		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Mortar: 1-E-175/99. G-30, 2-02, G-01.	JS	JD
31.	1830		All Units/Bn NCS: Night locations; A Co-YU 316284. B Co-YU 258325. C Co-YU 217370. D Co-FSB Betty. E Co-FSB Betty. E Co Recon-FSB Betty.	JS	DB
32.	2000		B Co/Bn NCW: 01 individual received a wound believed to be from their own M79, small frag wound, not serious. Wound in the left.	JS	DB

TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF OFFICER OR OFFICIAL OF

SIGNATURE

CONFIDENTIALDA FORM 1594
1 NOV 62

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

PPC-Japan

Authority MD 873541By 88 NARA Date 4-17-01

OFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG

is form, see AR 220-15; the proponent agency is
Army Chief of Staff for Military Operations.

PAGE NO.

7.

NO. OF PAGES

9

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

LOCATION

PERIOD COVERED

FROM

TO

HOUR

DATE

HOUR

DATE

1st Bn 8th Cav

CONFIDENTIAL

0001

13 AUG 70

2400

13 AUG 70

ITEM
NO.

TIME

IN

OUT

INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.

ACTION TAKEN

INITIALS

32.

2153

Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Have negative allocations
for radar school, would like 01, we have 01
man we would like to send but have negative allocations. JS

JD

32.

2200

Bde S-3/Bn S-3: Be prepared to insert 01 platoon
after an arc lite on 14 Aug 70 at grid vicinity
3421; A-4225, B-4900, C-4835, D-3645, E-3565.

JS

JD

34.

1108

Bde S-2/Bn S-2: YT 623966; UM 650 meters radius
in late afternoon.

JS

JD

35.

2215

Bn S-3/Bde S-3: Final plans for 14 Aug 70;

A Co-conduct a ground reconnaissance to the south,
then establish NDP in vicinity grid YU 31828.B Co will conduct a ground reconnaissance to the northeast
along river and north along intermitting streams,
checking out area of contact, then establish

NDP in vicinity grid YU 260330. C Co will

conduct a ground reconnaissance to the northeast,

then establish NDP in vicinity grid YU 221372.

D Co(-)-conduct base defense at FSB Betty.

E Co*Base defense at FSB Betty.

JS

JD

36.

2215

Bn S-3/Bde S-3: Tentative for 15 Aug 70; A Co-
will conduct ground reconnaissance to the south
east to vicinity YU 320299. B Co will sec/sec
from YU 259331 to FSB Betty, assume base defense

TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY

SIGNATURE

CONFIDENTIAL

DA FORM 1594

1 NOV 62

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

PFC-Japan

Authority WNO 873541By 88 NARA Date 4-17-01OFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG
is form, see AR 220-15; the proponent agency is
Office or Deputy Chief of Staff for Military Operations.PAGE NO.
8.NO. OF PAGES
9.

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

LOCATION

PERIOD COVERED

FROM

TO

HOUR

DATE

HOUR

DATE

0001

13 AUG 70

2400

13 AUG 70

1st Bn 8th Cav

CONFIDENTIAL

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
36.	2215		Continuation from page 7: B Co platoon will from FSB Betty to Bu Dop, then become OPCON to 6/27 Arty. C Co will conduct ground reconnaissance to the east to vicinity YU 224372. D Co-sec/sec from FSB Betty to YU 259331. D Co 2nd platoon will sec/sec from Bu Dop to FSB Betty, then conduct a ground reconnaissance to the east to vicinity grid YU 262331. E Co -base defense FSB Betty.	sec/sec JS	JD
37.	2250		Bn S-3 Air/Bde S-3 Air: Air strikes request for 14 Aug 70; Target# 1-bunkers and military structures at grid YU 320274, nearest friendlies 1 kilometer to the northwest. #2-bunkers and military structures at YU 300291, 2 kilometers to the southeast. Ordnance; 500 and napalm for both.	JS	JD
38.	2355		Bn S-3 Air/Bde S-3 Air: Air craft request for 14 Aug 70; (1) 01 UH1H for CC aircraft report to FSB Buttons at 0700H. Contact commo rear on 53.60 and pick up sorties for FSB Betty and contact TOC RTO. Air craft have extra "Y" cord and pro- tective masks. (2) 01 UH1H for log aircraft report same as CC aircraft. "Y" cord N/A. Request external cargo hook. Request all crew have protective masks. Log for 14 Aug 70; B Co 07 sorties, no set time.	JS	JD

TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY

SIGNATURE

DA FORM 1594
1 NOV 62**CONFIDENTIAL**

THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

PPC-Japan

Authority NND 873541By 88 NARA Date 4-17-01

OFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG
 is form, see AR 220-15; the proponent agency is
 Army Chief of Staff for Military Operations.

PAGE NO. 9. NO. OF PAGES 9.

ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

LOCATION

PERIOD COVERED

CONFIDENTIAL

1st Bn 8th Cav

FSB BETTY

FROM		TO	
HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
0001	13 AUG 70	2400	13 AUG 70

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
39.	2225		Bde S-3/Bn S-3: Pink team going in arc lite area in AM. If they find any significant targets people will go in for 03 to 04 hours and then be extracted. People are on standby at this time and Bde is trying to get blues to go in after pink teams. JS	JD	
40.	2315		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: LRRP Teams #73 extracted 2314H completed without incident. JS	DB	
41.	2350		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Request allocations for October, November and December. For 106 operators, school, 106 maintenance school. JS	DB	
42.	2359		DAILY SUMMARY: Cache; Negative Cache. Airlifts; D Co, 2nd platoon lifted from FSB Betty to Bu D Co. Contact; A Co at YU 313284 spotted and engaged 01 individual moving southwest to north east. Results; negative return fire from the individual, individual envaded to the west. At YU 263323 and element from B Co spotted an NVA ¹⁵ head in a bunker where he saw smoke coming out earlier. NVA was engaged with small arms and frags. Significant Events; Negative. JS	DB	
43.	2400		JOURNAL CLOSED. JS	DB	

TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY

SIGNATURE

BYRON J. GUIDROZ, 1LT, INF LNO

CONFIDENTIAL

107-10R

DA FORM 1594

1 NOV 62

PREVIOUS EDITION OF THIS FORM IS OBSOLETE.

PPC-Japan