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1.	0001			Bn NCS/JOURNAL OPENS	JS	LE	
2.	1033			Pink Team/ Bn NCS: Pink Team TCS-1033 hrs. to work area YT 1365. Requests free fire zone TBS-Unkown.	JS	CU	
3.	1115			Sniffer/ Bn NCS: AT 1130 hrs. Boxes 0559-0959-0951 0550-0570-0970-0963-0563. Maximum reading at YT 073515 VR had negative findings.	JS	CF	
4.	1150			All units/ Bn NCS: CURRENT LOCATIONS. A Co-Oncon 5/7. B Co-XT 960678, C Co-XT 930715, D Co- BH. E CP-PV with 1 tube on Carla. EGN-BH, D 1-5 1st plt-XT 92556, D 1-5, 2nd plt-FSB Carla. D 1-5 CP&3rd plt- YT 023486.	JS	MD	
5.	1230			B Co/ Bn NCS: AIRMOVE FE/CA B Co. PZ-XT 989673. LZ*XT 960678. 1st PZ-1154 hrs. 1st LZ-1203 hrs. PZ-clear at 1230 hrs. Lift complete-1232 hrs. 17 sorties, ACL-5, Acft.3+2 Packs-84 and LZ &PZ were green.	JS	DC	
6.	1300			B 1/9 Cav/ Bn NCS: AT 1020 hrs at YT 132660 found 1 NS trail 7 ft. wide used by 5 individuals in the last 24 hrs. Also a logging road 6 ft. wide with negative recent use. At 1035 hrs at YT 137656 spotted several small trails going in all directions with light recent use. At 1040 hrs. at YT 136645 spotted 1 NS trail same as first trail and same usage. At 1220 hrs. at YT 151625 Blues inserted LZ Green	JS	MD	

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7.	1700	E 1/9 Cav/ Bn NCS: At 1515 hrs. at YT 102315 saw 1 trail 1ft/ wide running NS and 1 bunker 8X10 ft. with light recent use by 5 individuals within 24hrs. At 1530 hrs at YT 108319 saw 1 jet fuel pod. At 1535 hrs. at YT 113314 saw 1 hootch 8X10 ft. with light recent use in the last 24 hrs.	JS	CU	0001	22 Oct. 70	2100	22 Oct. 70
8.	1710	CG/ Bn NCS: At XT 925715 CG reports C Co found 2 SKS rifles well oiled in working condition. 1 GI canister with a GI blasting cap, 1 American radio, 1 American claymore and assorted pills, alot of batteries. This could be a relay station.	JS	CU				
9.	1720	D-1 1-5/ Bn NCS: D-1 request 1 scout dog team and that they have rations for 4 days and report to Guess Who pad NLT 0700 hrs.	JS	MD				
10.	1730	Aircraft(Rash 4)/ Bn NCS: Air strike. Aircraft TOS-1425 hrs. TBS-Unknown. FOS-1530 hrs. FBS-1540 hrs. Aircraft 1 TOS-1500 hrs. FOS-1605 hrs. FBS-1635 hrs. At XT 951675. Ordinance- 6, 750 lb. bombs. Aircraft 23 TOS-1600 hrs. FOS-1600 hrs. FBS-1625 hrs. At YT 063525. Air Strike. Ordinance- 6,750 lb. bombs. TBS-1724 hrs. BDA- 1 ship possibly.	JS	CU				
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11.	1800		E 1/9 Cav/ Bn NCS: At 1735 hrs. at YT 076609 saw a small spot looks like a bunker complex. At 1810 hrs. at XT 936557 spotted a small campfire used by 3 individuals last night and numerous NESW trail leading SW. At 1835 hrs. saw 1 partially completed lean-to used by 7 individuals in the last 24 hrs. also 1 EW trail leading towards th river. JS MD		
12.	1835		All Units/ Bn NCS: NIGHT LOCATIONS. A Co-Opcon 5-7. B Co- XT 958677. C Co- XT 927715. C-2 ORF PV. D Co- Bien Hoa. B rcn Bien Hoa. 1-5 D-1- XT 924555. D-2- FSB Carla. D-3-YT 023486. B Co- had 2 AA, C Co had 4 AA. D-3 1-5 had 2 AA. All other units had a negative on-AA. All units had a green on malaria. B Co, C Co 1-5 D-1, D-3 each had a night manned ambush. All other units had a negative on night manned ambushes. All units had a negative on on day manned ambushes. All units had a negative on dogs. B Co had 1 sniper. All other units had negative snipers. PDS. B Co - 3 off, 18 nco, 55 em, TOT-76. C Co has same as B Co. 1-5 D-1, D-2, D-3 have same PDS as 21 Oct 70. JS RH		
13.	1925		C Co/ Bn NCS: At 1830 C Co reports finding at XT 925715 2 SKS rifles in good condition. 1 rifle serial number is 27430. the other is 11297660 and 97660. Also 1 civilian		

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13.	1925		CONTINUED FROM PAGE 3: radio broken and not useable, 2 155 cannisters with assorted medical supplies c of Morphine pills; Batteries PRC 25 type, flashlight batteries and civilian batteries in plastic bags. 4 GI canteens, alot of GI G-rations opened, 6 styrofoam egg cartons, 1 post hole digger similar to GI type 7 ft. onlg. A lot of GI spoons, 1 homemade pick and axe, 1 gook bayonet, and assorted GI plastic, 1 old large parachute for Arty type illumination round, 1 GI claymore, 15 blasting caps. JS CU		
14.	2130		C Co/ Bn NCS: At XT 929717 C Co found and back logged 2 alluminum kettles, 1 US claymore, 2 US canteens, 3 US canteen cups, 20 US elcttic blasting caps with 40 ft. lead wires on each, 20 ft. of light weight solder, 1 metal hoe with handle, 1 pr. NVA canvas boots, 1 GE radio with ear plugs and detached antenna, 2 SKS rifles, 1 OD towel, 1 piece black plastic, 1 circular alluminum can, 1 expended US smoke, 1 torn US mail bag, parts from 3 PRC 25 batteries, 5 BA 30, 1 flashlight shell, 1 wrist watch band, 1 US razor, 2 empty C ration cans, 1 empty OD carrying bag, 50 ft. of claymore wire, 1 1oz. bottle of whiskey, 1 GI 2 quart canteen, 1 empty 155 canister, 1 empty OD bottle of US bore cleaner, 1 battery rigged for flashlight,		

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14.	2130		CONTINUED FROM PAGE 4: 1 empty first aid pouch, 1 homemade gas mask out of plastic and gauze, 8 NVA bandages in plastic bag, 3 US cans of C rations, 1 square shaped battery, 1 small nylon carrying pouch, 1 US baseball cap, 1 small OD cloth carrying bag, 10 AK rounds, 2 small vials of medicine, 2 bottles of pills, 1 small empty bottle, 3 NVA electrical blasting caps with 12 in. lead wires, 1 planter's peanut can with unknown pills and 3 vials of medicines, 1 hammer made from 155 shipping plug, 1 supplemental charge for 155 Artillery round, and 1 AK cleaning kit. The above items were found in area from which there had been ground to air fire on 19 Oct 70. Air strike had scattered items and search will continue tomorrow.	JS	CU
15.	2359		DAILY SUMMARY: There was negative contact, 1 small cache finding (for detail see #14). Air Moves-B Co- PZ-XT 989673, LZ*XT 960678. There were negative significant events.	JS	WL
16.	2400		JOURNAL CLOSED	JS	WL

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