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1.	0001		Bn NCS/Journal Opens.	JS	JR
2.	0025		Bde NCS/Bn Sig O: SOI Change effective 0001		
			hrs. 10 Feb 71. Change A Item 42I-2, 2/12		
			call sign, A Co, B Co, C Co, D Co, E Co. Make		
			appropriate change to Item 14-2 Change B Item		
			45J-2 1/9 Change A Troop call sign. Change C		
			45K-2 3/17 Cav Change CMD(P) to 67.40, Change		
			D Item 46-2 2/19 Arty P-1 Relay to 72.20, Change		
			E Item 48A-2 Change 15th TC CMD(A) to 44.25, Change		
			B 15th TC to 47.60, 13th Sig Bn (F) to 43.30.	JS	JR
3.	0130		Bde S2/Bn S2: Red Haze Readout TOT 2030-2130		
			hrs. YU 249579 1 near river, YU 203612 30 in		
			village.	JS	JR
4.	0540		Bde S3/Bn NCS: CC and Log aircraft #671 and 390		
			ETA-0730 hrs.	JS	RD
5.	0600		All Units/Bn NCS: A Co, B Co, D Co from 0100-		
			0600 hrs. gave negative situation reports.	JS	GS
6.	0700		Bn NCS/Bde S2: Checked out area on bunker 10		
			where 3 individuals were spotted last night with		
			negative findings.	JS	RD
7.	0730		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: E Rcn will be ORF and D Co will		
			be RRF for 10 Feb 71.	JS	GS
8.	0755		Bn NCS/Bde S2: Request 1 scout dog team for E Rcn.	JS	RD

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9.	0800		Bn S3/Bde S3: Tentative Plans for 11 Feb 71. A Co will be base defense at FSB Betty. B Co will conduct G/R(ground recon) to YU 182352. C Co open 5/7. D Co will conduct G/R to YU 152314, E Rcn will conduct SEC/CA from FSB Betty to YU 142271 and then conduct G/R to YU 141277. E(-) has 4 mortar tubes on FSB Betty.	JS	RD
10.	0905		All Units/Bn NCS: Secure radio usage for the last 24 hrs. A Co: 1745-0655 hrs. B Co: 1805-0700 hrs. C Co open 5/7. D Co: 1730-0705 hrs. E Rcn FSB Betty, A/L: all secure.	JS	DC
11.	0910		Bn Sig O/Bde Sig O: 3/17 Cav still on CMD(A) request a new (A), Bde Sig O said he would get off CMD(A).	JS	RD
12.	0915		Bn Sig O/Bde Sig O: D Co does not want test frequency 69.50 will keep frequency 66.30.	JS	RD
13.	1000		All Units/Bn NCS: LOCATIONS. A Co (-) YU 205279, 1/A YU 185278, B Co YU 195359, C Co open 5/7, D Co YU 164323, E Rcn FSB Betty.	JS	DC
14.	1130		Bn S2 Asst/Bde S5: Request for Psyops missions for 11 Feb 71. Over our LRRF team contact area and FT sighting in area of YU 3519 and YU 3617. We request the "Wandering Soul" to be played.		

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14.	1130		CONTINUED FROM PAGE 2: Also we still like the Mountangard tapes that we have been getting played to our south to be repeated. We thought that some people tried to Chieu Hoi last night, got to get word to them not to come in at night, are these warning on most of the Chieu Hoi instructions tapes? Make sure that something to that effect is played to our south in Mongganard and Vietnamese.	JS	MD
15.	1145		Bde S3/Bn S3: Rat patrol will be run on route 308, will need a QRF for this mission between 1400-1800 hrs. QRF D Co.	JS	MD
16.	1201		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Mediacav request at YU 196358, priority mission, 1 individual with lacerated hand, Medivac 7 ETA-1 hr. Medivac cancelled at 1300 hr.s initials: DMM.	JS	MD
17.	1400		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: LOCATIONS. A(-) YU 209272, 1/A YU 172281, B Co YU 195353, C Co upon 5/7. D Co YU 164323, E Ron FSB Betty. FDS. A Co 4 off, 11 nco, 77 em, 13 att, T-105. B Co 4 off, 19 nco, 72 em, 12 att, T-107. D Co 6 off, 15 nco, 66 em, 12 att, T-98. FSB Betty 14 off, 45 nco, 159 em, T-217.	JS	MD

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18.	1445		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Test frequency for CMD(A) FM 64.90.	JS	MD
19.	1545		Bde S2/Bn S2: At YU 276318 convey detonated a mine, results 1 LOW Boy destroyed, negative further readout.	JS	JR
20.	1550		Bde S2/Bn S2: LRRP insertion boxes center of mas YU 2139, (A) YU 3022.	JS	WC
21.	1557		Bn S3 Air/Bde S3: AIR LIFT. FX/SEC of 1/A, 7 sorties, 34 packs, 4+2, 1st PZ-1535 hrs. 1st LZ-1540 hrs. PZ clear 1547 hrs. Lift complete 1552 hrs. LZ/PZ-green. FZ-YU 171282, LZ-FSB Betty.	JS	MD
22.	1615		Bde S3 Asst/Bn S3 Air: 1/8 will provide sec- urity for vehicle and POL area around vehicle ambushed. E Ron will be QRF.	JS	DM
23.	1620		Bn S3 Air/Bn S3: AIR LIFT. FX/SEC of A(-) 14 sorties, 71 packs, 4+2, ACL-5, FZ-YU 211271, LZ-FSB Betty, 1st PZ-1555 hrs. 1st LZ-1559 hrs. Lift complete 1615 hrs. FZ-green.	JS	MD
24.	1622		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: MORTAR REPORT. FSB Betty, Line 1 E-82/76, F-3/3, Line 2 E-1, F-1.	JS	MD
25.	1756		Bn S3 Air/Bde S3 Air: AIR LIFT. SEC/CA of E Ron, PZ-FSB Betty, LZ-YU 277318. 8 sorties, 5+2, ACL-5, 40 packs, 1st FZ-1641 hrs. 1st LZ-		

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25.	1756		CONTINUED FROM PAGE 4: 1746 hrs. PZ clear 1750 hrs. Lift complete 1755 hrs. LZ-green.	JS	MD
26.	1815		Bde S3/Bn S3: How do we plan to implement para 2, B sub 1 to Frag order # 03-71? We plan to put our A Co into that location.	JS	MD
27.	1820		Bn S3 Air/Bde S3 Air: Final Plans for 11 Feb 1 CC aircraft to report to Song Be at 0730 hrs. and then to FSB Betty at 0800 hrs. with left jump seat and 2 Y cords. 1 log aircraft same as above. 4+2 for FX/CA of E Rcn at TBA to YU 277319, to YU 142271, 8 sorties, 40 racks.	JS	DM
28.	1830		B Co/Bn NCS: B Co at YU 190350 found and old enemy NDF, found 6 water jugs, 1 gallon, 1 document which appears to be a resupply list for 28 people. Paper was written in ink and fairly new(3 weeks) written on paper was following: C2, 762, B2. At YU 188359 found 2 old US ammo boxes(empty) along a trail. 1 box had contained 8 APERS M1881 Lot # 2-136 loaded 10-69, 2nd box had contained green smoke grenades FBA 35 1-114, boxes had been in place about 3 weeks. From YU 190350 to YU 188359 ran a EW trail 18" wide, bare surface. HRU in the last 72 hrs. by enemy force up to a		

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28.	1830		CONTINUED FROM PAGE 5: a platoon size element moving in both directions. Trail showed use in the last 24 hrs. by 3-4 individuals to the west.	JS	DC
29.	1900		Bde S5/Bn S5: Psyops report for 9 Feb. YU 1432-1435 20 minute tape 36,000 leaflets, YU 2135-2138 same, for 11 Feb YU 2327 5x5 special tape, Rally instruction around FSB Betty. YU 3418 4x4 tape LRRP team contact.	JS	JR
30.	1905		Bn S3/Bde S3: Final Plans for 11 Feb 71. A Co will be base defense at FSB Betty, B Co will conduct G/R(ground recon) to YU 188248, C Co open 5/7. D Co will conduct G/R to YU 152316, E Rcn will secure convey until released from mission and then conduct FX/CA from YU 277318 to YU 142271 at 1430 hrs. and conduct G/R to YU 142275. E(-) has 4 mortar tubes at FSB Betty.	JS	JR
31.	1915		All Units/BnNCS: CLOSING LOCATIONS. A Co FSB Betty, B Co YU 192352, 1 squad ambush YU 192350, C Co open 5/7. D Co YU 157320, 1 squad ambush at YU 163323, E Rcn YU 226318. All units have green on malaria. All units have negative auto-ambushes. D Co, B Co have 1 scout dog team, all other units have negative scout dog teams.		

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31.	1915		CONTINUED FROM PAGE 6: All units have negative snipers and day manned ambushes. B Co., D Co., E Rcn have 1 manned night ambushes.	JS	DC
32.	2002		Bde S2/Bn S2: Password has been compromised use alternate.	JS	MR
33.	2015		Bn Sig O/Bde Sig O: Request new test frequency 64.90 has too much over-ride.	JS	JR
34.	2358		All Units/En NCS: B Co., D Co., E Rcn, from 2000-2400 hrs. gave negative situation reports.	JS	DC
35.	2359		DAILY SUMMARY: Negative contact, negative cache, Air Lifts: FX/SEC of 1/A, PZ-YU 171282, LZ-FSB Betty, FX/SEC of A(-) PZ-YU 211271, LZ-FSB Betty, SEC/CA of E Rcn PZ-FSB Betty, LZ-YU 277318. Significant Events: At YU 276318 convey detonated a mine, results: 1 LOW Boy destroyed, negative further readout.	JS	WL
36.	2400		JOURNAL CLOSED.	JS	JR
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