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Bn NCS/Journal Opens.

JS

EH

2.

0440

Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Red Haze Readings. TOT-2045-

2145 hrs. at YU 245325, one in jungle, YU

283318 two in jungle, YU 295300 three in jungle,

YU 220218 four in jungle.

JS

EH

3.

0600

All Units/Bn NCS: B Co, D Co, E Ren from 0100-

0600 hrs. gave negative situation reports.

JS

GS

4.

0602

Bde S3/Bn NCS: CC aircraft #671 ETA-0730 hrs.

Log aircraft #171 ETA-0830 hrs.

JS

EH

5.

0630

Bde NCS/Bn NCS: WEATHER REPORT. Visibility 7

miles, ceiling broken and scattered, Max tem-

perature 92, Min temperature 63.

JS

MD

6.

0745

Pink Team/Bn NCS: Fink Team 25 found 2 NVA

type IIS. nets or traps laid across river

also at YU 333244 1 trail running full length

of river LRU in the last 24 hrs. 1 camp fire

found 2 days old.

JS

GS

7.

0800

Bn S3/Bde S3: Tentative Plans for 13 Feb 71.

A Co will conduct SEC/CA at 1400 hrs. LZ-YU

225369, PZ-FSB Betty, and then will conduct

G/R to YU 227364. B Co will conduct G/R to YU

184344, C Co open 5/7. D Co will conduct G/R

to YU 144304. E Ren will conduct G/R to YU 139284.

JS

EH

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8.	0930		Bn S3/Bde S3: Change to Tentative Plans for 13 Feb. A Co will conduct DX/DX with B Co from FSB Betty, to YU 193350 at 1000 hrs. 22 sorties, 109 packs then will conduct G/R to YU 184344. B Co will conduct DX/DX with A Co from YU 193350 to FSB Betty at 1000 hrs. 21 sorties 106 packs. and then assume base defense.	JS	EH
9.	0950		Bde S3/Bn S3: Be prepared for QRF mission for a convey from FSB Snuffy to FSB Buttons and from FSB Buttons to Phuoc Vinh by 67th Arty.	JS	WJ
10.	1000		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: LOCATIONS. A Co FSB Betty, B Co YU 188350, C Co open 5/7. D (-) YU 147315, 2/D YU 144316, 3/D YU 146308, E Rcn YU 139273.	JS	MD
11.	1115		Bn S2/Bde S2: Request for 13 Feb. SLAR for 1/8 AO, sniffer along Dak Huyt River YU 100260-YU 170365. IR for YU 2627, 2613, 3927, 3913. VR for YU 3028, 3528, 3023, 3528.	JS	MD
12.	1125		All Units/Bn NCS: Secure radio usage in the last 24 hrs. B Co: 1715-0725 hrs. D Co: 1800-0700 hrs. E Rcn: 1730-0715 hrs. A/L, Log and CC aircrafts: secure.	JS	MD
13.	1400		All Units/Bn NCS: LOCATIONS. A Co FSB Betty, B Co YU 188350, C Co open 5/7. D (-) YU 146314		

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13.	1400		CONTINUED FROM PAGE 2: 2/D YU 144316, 3/D YU 146308, E Rcn YU 143276. PDS. B Co 4 off. 19 nce, 72 em, 11 att, T-106, D Co 5 off, 15 nce, 66 em, 12 att, T-98, E Rcn 1 off, 4 nce, 28 em, 6 att, T-39. FSB Betty 17 off, 52 nce, 208 em, T-277.	JS	DC
14.	1520		E Rcn/Bn NCS: E Rcn at YU 141272 had movement to their west and reconned by fire, saw 1 individual with negative knowledge of weapon, negative return fire, individual was 30 meters away to the west when engaged and he evaded to the N-NW, request Pink Team.	JS	DC
15.	1535		Bde S3 Asst/Bn NCS: Released from convey QRF at 1535 hrs. still have QRF for rat patrol until released. Also, have Bn S3 Air coordinate with Bde S3 Air on air move for sniper team.	JS	MD
16.	1625		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: MORTAR REPORT. Line 1 E-O/O, F-4/4, Line 2 E-O, F-1.	JS	MD
17.	1640		Pink Team /Bn NCS: Pink Team at YU 141270 was called from Song Be to work with E Rcn. TBS-1740 hrs. At 1715 hrs. YU 139279 spotted 1 NS trail 18" wide LRU in the last 24 hrs. At 1726 hrs. at YU 137275 saw 1 NS trail 18" wide		

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17.	1640		CONTINUED FROM PAGE 3: LRU in the last 24 hrs	JS	DC
18.	1650		Bn S3 Air/Bde S3 Air: SEC/CA of Sniper Team.		
			PZ-FSB Betty, LZ-YU 270320, 1 sortie, ACFT-1+		
			ACL-5, 5 packs. 1st PZ/PZ clear 1640 hrs. Lift		
			complete 1647 hrs. LZ-Green.	JS	DM
19.	1655		Bn S3 Air/Bde S3 Air: Air request for 13 Feb.		
			1 CC aircraft with left jump seat and 2 Y cards,		
			to report to Song Be at 0730 hrs. and then to		
			FSB Betty, 1 log aircraft same as above except		
			negative special equipment. Request 5+2 for		
			DX/DX of A Co and B Co at 0900 hrs. A Co 21		
			sortie, 105 packs, B Co 21 sorties 106 packs,		
			LZ-YU 188350, PZ-FSB Betty.	JS	DM
20.	1704		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: EXPOSURE REPORT. B Co 1st sortie		
			1015 hrs. last sortie 1430 hrs. In PZ at 1000		
			hrs. PZ clear 1445 hrs. 8 sorties.	JS	MD
21.	1720		Bde S3/Bn S3: Released of QRF at 1720 hrs.	JS	JR
22.	1735		D Co/Bn NCS: D Co at about 1530-1600 hrs. at		
			YU 146313 found 1 1ft. trail NW-SE used in the		
			last 24 hrs. by 4-6 individuals moving north-		
			west, trail brand new. at YU 145316 found 1 N		
			trail 1ft. wide very old, NRU, at YU 141312		
			found 1 2-3 ft. wide trail used in the last		

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CONTINUED FROM PAGE 4: 3 days by 2-4 individuals

moving NE, 1 bamboo fish trap very new 8 ft.

lang.

JS

DC

23.

1750

Bn Sig O/Bde Sig O: We will accept the CMD (A)

test frequency of 33.60.

JS

JR

24.

1810

All Units/Bn NCS: CLOSING LOCATIONS: A Co

FSB Betty, B Co YU 181351, squad ambush at YU

181349, C Co open 5/7. D(-) YU 145313, 2/D

YU 143308, 1 squad ambush at YU 141312, D Ren

YU 143280, Sniper team at YU 266317. All units

have negative auto-ambush, snipers, day manned

night ambushe, and green on malaria. B Co,

E Ren has 1 scout dog team, all other units

have negative scout dog teams. B Co has 1 night

manned ambush, D Co 2, E Ren 1, and sniper team

is an ambush.

JS

DC

25.

1855

Bn NCS/All Units: New CMD (A) of 33.60 passed

to all units.

JS

DC

26.

1900

Bn S3/Bde S3: Final Plans for 13 Feb. A Co

will conduct DX/DX with B Co at YU 188350 at

0900 hrs. and conduct G/R to YU 187347, B Co

will DX/DX with A Co at 0900 hrs. and will assume

base defense. C Co open 5/7. D Co will conduct

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CONTINUED FROM PAGE 5: G/R to YU 144304, E Ron
will conduct G/R to YU 144278, E(-) has 4 mortar
tubes at FSB Betty. Sniper Team at YU 266317
will be extracted at 0900 hrs. and be inserted
at YU TBA in the afternoon.

JS

DM

27.

1920

Bde S2/Bn S2: LRRP Team 32 at 0239 hrs. spotted
1 campfire 75-100 meters to the north of YU
318298.

JS

JR.

28.

1945

Bde S5/Bn S5: Paveps report run 12 FEB. YU
2327 30 minute tape 90,000 leaflets, YU 3418
15 minute tape 18,000 leaflets, for 13 FEB.
YU 3224 3x3 tape 29-6T leaflet# 2775, YU 1326
3x3 tape 19-6T leaflet#2775, YU 4321 3x3 tape
70-6T leaflet#2775, YU 1934 4x4 tape 28-6T leaflet
2314.

JS

JR

29.

1955

Bn S2/Bde S2: LRRP Team 31 closing location
at YU 221398, 32 at YT 318298.

JS

JR

30.

2000

Bde S2/Bd S2: UH at XU 671325, time late after-
noon, range 1500 meters.

JS

JR

31.

2005

Bde XO/Bn S3: 15 Feb 71 our commander is invited
to attend a Commanders Conference at Phouc Vinh
time and place to be announced. In the event
the commander can't attend, his XO will attend.

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JR

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32.	2100		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: National Police(3) will need transportation to Song Be, they will return by our CC or log aircraft tomorrow night before we released the aircrafts.				JS	JE
33.	2358		All Units/Bn NCS: B Co, D Co, E Ren, Sniper Team from 2000-2400 hrs. gave negative situation reports.				JS	DC
34.	2359		DAILY SUMMARY: CONTACT E Ren at 1520 hrs. had movement to their west, reconned by fire and spotted 1 individual who evaded to the north, negative return fire, negative results. Negative casualties, E Ren was at YU 141272. Negative cache. Air Lifts: SEC/CA of Sniper Team at 1650 hrs. FZ-FSB Betty, LZ-YU 270320, LZ-green. Negative significant events.				JS	WL
35.	2400		JOURNAL CLOSED.				JS	DC
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