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ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
1	0001		(U) Open Journal.	S.	
2	0030	0600	(U) Neg Sitrep.	S.	
3	0145		(U) B trp amb close HQ.	S.	
4	0630		(U) A/C status A trp C trp.	S.	
5	0652		(U) Alert status white 0700.	S.	
6	0710		(U) G trp has 1 pk in the 2-502 AO.	S.	
7	0615 late entry		(U) A trp pk tm to 3d Bde.	S.	
8	0720		(C) In N Max sitrep neg loc 28126865 In Maine ZC141867, Okla		
			20019668, Iowa 005848.	S. Div.	
9	0800		(U) Sniffer off from A trp to block 5,6,3,1,2,& 4.	S.	
10	0810		(U) C trp blues will stage at Sally, will insert blues on BDA		
			if VB confirm something.	S.	
11	0803		(U) C trp pk tm dept for AO BDA.	S.	
12	0835		(U) Sent swp rept in A trp.	S.	
13	0850		(U) LT Dowson in charge of Bgr test fire YD RMDHBJIA.	S. Div.	
14	0856		(U) Coyote Rider enroute to G-2.	S.	
15	0855		(C) G trp has pk tm 2-501 ext spotted dink bunkers eng this time		
			ID581119.	S. Div.	
16	0900		(U) Sniffer cant work in box 6 grd fog enroute to box 3.	S.	
17	0830 late entry		(U) BDA comp waiting on confirm coord.	S.	
18	1010		(C) C trp blues are on the grd of 2d BDA at coord YC864990.	S. Div.	
19	1015		(U) Possibly revd fire coming out of LZ.	S.	
20	1020		(U) Sniffer ^{delayed} due to weather in some area.	S.	

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21	1020		(U) Called in unit loc.	S.	
22	1025		(U) D trp alerted for 15 min reactions.	S.	
23	1100		(U) G trp req change in freq can change to 1st plt of D trp		
24	1105		(U) G trp switching back to blues FM.	S.	
25	1105		(U) Coyote rider going to 3d Bde AO.	S.	
26	1110		(U) Bk tm headed back out to 2-501 AO ext.	S.	
27	1125		(U) G trp found decm. possibl e belongs to a VC/NVA officer bringing them into Eagle. Footprints all over area checking this out.	S.	
28	1130		(U) Finding blood trails in area following up at this time		
29	1140		(U) Coyote Rider heading to B'ham to have lunch with driv. S.	S. Div.	
30	1140		(U) G trps white bird killed 3 VC/NVA with door-gunner ID50819.	S. Div.	
31	1250		(G) Rgr tm loc N.M. ZG125873, Maine ZG139855, Okla ZG023868, Iowa ZG089858.	S. Div.	
32	1255		(U) Alert D trp IRF.	S.	
33	1256		(U) LOH's will come from A trp for Rgr overflight.	S.	
34	1310		(U) D trp was alerted to launch his reaction force with Utah in charge. Standby with 24 15 min reaction force.	S.	
35	1315		(U) Coyote Rider said 2-501 could react to anything we could get to	S.	
36	1315		(U) D trp IRF was alerted launched.	S.	

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37	1330		(EC) A trp swp dept Eagle & see rovd SA fire from ID85151 notifying A trp.	S. Div.	
38	1355	(U)	A/S going into hooch camp at this time.	S.	
39	1400		(U) D trp IRF off at this time 29 pax.	S.	
40	1400		(U) Notification from C trp B52 strike is delayed until 1500H in the recon zone.	S.	
41	1405		(U) A/S went in & missed the target.	S.	
42	1410		(U) Pk tm off acid pad for stiff LZ selection.	S.	
43	1400late entry		(U) Sniffer took off to finish mess.	S.	
44	1425		(U) ARA prep the LZ.	S.	
45	1430		(U) XXX, LZ, green.	S.	
46	1433		(U) D trp in LZ green. ID852993 D trp 29 pax.	S. Div.	
47	1500		(U) C trp A/C at D trp pad for IRF.	S.	
48	1520		(U) A trp swp back Eagle neg result.	S.	
49	1520		(U) Troop in process of linking up with ea other both plt are working a bunker compl at this time.	S.	
50	1600		(U) Sniffer back at Eagle.	S.	
51	1620		(C) Sitrep from unit D trp & found plastic containers, steel bone brush & piece of a gunner guardrant. loc a EC vic ID851992.	S. Div.	
52	1650		(U) C trp BDA comp.	S.	
53	1650		(U) D trp moving to LZ.	S.	
54	1720		(C) Dong Da rev incom suspected enemy pos ID8603, 6703 sending a pk tm to that loc at this time.	S. Div.	

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55	1800		(C) Rgr tms loc tm N.M. ZC124875, Maine ZC145858, Okla 023865.		
Iowa	1808		89855.	S. Div.	
56	1825		(U) G2 call said we do not have msg for 3d Mar on the 25th. S.		
57	1812		(U) C trp first ship in LZ, for D trp.	S.	
58	1818		(C) C trp last ship in PZ for D trp YD852993.	S. Div.	
59	1833		(U) D trp closed Eagle.	S.	
60	1850		(U) ED call said DT no 1 is clear also 2 ARVN unit 1,000mt NE. S.		
61	1850		(U) D trp amb dpt Eagle.	S.	
62	1905		(U) Alert status grey.	S.	
63	1844		(U) C trp ARP 1st ship in PZ. last ship in PZ for D trp.	S.	
64	1849		(U) Last ship in LZ C trp ARP.	S.	
65	1915		(U) C trp ARP closed Sally.	S.	
66	1835	late entry	(U) C trp last light out.	S.	
67	1924		(U) Last light comp.	S.	
68	1950		(U) A trp last light comp.	S.	
69	2005		(U) Called unit loc to Div.	S.	
70	2030	2200	(U) Neg Sitrep.	S.	
71	2215		(U) Rcvd word from G2A said that have another sniffer box priority 1 relayed to A trp.	S.	
72	2230	2400	(U) Neg Sitrep.	S.	
73			(C) Spot reports for 24 Jul 69: 1030H, YC302945, A trp obs 1 hut eng w/ cobra dest. 1130H, YC4302945x 8863, A trp obs 8 old huts eng w/cobra dest. 0915H, YD581119, C trp obs 3 VC/NVA, 2 in bunker eng w/guns, result - 3VC/NVA KIA.		
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0700H	2400		C trp'obs trail 2' wide running NE-SW, 1700H YD87027, C trp obs 2 VC/NVA running in open, eng w/guns, results unk. 1245H, YC862997, C trp obs well used hut dest w/MP.		
74			(G) Operations Summary: A Trp: Provided recon to the 3dBde in spt of MONTGOMERY RENDEZVOUS. Cdt VR of occupied FSBs. Cdt 1st & last light along Hwy 547. Cdt trail watch along Laotian Bor w/particular empha on Rao Lao Valley. Spt sniffer man in Div AO. Lft sec spt the insert of D trp into the 2/17 Cav AO. ARP cdt a swp in B sec w/neg findings. B Trp: OPOOH to the 1st Bde of the Americal Div AO. C Trp: Provided recon to the 2d Bde. In qa VR of the 2-501 AO an LOH obs 3 VC/NVA LOH eng them with fire resulting in 3 VC/NVA KIA. Cdt 1st & last light from POHL BR to FSB SWORD. Cdt LZ selection for the Rgr. Cdt a BDA of B52 strike in the 101 Abn Div recon zone & a BDA of a B52 strike in the 2/17 Cav AO. ARP was inserted to check out the BDA on the grd. Rest of the grd BDA was sent to G2. D trp: 1 plt BRF for Eagle. 1 plt cdt amb B sec. 1 plt was IRF for Rgrs & down A/V in Div AO & was insert into the 2/17th Cav AOx to reinforce C trp ARP. Cdt a RIF through the area finding a base camp recently use. Co L, 75th Inf: Maintw 4 tms in the Bach Ma Mt area.		
75	2400		(U) Closed Journal.	S.	

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