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1.	0001		Bn NCS/Log: Journal opened with all new pushes and callsigns in effect.	JS	JM
2.	0100		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	JA
3.	0200		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	JA
4.	0300		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	JA
5.	0400		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	JA
6.	0500		All Units/Bn NCS: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	JA
7.	0630		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Negative happening in Bde A/O in last 12 hours.	JS	BP
8.	0700		D/Co/Bn NCS: Trips and claymores in at 0700H. First light check out at 0705H. First light check out at 0740H. Negative findings.	JS	JA
9.	0730		Moores 23A/Bn NCS: Hunter Killer Team on a VR and Recon by fire ^{Yn} Box 1126, ^{Yn} 1132, ^{Yn} 1732, ^{Yn} 1726. Moores 23A broke station at 0820H and found 04 old bunkers 8'x10' with recent use in last 3-4 months.	JS	JA
10.	0740		All Units/Bn NCS: Upon the pill (A,B,C,D,E).	JS	JA
11.	0845		A/Co/Bn NCS: Final extract to GA; Time lift started 0808H, time PZ cleared 0839, time landed in LZ 0811H, time lift completed 0843H, PZ grid YU 245236, LZ grid YU 280235 (Margaret), number of sorties -08, color of LZ -green, PZ GREEN	JS	DB
12.	0855		Bde S-3 Air Asst/Bn NCS: Sniffer: 5-YU 1120		

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12.	0855		Continuation from page: YU 1128, YU 1520, YU 1528, 6-YU 1528, YU 1832, YU 2228, YU 2232, 7-YU 2619, YU 2623, YU 3219, YU 3223. IR Boxes-Air Force-08, VR Boxes-1/9, 9-YU 2728, YU 273, YU 2928, MU 2931, 10-YU 2328, YU 2330, YU 2628, YU 2630, 1-YU 2222, YU 2225, YU 2522, YU 2525, Bde 1-YU 2137, YU 2139, YU 2437, YU 2439, 2-YU 1532, YU 1535, YU 1732, YU 1735, 3-YU 1029, YU 1032, YU 1229, YU 1232, 4-YU 1220, YU 1230, YU 1518, YU 1530, 5-YU 1525, YU 1528, YU 1725, YU 1728, 6-YU 1824, YU 1828, YU 2124, YU 2126, 7-YU 1019, YU 1022, YU 1219, YU 1222.	JS	DG
13.	1000		All Units/Bn NCS: Current Locations; A/Co-Margar-et, B/Co-FSB Buttons, ³⁰ 1st plt-Thomas, C/Co-YU 214268, D/Co-Candy, E/Co-Candy, Recon-YU 235283.	JS	BP
14.	1035		A/Co/Bn NCS: A/Co at Margaret received; 02 Chain saws at 1035H, 02 mine sweepers 1035H, 01 cat 1120H, 01 back hoe 1143H. Cat is operational at 1130H.	JS	BP
15.	1050		Bn S-3 Asst/Bde S-3 Asst: Change in plans for E/Co Recon for 5 Apr 70. E/Co recon conduct FE/Sec from PZ YU 235283 to LZ Margaret ASAP. Then ground recon from Margaret to YU 280223, est	NDP. JS	BP

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16.	1115		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: YU 250310, at 1012H, grid YU 250310 CH-47, 26A-took ground to air fire (51 cal). Negative further readout at this time.	JS		BP		
17.	1332		Moons 227/Bn NCS: TCS 1337, Hunter Killer Team to work and VR. Box YU 2523 and up 01 K down 01 K and 04 K to the east along southeast line of A/O. Broke station at 1400H - negative significant findings.	JS		DP		
18.	1400		All Units/Bn NCS: Current Locations; A/O-Margaret. B/Co-Buttons, ^{3rd} 1st plt-Thomas. C/Co-YU 210266. D/Co-Candy. ^{1st} Co-Candy. Recon-YU 235283.	JS		DG		
19.	1700H		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: FSB Candy; A/C released at 1700H, Reg Stylus 392; ¹⁰⁹ A/C.	JS		OR		
20.	1718		Bde NCO S-3 Air/Bn NCS: YU 162239; Air strike 06 Apr YU 162239, TOT 1230H, 750 lbs daisy cutter.	JS		OR		
21.	1740		Bde S-3 NCO/Bn NCS: YU 0934-YU 0917; A/O extension from 3rd Bde expires at 051800H. ¹¹⁷⁰ Extension runs from YU 0934 - south - to YU 0917.	JS		OR		
22.	1751		Bn S-3 Air/Bde S-3 NCO: FSB Candy; Informed Bde that we request 01 rigger to work at FSB Candy 06 Apr to report 0700H.	JS		OR		
23.	1815		Bde S-2 Air NCO/Bn NCS: All grids(YU). Night Hawks would like cleared for fire fire Box3-1834, 2334, 2330, 1830. Box-2730, 3330, 3326, 2726.					

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23.	1815		Continuation from page 3: Boxes will be checked and fired when night hawk comes on station at Cypress Coaches 47YF on 64.55. Artillery At Candy.	JS	OR
24.	1815		Bn S-3/Bde S-3@ Weekly sniper report for period 29001 Mar70 to 042400 Apr 70; Line A: 01/8 Cav. Line B: 09. Line C: 07. Line D: 09. Line E: 0 Line F: 0.	JS	BP
25.	1916		All Units/Bn NCS: Night Closing Locations; A/Co- Margaret. B/Co-Buttons, 3 rd Lt plt-Thomas. C/Co- YU 210269, 1st northeast, 1sq northwest. D/Co- FSB Candy. E/Co-Candy, 01 mortar section Margaret. Recon-YU 235283.	JS	BP
26.	1940		Bn S-3 Air/Bde S-3 Air: Request for A/C for move from Candy; 1. Hook Sorties 6 Apr 70; Candy to Judy at 100H-2 CH-47 Hook Sorties (2 Conexs and Pax). Candy to Song Be at 100H-3 CH-47 Hook sortie (Class IV (2 sorties of culvert and 1 sortie lumber)). Candy to Margaret at 1000H (Total of 19 sorties) 5 CH-47 Hook sorties (PSP). 1 CH-47 Hook sortie (Sandbags/Mixed Class IV. 1 CH-47 Hook Sortie (Pickets). 1 CH Hook Sortie (Conex and Pax). 3 CH-47 Hook Sortie (Empty Ammo Boxes Filled w/sandbags. 4 CH-47 Hook Sorties (Class V, 1-s/a and		

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<u>26.</u>	<u>1940</u>		Continuation from page 4: 3- 81mm. 20H-47 Hook Sortie (2 mules and Miscal). 1 CH-47 Hook Sortie (Fax). 2. Hook Sorties 07 Apr 70: Candy to Judy at 0800H-1 CH-47 Crane Sortie(2 1/2 Ton Truck).	<u>JS</u>	<u>BP</u>
<u>27.</u>	<u>1940</u>		Bn S-3 Air/Bde S-3 Air: Request for aircraft for Air move for 6 Apr: E/Co Recon conducted FE/Sec from PZ YU 235283 to LZ Margaret at 0800H. 41 Pax, 7 sorties, ACL of 6. PZ contact Dazed Thorns 78F on 59.00 LZ contact Shallow Birds 31F on 59.00. Mission control lumber 66 on 59.00. Also requested 19 Hook Sorties from Candy to Margaret, 2 Hook sorties from Candy to Judy and 3 Hook sorties from Candy to Buttons (Song Be).	<u>JS</u>	<u>BP</u>
<u>28.</u>	<u>2047</u>		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: YU 280235; Grid location of FSB Margaret is YU 280235.	<u>JS</u>	<u>OR</u>
<u>29.</u>	<u>2107</u>		A/Co/Bn NCS: FSB Margaret; PDS FSN Margaret, A/Co 91 and 4 and 13. E/Co-5 and 1. Engineers 19. Blacks hats 3 and 1.	<u>JS</u>	<u>BP</u>
<u>30.</u>	<u>2108</u>		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: PDS FSB Candy; HHC & E/Co-47, 25, 10. 105-42, 12, 03. Base Defense-103, 14, 04. Attached-02.	<u>JS</u>	<u>BP</u>
<u>31.</u>	<u>2109</u>		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Plans for 1/8 Cav for 6 Apr: A/Co-Base Defense FSB Margaret. B/Co(-)-Base		

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<u>31.</u>	<u>2109</u>		Continuation from page 5: Buttons, 3rd pl ^B Base Defense at Thomas, C/Co will ground recon to vicinity grid YU 239258, establish NDP. D/Co ^B Base Defense at FSB Candy, tear down FSB Candy, E/Co(-) ^B Base Defense FSB Margaret, E/Co Recon pl ^{WE} /Sec at 0800H from PZ YU 235283 to LZ Margaret and will ground recon to vicinity YU 294226, establish NDP. 1/8 Cav will move the CP from Candy to Judy on 6 April 70.	<u>JS</u>	<u>OR</u>
<u>32.</u>	<u>2120</u>		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Tentative plans for 1/8 Cav for Apr 70; A/Co ^B Base Defense FSB Margaret, B/Co(-) ^B Base Defense FSB Buttons, 3rd pl ^B Base Defense FSB Thomas, C/Co-will ground recon to vicinity grid YU 210231, establish NDP. E/Co(-) ^B Base Defense FSB Margaret, E/Co Recon-will ground to vicinity YU 306224, establish NDP. 1/8 Cav CP at FSB Judy.	<u>JS</u>	<u>OR</u>
<u>33.</u>	<u>2147</u>		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: 2nd Bde; Closing Locations 1/12, A-503414, B-Smuffy, C-310388, D-351426, E-Smuffy, Recon-331354, LRRP-359423. 2/12, A-11157, A76-232173, A40-091163, A12-098134, B-213199, B17-307147, B40-252195, C-097073, C76-1112062, C40-130090, C40-137106, C73K-223069. Team 3-375171, 2nd Bn ARVN-32-384288, 31-Lolita, 33-354216, 34-362236.		<u>JS</u>

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34.	2148		All Units/Bn NCS: Sniper Report; A/Co-FSB Margaret, B/Co-01 FSB Buttons. C/Co-01 in field. D/Co-01 in FSB Candy. E/Co-02 in field. HHC001 FSB Candy.	JS	OR
35.	2149		All Units/Bn NCS: Ambush Report; Negative day ambushes. 05 automatic ambjsnes for C/Co at night and 03 sqd size ambushes for C/Co at night.	JS	BP
36.	2150		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Exposure Report; 1st sortie for E/Co 1000H, last sortie 1050H, started at 0855H, ended at 1110H, number of sorties-02, remarks-log.	JS	JC
37.	2154		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: 1/8 Cav; (1)YU 279254, LZ construct, 750 lb daisy cutter, nearest friendlies soutjh 2K at Margaret. (2) YU 295266, LZ construct, 750 lb daisy cutter, nearest friendlies southwest 3K at FSB Margaret. (3) YU 267250, LZ construct, 750 lb daisy cutter, nearest friendlies southeast 2k at FSB Margaret. (4) YU 249233, LZ construct 750 lb daisy cutter, nearest friendlies east 3K at FSB Margaret.	JS	OR
38.	2227		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: SOI Changes; Item 46, 1/77 Artillery Even Jullip from 32.80 to 39.25 F-1 60.60 to 48.65 F-4 62.50, 54.00 F-3 46.50 to 56.95 Admint Log F-M, 44.25 to 37.20 Admint Log Relay 56.8 to 46.50, 2/19 Artillery Shady Boxer Ad,mt Log AM 5.174 Primary		

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<u>38.</u>	<u>2227</u>		<u>Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Continuation from page 7: Alternate 13.452. 13.462 item 43-B, 2Bde B-1 R 5030 to 53.60. B-1-A 45.25 to 59.05 B-11, Primary 53.60 to 32.85, item 45-H 1/12 Cav, D/Co Swifter O Zone 59.05 to 45.25 Rare- Meals 32.85 to 50.30 item 45I 2/12 Steal Bango Admint Log P-M 61.75 to 36.55, Effective date 05 Apr 2400H.</u>	<u>JS</u>	<u>LJ</u>
<u>39.</u>	<u>2245</u>		<u>Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Div changed move for Candy from 06 Apr to 07 Apr.</u>	<u>JS</u>	<u>LJ</u>
<u>40.</u>	<u>2310</u>		<u>Bn S-3 Air/Bde S-3 Air: Change in request for Hook sorties for 6 Apr 1/8 Cav now request; 2 Hook sorties from Candy to Song Be (1-culvert) and 1 Lumber. 4 Hook sorties from Candy to Margaret (1-PSP, 1-Concertina wire, 1-sandbags and classIV, 1 cones). Cancel all other Hook sorties (Hard Mission) for 6 April.</u>	<u>JS</u>	<u>BP</u>
<u>41.</u>	<u>2359</u>		<u>Bn NCS/Log: Daily summary; Negative contacts today. Air moves A/Co. FE/CA, 0800H, PZ YU 245236 to LZ Margaret (18 sorties). Significant events-call signs, call numbers and frequency changed for Div today.</u>	<u>JS</u>	<u>BP</u>
<u>42.</u>	<u>2400</u>		<u>Bn NCS/Log: Journal Closed.</u>	<u>JS</u>	<u>BP</u>

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