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1st Bn 8th Cav		FSB ELLEN		0001	24 DEC 69	2400	24 DEC 69
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN			
	IN	OUT					
1	0001		Journal opened at 0001 H	JS			
2	0100		Neg sit report	JS			
3	0101		Star tot 1930 to 1950H grid YT 080925 near stream	JS			
4	0200		Neg sitrep	JS			
5	0200		1/7 locations a-060248 B-990158 C-FT Compton D-QL E-QL 1/5 locations A-832101 B-Vivian C-Serri D-868108 E-Vivian E 1/6 868980.	JS			
6	0300		Neg sitrep	JS			
7	0400		neg sitrep	JS			
8	0415		FY No. 0736 time 0331 medum grid 940129	JS			
9	0500		Neg sitrep	JS			
10	0600		Neg sitrep stand to completed	JS			
11	0605		CC bird snoogy 475 log ghost rider 425 0730 log tos 0810 cc broke 1715H LBBroke 1645H	JS			
12	0620		A B C D E /-6 E- up on the bug	JS			
13	0645		trips claymores in at 0700H first light in at 0740 at neg findings	JS			
14	0705		Sabre 27 to VR 0585 at 0705 H 0715H 008822 N-S trail used lost 48 hrs neg directive 0720H 985823 Ne Sw trail used by 8 10 ind last 48 hs neg direction 0740 955 rest area for a pit 2 day a old a hatch 8x10 and 12 fighting ps postion 2x4 a dug in the lost few days light use	JS			
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14	1715		in the area for the last few days sabre 27 to work us C/co 0745 broke station at 0805	JS	JR
15	0845		radar picked up movement at 10515581 2008H 1290H 1290 mils-79 - 400M-042067 20 15 2355H 2220 Mils-123 360 040063 2358H- 2080mils-115 360 -041063	JS	JA
16	0945		tos 0945 requested permission to fire at 9691 approved by d rdc d clearance given at 0946 duke observed S28x firing in a grid net specified report to could steel.	JS	CB
17	1015		at 000007 sash 32 notified recent use on new trail bambotied possible vehicular traffic near recent lz construct saber 2/4 with hunter killer team will open out further	JS	RB
18	1020		TOS 1020 to check out grid 000007 then to work for B/co 1050 017010 ns trail down to bark 100-15010 last 24 mos to n -----17 ne sw aroused bomb crater last trail in thick undermount often that break for pl-t 1105 broke station at 1130	JS	DB
19	1025		got bunker complex sofas 15 bunker more information to follow 062971 1040 30 bunkers builtin 1 shape overhead 8x8 23 Decby unknown number but bookoo bambbookds slept on outside of bunkers clothes racks		

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19	1025		places for looking out side of bunkers sweeping area at this time further info to follow neg further read out	JS		DB	
20	1105		A925139 BFSB ELLEN 0062971 D054002 EL/6947149	JS		DB	
21	1031		in pz loi green pz for 2 birds fairly easy 5x2 ships lift e 1/6 at 951147 to lz ellen 1st lift off pz 1133H lift complete to lz 1145 total sorties 05	JS		DB	
22	1230		sab 27 Tos 1230 vr a 0587 after he with hunter killer goes to work for C/co at 063976 broke for pol at 1315 back on station at 1325 working for C/co spot s se activity at 088968 6-7 spider holes light to medivac movement 24-48 0100H broke station at 1332 to work area to toward big rubber at 082063 ew trail bind lat 24 48hrs general movement to se 1 st 24 48 hours lm movement	JS		DB	
23	1334		tos 1334 to lz construct at 970162 nearset friendly 3k to sw a.co clearance given at 1335H complete at 1420H 1 shipper noticed strange square structure shapes in area cleared wants pink team to check it out 1 fighter took a hit does not know if it ws frags on ground to air				
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23	1334		nash 34 request pink team to check out lz construct at 970 162	JS	DB		
24	1410		spot 1340 hrs at 080-921 nw trail 6 ind in last 24 hrs at 1355 hrs 044890 nf sw trail 10 15 ind last 48 H movement sw broke station atl411 leaving a/o ;	JS	JB		
25	1415		curent hulk eve at 923140 moving w b FSB Ellen o 065965 d 047981 moving a fab Ellen	JS	JB		
26	1510		Request cl rarcnc to expend rocets in in 018988 cleared 2K radiff at 1515 blew structure away.	JS	DB		
27	1620		sniffer box tot 1420-1445 XU9609 9605 01005 , 0109 neg readings.	JS	JB		
28	1620		snoopy 24 took ground to air sw of lz ellen meters out traveling 70 knot about 300 feet at app 035062 neg damage 81MM 25 he 105 fire cracker 155mm oo he 05 fire cracker	300 JS	DB		
29	1622		ar c-6 20 dec 1000 40 vc at 922872	JS	JB		
#30	1656		A927138 B.FSB ELLEN C. 1/6071963 CP2/6 3/6 074961 D046978 E1/6 FB Ellen	JS	DB		
31	9655		final plans sent into bae	JS	JB		
32	1645		going out on patrol to check out area of ground to air heard 1 ind lay down sent recon to				

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32	1645		to check site a found hootch poles neg further	JS	DB
33	1706		Request A/S for grid 045063 G/A fire Rash 38 tes 1717 h A/S not approved	JS	JB
34	1735		tes 1735 work in A/O 010001 to S clearance radio with hunter killer team spot at 1745 H at 015986 Nts. trail is gr last 48H movement to S 5 fighting positions neg recent use thinks possible friendly area. broke station at 1810	JS	DB
35	1725		Bright knight roster 172 E-2 last name C. first int d ninint c 6136 mother law died 21 dec funeral 27th do not pass traffic until 0 Oked by Duke 3	JS	DB
36	1820		A.S 923880 tot 1515H bda 1 military structure destroyed	JS	JB
<i>INCOMPLETE</i>					

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