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ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION 1st Bn 5th Cav	LOCATION FSB: BILL	PERIOD COVERED			
		FROM		TO	
		HOUR 0001	DATE 23 Feb 70	HOUR 2400	DATE 23 Feb 70

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
1.	0001		Bn 65: Journal Opened.	JS	JK
2.	0100		All Units: Negative Sit. Rep.	JS	JK
3.	0100		Bde 3MC: 1/5 Cav, A/Co-904157, B/Co-921164, C/Co-932089, D/Co- Ft Granite, E/Co-Ft Granite, 1/6-877144, 4/9 Cav, 14 and 15 Co Eagle I, 16th Co-666963.	JS	JK
5.	0106		Bde 2MB: Have SFC Truong (Interpreter) at 3rd Bde ASAP this morning to meet with senior ARVN Liaison Officer.	JS	JM
6.	0200		All Units: Negative Sit Rep.	JS	JM
7.	0300		All Units: Negative Sit ^R ep.	JS	JM
8.	0400		All Units: Negative Sit ^R ep.	JS	JM
9.	0500		All Units: Negative Sit ^R ep.	JS	JM
10.	0600		All Units: negative Sit Rep.	JS	JM
11.	0730		Duke 5: C/Co 6 year DX will start at 1130H. Order of move; (1) C/Co 3/6. (2) C/Co's GP and 1/6. (3) C/Co 2/6.	JS	JM
12.	0730		Bn 5: E/Co 1/6 will ground recon to the south west.	JS+	JM
13.	0730		Bde 83M: OC Bird (Ghost Rider 769 TOS 0730. Log Bird (Potato Masher 941) TOS -730H.	JS	JM
13.	0731		Bn 5: Centime ground recon to the north west along the blue.	JS	JM

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15.	0732		All Units: Up on the pill (A,B,C,D,E, Mustang 1).	JS		JM	
16.	0800		Base Defense: B/Co tripped claymores in at 0703H. First light check out at 0733H, in at 0755H, negative findings.	JS		HM	
17.	0820		Bn 2: Requested 3 batteries with cases for PFS-5 radar set for DX.	JS		JF	
18.	0930		Bde 2MA: Grid RA9925 report from Civilian rubber workers - VC Company moving north.	JS		JF	
19.	1015		All Units: A/Co-Phouc Vinh. B/Co-CP, 2/6-077963, 1/6-opcon 11 ACR, 3/6-865913. C/Co-Bill. D/Co-Quan Loi. E/Co-795981. Mustang 1/6-915920.	JS		DG	
20.	1025		B/Co's CP & 3/6: Secure to Secure, lift off PB 0905, lift on LZ 0911, lift off PZ 0924, lift on LZ 0925, lift off PZ 0932, lift on LZ 0935, lift completed 0943H.	JS		DG	
21.	1030		C/Co CP & 1/6: Secure to Secure; lift off LZ 0913, lift on LZ 0916, lift off PZ 0928, lift on LZ 0932, lift off PZ 0935, lift on LZ 0938, lift completed 0938H.	JS		DG	
22.	1040		B/Co 3/6: Secure to Secure; lift off PZ 0934, lift on LZ 0936, lift off PZ 0937, lift on LZ 0940. Lift completed 0943H.	JS		DG	
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23.	1040		C/Co 3/6: Secure to Secure; * Lift off PZ 0940. lift on LZ 0943, lift off PZ 0944, lift on LZ 0945. Lift completed 0945H.			JS	DG
24.	1046		C/Co 2/6: Final Extract to Secure; Lift off PZ 0955, lift on LZ 0955, lift completed 1000H.			JS	DG
25.	1205		All Units: 1200 Locations; A/Co-Phouc Vinh. B/Co-CP & 2/6-880962, 3/6-869913, 1/6-opcon 11 ACR. C/Co-Bill, D/Co-Quan Loi GIG. E/Co-Bill, 1/6-795981. Mustang 1/6-906924.			JS	DG
26.	1400		Bn 65: Locations; A/Co-Phouc Vinh. B/Co-CP & 2/6-880962, 3/6-870914, 1/6-opcon 11 ACR. C/Co-Bill. D/Co-Quan Loi. E/Co-1/6-800980. Mustang 1/6-897929.			JS	JA
27.	1415		Bde 83: C/Co 3/6 hook lift in process at this time 1415H. Informed Bde 3 of completion of B/Co 1/6 lift at 1420H.			JS	OR
28.	1525		Bn 65: Sent firmal plans for 24 Feb and tentatives for 25 Feb to Bde.			JS	OR
29.	1545		Bde 30: S/T inserted at 1130H in 1/5 A/O.			JS	OR
30.	1605		Bn 65: Request for birds for day 24 Feb sent to Bde 83M.			JS	OR
31.	1615		Bn 65: Sent status fo B/Co 1/6 secure CA to Bde.			JS	OR
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32.	1620		B/Co 1/6 (Combat assault report): B/Co pickup zone Bill. Landing zone 930977. 06 lift ships and 02 gunships. Negative airstrikes. Firing units, Scarlet Guidon 63. Registration complete at 1556, preparation start at 1556, preparation completed at 1609. Number and type of rounds 97 HE and 02 WP rounds. Negative sabre teams. 1st lift at 1555H, down at 1609H.			JS	JM
33.	1630		Bn 65: Sent combat assault report to Bde.			JS	OR
34.	1635		B n 65: Request information on time exposure for pop-up targets on quick fire range and distance between targets. Bde said that is no set time for exposure and the targets are to be exposure asnd the targets are to be set 15 meters to 35 meters in the quick kill ,also are to be position to take advantage of vegetation in area.			JS	OR
35.	1700		Snoopy 23: TOS 1650H clearance given to fire at 9098 Broke station at 1735H.			JS	DB
36.	1809		B n 65: Sent in changes in final for 24 Feb to Bde.			JS	OR
37.	1830		Mustang: Saw gooks runing near perimeter about 50 meters out. There were people putting out automatic ambush. The people from the end of the				
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37.	1830		0001	23 Feb 70	2400 23 Feb 70
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			Continues from page 3: of the perimeter could		INITIALS
			not open up because the gooks were between automatic ambush		
			and the perimeter. Said there were or rather		
			they heard 03 gooks, but they only saw one		
			01. He was too far away to make identifications of		
			clothes or weapons. The gook evaded to the		
			west. Artillery from Quan Loi was notified.		JS DB
38.	1835		Sabre 24: TOS 1835H to work zone A. Broke		
			station at 1900H.		JS DB
39.	1900		All Units: Closing Locations; A/Co-Phouc		
			Vinh. B/Co-CP, 2/6 and 4/6-880958, 1/6-927976,		
			3/6-873914. C/Co's 1/6, 2/6 and CP-Bill,		
			3/6-3rd 11 ACR. D/Co-Quan Loi. E/Co-B ill,		
			1/6-775982. Mustang 1-901932.		JS DB
40.	1840		Mustang: Found 01 trail at 903931, (NW-SE)		
			used by 03 individuals in last week. 01 trail		
			at 901931 E-W used by approximately 01 month ago,		
			negative recent use.		JS DB
4.	1915		Em: 1.) NDP, 2.) Ambush Day/Night. 3.) Security.		
			4.) Standown. 5.) A/A Day/Night, 07/9. 6.) Snipers		
			(Company number and attached) A, B, C, D, E 1/6		
			1 each. 7.) Scout Dog Team (Company number and attached)		
			B/Co 03. 8.) Combat Tracker Teams (Company		
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41.	1915		Continues from page 5: (Company number and attachec) Negative. 9) QRF Unit C/Co 2-6. 10) RRF Unit C/Co.	JS	JM
42.	1915		Bde 3: Log Teams requested; 03 scout teams to report to S-1, 1-8 Cav on 24 Feb 70 at 1300H to work with A/Co 1/8 platoon size elements.	JS	JM
42.	2110		Bn 3A: A/Co will not return on 24 Feb as of now, Bde 6 will call Gary Owen about it, no details on why, will ne notified of any changes. 1/8 has been assigned to be RRF for suport of convoy in case convoy is ambushed. They will be on RRF while convoys are passing through out South boundary to Quan Loi around 1400H-1500H will be informed when convoy is going out.	JS	OR
43.	2230		Bn 5: Request airlift for B/Co 1/6 only if A/Co is not returned to us on 24 Feb). B/Co 1/6 FE to CA at 1400H 24 Feb LZ at grid 817002. Bde 83M will pass on information to Bde 3 shop.	JS	DE
44.	2240		Musta g: "oving to the north because of a fire moving in on them. Cease move at 2320H. 900933, new location.	JS	DE
45.	2300		Bn 3MC: Changes in finals for 24 Feb sent in.	JS	JK
46.	2400		Bn 65: Journal Closed.	JS	JM

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