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1.	0001		Bn 65: Journal Opened. Negative Sit Rep: 0100, 0200, 0300, 0400, 0500, 0600, 0700H.	JS	MR		
2.	0045		Bde 65: 1/12, A/Co-Elaine. B/Co-532262, 1/6-528269, C/Co-643147, D/Co-514266. E/Co-Elaine, 1/6-563211, 8th ARVN Bn, 81/Co-Iolita. 82/Co-359299. 83/Co-396273. 84/Co-380288. Recon to Iolita.	JS	MR		
3.	0700		1/8 Cav: Plans for 2 Mar for Companies; B/Co continue ground recon along high grounds to vicinity 436333, establish NDP. C/Co continues ground recon to 458282, then turn west and ground recon to vicinity 437282, establish NDP. D/Co will ground recon to vicinity 413297, continue at vicinity 408313, establish NDP. Do not go west of the 40 north south grid line, as ARVNs are in this area. E/Co 1/6 continues ground recon to north west following trail you are on, establish NDP at vicinity 415329. Change for D/Co. Move to Hill 412, north to 410315, west to 385315.	JS	JK		
4.	0715		All Units: Up on the pill (AAB,C,D,E,1/6).	JS	JK		
5.	0730		A/Co/Iolita: Trips and claymores in at 0720H.	JS	JK		
6.	0735		Birds: CO (Black Widow 271) TOS 0810H, IB (Potato Masher 27) TOS 0830H.	JS	JK		

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7.	0815		Bde 2MA: IR Box, TOT 2230, 1025, 0200, 1088, IR (Air Force) 1000, 1002, 1003, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1007. VR, C/Co 1/9-Box 9 3023, 3223, 3220, 3020. Box 10, 3520, 3720, 2517, 3717. Box 11, 3614, 3814, 3811, 3611. Box 1-3440, 3640, 3637, 3437. Box 4-3633, 3933, 3931, 3631. Box 6-4026, 4326, 4324, 4024, Sniffer Box 6-4732, 5432, 5428.	JS	OS
8.	0825		Bde 65: D/Co 1/12: request boundary extension from 540300, west to 500 300 south, to existing boundary. Time 03/0001 March to 08/1800 March. Approved at 1100H 2 Mar 70.	JS	JA
9.	0920		Ram Rod 1/6: E/Co 1/6 at 0920H present locations 418329, trail heis following is presently running E-W, he is moving west paralleling the trail at this time. Plans to move 300-400 meters west until he finds a log pad.	JS	JM
10.	1030		All Units: Current Locations; A/Co-Audie. B/Co-440311. C/Co-451284. D/Co-409289. E/Co-Audie, 1/6-429328.	JS	JM
11.	1220		Rash 25: TOS 1219 A/S at YU 413347 carrying 500 lbs of Daisy Cutters/Given 1 1/2 click clearance, TOT 1230, nearest friendlies, approxi-		

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10.	1220		ately 2 clicks, Rash will put in A/S, completed 1340H, 1-10 Ship LZ.	JS	JM
12.	1245		Plg Iron 6I: Request medevac for them at 440 311 at 1245, TOS 1325H, medevac completed at 1340H. Two patients, one hit in the shoulder by obses from kickout. one hit in head by onsect from kickout ETA 1520 call sign, medevac 24. 01 Urgent, 01 Priority. Medevac patients taken to Song Be.	JS	JM
13.	1430		All Units: A/Co-Audie. B/Co-442282. D/Co- <del>402289</del> 409289. E/Co-Audie, 1/6-417330.	JS	JM
14.	1705		LOBO 56: TOS 1700H, Sniffer Box 14, grid 360335 not in our A/O. Box 15, grid 296370, 2 clicks clearance given by 3A.	JS	DG
15.	1710		1/8 Cav: Request LZ Construct A/S at following grids: (1) 364371 (Hill 497) (2) 362345. Request PAC look at the two LZ construct areas and recommend members of sorties required. PAC birds will look at the area to morrow and LZ construct will go in on the 04 Mar 70.	JS	RC
16.	1735		Bde 2B: Double Check 6, YU 429274, late afternoon, 1500 meters.	JS	JA
17.	1750		(negative recent movement) G/Co: Spot #438280 old log trail, E-W 8' wide.	JS	DG

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18.	1842		Bn 83: Password for tonight(Sandwich-Hero).	JS	JA		
19.	1847		All Units: Clsain; A/O-Audie. B/co-440313. C/Co-438280. D/Co-409 <sup>2</sup> 93. E/Co-413331. E/Co-Audie.	JS	DC		
20.	1922		Bde 3B: Concerning A/O extention to 8th Bn which is not to 3 Mar 70 1800H. It belongs back to us now.	JS	JA		
21.	1938		Bde 6: Concerning VRS to S-W of US -A/O extension ended as of now to 8th Bn ahead push troops to that area.	JS	JA		
22.	1B23		Bn 65: PDS for FSB Audie. 174 EMs, 57 NCOs, 18 Officers. 24 Attached.	JS	JA		
23.	1948		Bn 2A: A/C request for 3 March 70. Log AC-0700 Quan Loi-10I-65.05 at 1/8 Cav log Quan Loi. C-C AC-0700, Song Be BD4D-65.05, then Audie BD 65 4915.	JS	JA		
24.	2000		1/8 Cav: Exposure Report: (Start/End) Unit 1st Sortie last Sortie Time in PZ Remarks B/Co 1220H 1615H 1030/1620 5 Sorties(log, medevac) E/Co 1650H 1725H 1009/1735 2 Sorties (Log). Excessive time in log posture, due to long turn around around time between units at Song Be. In the future only one unit will be scheduled for				
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24.	2000		Continues from page 3A log in each 1/2 day and supplies will be positioned at the forward ID where possible. Sent into 2nd Bde.	JS	JA		
25.	2010		1/8 Cav: Ambush Report; Negative Day Ambushes. 03 Squad size ambushes at night. (C/Co) and 05 automatic ambushes at night. B/Co had 05 automatic ambushes at night. D/Co had 01 automatic ambushes at night. E/Co 1/6 had 03 automatic ambushes at night.	JS	DG		
26.	2035		Rash 23: TOS 2038, A/S completed at 2126 (04 Napalm and 04 850 lbs at #383323).	JS	DG		
27.	2126		Bde 3B: Will have a shadow as station-need a box to fire on. They are clear to fire on 35 grid line and above to 40 grid line, from east to west boundary.	JS	JA		
28.	2145		1/8 Cav: Plans for 3 March 70; A/Co-Base Defense at FSB Audie. B/Co-ground recon to vicinity 438325, establish NDP. C/Co will ground recon to vicinity 429274, establish NDP. D/Co will ground recon to vicinity 400279, establish NDP. E/Co 1/6 ambush trail networks at vicinity 413331, then move to NW at vicinity 409333, establish NDP. Tentatives Plans for 4 Mar 70:				
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28.	2145		Continues from 4: A/Co-Base Defense at FSB Audie. B/Co will ground recon to vicinity 436337, establish NDP. C/Co will ground recon to vicinity 415269, establish NDP. D/Co will ground recon to vicinity 395292, establish NDP. E/Co 1/6 will ground recon to vicinity 404339, establish NDP.	JS	JA
29.	2145		Shadow 76: TOS 2142. Mighty Maverick notified 2145H. Clearance given at grid line 35 to 40. Broke station at 2207. Negative Sighting.	JS	DG
30.	2200		1/8 Cav: To Staff Duty Officer-Please check with Bde S-4 on 6000 feet det cord. 500 lbs of C-3. We have requested this through our 4 channels, but was to pass to 3 channels to insure that we get this. This has been on request for 2 days./ Sent to Bde S-3 Duty Officer at 2200H.	JS	JA
31.	2205		Bde 3: Request on any problems from 2nd Bde. Discussed mission for 3 Mar. Discussed demolition supplies that we have been having problems getting Bn 3, asked for an entrenching machine to dig trench around fire base. Bde 3 will check on ti with engineers.	JS	JA
32.	2400		All Units: Journal Closed.	JS	JA

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