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STAFF JOURNAL OR DUTY OFFICER'S LOG

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ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION

LOCATION

PERIOD COVERED

1st. Bn, 8th Cav.

FSB Ellen

FROM

TO

HOUR

DATE

HOUR

DATE

0001

20 NOV 69

2400

20 NOV 69

ITEM

NO

TIME

IN

OUT

INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.

ACTION TAKEN

INITIALS

1.

0001

Journal Open Negative Situation

JS

JPF

2.

0020

Slar-TOT-1842H to 1851H

XT 885990 01 in road

XT 980115 01 in river

TOT 2005H to 2022H

XT 920040 01 in river

FY 0657 2259H

reading heavy XT 992983

JS

JPF

3.

0100

neg. sit. rep

4.

0200

neg. sit. rep

5.

0300

neg. sit. rep

6.

0400

neg. sit. rep

7.

0500

neg. sit. rep

8.

0600

neg. sit. rep stand to complete

9.

0615

A/S XU938085 50 bunkers TOT 1445H

#5216 HGI NAU

XU935081 30 bunkers TOT 1615H

#5210 HDB HDA

JS

JPF

10.

0630

GC Snoopy 334 tos 0726H released 1705H

LB Black Bandit 501 tos 0716 rel. 1705H

JS

JPF

11.

0728

Trips&Claymores in # first light check out

JS

JB

12.

0730

Up on the bug

JS

JB

13.

0755

Bn Lno will report day activity to their Bn.

JS

JR

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INITIALS

14.

0755

Hunter killer on station 0755H

working grid 9901

Spot report 0810H #991019 found 01

remains of body (bones) 0815H #971010

found SE-NW trail 10-15 ind. last 48-72H

unknown direction of movement

Saber 23 broke station 0837H

JS

JB

15.

0825

Snoopy 50 tos 0825H working with A/Co

diverted to B/Co help find pad

JS

DF

16.

0900H

Exchange of B/Co & C/Co B/Co PZ #988157

to FSB Ellen - Daisy Chain Sec. to Sec.

LZ Green C/Co first lift off PZ 0905H

LZ complete 0947H 15 sorties B/Co

first lift off PZ 0916H LZ complete 0955H

17 sorties LZ Green FSB Ellen

JS

DF

17.

0950

Saber 26 tos 0810 #991071 Saber 26 & 23

engaged 03 elephant killed 01 Saber 26

looking for one engaged on 19 Nov.

JS

JR

18.

1010

A/Co #019101 B/Co #FSB Ellen

C/Co #988157 D/Co #943084

E/Co FSB Ellen E1/6 #031061

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			0001	20 Nov 69	2400 20 Nov 69
ITEM NO	TIME IN OUT	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC	ACTION TAKEN		INITIALS
19.	1045	B/Co ORF will be on stand by for Sabre Blue Team where downed bird went down about 5 to 7 days ago 1045 ORF released for 20 Nov 69	JS		JR
20.	1045	Speaker & Leaflet Mission North of Ellen Area. POW indicated Base Camp was 1045H broke station at 1120H to 1215H	JS		JR
21.	1053	Deveret an A/S for #938085 will go in #10101 at 1435H to 1445H complete 1450H	JS		JR
22.	1053	Request EOD team for damaged laws and ChiCons grenades etc.	JS		JR
23.	1255	Request airlift for extraction of A/Co to Quan Loi			
24.	1300 3.2	D/Co found 04 bicycles at #954084 also have movement to the East reconed by fire and found heavy blood trails to the east followed trail and resulted in 01 KIA	JS		JR
25	1320	Sniffer Box tot 1104 to 1125H #9415 9815, 9810, 9410, readings at #965130 & #932123 will be past to Sabre to VR Passed to Arty	JS		JR
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	IN	OUT					
26.	1340		C/Co trail at grid #989162 SE to NW 1-2ft wide used last 24H by 10-12 Ind.	JS		DF	
27.	1345		#019097 E-W trail movt. to W	JS		DF	
28.	1400		A-024096 B-FEB Ellen C-985161 D-984083				
			E (sp 4/6) FEB Ellen 1/6 018065	JS		DF	
29.	1400		request from 2nd bde. A/Q extension from 0707 to 0717 0817 to 0807				
			approved by bn.-3 terminate on order	JS		JR	
30.	1520		#955083 D/Co 3/6 found night loc. for 05-10 Ind. cut fruit and burnt charcoal indicates enemy stayed last night or night before trail leads of the SE	JS		DF	
31.	1526		Final plans for 21 Nov sent in to Bde.	JS		JR	
32.	1532	requ	request scout team for D/Co spotted 02 enemy at #955087 did not engage- on the blue- 45 meters Neg ret. fire green unif. enemy was moving across E-W trail moving to the south Sabre 25 inroute to D/Co broke station 1730H				
33.	1545		A/S #935081 tot 1615 clearing complete 1705H #939082 03 bunkers 5x8 destroyed 01 bunker destroyed 4x4 by arty	JS		DF	
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34	1620		A/Co spotted 01 ind. #028096 on N-S trail				
			Evaded to the south when spotted US troops				
			neg engagement on either side A/Co				
			moving on 60AZ pointman spotted evading				
			enemy 50 meters away had no time to engage				
			enemy had AK-47 and green Uniform engaged				
			with arty 18rds of 105			JS	DF
35	1700		request a scout team for last light of Ellen			JS	JR
36	1720		#956085 NW-SE trail light traffic both				
			directions 04 10x12 bunkers 2ft over-				
			head cover also 10 bunkers 8x10 4 months				
			old. They were destroyed.			JS	JR
37	1721		Slashing Talon 1-9 night loc. #012175			JS	JR
38	1800		IR Box will be run 1005,1006,1014,1015				
			1024,1025 time 0100H			JS	JR
39	1820		Closing Locs A-028096 B-Fsb Ellen				
			C-986163 C2/6 988164 D-954083				
			E-FSB Ellen E1/6 016068				
40	1829		E/Co 1/6 W-E trail 2ft wide used by 10-15				
			indiv. last week			JS	JR
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	IN	OUT			
41	2030		A/G 1/5-0000 to 1/7 1/7 Jerrin-A B-Vivian B-003207 C-Quan Loi C-044222 D-890032 D-Wescott E-Vivian E-Wescott F1/6 0000 1/7 F3/6 873999 36 ARVN Rangers 122 954262 3-957252 4-982250 CIDG 981321 3rd mobile strike 2Bn, 937302 3rd Bn, 037285	JS	JF
42	2110		Radar has movement 0360mils 1040meters with 40 rds 81mm and 50 rds of 105mm	JS	JF
43	2150		Radar has movement 6310mils 920 meters engaged with 50rds 105 40rds 81mm	JS	JM
44	2150		Radar movement NE of FSB 0370 mils 100meters engaged with 81mm 20 rds		
45	2320		Tenatibe plans sent in at 2320 for 22 Nov	JS	JF
46			Hunter Killer team to work from fire box tos 2240 Neg. findings on bix and around FSB Ellen broke 2320H	JS	JR
47	2400		Journal Closed		
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A/Co Ground recon Northwest to grid YU000120

Searched area of Heavy Arty Box for recent movement to the South. Established Night Ambushes.

B/Co Conducted DX with C/Co and assumed Base Defense of FSB Ellen.

C/Co Conducted DX with B/Co and reconed to YU020156 established night ambushes.

D/Co reconed South to grid XU953062. They searched are for trail networks leading to the south.

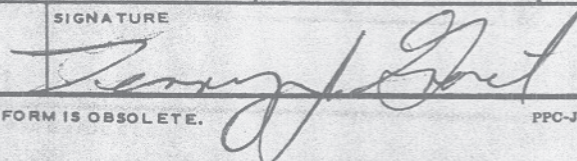
E/Co Base Defense FSB Ellen

E/Co 1/6 reconed to YU027068. Searched area for bunker complexes.

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