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1st Bn, 8th Cav		LZ Ellen		FROM		TO	
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				0001	17 Oct, 69	0400	17 Oct, 69
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN		INITIALS	
	IN	OUT					
1.	0001		Jornal opened	JS		RB	
2.	0110		FY time 0101 light movement at xt 053995.				
			9 105 rds. fired.	JS		RB	
3.	0405		Big Bars operational	JS		RB	
4.	0120		Neg. sit. rep.	JS		RR	
5.	0200		Neg. sit. rep.	JS		RR	
	0300		Neg. sit. rep.	JS		RR	
6.	0400		Neg. sit. rep.	JS		RR	
7.	0500		Neg. sit. rep.	JS		RR	
8.	0620		ORF Brightnight 16, RRF C/Co. complete.	JS Bde		RB	
9.	0630		Recon west to grid 913133 search for north south trails 17 Oct.	JS		RR	
10.	0650		Reminded 28 to have 4P on hook pad w/radio to work with hook to strap tere on way to Ellen for C1/6 secure to secure 0800	JS		EW	
11.	0643		Recon south east to 054176 search for north south trails	JS		RR	
12.	0720		CC Snoopy 532 Log chickenman 251. neg. hook Bde has not notified us about it.	JS		RB	
13.	0725		Claymores and trip flares are in.	JS		RR	
14.	0745		C/Co. first light patrol leaving perimeter at this time, back neg. finding 0900	JS		RR	
15.	0840		Requested a psyops bird for 17 Oct. B.Co. 946143	JS Bde		JB	
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16.	0841	7	B/Co. at 0830H B/Co. 21 was moving from # 946143 to the NW had moved about 30M when they spotted 03 VC armed with AK-50 wearing blue pants and T-shirt they were moving NW to SE. B/Co. 21 engaged with S/Anthe VC did not return fire 2 VC evaded to NE 1 VC POW seriously wounded. B/Co. calling in arty. The 01 VC POW was wearing blue pants T shirt AK-50, pack, pistol belt US canteen. Han es 100 rounds AK had fresh haircut, pack contain some documents, flashlight Kit Carson feel enemy is NVA. weapon #4354 at 1100H POW died.	JS Bde	RC
17.	0935	9	A/Co. at # 042170 engaged 02 enemy in green uniforms. The gooks were moving from W to E had meeting engagement at 200M the enemy evaded to the W. The enemy had AK and returned S/A fire Arty being called in and A/Co. sweeping area	JS Bde	JB
18.	1000H		Request A/S for LZ construct, 928110, 925118	JS Bde	JB
19.	1010		Secure to secure C/Co. 16 to Bu Duc. Lift off 1010H inbound Bu Duc complete 1020H 1 sortry	JS Bde	RC

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20.	1050		Current 1000H locs. A/Co-042170, B/Co.-cp, 12-26, 36, 46, -945151, 12-944141, 13-945140 21-946143, 32-946139 C/Co.-Ellen, 16-Bo Due D/Co.-Ellen, E/Co.-Ellen	JS Bde	JB		
21.	1210		Current Hawkeys for C/Co. 16 998244	JS	SH		
22.	1345		Air request for aircraft for A/Co. extraction E/Co. insertion and C/Co. insertion	JS Bde	JB		
23.	1400		At 036174 WE trail 2ft wide recent use both ways mud s rface ruber canopy, At 053174 EW trail mud surface ruber canopy recent use both directions. 2 ft. wide. At 040170-2 shipper. #042170-1 shipper, #047177020shiper	JS Bde	RC		
24.	1500		IR boxes-1013-8020, 9020, 8010, 9010, 1014-9020 0020, 9010, 0010, 1015-0020, 1020, 0010, 0010, 1023-8010, 9010, 8000, 9000, 1024-9010, 0010, 9000 0000, 1025-0010, 1010, 0000, 1000, 1070-9080, 0080, 9070, 0070, 1071-0080, 1080, 0070, 1070-	JS	JB		
25.	1501		A/Co. 1400H locs. B/Co.-945154, C/Co.-Ellen 16, 998244, E/Co.-Ellen, D-Co.-Quan Loi	JS Bde	JB		
26.	1515		Requested a hook underneath our log bird for 4th day inrow and request why we haven't had one	JS Bde	JB		
27.	1500		B/Co. 945154 B/Co. found 02 graves. 01 of the				

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			graves had 4' bamboo fence and lava head stone no marking. The graves were 6' deep both about 10 days old. Ind. killed by arty 01 ind in each grave. Neg. markings but thought to be NVA. Ind. were believed to have been important ind. by way they were prepared for the graves.	JS Bde	RC
28.	1645		Final plans turned into Bde for 18 Oct.	JS Bde	JB
29.	1620		Hook tos 1620H for C 16 secure to secure from Bu Duo to FSB Ellen 1st left off 1625H complete 1640H total 1 sorty	JS Bde	JB
30.	1700		Slashing Talons 32 NL #945070	JS	RC
31.	1750		Spot reports B 1/9 1645H xu928121-1 Ind. running down NS trail used by 3-4 ind in last 6 H. engaged 1KBH wearing black PJ-neg weapon 1713H-xu935130, 1 bunker 15x30 2 bunkers 10x15 1 struuce 10x20 L shaped trench 30x30 NS trail used by 4 ind. in last 6 H. 1720H xu-945135, 1 tunnel supported by wooden beams.	JS	JB
32.	1815		A/Co.-cp, 16, 26, -053174, 36-46, 26-043176. B/Co.-cp, 16, 26, 36, 46, -941140, 12-939137, 21-944144, C/Co.-Ellen, D/Co.-Quan Loi BD, E/Co. Ellen	JS Bde	JB

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33.	1816		Hatchet report: Plt. Sq. day----- 2 0 night----- 2 4 4 4		JS Bde	JB	
34.	1915		Requested dog team for 18 Oct. for C/Co. to be on log pad 0700H. It will be the 20th Oct. before we can get a dog team.		JS Bde	JB	
35.	1938		A/Co. medivac request 1900H for 01 ind. A/Co. #043176. Set down pad. Temp 104 degree's Medivac 14- 15-20min. push 47.15. TOS-1913H Complete 1935H. A/Co. R.No. M 1 Martino, Dominick, SP/4 196-40-0199		JS	RC	
36.	2135		Request de foliage mission in 1st and 2nd bands of wire on FSB Ellen		JS Bde	RB	
37.	2145		Tentative plans for 19 Oct. sent in		JS Bde	RB	
38.	1830		A/S #924127 tot 1700H complete 1830 BDA neg.		JS	RC	
39.	2140		All elements are up on the bug		JS	RR	
40.	-241		Gates are closed. Last light patrol neg. findings.		JS	RR	
41.	2220		Discussed possibility of CA for C 1/8 or B 1/8 to vac 0081 center mass and work N on 2 Or 3 day operation hook laid on from Ellen to Vivian and slicks for CA Would take minimum of 2 days for B 1/8 to move there		JS	RB	

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42.	2255		<p>Summary: A/Co. ground recon East from grid # to grid 052173. Search area for recently used trail networks and caches. Set up alt. Sage with ambushes at grids 055176 and 060172 B/Co. ground recon from grid 947140 to 922140 will be searching out enemy caches and trail networks with recent enemy use. Set up ambushes at 920138 and 925144. C/Co. Base defense of FSB Ellen and will be conducting mortar training and individual weapons training. 16 will CA to Bo Duc District at grid 959244 and conduct joint operations with District FR and PF's. 16 will return to FSB Ellen at 1630H 17 Oct. 69. Mission will be local patrolling. Contriller at District is Half Canteen. 80. D/Co. Base defense of Quan Loi, E/Co. Base defense of FSB Ellen and will be conducting mortar training and small arms training also improving company area. Log schedule 0730. report to Ellen via Cold Steel VIP Pad, 0730 possible sorties to Song Be; Empty H2O blivets. 0800 Stand-by for further missions possible CS gas mission 1) B/Co. 21</p>		

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			had contact with 03 VC. result 01 VC KIA.		
			No. 16 for further readout. 2) A/Co. engaged		
			02 enemy. Neg. enemy assessment. No. 17 for		
			readout. 3) B/Co. found 02 graves. 01 of the		
			graves had 01 ind. KBA. No. 27 for complete		
			readout.	JS	JB
43.	2400		Journal closed	JS	JB

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