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ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
1	0005		Ren: show coming up the hill now. CONFIDENTIAL on top of us. Not Filed	J, Bde, CO	qrs
2	0012		Ren: held them off this time Having artillery stand by AKA Requested cannot take off. Estimated attached by at least Co. size element.	J Bde, CO	qrs
3	0015		From Bde 3: AKA cannot get off at this time ceiling is at 300', if we can help in anyway call	J CO	qrs
4	0026		Ren: Will start using longer artillery at this time to fire around base of Ren position. Illumination also being fired at this time.	J, CO. ARMY	qrs
5	0032		Ren: Low supply of claymores + trip flares WILL POSITION STROB LIGHTS. NE NEEDED FOR ARA	J, CO	qrs
6	0035		Ren: Believed to have been attacked from the South East and South West. Negative enemy movement at this time At present firing Artillery on the slopes of Ren position CONFIDENTIAL	J, CO, BDE	qrs
7	0045		Ren PVT WIC: At Believes that after	J, CO, BDE	qrs

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NO. TIME IN MESSAGE ACTION

7 con't 0045 talking with his personnel they were J, BDE, CO

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attacked from 4 directions by at least a squad in each direction from the NW, NE, SW + SE. Believed attacked by a reinforced plt. They (ENEMY) ATTACKED with hand grenades and auto-wpns believed AK47s.

8 0050 SAREP ABCD ENER NEGATIVE, RCN J, BDE CO.

SMALL GROUP ~~AT THE~~ AT THE BASE OF RCN POSITION STILL FIRING ARTY.

9 0100 RCN: IT IS ALL QUIET AT THIS TIME. THE J, ARTY DO

ILLUMINATION HELPS QUITE A BIT. DO NOT BELIEVE ARTY CAN KEEP IT UP ALL NIGHT, POSSIBILITY OF FLARE SHIP.

10. 0100 FROM ARTY: WE CAN PROVIDE ILLUMINATION

WHEN RUNS LOW THEN WE CAN REQUEST THE FLARE SHIP.

11 0115 From Bde: Flare ships are scarce J, RCN DO

and cannot get them until in ~~the~~ contact.

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later releases that will ~~be~~ out of illumination at this rate and may be needed.

later.

12 0117 Ren: need the illumination each time J, BDE

it stops they start to move again

12 cont

up the hill

J, BDE - OLS

13

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situation - J, Ren - OLS

Bde will request flare ship from
huytho - Renon freq 65.50

14. 0132

FR Bde: Flare ship 689 should be on station to Ren in 20 min should contact Ren on 65.50 if have trouble contacting call and will check on freq. J, Ren OLS

15 0145

Make contact with Basket Ball 572 directed him to Ren PLT. J, Ren, Bde OLS

16 0150

SITREP ABC D EVER NEGATIVE - Ren PLT ESTIMATED REINFORCES PLT AT base of his pos. Flares keep them from moving up to his location, will keep using flares at this time. J, BDE OLS

17 0200

Ren has two flare ships on freq 38.80 Basket Ball 572 switched to 38.80 J OLS

18 0210

Ren Plt LDR: checking with radar at this time to determine movement. Possibility **CONFIDENTIAL** that enemy might have withdrawn. Will check first with radar before making an estimate of the situation - ~~the request of the platoon~~

0210

~~the request of the platoon~~ from Bde - Has the radar J, OLS Bde

NO. TIME (H) MESSAGE ACTION INT

19 0145

picked up any movement, and all the flames
during any good TO Bde Recn ALT Lde is
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at Present checking with his radar element and
the flames are keeping the enemy from advancing
in Recn position at this time. will call
back after Recn Plt^{LOE} makes an estimate on
the situation

J, BDE 020

20 0245

SITREP ABCD ENGR NEGATIVE: Recn
PLT LOE AT THIS time cannot detect
any large movements by radar.
there is possibility of enemy person
on the eastern slope probably wounded,
keeping this under observation. Believe
that the main element and possibly
a larger element moved to the North
via 662236.

J, Bde 00 020

21. 0255

From Recon, Radar picks up 50-60
personnel 400 meters SW of his position
moving back and forth from that area
CONFIDENTIAL believe they are probing the area. will
fire indirect on that area.

J, Bde 00 020

22. 0330

From Recon enemy has dispersed
back into the Hills. will keep
indirect fire in the area.

J

No.	TIME	Message	ACTION	INT.
23	03.35	Bde was informed of the CONFIDENTIAL mine Sweeping team won't be able to confirm until first light.	J, DO	DR3
24	0346	Sit Rip Neg ABCD also Reveal this	J Bde	DR3
25	0349	Engineers observe some type of noise to their front.	J, DO	DR3
26	0356	Engr. learned cause of noise to their front which was 2 cats	J DO	DR3
27	0445	Sit Rip Neg ABCD Recon + Engr. DTS, Ptk DR3		
28	0533	Recon out of fuel for generator So requests illumination till first light.	J, DO	DR3
29	0544	Sit Rip Neg Engr ABCD J	J Bde	DR3
30	0623	CHANGE to New DAY on Delta 1	J	DR3
31	0631	Bde confirmed our CC bird & Log Bird would be at our location a prescribed time also the call CONFIDENTIAL for C+C Ship is potato Mashee 59 tail number 554 our Log Bird Potato Mashee 25 TAIL # 551. (Reaction force)	J, DO,	DR3
32	0644	Bde informed us THAT RAT FINK		

No.	TIME	MESSAGE	Action	INF.
32	Cont.	will have a 5+2 call sign	J	6 of 16 DRZ
33	0703	Water Buffalo yellow 1. CONFIDENTIAL has received its log book & is sending it out for back haul	J	DRZ
34	0712	Recon reports to foggy to check assumptions of last night's engagement.	J	DRZ
35	0718	Message from Bde the white team has left to our location at 0700 should be at our location anytime	J	DRZ
36	0715	A Co A36 has closed in.	J	
37	0715	C Co Tiger has closed in.		
38	0725	A Co H5 personnel departed	J, Bde	

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39	0757	0758	CONFIDENTIAL Bluerades 1 - Location R 4.7 43.7 YD 697255	J, BDE	JDA
40	0824	0825	CONFIDENTIAL Bluerades 1 - Location R 5.8 42.9 YD 708249	J, BDE	JDA
41	0835		FrAco: 2d Plat departed for check Sweep along the River.	J	JDA
42	0855		FrBob: B227 Av in scattered Group of NVA at YD 685310, 690300, 705310	S-2, J, B, C.	JDA
43	0900		Delayed Entry at 0839 Fr Bob Avr off to Bus-3 AIR, and Bus Co. Skypats requests for the following day must be submitted by 0830 daily. 0900 daily for FAC directed pre-planned airstrikes. by 1430 hr daily request must be submitted for CA mission requirements, ACFT allocations for CA will normally be as follows, 10 - Steaks, 4 Steaks, 1 C+C, Daily Bde allocation, 1 C+C, and 2 log Beils, Beils 5-4 in		

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			CONFIDENTIAL units 5-4's will decide priority for log Beid, unit will no longer receive or a matter of routine, a C+C ship on log Beid for them weekly	S-3 ACP, CO.	mf
44.	0900		Miniserv located at 717243	Bde.	mf
45.	0900.		Person sent out patrol to search area of activity from last night.		
46.	0903		RCN 4A ele. 4D 657225	J, Bde	
47.	0905		ACO 26 ele loc. 4D 673223	J, Bde	
48.	0910		CCO 24 ele moving	J	
49.	0910		Col Tallman departed area	J	
50.	0933		to RCN RCN: Patrol at 6552A found fresh grave, examining debris for material and writing pad.	Bde	mf
51.	0934		Delayed Entry Miniserv at CPN, completed	Bde	mf
52.	0936		Bco: moving man	J, M.	mf
53.	0940		CONFIDENTIAL C10 16 same loc 40 C20 loc 4D 723309 C36 loc 4D 727307	J	

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54	0950		<p>Bale would like clearance in guid 6520 for time 2000 tonight to 0800 tomorrow for skyspots; clearance granted.</p>	J	
55	1000		<p>RCN 1Aelt 40653222 has found Bale tunnels and possible mortar positions. Number of tunnels unknown at this time.</p>		my
56	1010		<p>Fa 1502 Au no fuel at 135395. Have a Small Company at 735 290, work close to Ind area.</p>	C,	my
57	1020		<p>RCN Patrol 1A found VC lat loc. 1 tunnel 10 Speed. Hal. ad mortar positions all have fresh tracks.</p>		
58	1030		<p>FRS-3 & Co: @ base at Fr salt. L 1.0 00.5, 740 315 men Speed. Bal. some lumber along ch debris, and some male person of military age</p>		
59	1030		<p>Platoon found the location.</p>		

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60.	1025		REN Patrol J1 found Bunkers, at 670248 CONFIDENTIAL occupied, go to fire 8 man	J Bul	J
61	1030		REN Patrol R O.1 up 0.4 651224, Paul patiahore together, msg.		
62	1045		ER Aco: 1st Plat Sen - 675220 2d PLAT. 693202 688222		
63.	1112.		FR CO CO Plach: C-1 733 310, 728305, 725 306.	msg	no
64.	1112		FR CO: 722311, 723313, 718309	msg	msg.
65.	1115		Unit loc. ACO 691213 A16 4D 693203 A26 4D 675230 BCO 712319 4D 723317 4D 718309 CCO 733313 C26 4D 725306 C36 4D 708305 REN 4D 664225 A4A 4D 652225	J Bul	
66	1155		REN has no patrol out	J	
67	1200		CCO loc. C16 4D 734307 C26 4D 725306 C36 4D 735300. C26 has found rice in a hootch are checking on this now also C36 has found rice.	J	
68.	1202		A26 is at Aco CP at this	J	

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69	1210		In Ref to #67 C26 has found 24 bags weighing apx 50 lbs each of rice also 2 Vaki uniforms and 2 canteens.	J, Bole	
			CONFIDENTIAL		
70	1215		C destroyed all the rice		
71	1225		C is finding 4 or 5 bags of rice in each hootch they search. the bags are in apx 50 + 100 lb bags. Also they are finding signs with vietnamese writing saying - many happy New Year.	J Bole	
72	1255		FR Co: Am finding more and more rice, much more than we used normally to see village, found some hidden in hootches.	J. Bole	MA
73	1300		FR B Co: Located 718307 Center of mass.		
74	1310		FR Co: need a priority, will take 1 hour to get 1 ACFT load ready for extraction.	S-3,	ZJ
75	1330 1330		FR Co to C Co: Take the rice (spec), you found in the hootches, and move it to suitable LZ.	S-3, CO, C Co, J	ml.
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76. 80	1400		<p>at 4D 718306 ^{Bco} has found what appeared to be a machine gun position that was dug last night. Villagers tell B-6 an NVA BN came thru 5 days ago, stayed for 3 days and built up positions. The weapons the villagers observed from NVA were: one 7.62 M.G.; ^{13.5} 14.5 M.G.; one 82MM mortar; one 57gun; one 60MM; one AK47; were in a grassy field. Searched grassy field but ^{villagers} would not permit it. Villagers state VC come into the village every night. One located VIC 720300</p>	Bde 2-3	21
77	1440		Bco located 723304		
78	1445		Location sent to Bde.		
79	1447		Co's AB, RCN: READY TO RECEIVE THEIR LOG	J, S4	21
80	1455		CoA-16 element closed CP	J, M, Bde	
82	1500		CoC- in the last 60 min increasing no. of people moving back into the area	J, D, B	21

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82	cont		that weren't there yesterday. Should be absent in pwr for log in 60 min location CONFIDENTIAL 136299	J, Bde PO	ars
83	1525		Col 16+26 element in RON pwr 726296	J, S4, M, Bde	ars
84	1530		Co departs for Co ABC	J	ars
85	1615		Co D36 elements returns this location from convey security	J, Bde	ars
86	1620		From Bde: ¹⁰¹ Division Cmdr and Bde Emble will be enroute to this location in approx 30 min. No meeting at 1200 hrs tonight at Bde	J, CO, DS S2	ars
87	1635		Co C 36 element closed night pwr	J, Bde	ars
88	1635		From Nibel Windup will have a plt move from Sally LZ 701.1 TO West 2000 meters tomorrow	J	ars
89	1650		TO Bde: All unit locations and proposed ambush locations	J, Bde PO	ars
90	1700		From Bde: at 1300 located 670 228 115 local force Co. 300 VC APPROX UIC 640210 By AGENT REPORTS	J, S2	ars
91	1725		MG Boissonne (CG, 101 st Div) and Col Cushman (CO, 2d Bde) arrive	J, Bde	ars

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			LZ PINKY. Met by LTC Tallman.		
92	1730		CO Ambush - Bde CO reported CC nearby		M
CONFIDENTIAL					
93	1830		From 54 Rep: From 54 have gotten the word that 4.2" Mort ammo could not be fired in our H+1 role	J, BDE	QES
94	1853		Ground clearance granted 81mm for Ren 666228 - GRANTED S3A	J, DO	QES
95	1915		CoB. Ambush patrol departs this time will break up into 3 squad size ambushes all in the vic of LZ 0 D1-9 720301 approx 200 meters apart.	J, M	QES
96	1930		CoC ambush patrol departing at this time	J	QES
97	1950		TO S31-502 = CoB 2-801 operational area for 11 MAR 68	J, 1-802	QES
98	1950		TO CoB: No firing to the north of tomorrow's operational area unless engaged		
CONFIDENTIAL					
99	1955		4.2" PLTED; RPTS THAT Bunker 2 unoccupied	CoD J.	QES
100	2000		CoB ambush patrol in fan 720301	J Bde, 4	QES
101	2005		CoC ambush patrol in fan 734303	J, Bde M	QES

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102	2010		Ground clearance for CoA 4.2" Mort as defensive targets 68552230, CONFIDENTIAL 67402230, 67702335, 68502355 Granted S2 to be fired only when in contact	J, S2, 4.2'	ASJ
103	2012		CoA ambush patrol in pvt 681228 and 699214	J, BDE, RCN	ASJ
104	2017		Rcn reports 7 men in field pvt 2 J, CoA moving east on road from Beer R2-8 DO.1 678219		ASJ
105	2018		From Pde: Reference 4.2" Ammo. It can be fired in H+1 role as long as it does not exceed 50 rd's per night	J, ECO, OPSET	ARS
106	2035		CoA ambush at 681228 in contact with enemy size and exact location unknown at this time. Will fire indirect - 4.2" Mort granted clearance to fire 67702335	J, BDE 1-801	ASJ
107	2040		CoA - Ambush believe that they KIA 3 enemy personnel in killing zone believed there were some behind them. Will move East or West after contact. CONFIDENTIAL	J	ASJ
108			CoA - Ambush has 3 ^{BC} HA from dept		ASJ

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108	cont		<p>Claymore mine in their ambush following fired M79 on ambush. Have Have a slightly WIA does not require Med-evac. Will CONFIDENTIAL move patrol 300 meters to fault. Did have some return fire appeared to be M79 or some similar HE fire.</p>	J, BDE, CO, DO	CRB
109		2105	CoA ambush patrol at 681228 moved to 681225	J, BDE, CO	CRB
110	2128		CoA ambush located vic 681225 will send 2 or 3 personnel to check area vic 681228 where ambush was ambush activated previously. Will stop HHI temporarily	J, CO, Aery	CRB
111	2145		SITREP ABCD ENGR Rev - Negative	J, Bde	CRB
112	2200		CoA element checked area 681228 found 3 Bodies in line. No equipment found.	J, CO	CRB
113	2245		SITREP ABCDJ ENGR - Negative	J, Bde	CRB
114	2345		SITREP ABCDJ ENGR - Negative	J BDE	CRB
115	2400		Closed out for 10 March 1968	J	CRB
			Summary. CONFIDENTIAL IN D words 30		
			US-KIA's 20 CREW SERVED 12, US-12, WIA 98 (EVAL) J		CRB

TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY
GLENN R. MARRS, CPT, Armor

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1	0046		SIT REP: Neg ABCD Recon, ENGR.		DRJ
2	0105		Received MESSAGE BDE to inform <div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">CONFIDENTIAL</div> our Recon THAT there will be a SKY SPOT IN 35 MINUTES IMPACTING 2 1/2 Kilometers to THERE S.W.	J, Do, Recon	DRJ
3	0155		SIT REP Neg: ABCD Recon ENGR	J Do, Bde	DRJ
4	0245		SIT REP NEG: ABCD Recon ENGR	J Do BDE	DRJ
5	0345		SIT REP NEG BC Recon ENGR Negative CONTACT WITH ALPHA.	J Do BDE J	DRJ
6	0450		SIT REP NEG: ABCD Recon ENGR	J Bde	DRJ
7	0535	0545	Sit Rep Neg	J, Bde	
8	0635		From Bde. The call sign for our bird is Eagle 010 Bird will arrive on time. as scheduled.	J	
9	0700		Bco ambush has closed	J Bde	
10	0701		Cco ambush has closed	J Bde	
11	0728		Acco 16 ambush has closed	J Bde	
12	0730		D. CO MS personnel have departed	J	
13	0750		Bde has to have our sky spots <div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">CONFIDENTIAL</div> by 0830 and our prep plan by 0900	J-3-3A1B	

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14	0814		Bco M5 personnel is at CPM	J, Bob	
15	0815		Aco 26 ambush was closed. They found 2 weapons AK47 left CONFIDENTIAL left . Serial no. MK10932 and MK09716. The rifles had the no 11 stamped on the stock in a circle, was made in 1964. Also found 2 grenades and approx 300 rds of AK ammo. The bodies they found were exceptionally large. Dressed in green uniforms ^{green uniforms} .	J, Bob	
16	0822		From Aco contact last night they have two men with scrapnal wounds would like them evac. - The men will be brought to this location.	J	
17	0825		The AK47 found had folding stock. Ref #5	J	
18	0830		C & B Co back haul is CONFIDENTIAL complete at this time.	J	
19	0840		Unit Loc. Aco 4D 692212; BCo 4D 722303; C 4D 725296		

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19	Cont		RCN 4D 664225	J, Bde	
20	0845		Bco is moving at this time	J, Bde	
21	0849		RCN 2A and 2B has departed	J	
22	0900		C16 is moving the rest of	J, Bde	
			C ele. will be moving in 10 min		
23	0917		A26 ele is moving	J	
24	0920		Dco H5 is at CPN	J, Bde	
25	0930		Bco loc. 748297	J	
26	0931		RCN 2A and B loc. 4D661228	J	
27	0945		Area in which B and C are operating is being more and more populated. Believe it is not in to head of shape don't believe C co has to stay in overwatch position.		
28	1000		FRcco: C1 720296, C(-) 717298		
29	1017		FR Rocom Recor AHB 658932, found a Company Signal defensen position down along the river these Signal locs of Bde appear to have been dug last night, lot of rock tracks	Bde	A

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31	1028		CONFIDENTIAL CoA location 16 R4.1 V1.8 691238 36 R.33 D1.4 683206	M, J, Bde	QES
32	1030		D36 - ATCPN -	J, M, Bde	QES
33	1035		CoB - Found 3 Rockets 2.75 OFF DOWN BIRD at 710 310 will blow in place	J, DO	QES
34	1050		D36 - CLOSED LZ PINKY	J, DO, M, Bde	QES
35	1055		CoB - location ^{3xLC} L04.824 702296	J, Bde, M	QES
36	1100		CoC - location ^{SALT} (6) L4.0 D2.6 710294 C16 L03.525 715295	J, Bde, M	QES
37	1105		Ren 2A+2B ^{BSCR} R.5 V1.3 YO 655233	J, Bde, M	QES
38	1115		Ren: Dog INTO 1 grave found 1 Body with Black ps's 2 days old vic 655234	J, DO	QES
39	1130		Asst Div Cmr 101 enroute Pinky should arrive 05 min.	J, DO, OSGT, S3	QES
40	1135		Asst Div Cmr 104 arrives LZ Pinky departs 1150	J, S3, CO (1140)	QES
41	1200		From S2 Bde: Have a map of area South of AO		
42	1201		CONFIDENTIAL CoB contact FL53 D23-697297	J, DO	QES
43	1202		CoB Bde: 1-501 does have an element north of our Ren 2A+2B.	J, Ren	QES
44	1207		CoB - Have received approx 2 eds enroute		

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44			if going overhead. Appan 2 snipers		
45	1210		CoA - lost his combr deposits location enroute to Ken.	J,	WJ
46	1215		CoB - 1 WIA will require med-evac L 5.3 D 2.3 SALT	J, Bde	WJ
47	1223		CoB - 1 more WIA have snipers metly well pinned down. Same L 2 L 6.2 D 2.6 - 688294	J, Bde	WJ
48	1223		TO Bde - Request Med-evac for CoB via L 6.2 D 2.4 - 688294	J, Bde	RF
49	1230		Bde: Med evac 454 on 49.30 for CoB - Patient litter.	J, CoB	RF
50	1232		TO CoB - Do you still need ARA - Can get along without it.	J, CoB	RF
51	1232		C+C ship will return this location in 15 min - Refuel	J, CO	RF
52	1242		Co (E) location L 4.4 D 3.3 ^{L 2} 706287 CIC 7070294 36 L 4.5 D 4.0 705280 16 L 0 4026	J, m.	RF
53	1245		Co B - has ^{more} WIA	J,	RF
54	1300		From Bde - 1-502 has sighted 3 VC in the oph 682302 moving in direction of CoB 2-501.	J, CO	RF
55	1300		From Bde: VC in oph 682296	J, CO	RF

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54	1302		From Bde: CoC 1-50K is operating UC 680235 CONFIDENTIAL	J, S3	PS
55	1305		Bde Lt: Have found 8 bodies killed by schrapnel 655233 in graves. 2 were larger appeared to be Chinese, 3 dressed in black PT 3 in combination of black PT and green uniform - 2 completely in green uniforms	J, Bde, S3	PS
56	1315		Rcn: freshly dug bunker complex on line R02 U1.1 40 652231 Co size. No equipment found 1 mortar from approx 50 meters to west.	J, S2, Bde	PS
57	1358		FAAC: 16 dead bodies in compound perimeter -	my, J,	td
58	1403		Felcon: one of the bodies had a wallet, with some kind of air award.	J,	my
59	1412		Enemy supply legend from BCO: 1 Cam small, 2 Cam M-79, 3 Cam low, 1 Cam, 5-56, 3 Cam n 60, 3 Cam Dress CONFIDENTIAL	S-4, CO.	w
60	1405		FRCN: 3A+2B CoC at Felcon. R0.2411 653231		

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61	1437		FR Bco Have finished same ve out to the north	S, CO	ml
62	1432		FR Bco. thru I detainees CONFIDENTIAL no IO card	J, CO.	ml
63	1442		FR Aco. Tent: Ambush location for Tonight on 1- R3.1 U 08 681298, 686213	S-3	ml
64	1454		Bco at 697297 still seeing fire from bunker, AW fire.	S-3, CO.	ml
65	1459		FR BCO: Have moved into edge of woods seeing heavy fire don't seem hostile in the woods. An out ^{up} fire and maneuver going to try to move to the school where we first received fire, 3rd Platoon has one IWA, under heavy fire in the grave site.		
66	1507		FR Cco: when we enter gym, stop to receive sniper fire. 687300 CONFIDENTIAL		
67	1510		FR Bco: Still cannot fire and move out. Have repositioned		

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68			ARA, Can not pull back w/o covering fire.		
69	1515		For Co: CONFIDENTIAL Sergeant stepped, now are pulling back	J, CO	CS
70	1518		Co B: Trying to get ARA at this time. Cannot pull back without covering fire.	J, CO	CS
71	1516		Co B: Have pulled back to the river and are ready for the airstrike.	J, CO	CS
72	1517		Co B: Have sighted an approximate NVA reinforced platoon ^{in full field of view} moving in the area at L5.2 D.7 ^{SADT 698301}	J, CO	CS
73	1518		Co B: Have 4 WIA ready for pick at salt L6.2 02.6. Med evac 454 49.30	MED EVAC, J, CO B	CS
74	1519		Co B: Calling arty in the area at this time.		
75	1530		Co B: CONFIDENTIAL in pre for airstrike have 7 WIA to be picked up.	J, CO	CS
76	1532		Co C: Forward element receiving sniper fire 1 WIA. withdrawing them with fire.	J, CO.	CS

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77	1535		CoB: Need ammo would like on med. evac	J, Co	all
78	1540		From Bde: Would we like more TAC Air - If we are able to have him call Bde Co on Bde Comd	J, OPSET, CO	OP
79	1541		Rec: Have observed 150-200 Viet civilians adult. in grids 6822, 6823, 6824. Moving around.	J, Bde,	RS
80	1541		From Bde: If we are going to use more TAC air need to request at this time.	J, Co, Bde	RS
81	1546		Co Co: Have CoA check grids 6822, 6823, 6824.	J, Co, Bde	RS
82	1547		CoB: Med evac complete	J, Co.	RS
83	1548		CoB: Unstruck at this time	J	RS
84	1555		CoB+Co to use ARA at this time		
85	1555		Bde: The request for additional TAC Air has been requested. ETA UNK.	J, Co BDE	OP
86	1558		Rec: Have observed 1-501 element near 652 231.	J, OPSET	RS
87	1600		CoA: on grid 6822 group moving North in some type of file	J, OPSET	OP
88	1605		CoC to be in graveyard CoB to tie		

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88	cont		in with CoC		CFC		
89	1605		Co to Co: Ambulst vic of bridge 6872892	J	CFC		
90	1610		Co to Co: Have 1 KIA and 1 walking wounded. CONFIDENTIAL	J,	CFC		
91	1610		CoB: We have 1 KIA - Need ARA to cover for extraction.	J,	CFC		
92	1612		CoA: 200 personnel working in field 6824	J, CO.	CFC		
93	1620		CoB: Have the KIA to med-evac. location - ready for pick up	J, or ser	CFC		
94	1622		CoC: You can use the ARA at this time	J, CoC	CFC		
95	1622		TO CoB: Move to the west and tie in with CoC.	J.	CFC		
96	1623		CoC: 3 WIA - 2 litter, 1 ambulatory	J, Co	CFC		
97	1630		CoC: when C+C ship picks up CoB KIA, could we pick up CoC 1 detainee	J, S3	CFC		
98	1631		TO CoC: ARA should be on station in 10 min. have a squad in pos to direct fire. have 1 squad under fire at this time are in process of breaking contact.				
99	1648		ARDCO. CONFIDENTIAL to checkout Cribbin, call crew Cribbin 25 and 30, appeal 2, have no TP cash				

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			A large number of the group moved east into the woods.		
100.			just to even I believe to your location.		
101.	1655		Requested med-evac. for C co's, WIA, Seymour		
102.	1700		FR Bde: Custer. Cancelled. Wx not good enough.		W.
103.	1705		Cancel B co because it is now.		
104.	1706		FR Bde: Medevac: 454, ETA 05. Leg 49.30.		
105.	1705		FR Bde PF Medevac Contact w/40 VC at 1700 Lat 673285		
			Behind widow to 681289		
106.	1707		FR Bde: ⁰¹ C-130 no longer available, ground it being w/ 155 and 8".		
107.	1710		FR ^C CONFIDENTIAL 2 w/43		
			TOTAL Today 1-Cater 1-walk		
107	1710		FR Bde: JA+JB have returned my location may finish, result.		

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109 1714 IR B Co: Have at least 11 Body J, Bde 48

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

110 1716 IR B Co: Ref Co request for J 48

C 1801 to move into center part of AO, it is impossible for them to move tonight, will consider ambulance will advise of ambulance locations.

111 1725 TO Bde: CoB location 695296 J, Bde 48

CoC location 695295 - CoB will have ambulances to the East and West of gravesite

112 1737 From Bde: CoD 1-502 LZ to the J, S3 48

north of our CoB + CoC established a blocking pos via 690310

113 1740 CoB: at this time 9 WIA, 1 KIA, will J, S1 48

confirm CoC 2 WIA

114 1742 CoC: element to the south today have J, S3 48

1 Viet. civilian appear to avoid questioning will advise & detain

115 1750 ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ J, S3 48

116 1805 1805 TO Bde: Scanning of tracks J.

relink sent to Bde.

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117

1800

From S4 - Have completed one log requirement
 for today - S3 we have one requirement at
 10 Park

J, S3, SA.

JS

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118

1825

TO Bde: Request air strike on the
 following grid 689300, 694301,
 691302, 691303, 693305, 694303

J, BDE, S3A

JS

119

1832

TO Bde: Change in Plans Summary
 for Tomorrow -

J, Bde

JS

120

1905

From 1-502 - CoD 1-502 ambush
 684304, 693306. CoC 1-502
 704313, 707316.

J, CoB, CoC

JS

121

1910

CoD has squad vic 681263

J, BDE, S3,

JS

122

1925

CoB internal freq 56.70

123

1929

from 1-502 CoC 1-502 from Bow

J, M

JS

R5.3 D0.5, CoB 4.1 D1.1, yd 703315, 691309

124

1932

CoA 36 Ambush in psr 687213

J

JS

125

2005

Ran PLT Radar picks up 5 personnel
 100 meters to west of Rsn have engaged M79
 believe gotten 1, moving North

J, CO

JS

126

2010

CoC Ambush in psr Bow RD 3.7
 3.3 **CONFIDENTIAL**

127

2017

1-502 Ambuses B 647288, 664295
 C 702323, 703313, D 686304, 695309

J, M

JS

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128	2020		New: requests freq of Friendly NW of my position CONFIDENTIAL	J,	QR
129	2025		ACO FO 4.2" MORT REQUESTS ILLUMINATION CLEARANCE GRID 6740 2230 HAVE SPOTTED UC	J, CO	QR
130	2030		ACO BELIEVED AMBUSH HAS SPOTTED SOME UC WILL WAIT BEFORE MAKING DETERMINATION		
131	2035		TO BDE: ALL UNIT LOCATIONS AND AMBUSH LOCATIONS	J, Bde	
132	2045		CoB: would like 34 rds 40mm and 130 magazines - Confirm 11 BC today possibly 4 or 5 more.	J, CO.	off
133	2055		CoB ambush locations 692294, 698296.		
134	2059		Engr: detect movement 150 meters out	J, S3	QR
135	2105		TO S: 1st priority class to CoB and CoC & magazines - CoC 3 cases M16, 3 cases M79, CoB 34 rds M79 130 MAGAZINES	J	
136	2117		From Co 1502 - PISTOL PETE HAS SPOTTED 18-25 ISAMPAS POST REACHED CONFIDENTIAL 7334 - Co SIZE ELEMENT DISMANTLED HEADINGS TO THE SW	J, CoC, CoB	QR

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137	2130		S1- 1 KIA CoB at EVANS - 9 WIA at Phu Bia. ^{1 MAY NOT MAKE IT} giving critical Col 2 WIA at Phu Bia	J, S3	PS
CONFIDENTIAL					
138	2140		CoD - 3 rd plt spotted 2 figures approx 10-20 miles from wire engaged with Hand Grenade	T, S3	CRB
139	2145		SITREP ABCD ENGR - NEGATIVE	J, BDE	PS
140	2155		From Bde: The MPs are setting up at PW pad. Contact them on 47.70 Sublet 2.		
141	2210		CoD - 3 rd plt LP detects movement request to fire hand flare - granted DO	J, DO	CRB
142	2217		CoD - have heard 2 or 3 M79s believe come from 81 man or 4.2" platoon - Engr fired M79 - saw 3 individuals in starlight scope. Col CD advised Engr of ground rules.	J, DO	PS
143	2248		SITREP ABCD RCN ENGR - NEGATIVE	J, BDE	PS
144	2354		SITREP ABCD RCN ENGR - Negative	J, BDE	PS
145	2355		G told INDIA TO SHUT DOWN OWHI	J	PS
146			Closed out 2400 11 Mar 68 Round 2400	J	
CONFIDENTIAL					
SUMMARY: NVA/VC BODY COUNT (132)					
POW/DETAINEE - 34 IND WPNS - 32					
US KIA 21					
CREW SERVED 12 US WPS 12 US WIA 109 (EVANS)					

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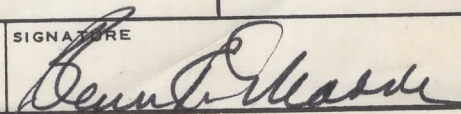
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147			<p>Operation Jeb Stuart Terminated 11000 hrs 68, for the Bell Company Opcom 10th ABN DIVISION. Cumulative Results OPN JEB STUART NVA/VC Body Count - 105 POW/DETAINERS 32 IWD WPNS-32 CREW SERVED 12 US TYPE-12 US KIA-20 US WIA EVACED 100 (EVACED)</p> <p>TOTAL FOR 11 MAR 68 Body Count VC/NVA, BCO 19, RECON 8, TOTAL 27, DETAINEES-2 FROM DCO: CCO-2 WIA, BCO 1 KIA 9 WIA. WEAPONS ACO 2-AK-47's TOTAL FOR OPERATION CARENTAN. SAME AS ABOVE. TOTAL SINCE TN Counter.</p>		
			<div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">CONFIDENTIAL</div>		

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52/3 2ND BN (ABN) 501ST INF

LZ PINKY
 HOE, RUN
 VD 689254

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1	0002		<p style="text-align: center;">CONFIDENTIAL</p> <p>Fm Bde 5-2: reference items and documents turned in earlier today. Contained vitamin pills, camphor, and metholatum, NVA wallets contained NVA stamps. Nothing of immediate tactical significance. (#2) Bde 5-2 would like CO to return NVA sketchmap as soon as he is finished with it.</p>	<p>501</p>	<p>CRB</p>
2	0047		SIT REP Negative ABCD ENGR	5 Bde	CRB
3	0048		Recon Reports & individuals approx 10 meters from wire seen with big ears & eyes moving in southward direction at VD 662 222	5 Bde	CRB
4	0050		contacted 4.2 well fire on Recon's Command.	5 Bde Do	CRB
5	0100		India fired on 663 216	5 Do	CRB
6	0103		Co C Tiger been sprung probably body count 3 fired from across river ambush still in same location VD 689281	5 Do Bde	CRB
7	0105		B1 requests clearance for		

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7			680 200 (illumination)	1. Granted	DRZ
8	0106		<p>Recon reports 3 or 4 people (picked up by radar) moving something heavy and metal - approx loc. 661220 - will inform 4.2 when location is made more definite.</p> <p>CONFIDENTIAL</p>	1. Bde, 4.2. mar	DRZ
9	0121		<p>C Co reports 3 enemy coming across the bridge at the time of the Ambush 2 positions ^{lined} had one zeroed in since they got him think they got other 2 one fired back before dropping the 2 positions that engaged will move but ^{begin} element will stay in same location.</p>	J Bde DO	DRZ
10	0123		<p>Recon reports seeing 4 other enemy on the SE Slope trying or suspected that they were cutting wire well keep as ^{position}</p> <p>CONFIDENTIAL</p>	J DO	DRZ
11	0124		<p>C Co reports gunk on our net & speaks English request freq change ⁰⁷⁰⁰</p>	J DO	DRZ

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12	0137		Recon engaged the 4 people cutting their wire with CONFIDENTIAL 4 rounds of M-79 got a secondary explosion believed enemy had 216 stick of TNT by the sound. Enemy fled down hill.	5 Bde DO	DRZ
13	0144		Co C reference to the VC/NVA on their radio int push was yelling contact contact contact came back with C Co WDA push when C Co was talking to three tiger etc and said this is a very serious situation and is still harassing.	5 Bde DO	DRZ
14	0156		SIT REP Neg ABCD RECON ENGR.	5 Bde DO	TRZ
15	0209		Recon reports 6 targets engaging with M-79 the enemy is fleeing to the west also seen enemy carrying actual charges.	5, DO, Bde	DRZ
16	0212		6 etc CONFIDENTIAL to block off on the illumination	5 DO	DRZ
17	0220		Recon reports the pick up a High frequency Radio with		

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17	Cont.		people around it at YD 653225 Recon has also seen illumination	J Do	DKJ
18	0238		Co Company reports secondary explosion after a 105 round was fired	J Do	DKJ
19	0240		Recon reports movement 661220 when the heavy metal was located earlier is having 4.5" fire.	J Do	DKJ
20	0249		Sit Rep Negative: ABCD Engr.	J Do Bde	DKJ
21	0257		Co thinks the secondary explosion was a dud round	J Do Bde	DKJ
21	0313		Recon reports engaging few people at their wire with m-79 got a secondary explosion believed that it may have set off a charge the person was carrying. It was a brilliant white blast. No movement now.	J Do Bde	DKJ
22	0344		Sit REP Negative ABCD Recon Engr.	J Do Bde	DKJ
23	0447		Sit REP Negative ABCD Engr Recon	J Bde	DKJ
24	0545		Sit REP Negative ABCD Engr Recon	J Bde	DKJ
25	0628		Double Eagle #3 performed		

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26	0640		<p>The call sign for our <div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">CONFIDENTIAL</div> of 115. Co D has started moving their ambush back in</p>						J Do	CRZ
27	0642		<p>Co C has Received a new internal frequency of 56.30 was given to them by Lt Pfeiffer</p>						J Do	CRZ
28	0720		<p>The CC Bud arrived here at this location Sent it to Sally</p>						J	CRZ
29	0725		<p>BCo + C Co have received the class 5</p>							
30	0745		<p>C Co Confirms assessment of their last night's tiger got 1 KIA VC type Also weapon wpn/sn. AK-47.</p>						J	CRZ
31	0800		<p>FR Co: Ref Contact last night, AK-47 SN 526 5159, found weapon on other side of River, and a large Paul and <div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">CONFIDENTIAL</div> BC of 2 and 1 probable.</p>						J.	CRZ

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<u>32</u>	<u>0800</u>		Location of <u>meninges</u> <u>697257</u>	<u>M.</u>	
<u>33</u>	<u>0758</u>		<u>Co started movement.</u> CONFIDENTIAL	<u>Bde, JS-3</u>	<u>mf</u>
<u>34</u>	<u>0812</u>		<u>FR Bde: Bde Co in <u>hennings</u> <u>messing</u>, at <u>1000</u> today, however if it will interfere with <u>control</u> of the operations, <u>don't</u> <u>have</u> <u>to</u> <u>attend</u>.</u>		
<u>35</u>	<u>0810</u>		<u>Fr. Bde - WEATHER - FOR today</u> <u>fog + drizzle - MAX 820 MIN 680</u> <u>winds E-N/E AT 4 to 7 KNOTS</u>	<u>J</u>	<u>LN</u>
<u>36</u>			<u>VIS 6 miles</u> <u>R 5.8 U 2.9</u>		
<u>36</u>			<u>Fr. D. Co. loc. of <u>m/s</u> etc.</u>	<u>J-M</u>	<u>LN</u>
<u>37</u>	<u>0800</u>		<u>FR Bde:</u> <u>2 platoons of <u>Co</u> <u>near</u> <u>Biologie</u> <u>mess</u>, <u>tbl</u> in <u>w</u> <u>C</u> <u>CO</u>, <u>Can</u> <u>will</u> <u>be</u> <u>able</u> <u>to</u> <u>start</u> <u>mess</u> <u>in</u> <u>about</u> <u>10</u> <u>mins</u> <u>if</u> <u>Bde</u> <u>keep</u> <u>up</u> <u>the</u> <u>pace</u>.</u>		
<u>38</u>			<u>FR Bde: <u>level</u> <u>element</u> <u>picked</u> <u>up</u></u> <u>'Some</u> <u>elements</u> <u>not</u> <u>meeting</u> <u>at</u> <u>the</u> <u>place</u> <u>and</u> <u>independently</u> <u>call</u> <u>to</u> <u>them</u> . CONFIDENTIAL		

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39.	0830		<p>To Co to Bco: Buffalo head one side of field, check up to CONFIDENTIAL shift from section down</p>		
39	0839		<p>FR: Dco: Platoon has left sweep of area, Special Ambush has returned to the area.</p>	J.	
40.	0848		<p>to Bco: Have head out into Chapin, going to goaling the mine and then cut back to the north.</p>	CO	
41.	0843		<p>FR Cco: Ready to start to the north.</p>		
42.	0844		<p>FR Bco: Can see the Buffalo head.</p>		
43.	0845		<p>Fco to Bco: Pay attention to Buffalo head, out to NE one to SE, if they get off the Buffalo mine in or there.</p>		
44.					
45.	0846		<p>Cco started moving to the north.</p>		
46.	0848		<p>FR Bco: 4A has moved out to head of area west Aco's elements.</p>	J	NI
47.	0900		<p>Moving at 136 289 CONFIDENTIAL</p>	J	NI
48.	0900		<p>FR Aco: 16 class of, 36 slabs of patrol procedure, 26 steps of of.</p>		

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44	0900		Cco has two weapons ^{AK-47, 1-sub. NOSE} & 39. ^{CO.}		mf
45	0910		CONFIDENTIAL FR Cco. at junction ^{at junction} held in ambush ^{held in ambush} night before last, they were ^{night before last, they were} definitely NVA. ^{definitely NVA.}		
46			FCS-3 to Bco, Cco in case unless Bco. got the few yesterday of Bco.		
47	0915		Seeer accompany to the north, send some element to west side check, then they come back and you return to the north.		
48	0918		FR Bco. J4A located at R.O. 9 D.O. 7		
49	0923		FR Cco to Cco: Seeer Centre Check and find green in the river bend: and proceed to where you stayed last night.		
50	0925		FR M5 team - Home needed. CP N.	ms.	
31	0940		FR Cco: Hid a Booby Trap. CONFIDENTIAL in the area ^{in the area} was suspicious ^{was suspicious} will send back to ^{will send back to}		

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32	0945		<p>FPCC: Have 1 KIA, 9 WIA, 2 explain when 2 of Platoon were being Squad leaders, 2 Platoon, WIA, could have been a command detonated mine, but don't believe it was. Could have been wearing round, or continuing to move as prescribed.</p>		
33	0953		<p>Medevac due at Co location at 0955 Callign Medevac 454. Freq 39.30.</p>		
34	0954		<p>Co A TAC CP located 684213.</p>		
35	0959		<p>2 KIA (ONE WIA DIED); CO Company C believes booby trapped (2 mortar mortars. Medevac arrived.</p>		
36			<p>Medevac complete at 1004 hrs 2 KIA + 5 WIA (3 litter 1 walking evac + 1 walking med evac).</p>		
37	1006		<p>1 PLT Co D arrived FSB Pinky</p>		
38	1015		<p>2m 4A Ren 668208 3 PLT Co D 692232</p>		

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39	1030		FR BCo: Chatter Valley Co drinks 1st Lt 1st Lt 1st Lt CONFIDENTIAL 1st Lt 1st Lt 1st Lt number 403 on it, Air Support Says he knows of enemy unit	Bdy, D	MS
40	1030		1800 NVA FR BCo: After taking war out from in the Valley, VC, 4705305, Says sent night starting at 2100 hr approx 1800 NVA march thru village headed west, also BCo moving NE	Bdy, J	ML
41	1110		FR Co: loc at 400 297 moving west now.	Bdy AM J.	ML
42	1130		3d Plat DCo moving around east side of woodline moved to VC 695237, only south of CP.		
43	1131		FR Co taking fire from across the river to the north		
44	1134		report 1 VC, shot at him, no more warning rounds now, NTC 696302		
45	1120		FR Co to 53 Ref Ref Ref CONFIDENTIAL 2 NVA Bdy, no movement		

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			<p>Line a piece of metal looked off a 120 am, also flat here Some other gear</p>	T1 S-3	
46	1140		<p>TR BCo: saw individual in green uniform near intake to warehouse at fur seal LZ. x D1, 2 Comms for activity there 706308</p>	J.	
47	1158		<p>TR S-3: need the internal freq for Co, did not give it to me the morning also from Co, the frequency he gave. We intercept with the small square radios.</p>	<p>freq updated for 50 GRID 722 203</p>	
48	1205		TR ACo: 26 of 667 203, 36-667198		
49	1225		Co B lead elements in contact w/ enemy force of unknowns sig via 719310.	Bde	
50	1226		Co C COM via 713293 entering Obj #1.		
51	1250		<p>TR Bde S-2: We need a Comfreq on Cigeta right and the right Sent to us to help identify enemy units. TO Bde: BCo still</p>		

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			See the logbook, it has 403 on the side of it.		
52.	1255		<p style="text-align: center; border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px;">CONFIDENTIAL</p> FpBco 400. 8 seen some personnel seeing buffalo behind (to the west of Cco:	Bco: call Jim Wom	a-
53	1310		Recor 4A + 726 at 662 702, 36 saw her. 668198	them.	
54.	Ref # 52:		Bco status find only, still one sniper firing below his covering withdrawal of other. going to Jim saw more activity and go in again.	med.	
55.	1325		FpBco: Spotted 8 ind in houses. and 3 Ind in Bender, believe it may be a trap. Arky going to find ind 700311. Uniform in queue or K behind.	FpBco: Hold up there - FpBco: get 8 unit in the house.	
56.					
57.			Cco: finding some Bender, don't believe they were here yesterday, know they weren't here when they weren't there the other day. <p style="text-align: center; border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px;">CONFIDENTIAL</p>		

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58	1335		FC Co: Left Hook platoon Being Sump for	Red.	Red
59	1335		FC Co: obscure VC activity Hook. one of our elements	5	WJ
60	1345		FC ACo: Down Lane and family group at 665190		
61	1345		See Co see VC waiting for them in the hole, believe this is trap. going to back off and call in more arty.	Red J, S.S.	WJ
63	1358		ACo going only in grid 660195 believe VC on side of hill.	J. J.	WJ
64	1400		FR ACo: The Element can see 3 bunker with at least 4 personnel, at XO 653 203, believe are at 653 202, dont believe only will do any good to cloudy for TAC APR. bunker appears to be on corner 5-6' This is partial observation 15-50 meter from the bunker.		

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65.	1405		Ref #64 Henschel's notes & sketch of the area, suggested what types of cam. with Small arms, and then move out. CONFIDENTIAL	A, Bob	mf
66.	1413		Acty been delanded & secondary explanation so for cam. going to ask for Small, maybe account the rain under the Small, and then fire delay.	J,	mf.
67.	1420		Fr C/O may have a Squad ahead of us, maneuvering against them. Believe we have them spotted, should not hit too much longer.		mf.
68.	1425		Setup of B & C Companies sent to Bob.	Bob.	mf
69.	1425		Personnel are on water Buffalo believe to be signaling or something.	J	mf
70.	1440		Fr Bob to be 2 (between them) CONFIDENTIAL across the stream no fire yet.		

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72.	1440		BCO receiving fire at this time, into the first hootch. CONFIDENTIAL nowed going over hill		
73.	1441		FR Co Co: Have 2 WIA's, don't believe they are two critical, believe them VC are in the bunker, have 1 WIA cannot get to, have the situation in hand. ^{is not} secure.		
73.	1440		FR BCO: Believe have 2 people, trapped in a hootch, with Ak 49's, gaining after them.		
74.	1450		FR BCO: Elements do left getting heaviest resistance - from bunker, with cave all around them, trying to get them out with hand grenades.		
75.	1445		FR A (Colored Unit) Engage the VC believe they killed one down, have full report yet. PC extracts of hootch ^{and 8 digit coordinates} . CONFIDENTIAL		
76	1455	1455	TO BCO: Sent account of engagement of the Bunkers.		

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77.	1530		FR BCo: Here one element Demand down base time with CONFIDENTIAL		
78	1535		FR BCo: 1502 reports, NVA Platin ambushed at 720310.	Prob.	
79.	1530		FR BCo: Beelen changes being ambushed by third element.		
80	1520	LATE ENTRY	C Co B rec one RPG round		
81	1527		ARA arrived on station at Co B location.		
82.	1545		FR Co: Request Medevac for BCo:	Medevac Requested	
83.	1545		FR Bn Co to B Co: Below us need to consider cooling cap for the night and start evening log.	FR B Co: Keep on fighting.	
84.	1550	1580	to Co: Getting a Bird for resupply at Post CONFIDENTIAL	CO, work on A/Coy 1000	W
85.					

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85.	1540		(Delayed Entry) FRBn Co to Bd Co: Balance elements CONFIDENTIAL Scrapped from the Curriculum Bco engaged, C co still engaged in the search.		
86.	1600		Under 454, Aug 49.30 ETA DT to Bco.	CO.	me
87.	1615		Request for FAC 31.60 Bldg 23. Call sign Eagle 894 etc, Bn Co will use Bd Co's CFC fe	B,	
88			A 36 crew		
89	16				
90.	1620		FR Co: Have Situation under Control from a Body of 2, probably 5mm that, here at least 2 KIA and 1 KIA.	CO.	
91.	1625		FR Bco: Spotted NVA in Bamboo, field law saw crew several blown from the beach.	J, CO.	
92.	1630.		FR Co: CONFIDENTIAL		

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93	1630		FR CO: Recpt for Tolamp Actual 2 hrs CONFIDENTIAL 1 WIA EVACED, 1 injured man ^{met} evaced, 1 plat Security NDP, 2d squad 3d still in Battle area, have elevated position in the area possible some may have withdrawn out of contact		
94	1635		BOO Recpt = 2 WIA EVACED Air Company Booby trap of 2 representing air strike, pulled back west of the US Stream ^{out of contact}		
95	1640		FR A Co 26 has land in		
96	1700		FR A Co: Location of bunker is YD (6530 2035) Berlin they pulled one, did not receive any return fire.		
97	1705		Com 4A returned to patrol base		
98	1712		DELETED: LOG BIRD AND BOE ETC TIME EXTENDED J. to 1830 hrs CONFIDENTIAL		at
99	1714		Co B: Have received RPG eds South J. East of his own approx 400 meters		at

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111	2030		CoC - Ambushes 12 LD 3.8 2.4 ^{VO 702 296} 16 LD 4.3 3.2 ^{VO 707 288} in pm	J, M	GR
112	2035		CoB Having a problem with fire support, something about lack of ammo	J, Ops	GR
113	2100		SITREP ABCD Rcv ENGR Negative	J, Bde	GR
114	2105		CoC: Indicative people fighting today were doped up were very casual. During the whole battle	J, SB	GR
115	2120		Rcv: Have picked up reinforced squad on Radar vic 652214 seem to be milling around. Will fire arty as my command.	J, SB	GR
116	2120		CoC: Ambush observes Co size element 708293. will fire arty	J, Bde	GR
117	2130		From 1-502 Ambush SACT L2.6 UO.3 L1.2 and L2.1 DO.2 CoB	J, M	GR
118	2135		CoC: Have observed the Co size element move to 705297	J, SB	GR
119	2150		Rcv: Engaged reinforced Squad as picked up up by CoB with 40mm they dispersed in all directions will determine results in morning	J, Bde	GR

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100	1717		CoA: Ambush to be Bce R3.0 DO.1 ^{Y0680219}	J, S3	JS
101	1720		CoA to SO in the following areas tomorrow CONFIDENTIAL Grids 6420, 6421, 6422, 7022, 7023, 6923, 6822	J, CoA, S3	JS
102	1742		CoC: Body Count 14 FOR TODAY	J, BDE	JS
103	1755		CoC: Ready for back-haul 40 mi	J, S3	JS
104	1800		CoB: Ready for back haul 40 mi	J, S3	JS
105	1820		CoC to CO: Do not need any ^{more} resupply tonight. Have everything that we need. Back haul ready	J CO	JS
106	1843		FAC to CoB: 2 nd Ambush cancelled because of 1-502 CA	J	JS
107	1855		CoC to SO - TODAY CAPTURED		
108	1915		FRBde: Agent Report: 300 NVA move from 645205 to 689301 which up s. had 288mm mort, 3-60mm mort, US Rating FG - C-114 local tow co, 80 Stinger SPLd. vic 670290, US Rating F-C	S-2	
109	1916		CoB ambush patrol departs CONFIDENTIAL	J	JS
110	1917		CoC - needs to know from Commo officer about freq. change	J	

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111	2150		SITREP NEGATIVE ABCD RCN ENGR. CoC AT THIS TIME FIRING ARTY ON SUSPECTED ENEMY Co. 70829 BAL	J, BDE	CRS
112	2230		CoB: Artillery coming within 100 meters of CoB posn.	J, DO, ARTY	CRS
113	22:45		SITREP NEGATIVE ABCD RCN ENGR.	J, BDE	CRD
114		2300	TO BDE: PLANS Summary FOR TOMORROW	J, BDE, S3A	CRS
115		2315	TO Bde: Request for immediate Air Strike for ORO	J, BDE, S3A	CRS
116	2345	2353	Sit Rep Neg: ABCD Engr. Reason no change	J BDE Do	CRS
117	2400		Closed out for 15 MARCH 1968	J	CRS
			Summary of 12 MARCH 68		
			NVA/VC Body count 157		
			POW 35		
			IND WPNS 38		
			CREW Served 13		
			US WPNS 13		
			US KIA 25		
			US WIA 117		
			Companies in contact B + C		
			Believed to have engaged enemy pl.		

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			TOTAL FOR Today's PERIOD:		
			CCO - 4 KIAs 0 WIA BCO 2 WIA's CONFIDENTIAL		
			TOTAL 4 KIAs 8 WIA's.		
			Body Count ACO-1, B-2,		
			C-14, TOTAL (17)		
			DETAINEES B-01		
			WPNS, CCO. 4 AK-47's		
			1 - CARBINE (RUSSIAN)		
			1 - PISTOL		
			1 - LMG.		
			TOTAL FOR OPERATION CAPENTAN.		
			NVA 10C Body Count. 44 44		
			WPNS. 6 AK-47's		
			1 - CARBINE (RUSSIAN), 1 - PISTOL, 1 - LMG		
			US LOSSES, WIA KIA		
			B 11 1		
			C 8 4		
			DETAINEES - 3		
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