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ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
1	0001		Journal opened 8 July 68	J. Bole	J. Bole
2	0045		Sitrip negative	J. Bole	J. Bole
3	0145		Sitrip negative	J. Bole	J. Bole
4	0200		Perimeter Sitrip negative	J. Bole	J. Bole
5	0245		Sitrip negative	J. Bole	J. Bole
6	0345		Sitrip negative	J. Bole	J. Bole
7	0400		Perimeter Sitrip negative	J. Bole	J. Bole
8	0445		Sitrip negative	J. Bole	J. Bole
9	0545		Sitrip negative	J. Bole	J. Bole
10	0600		<sup>started</sup> A-26 moving to T-Bone.	J. Bole	J. Bole
11	0625		A-26 closed T-Bone	J. Bole	J. Bole
12	0645		Moving at this time No	J. Bole	J. Bole
13	0725		Rec'd fog bird King man 13. tail 16392.	J. Bole	J. Bole
14	0730		BCs at house (in 1330 587180) checking out trails	J. Bole	J. Bole
15	0832		BCs 585 183 observed 3 dogs and three people, checking w/ Bole. They have no knowledge of any one being in the area.	J. Bole	J. Bole
16	0745		BCs 578187, spotted 3 people in Blank wood back area.	J. Bole	J. Bole

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			woods to north.		
17	0745		None seen, 1 ACD, has not one in that area where B spotted and		
18	0754		Lt Heiter is airborne over B Co area at this time	J B Co	JAL
19	0755		There is a well use trail in the area reported by B9 leading to the Stream bed. 587180	J - B Co	EM
20	0800		Lt Heiter reported seeing two Sam pan at <del>with smoke</del> grid 584187 they <sup>were</sup> <del>found</del> in the area, now they are sunken in the water.	J - B Co	EM
21	0805		My Sam B Co has checked with Div and there is no AAVN or friendly in the area.	J - 66	EM
22	0806		B9 reported sighting 15 personnel dressed in black at grid 585183	J - B Co	EM

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23	0810	A26 reported they found 4 body NVA shells. The <sup>clothing</sup> with dress in NVA at grid 631225, there was no weapons.		
24	0817	Lt Huter is on the way back to T-Bone at this time	J.	EM
25	0818	Ref to item 20 the two	J.	EM
26	0827	See para near next page. Lt Heider is on his way to Sally and then to Quan TRAC in the Log book.	J.	EM
27	0828	C Co has 103 personnel to be lifted also B Co have 107 personnel to be lifted	J-66	EM
28	0910	Alc, CP T-Bone 16 LD 3910 (601 219 ) B Co 588 180, moving C- 560 183, Recon 566 186-564 187	J	EM
29	1000	A CP T-Bone 26-285 16 LD 3713 603 217	J	Bele J.

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			Blo CPLN 1432 (586 182) 16 (588 180) C Co 36 LL 4124 (552 174) 16 CP (560 183)		
30	1045		Person n/c Blo 585 182, 1 Chieu Hoi, w/ hands up. Lt Carson getting him to swim across river to B-16 element. Est 05 to 10 he will be in the hands of friendly troops.	J. Bole	
31	1048		Released log bird.	J. Bole	J. Bole
32	1050		Chieu Hoi now at B-16.	J. Bole	J. Bole
33	1110		Blo reports Chieu Hoi is MIA, appears to be suffering from Mal nutrition.	J. Bole	J. Bole
34	1120		Alo CPT Bone, 16 n/c B Co 16 LL 1336 (587 180) CP LW 1233 (588 183) <del>C Co 76 LL 3919 (561 169)</del>	J. Bole	J. Bole

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			36 LW 42 23 (558 173) CP 560 183		
			Recor CP 566 186 Patrol LW 39 36 (561 186)	J. Belo	JCB
35	1136		A Co 16 at LZ LD 33 18 608 217	J. Belo	JCB
36	1200		LOH Reported pu Blue Falcon.	J. Belo	JCB
37	1245		Recor CP LW 37 36 (564 186) Patrol LW 37 39 (563 189) A Co No change Blo LW 12 35 (588 185) CP 36 26 16- 1330 587 180		
			A - No change. 36-560 170 B Request medicare one heat case LZ 587 185	J. Medicare Bravo	JCB
38	1311		Medicare will be here 1500 hrs Bravo standing by.	J. Bravo 9	JCB
39	1317		White Eagle inbound T-Rone	J. Ltc-Hunter	RTH
40	1327		B 16 LW 13 30 (587 180) B 15 09 28 (591 178) B 36 HQ 12 35 (588 185) B 26 15 30 (585 186) C 26 39 18 (561 168) C 16 26 HQ 1/2 RCN 1/2		

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41	1417		Medival of PZ 1417 from Bravo		RA
42	1423		B9 at blue found 4 sampans 585184 found straw hats and paddles looks like personal pack boats these and swim to other side footprints found all point to west side of river	Sgt Caldwell	RA
43	1425		<del>Mediac</del> Mediac <sup>LOG BIRD</sup> in to medic Bravo	J	RA
44	1440		File logged at (607212)	J	RA
45	1443		B request Mediac, man hit by M-79 accident while blowing sampans	J Bae	RA
46	1448		Mediac 98 etA 1015	J B	RA
47	1449		B details sampan was <del>in</del> 20 to 30 meters out in water injured man was 10 meters back from shoreline, some how the round must have bounced off sampan and exploded throwing shrapnel back toward shore. Plat Reader was at Notation	J Bae	RA
48	1449		Mediac complete for B	J Bae	RA

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49	1554		Hawk eye Bravo inbound 02	of Bde	RH
50	1602		B 16 1,330 (587150) B 36 40 (588185) B 26 (586187) C 26 3917 (581167) C 36 (577173) C 16 41 (560183) A 16 (607212) C 26 (628223) RCN (563187) RCN CP (563189)	of Bde	RH
51	1638		C has been advised of change PZ 573 178 AT 1000 HRS RCN to block to their north	of Capt Caldwell	
52	1640		Gwin fellows wants advance notice when log bird comes down to pick up the old Gwin fellows	of Sgt Vines	RH
53	1642		Bravo at loc. Blue Falcon marked with smoke, found old bunkers with very little camouflage.		RH
54	1733		RCN changed night loc to LU 3335 Bravo will have 1 more tiger at		RH
55	1746		LU 1433 (586183)		RH
56	1750		RCN - bunkers, beacons etc they reported		
56	1750		Today, it looked like it had been more than a month since loc. had been used, appears 70-75 people had stayed there over night were not	of Capt Caldwell	RH

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			Bunkers they were holes dug for overnight stay	Capt Caldwell	
57	1958		Sigs 32 wants our log bird to go to farms pad at Sally after we've released him and help them till 1930 FREQ 6205	De 66	RA
58	1805		B9- B26 found 1 sampson at 559181 destroyed it, at 586187 B26 found two <del>stretches</del> stretchers covered w blood, blood fresh, yesterday <del>fact</del> or early today.	Capt Moses	RA
59	1815		Potion <del>nothing</del> 5 to Lumber 5 he hand receipted 4 PRC 25 radios to our D Co. He needs those radios back tomorrow. He wants Lumber 5 to get some radios out D Co	Comms officer	RA
60	1823		A16 Tiger will be LD 3313(607217) A26 will be LD 1207(628223)		RA
61	1834		Bunker 17 reports a red smoke went off at 643197		RA
62	1835		Log bird released	J Bole	RA
63	1920		De called informed we had negative traffic for him	J Spaldon	RA

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64	1922		A26 departed for night loc	J	RH
65	1929		B16#26#36#40 moving out for own night locations	J	RH
66	1955		Size 32 whiskey wants to know if we are going to conduct tomorrow left internally or Externally. Will left 1 boat per sling if externally so six sorties, if internally will take 2 sorties but advises against that because they messed up 1 bird already doing that. Want to know if we have enough slings	J	RH
67	2002		Action taken on above by Capt. Morris	J	RH
68	2003		B NDF closed	J	RH
69	2014		B 26 closed	J	RH
70	2019		A25 closed to tiger loc.	J	RH
71	2023		Ran tiger closed	J	RH
72	2027		POW D.T. firing at this time	J	RH
73	2042		Twin fellows we can only get 1 barber however can we him for two days	J	RH
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74	2043	A 15 tiger in position	J	SA
75	2145	Sitrep negative	J. Bale	SA
76	2210	Called in R-Report to Bale	J. Bale	SA
77	2245	Sitrep negative	J. Bale	SA
78	2345	Sitrep negative	J. Bale	SA
79	2400	Perimeter Sitrep neg.	J.	SA
80	2400	Journal Closed	J.	SA

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NDP T-Base

Tigers # 16 604 219  
# 26 628 223  
# 25 637 224  
# 15 607 211

B NDP 590183

Tigers # 16 587 179  
# 26 586 183  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

C NDP 561169

Tigers # 16 558 172  
# 36 557 166  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

D NDP OPCON

Tigers 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

RECON NDP 567185

Tigers 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

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*(Called into base 2210 hrs.)*

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Line 1: Location of log or pre-night combat base position.

- A T-BONE
- B 587185
- C 580183
- D OP-CON
- Recon 564189

Line 2: Time unit moved from log or pre-night combat base position to final night combat base position.

- A T-BONE
- B 1929
- C 11015
- D OP-CON
- Recon 1910

Line 3: Location of night combat base position.

- A T-BONE
- B 590183
- C 561169
- D OP-CON
- Recon ~~564185~~ 567185

Line 4: Time unit arrived in final night combat base position.

- A T-BONE
- B 2003
- C 1830
- D OP-CON

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- 3197
- 36184
- 664170
- 649181
- 625199
- 625182
- 653177
- 635176
- 616170
- 629181