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1	0001	0002	(U) Journal Opened		RM
2	0700	0701	(U) To NCS from Recon We have closed fire base Bde at this time.		GC
3	0726	0727	(U) To NCS from A Co All my bushmasters have closed at this time.	Bde	GC
4	0847	0848	(U) To Bde from Bn All B and C Company SRPs have closed at this time.	Bde	GC
5	0930	0931	(U) To NCS from D Co The 2nd platoon of D Company has SP from our location for Crazy 8 at this time.	Bde	GC
6	1045	1046	(U) To Bde from Bn Current locations; The 3rd platoon of C Company is at 937157. The 2nd platoon of C Company is at 945151. A Company is at 948158. The 2nd platoon of D Company is at 819203.		GC
7	1210	1211	(U) To Bde from Bn Yesterday my A Company employed artillery in grid 957140 from 1310 to 1345 hrs. today a sweep of the area they discovered 2 pieces of bodies, and heavy blood trails in the concentration area.	Bde	GC
8	1230	1231	(U) To Bn from Bde A tracker dog will leave camp enari about 1300 to come to your location. To work with the blood trails found by A Company.	Bde	JZ
9	1300	1301	(U) To NCS from C Co We are SP at this time.	Bde	JZ
10	1340	1341	(U) To NCS from C Co Current location; 941174.	Bde	JZ
11	1410	1411	(U) To NCS from C Co I sent a squad size element to look for a river crossing and received sniper fire from below the ridge line. I sent another platoon to reinforce the element. We are employing M-79 and 60MM at the contact area at this time for blocking fires.	Bde	JZ
12	1432	1433	(U) To NCS from A Co All SRPs have closed at this time. We are relaying for C Company who is in contact at this time.	Bde	GC
13	1437	1438	(U) To Bde from Bn Gunships have checked in at this time. They checked out after extending at 1458 hours.	Bde	JZ
14	1500	1501	(U) To A Co from Bn You are to move your element to LZ to be picked up by slick.	Bde	JZ

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15	1707	1708	(U) To Bde from Bn CA of A Company; 1st PZ Bde 1606 1st LZ 1617 final PZ 1650 final LZ 1655.		JZ
16	1624	1625	(U) To Bn CO from Bde CO Insert LRRP into the box, center of mass, 960220. Perhaps pick up something if LRRP moves west to slope.	Bde	JZ
17	1712	1713	(U) To Bn CO from Bns-3 C Company has a body count of 6 at this time.	Bde	JZ
18	1714	1715	(U) To Bde from Bn A Company was inserted at 963190.	Bde	JZ
19	1855	1856	(U) To Bde from Bn The LRRP team #67 has a lot of radio problems. They want to be extracted as soon as possible.	Bde	JZ
20	1940	1941	(U) To NCS from LRRP #67 We were on trail running NW to SE about 75 meters from our position we spotted 2 or 3 VC, at grid 963223. We are employing artillery at this time.	Bde	JZ
21	2255	2256	(U) To NCS from LNO with Dist Some friendlies spotted enemy in village at 878098. Illumination was fired and contact was broken. Enemy moving E to SW. Negative KIA or MIA.	Bde	JZ
22	0755	0756	(U) To Bde from Bn All elements report 100% Malaria roster signed with shirts on and sleeves rolled down; A,B,C,D,E, MORTARS, RECON, COMMO, TOC, 106RR AND BASE CAMP REAR.	Bde	RM
23	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn Closing locations for elements of the 1/14 Infantry; A Company is at 960181, with their 2nd platoon at LZ Yvonne. B Company is at LZ Saint George with SRPs at 47135, 855152, 862148, 864131. C Company is at 947182 with Ambushes located at 943184, 952186, 951183. D Company is at LZ Sylvia with SRPs at 798205, 818206, 812228, 801232. The Recon element is at LZ Saint George along with the 106RR element. 4.2 Mortars are at LZ Yvonne. Plans Summary; A Company will continue to sweep at vic East of Ai Ayun River general vic 9514 to the general vic 9614, North to 9515 and 9615. Their 2nd platoon will continue to secure LZ Yvonne. B Company will continue to improve LZ Saint George with one platoon providing security for the civilian survey team, and one platoon providing security for the engineers working on highway #14. C Company will continue to sweep the area west of Ai Ayon river general vic 9415, north to 9416 and grid 9417. D Company will continue to improve	Bde	RM

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23	2000	2001	(U) To Bde from Bn Plans Summary (Con't) positions on LZ Sylvia with their 2nd platoon conducting a sweep along the Ai Ayon river, lasting 32 hours, to the southeast to general vic grid 8519. They will also busmaster in general vicinity grid 8419. The Recon element will return to LZ Saint George after conducting an ambush at 851161 and will continue to improve positions at LZ Saint George along with providing security for same. 4.2 mortars will remain at LZ Yvonne.	Bde	PM
			KIA KIA(MSF) CIA MNS		
	Enemy Casualties		(C)8 0 0 0		
	Enemy Casualties		(C)678 153 59 118		
	Cumulative		KIA WIA MIA		
	US Casualties		(C)0 0 0		
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	Cumulative				
			18 May 1969 Summary		
			(C) The Golden Dragons continued RIF operations within assigned area of operations. At grid 757140, A Company employed artillery yesterday, and a sweep of the area produced pieces of 2 bodies. A squad size element reconning an area received some sniper fire from below the ridge line. Reinforcements were moved up and gunnery were employed, resulting in 6 enemy KIA and negative friendly casualties.		
			(U) Plans: RIF operations will continue.		
24	2400	0001	(U) Journal Closed		PM

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