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ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
1	0001		Log opened Supporting info for Today's events: BN. C.O. LTC. Donald Crutchley, XO Maj Courtney Ritzgers, S-3 Maj Dexter Branscome, S-3 AIR CPT Thomas Waldera, S-2 2LT. Anthony York, S-2 Cpt William Branch, S-4 Cpt Robert Schiefele, S-5 Cpt Peter Levy: Locations FSB Patton XT 583194 Trung Lap XT 593215 Venice East XT 577183: Ballgame: COA 1-4 ship lift P2 Patton 0850 HRS C/A L25 (647239) search northern side of stream in AO search 6323-6321-6623-655245 P27 (633231) 1550 HRS return to FSB. One plt depart FSB 1600 HRS to A (588181) B (596180) C (602180) E (603187) F (594188)		
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			return to Patton. Conduct 2 NCP. Conduct one HR weapons training and night firing o/A 1900 HRS; COB opcon 15:00 COC return from bushmaster care & maintenance of equip. Conduct one HR. of weapons training and night firing o/A 1930 HRS. Conduct 2 NCP; COO conduct road sweep on 7A, occupy Venice East and tower at Patton. 1-4 ship lift attached to 2 <sup>co</sup> (3 SHRS) for airmobile. 2-4 ship lifts, 145 w/ CO. C.P. (5 SHRS) and 2 from 2 <sup>co</sup> (3 ships) PZ 0800, 0815 HRS C/A LZ2 (635296) provide security for duffle bags emplacement at 637297 recon to 2 <sup>nd</sup> loc at 650284, PZ4 (650278) 1500, 1515 HRS return to Truong Sap and Patton:		

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	cont		1 <sup>co</sup> 2-4 ship lifts P2 Trung Sap 0830, 0840 HRS. CIA LZ 3 (643226) and LZ 4 (652230) conduct search of AO search w/ source, P25 & 6 1530, 1540 HRS return to Trung Sap: 2 <sup>co</sup> 1-4 ship lift attached to COO for airmobile, 2-4 ship lifts 7 ARVN w/CO.C.P. and 1 from COO P2 0730, 0745 HRS CIA LZ 1 (625295) conduct search of AO CYN (6127-603280-622310-635300) P2 3 1430, 1445 HRS return to Trung Sap and Patton	log	Boh
2	0120		The sniper element that was with C <sup>co</sup> NCP-2 is now departing	Bde	Boh
3	0125		Snipers in position at 597167	Bde	Boh
4	0200		SIR NEG ALL UNITS	Bde	Boh
5	0300		SIR ALL UNITS NEG	Bde	Boh

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6	0400		SIR NEG ALL UNITS	Bde	Bde
7	0425		Crip NCP departed T.L.	Bde	Bde
8	0622		Dec NCP closing Crip NCP closing		Bde PM
9	0704		Hoaret 16 & C/C ship on station	Bde	PM
10	0710		Dec Rascal sweep kickoff	Bde	PM
11	0808		Mechine 5 on station for UR		Bde PM
12	0815		Dec 7A clear from Hq/1 to Trung Lap		Bde PM
13	0822		2 Co 149 2nd Co lift airborne Trung Lap 0816 Down Green 625895 0822 Dec 2 lift airborne Patton 0827 Down Green 625295 0832		Bde PM
14	0849		3-3 7+10 blade hrs at 0900 hrs		Bde PM
15	0859		Dec 15 <sup>th</sup> lift airborne Patton 0842 Down Green 635296 0849 2nd Co 149 lift airborne Trung Lap 0859 (1 ship Dec 3 ship 200) Down Green 635296 0859		Bde PM

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	IN	OUT			
16	0910		SMIFF Box 6227-6225 every thing east to AO Boundary (0900-1200)		
17	0945		Dco counter part working with Dco reports rifle fire request scout team. was a shell rifle general will blow AT 635296		
18	0945		2 Co distant 2 VC tunnel eating food, some still fresh checking tunnel out	Bde	MM
19	0945		1st Co 1/4 643226, 653228	Bde	MM
20	1000		1st Co 1st Lt Airborne Trng log 0905 Down Green 648226 0911 2nd Lt Airborne Trng log 0946 Down Green 643226 0953	Bde	MM
21	1018		1st Co Airborne Patton 0959 Down Green 640233 - 1007 Airborne 640233 1006 Down Green 649237 1008	Bde	MM
22	1045		5-3 Black hrs 17 hrs 30 min out 1030	Bde	MM

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	IN	OUT					
23	1104		1st Co at location 645227 have 2 VC POWs movements or weapon.	Code	MM		
24	1105		Bob at our location chartlay				
25	1125		Centaur 51 on station checking grids 6420-6514 with a 2000 radius	Code	MM		
26	LATE 1130		Doc from object (2) 645289 spotted movement to NE result = 1 BC, 1 AK has 3 more VC in tunnels trying to get them out 2 Co 749 found 1 Boat w/ writing, 1 party at VIC 645289 a list suppress on back side of boat to from the RH-1 sub element.	Code	MM		
Cont							
27	1145		Centaur 5 off station found recent trail activity in grids 6420 & 6514 -		MM		
28			1st Co supply boat, quadrant like 51 cal 643226	Code	MM		

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29	1812		2 co 1/49 BBT with pressure mine out personnel mine and a bunker 625295		JM
30	1215		Location Aco 647237 Dco 635296 1co 635226 2co 625295		AB k
31	1221		2nd co found a 155 BBT with trip mine 622292		JM
32	1245		found AT location 645225 a 122mm rocket among mine		JM
34			2co 1/49 AT 619287		JM
35	1257		4 engineers and 4 trip people to go to Patton for report AO		JM
36	1315		Location Aco 647237 Dco 645285 1co 645227 2co 619287		
37.			Bole request clearance for Fac to spend own allowance 607276		

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38	1355		ACCO involved to 12 cases ouchi of own heat security	Bale	MM
39	1357		ACCO Plt pickup to recon AP site		MM
40	1413		CDC break for fuel		MM
41	1414		2 co 1/49 at 646227 get 2 BC when they popped a frag in a tunnel also search for weapons documents	Bale	MM
42	1445		Doc 1st left airborne 1422290 1450 Down green Patton 1456 2 co 1/49 2nd lift airborne 1507 Down green Freng box 1507.	Bale	MM
43	1505		2 co 1/49 found 3-125 lbs bags of rice at 646227 fuel area	Bale	MM
44	1529		Doc 1st left airborne 150228 1510 Down Green Freng box 1516 Doc 2nd lift airborne 0502 48 1520 Down Green Patton 1526	Bale	MM

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	IN	OUT			
45	1648		1st Lift airborne 646226 1531 Down Green Trung Lap 1534 2 Lift airborne 646226/1538 Down Green Trung Lap 1542		
46	1550		Aco airborne 647237 1545 Down Green Patton 1549		
47	1557		S-3 air 28+50 black heat 1600 hrs release		
48	1625		3 co 1/49 645227 one of the POW was a Sgt Leavelle 3 co 9 BN		
49	1615		Mine here 1 on station pick up chaff bag personal and take to Cuchi off station 1618		
50	1620		Meg check points crisp		
51	1710		Arms NCP <sup>s</sup> out of Trung Lap, 588211, 589217, 593206, 591198, 594199, 598204, 598209, 594209, 585203, 585206, 580209.		
52	1807		As of 1800 hrs. 31 Dec. 1969		

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cont			we went under a cease fire until further notice	All units	RK	
53	1832		A <sup>CO</sup> NCP departed Patton	Bde	RK	
54	1836		C <sup>CO</sup> NCP departed Patton	Bde	RK	
55	1940		A <sup>CO</sup> NCP set-up loc. 597189	Bde	RK	
56	1920	LATE ENTRY	MESSAGE from Bde XO to LTC. Crutchley: 1 JAN 1970 is X-RAY DAY.	BN.CO	RK	
57	1955		C <sup>CO</sup> NCP set-up loc. 569198	Bde	RK	
58	2130		LNO(TL) request 1 priority dustoff for VN women caused by chopper machine gun fire previously (litter).	Bde	RK	
59	2132		Dustoff 150 on station	Bde	RK	
60	2133		Dustoff 150 complete, destination 12 EUAC.	Bde	RK	
61	2210		AO request fr. 2/12 for 021800 to 021930 AO TOM 563263 - 583264 - to AO boundary. This is for FALSE Airmobile insertions		RK	
62	2400		HAPPY NEW YEAR			
			CLT O915 hr Dec			
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			reported the ARUN company working with them received fire from them went. At 1104 hrs 1st company via 645227 captured two VC POW. D <sup>co</sup> via 645289 at 1120 killed one enemy and 1 AK and had 3 more VC in a tunnel. 2nd company found some documents in the same area. at 1212 hrs 2nd company found an anti-personnel mine boobytrapped at 625295, at 622292 they found a 155 well trip wire. at 646227 2nd CO and 2 BC in a tunnel. at 1505 hrs 3rd company via 646227 found 3 - 125 lbs of rice.		

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