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ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION S-2/S-3 4th Bn, 3d Inf ADVF-BARK		LOCATION LZ SAN JUAN BS635382		PERIOD COVERED		
				FROM HOUR 0001	DATE 17 Jan 70	TO HOUR 2400 DATE 17 Jan 70
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS	
	IN	OUT				
01	0001		(C) Journal Opened. Loc as fol: Co A LZSJ, Co B NDP BS684354, Co C NDP BS708365, Co D NDP BS692394, SRRP 1 NDP BS632402, SRRP 2, 3 LZSJ, SRRP 4 NDP BS636374, LRRP NEVADA NDP BS504415.	DO, Bde	DW	
02	0030		(U) Bn SITREP neg; SGT WOODWORTH, DNCO, checked guards and fd them alert and on posts	DO	DW	
03	0101		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	DW	
04	0150		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	DW	
05	0200		(U) At 0145, 1LT PEARSON, DO, checked guards and fd them alert and on their posts.	DO	DW	
06	0230		(U) 1LT PE ARSON, DO, checked guards and fd them alert and on their posts.	DO	DW	
07	0230		(C) Msg fr Arty Ln to 4-3: Diverted A/S BS627336, BS624337, BS656462, BS669472, BS687329, clearance 0600-1800 17 Jan 70.	DO	DW	
08	0254		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	DW	
09	0350		(U) SGT WOODWORTH, DNCO, checked guards and fd them alert and on their posts.	DO	DW	
10	0359		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	DW	
11	0456		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	DW	
12	0500		(C) Received 4.2 ammo rep: HE 578, 111 188, WP 76, CS 120.	Bde, DO	DW	
13	0505		(U) Received significant events fr Bde.	DO	DW	
14	0515		(C) At 0445 received hot spots fr Bde SLAR msn: BS610397, BS586374, BS381405, bird flew fr 1940-2230 16 Jan 4-3 Inf had no knowledge of bird being in AO.	DO	DW	
15	0520		(C) Beacon A/S on sta 0450-0515, 22 500lb bombs at BS689329, confirmed en base camp.	DO, Bde	DW	
16	0545		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same	Bde, DO	DW	
17	0546		(C) Ref #14, Arty eng BS581405 w/4 105 HE, and 4 4.2 HE.	DO	DW	
18	0855		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	DO, Bde	DW	
19	0813		(C) Bn SITREP neg; at 0800 Co A LZSJ, Co B BS684353, Co C BS708365, Co D BS692394.			
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Cont			SRRP 1 BS632402, SRRP 4 BS636374, LRRP'S BS504415	Bde, DO				
20	0815		(C) Bn Cmdr, LTC WIELGA, dept LZSJ for field	Arty Ln DO	DW DW			
21	0845		(C) URI Bn size BS622252, 1300m radius, received fr Bde (AMARO).	Bn S-2, DO	DW			
22	0915		(C) Bn S-3, MAJ MCGEE, dept LZSJ for field.	DO	JS			
23	0920		(C) Bn SITREP neg; at 0900 Co A LZSJ, Co B BS680345, Co C BS692394, 1st plat BS713362 Co D PB BS692394, 1st Plat BS695392, 2nd Plat BS694394, SRRP1 BS632402, SRRP 4 BS636374, LRRPS 504415.	Bde, DO Arty Ln.	JS			
24	0932		(C) Req for SHADOW BOX pri grids 5842, 5840, 6242, 6240, alt 6542, 6640, 6941, 6843, time 181800-190600, req by 1LT CANCINO rec by GILROY.	Bde, Arty Ln	JS			
25	0935		(C) Req for WARLORD BOX grids 5842, 5840, 6242, 6240, time 180600-181800 req by 1LT CANCINO, rec by SP GILROY.	Bde, Arty Ln	JS			
26	0937		(C) Req for Beacon drops grids BS679430, SEL, BS575400 SEL, BS584403 SEL, Req by 1LT CANCINO.	Bde, Arty	JS			
27	0939		(C) Req for preplanned A/S grids BS656418, SEL, 661404, SEL, Req for 17 Jan 70 by 1LT CANCINO, rec by SP GILROY.	Bde, Arty Ln	JS			
28	1000		(C) Bn Cmdr and Bn S-3 arr LZSJ 1000.	DO	JS			
29	1003		(C) Bn SITREP neg, at 1000 loc same except SRRP 1 BS633405, SRRP 4 BS636373.	Bde, DO, Arty Ln	JS			
30	1025		(C) SPOT REPORT: At 1020 at BS504415 LRRP NEVADA has much movement to NW, approx 50m from their location.	Bde, DO, Arty Ln, Bn S-2	JS			
31	1030		(C) Co B elements loc: 1st Plat BS683342, 2d Plat BS678347, 3d Plat BS683346.	DO, Arty Ln	JS			
32	1033		(C) SPOT REPORT: At 1028 Co B 3d Plat fd at BS683346, 2 buhkers 6'x8' approx 2 mo old, will destroy.	DO, Bn-S-2, Arty Ln	JS			
33	1050		(C) Msg relayed to Bde fr LRRP NEVADA: A/S req in priority BS615420, prox 1000m					

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Cont			BS538427, 3000m, BS534416 prox 2000m.	Bde, DO Arty Ln	JS				
34	1105		(C) Bn SITREP neg; at 1100 Co A LZSJ, Co B BS678343 - 2d Plat, PB same, Co C BS708365 mv E, Co D PE BS692394, 1st Plat mv NE, 3d Plat mv NW, SRRP 1 BS633397, SRRP 4 BS637373, LRRP BS504415.	DO, Arty Ln	JS				
35	1125		(C) Bde req existing AO ext for 1-20 Inf be extended until 181200 Jan 70, approved by MAJ McGEE, Bn S-3.	Bde	JS				
36	1132		(C) SPOT REPORT: at 1130 LRRP NEVADA hears mv vic BS504415, mv cont for 5 min, stops for 15 min, mv towards their loc.	Bde	JS				
37	1315		Bn SITREP neg; at 1200 Co A LZSJ, Co B BS680345, PB, 1st Plat BS678347, Co C PB BS716361, 1st Plat mv N, 3d Plat BS688384, SRRP 1 BS633397, SRRP 4 BS632372, LRRPs same	Bde, DO, Arty Ln	JS				
38	1320		SPOT REPORT: At 1310 Co C 1st Plat fd at BS716364, 25 fighting psns 8 mo old, 3'x6'.	Bde, Bn S-2 Arty Ln	JS				
39	1336		(C) Bn SITREP neg; at 1300 Co A LZSJ, Co B BS680345, Co C BS716361, 1st Plat BS695403, 3d Plat BS684392, SRRP 1 BS632397, SRRP 4 BS632232, LRRP BS504415.	DO, Arty Ln	JS				
40	1340		(C) SPOT REPORT: at 1330 Co D 1st Plat fd at 695403 3 old burned huts 8'x6', 2 fish traps, fresh C-Ration cans, 1 PRC 25 bat, and 4 81mm ammo boxes.	Bn S-2, DO, Arty Ln	JS				
41	1345		Co B, 3d Plat loc at 1340 BS682348, Co C 2d Plat at BS715358.	DO, Arty Ln	JS				
42	1415		(C) SPOT REPORT: at 1350 Co B 3d Plat spotted at BS684353, 6 VC/NVA in NDP used by B Co 16 Jan, engaged w/81mm mortars and 105's fr LZSJ.	Bn S-2 DO	JS				
43	1415		(C) BaTo cleared grid BS55420 for 1600 H 17 Jan 70, beacon drop 7000m to S of grid.	DO	JS				
44	1420		(C) SPOT REPORT: At 1405 H Co D 1st Plat fd at 694405, 75lbs rice, 12 cans mackerel, 2 cans of condensed milk, 1 change of fairly new clothes (1 blue top, 1 blk bott) candy, cookies, fd along trail 1d N.	DO, Bn S-2 Arty Ln	JS				
45	1425		(C) Ref #42, 105's fr LZSJ eng w/40 rds HE.	DO, Bn S-2	JS				

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46	1430		(C) Bn SITREP neg; at 1400 H Co A LZSJ, Co B BS680345, 3d Plat BS682348, Co C BS 716361, 2d Plat BS715358, Co D BS692397, 1st Plat BS674405, 3d Plat BS683392, SRRP 1 BS631397, SRRP 4 BS632372	Bde, DO Arty Ln	JS	
47	1434		(C) Msg fr BaTo: Training area fd by CIDG grid BS626265, grid will be clear of friendlies until 181800 H, red fr HELVEY.	DO	JS	
48	1520		(C) Bn SITREP neg; at 1500 H Co A LZSJ, Co B BS680345, 3d Plat BS682348, Co C BS 716361, Co D BS692394, 2d Plat mv to BS 716361, SRRP 1 BS631397, SRRP 4 BS 632372, LRRPs same.	Bde, DO Arty Ln	JS	
49	1522		(C) Co C mv to SE fr 716361.	DO, Arty Ln	JS	
50	1524		(C) Co D, 1st Plat closed with PB.	DO, Arty	JS	
51	1525		(C) Ref #42, results of eng by 81's: 1 VC/NVA KIA.	Bde, Bn S-2 Arty Ln	JS	
52	1530		(C) CPT HURLEY submitted plans for 18 Jan	Bde, DO	JS	
53	1533		(C) Msg fr 1LT IRELAND of TMF: Have just completed fire mission from sensor activation of string #154, req a VR if poss.	Bde, DO Arty Ln	JS	
54	1600		(C) Bn SITREP neg; at 1600 Co A LZSJ, Co B BS680345, 3d Plat and 1/2 1st Plat BS682348, Co C BS716361, Co D NDP BS700396, SRRP 1 BS632390, SRRP 4 BS632372, LRRPs BS504415.	Bde, DO Arty Ln	JS	
55	1615		(C) Co C loc at 1615 at BS718355.	Do, Arty Ln	JS	
56	1620		(C) HELIX 32 on sta, will VR grid BS 615389, earlier sensor reading.	DO, Bn S-2		
57	1622		(C) SPOT REPORT: at 1615 Co D fd at BS 700396 a booby trap, homemade gren attached to a 155mm rd, blown in place.	Bn S-2 DO Arty Ln	JS	
58	1640		(C) Msg fr Bde: Beacon sch for 1600 cancel due to poor commo.	DO	JS	
59	1650		(C) HELIX 37 (FAC) Broke sta at 1650 obs many tracks mov E-W at BS628453.	Bde, DO	NC	
60	1705		(C) Bn SITREP neg; loc fol: Co A LZSJ, Co B BS680345, Co C BS718355, Co D			
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Cont.			BS700396, SRRP 1 BS638394, 2d and 3d teams LZSJ, 4th BS633372.	Bde, DO	NC	
61	1735		(C) Rec'd URI fr Bde, grid BS67257 Regt size unit 1000 m fr SP JORDAN at Bde.	DO	NC	
62	1745		(U) Bunker inspection by SSGT VASSAR, all bunkers OK.	Bde, DO	NC	
63	1800		(C) Bn SITREP neg; all loc same except SRRP 1 at BS642394 and neg contact.	Bde, DO	NC	
64	1830		(C) CC times for 18 Jan CC: 0900-1200 and 1500-1800, utility 1500-1700, RINGNECK (Beacon) 379, 0500.	DO	NC	
65	1900		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	NC	
66	2015		(C) Rec significant events fr SP PARIS, Bn Ln, to include weather report for 18 Jan 70: Cloudy with intermittent showers winds 5-10 knots fr NE, temp 66-74, humidity 97%-80%.	DO	JS	
67	2015		(C) Bn SITREP neg; at 2000 loc Co A LZSJ, Co B NDP BS680345, 10 75m NE, 30 SE85m, Co C NDP BS718355, Co D NDP BS700396, 10 75m E, 30 75m W, 20 BS701397, SRRP 1 NDP BS642394, SRRP 4 NDP BS633372, LRRPS NDP 504415.	Bde, DO Arty Ln	JS	
68	2030		(C) Rec Bn strength report: Co A 5/80, Co B 5/72, Co C 5/99, Co D 5/95, SRRPs 1/34.	Bn S-1, DO	JS	
69	2100		(U) Bn SITREP NEG; loc same.	Bde, DO	DW	
70	2115		(C) INTREP relayed fr BaTo to Bde: At BS 585205 is an NVA Bn, at BS445350 are 2 NVA Companies, at BS504248 is a VC Plat, rec between 1200 and 1800, fr RBH at BaTo through PFC KAUFFMAN to SP JORDAN at Bde.	Bde, DO	DW	
71	2130		(U) SGT WOODWORTH, DNGO checked guards and fd them alert and on their posts.	DO	DW	
72	2140		(C) Rec INTREP fr Bde( SP JORDAN): C-3 the ARVN's had a Hoi Canh, CPT in rank. He stated that there will probably be general attacks between LZ 411 and QUANG NGAI CITY, and throughout QN PROVINCE. At this time To My Village is getting loud speakers telling the RF's and PF's to Chu Hoi or they will be killed.	DO	DW	
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73	2150		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	DW		
74	2300		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	DW		
75	2355		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same	Bde, DO	DW		
76	(C)		Log Summary: 4-3 Inf cont offensive search and ambush opns in SAN JUAN AO w/ Co A and SRRP 2, 3 securing LZSJ and Co's B, C, D operating in grid squares BS 6834, BS7136, BS6939 and SRRP 1 at BS6339, SRRP 4 at BS6337. LRRP NEVADA was at BS5041. At 0450 BEACON A/S at BS689329, 22-500lb bombs were dropped on confirmed en base camp, res unk. At 0830, LTC WIELGA, Bn Cmdr, and MAJ McGEE, Bn S-3, dept LZSJ for the field, staying until 1000. At 1132, LRRP NEVADA reported hearing mv at BS504115, mv continue for 15 minutes and coming toward them. At 1415, Co B spotted at BS684393 6 VC/NVA and eng w/ 81mm mortars and 105's from LZSJ, res 1 VC/NVA KIA (See # 42, # 51). At 1622, Co D fd at BS700396 a booby trap, homemade grenade attached to a 155mm rd, will blow in place. There were neg further significant events during the day.				
77	2400		(U) Journal closed.		DW		