



SRL	DATE	EVENT	BACKGROUND, OPINIONS ETC	SOURCES	COMPILER'S COMMENT
412	20 Sep 72	OP SYCAMORE began. Mounted from WHITE CITY and TADA with diversionary ops from JIBJAAT. 2 contacts initially - en low 1 KIA 2 WIA. No SAF cas.	Plan to clear W. KHISHYV - J. ARAM - TAWI ATAKA. in 3 phases: a. Siege high ground above W. KHISHYV incl J. ARAM b. Part of base and govt com in W. ARZAT. c. Destroy in E. of W. DARBAT. Jelalis becoming more confident in SAF remaining	(4) (54)	Order for op NK but incl elms NFR and FDe.
413	21 Sep 72	OP HORNBEAM began. Part of line NW from ADONIB towards WINDY RIDGE (YU9887).		(52) (4)	8 Picquet locs. (ZU 0576, YU 9668, 8924, 9178, 9084, 8588, 9171, YV 7901).
414	23 Sep 72		Def Sec described as concerned about the cost of the war. Agreed in principle to clandestine ops.	(298)	
415	27 Sep 72	2 "white men" in shorts seen on en side of HABRUT.		(54)	
416	30 Sep 72		593 SEP to date. FST of SAL created 72 GSW cas in Sep.	(56) (1)	
417	05 72	PLAINS quiet. One attack only.		(1) (55-7)	
418	7 05 72	SYCAMORE (to date). En have low 20+ KIA. NFR had some cas. Most active areas JIBJAAT/J. ARAM/E. of W. DARBAT.	Para reempued	(55) (4) (55)	
419	7 05 72	SIMBA (to date). Firing continues. Gov now MR (Pen 1 coy) + 2 coys BG.			
420	7 05 72		Saudi aid being planned. Sultan has accepted Iranian SF bn (DA Tehran commented on their quality). Iranian bn 150 strong.	(300) (303) (4)	Iranian SF bn arrived 6 Jan 73.
421	8 05 72		Request for SAS team to org clandestine ops among MANHA in PDRY.	(301) (56) (4) (57)	Correct serial 398 + 414
422	14 or 15 05 72	SIMBA received 100 vicoms. Periodically fired at during period 8-31 05. No serious SAF cas. SAF now using 4.2" mortar given by Iran.			