



1Lt Bill Wynne at the aiming circle at the XO's post prior to a fire mission at Quan Loi.



Inside of F Btry 16<sup>th</sup> Arty FDC at Quan Loi. FDC Chief Sp6 Thomas (left) and Sp4 Oosterhof (right)



1Lt Bill Wynne at situation map in F Btry's FDC at Quan Loi. Pointing to LZ Andy.



F Btry 16<sup>th</sup> Arty's high command. Front row (L to R) BC Capt. Warden, Lt.?, XO 1Lt. Mark Lowens, (Back row) 1<sup>st</sup> Sgt. Ramsey and E-5 Sgt Carr. Summer of 1969 at Quan Loi.



Loading a Jo for fire mission at Quan Loi.



Gun Chief Sgt Mason (without helmet) during fire mission at Quan Loi.



Fire mission at Quan Loi a lot of red dust.



Fire mission at Quan Loi, the number two gun section loading the powder charge.



Fire mission at Quan Loi. Gun in full recoil, must be charge 7 white bag.



Fire mission at Quan Loi, checking elevation with a Gunners Quadrant.



Laying the Battery for a fire mission at Quan Loi.



Fire mission at Quan Loi, looking down from the aiming circle.



Fire mission at Quan Loi.



Fire mission at Quan Loi.



Loading a Jo and getting powder charge ready for a fire mission at Quan Loi.



Ready to fire, waiting on the command from FDC. Fire mission at Quan Loi.



Reloading for fire mission at Quan Loi.



Lookout tower at Quan Loi.



155mm gun pit at Quan Loi. Gun is up on its pedestal. Ready to go to work.



We used this shower at Tay Ninh. Supported some LRP's that got into trouble. Another long night.



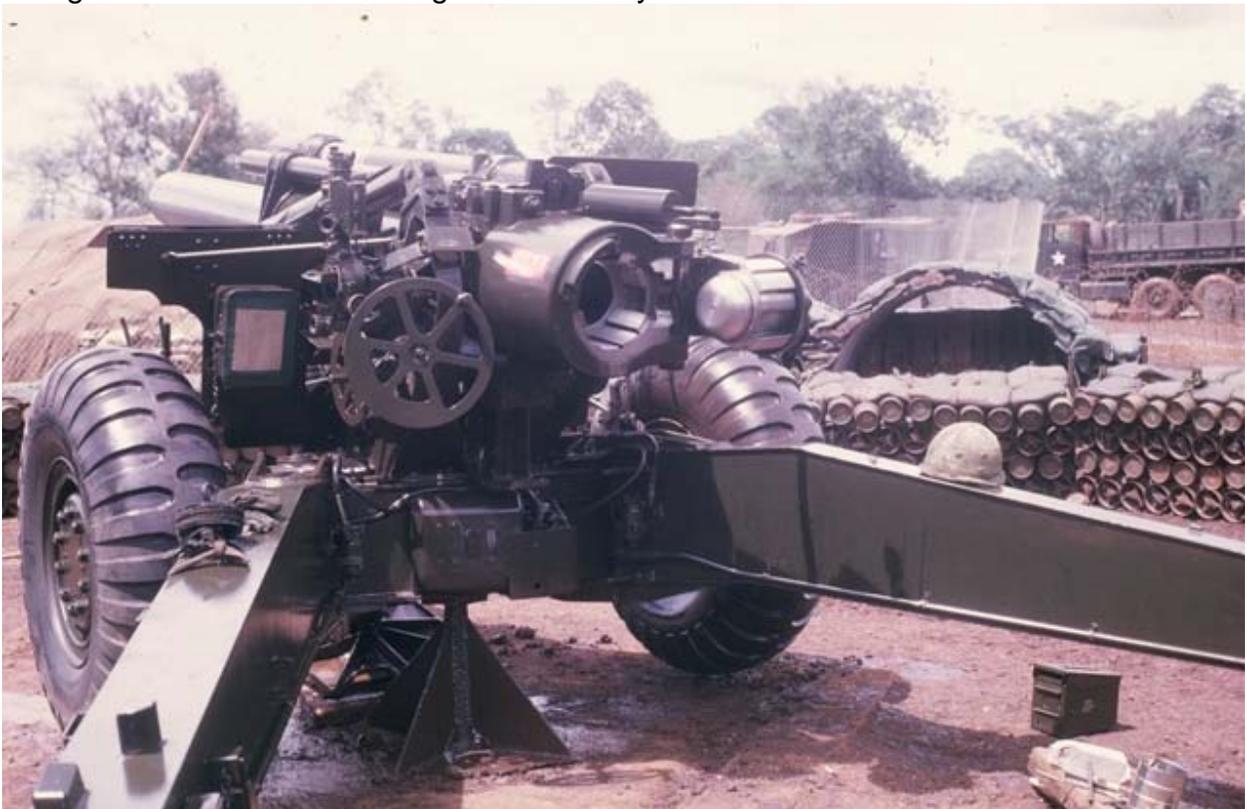
We were on a Special Op near Cambodia, moved two guns to a Special Forces LZ to support an extraction. Kneeling (L to R) - RTO?, E-7 SFC Branham. Standing (L to R) - RTO Holmes, FDC Schwartzkopf, 1Lt. Bill Wynne, FDC Ridley, FDC Section Chief Anderson. That is the FDC behind us. Some sandbags, ammo boxes and cargo pallets covering a hole in the ground. Not much, but we made it work.



A flight of Hueys ready for takeoff from Quan Loi, remember that 155s were airmobile, and we moved a lot, by C-130 and CH-47's.



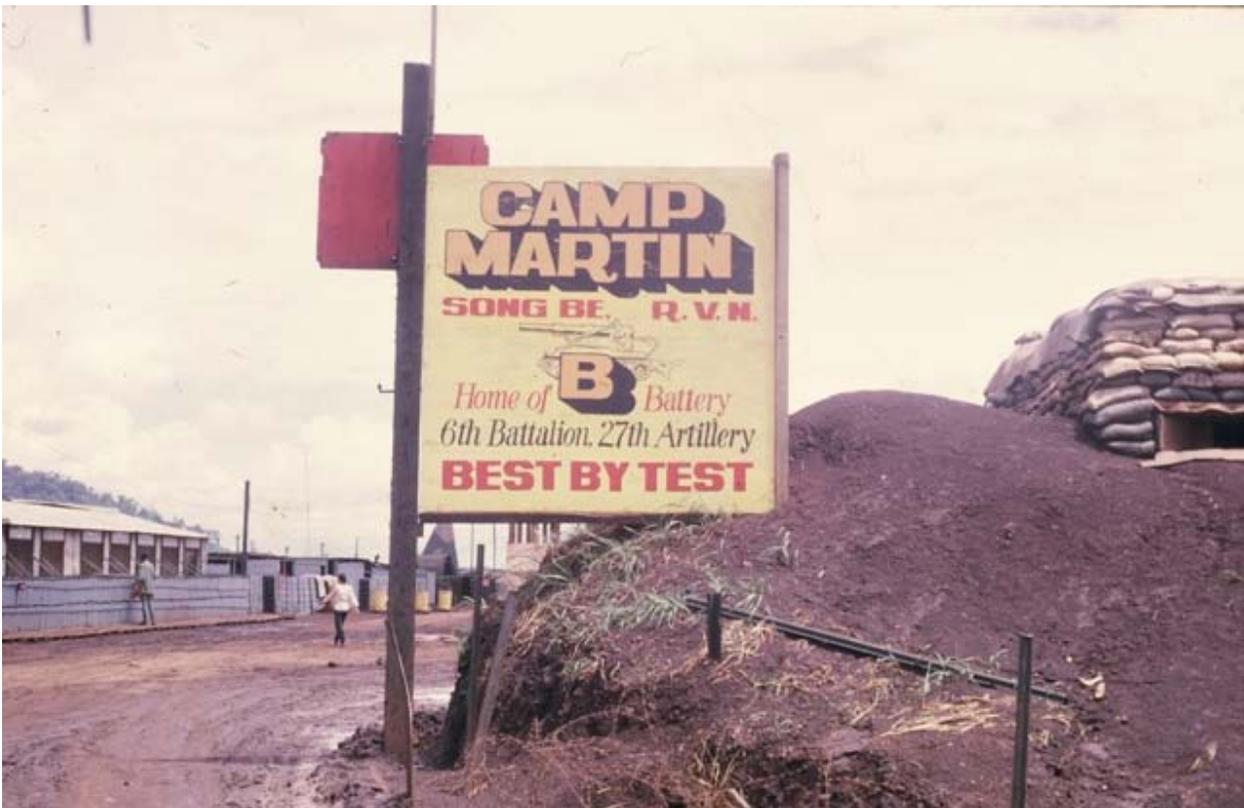
Using Wilson Picket as marking rounds at Tay Ninh.



One of six 155mm howitzers in F Btry. Notice the gun balanced on the pedestal. One man could easily move the gun in this setup. Once pointed in the right general direction the XO would lay the gun in the exact direction, the gun would be jacked up and made ready to fire. Speed and accuracy was our goal. This howitzer shot the 50,000<sup>th</sup> round.



During its 11 month attached to the 6<sup>th</sup>Bn 27<sup>th</sup> Arty, F Btry 16<sup>th</sup> Arty shot over 50,000 rounds. Here is a photo of the 50,000<sup>th</sup> .



F/16 sent three gun sections to LZ Button on 11 September 1969. On 17 October, F/16 was detached from the 6/27 and attached to 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn. 12<sup>th</sup> Arty.