

Mini-skirted Heat Wave

Weather Girl Bobbie Keith Raises Troop Temperatures



One of the loveliest Skytroopers to hit Vietnam, Bobbie Keith receives congratulations and a certificate from MG George I. Forsythe, Commander of the FIRST TEAM, proclaiming her an honorary 1st Cav member.

PHUOC VINH — Recently the "Bubbling Bundle of Barometric Brilliance" toured Cav Country. To those who have had the chance to watch television in Vietnam, she is Bobbie, Miss Bobbie Keith, the weather girl of AFVN-TV.

Upon her arrival at Camp Gorvad, she was greeted by Major General George I. Forsythe, the division's commanding general, who presented her with a certificate making her an "Honorary Skytrooper." MG Forsythe expressed his gratitude that she was taking the time "to visit the men of THE FIRST TEAM."

The pretty, young blonde visited the wards of the 15th Medi-

cal Battalion. Her appearance brought smiles to the faces of the patients. "How do you feel today?" Miss Keith asked one Skytrooper. "Right now, fine, thank you," was his reply.

Among other places at Camp Gorvad, Miss Keith visited the Air Force weather station. She agreed with Captain Dennis L. Frederick, weather officer, that the temperature at Phuoc Vinh was already over 100 degrees.

Next on her long itinerary were visits to the three brigades, located at Tay Ninh, Lai Khe and Bien Hoa. At Tay Ninh, Miss Keith played cards and talked with the men of Company A, 2nd Battalion, 8th Cavalry. They were enjoying a few days

break at the VIP Center after 87 days in the field.

A tour of the EM Club highlighted her stop at Lai Khe. At her next stop, the VIP Center at Bien Hoa, the minidressed Miss Keith brightened the spirits of Company B, 5th Battalion, 7th Cavalry.

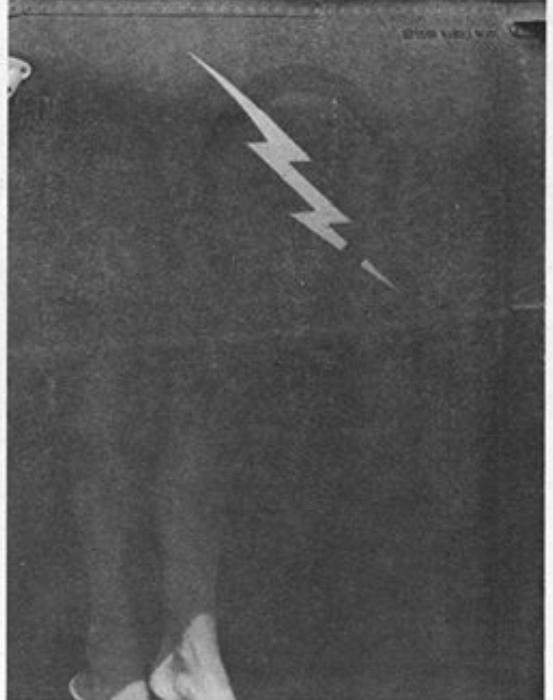
"I'm short — 45 more days," exclaimed one Skytrooper.

"I've been in country 21 months working with Foreign Services. I should DEROS in June," Bobbie replied, much to the trooper's amazement.

On that night's weather show which, by the way, she does on a voluntary basis, Miss Keith extended her thanks and best wishes to the men of the 1st Air Cavalry Division.



Even a pile of sandbags looks good when weather girl Bobbie Keith poses for a complimentary picture.



A Cav chopper never looked this good, not even to a grunt awaiting hot chow out in the boonies.



An obviously jubilant Skytrooper has lots to smile about as Bobbie Keith spends time with wounded soldiers at the 15th Medical Battalion at Camp Gorvad.

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