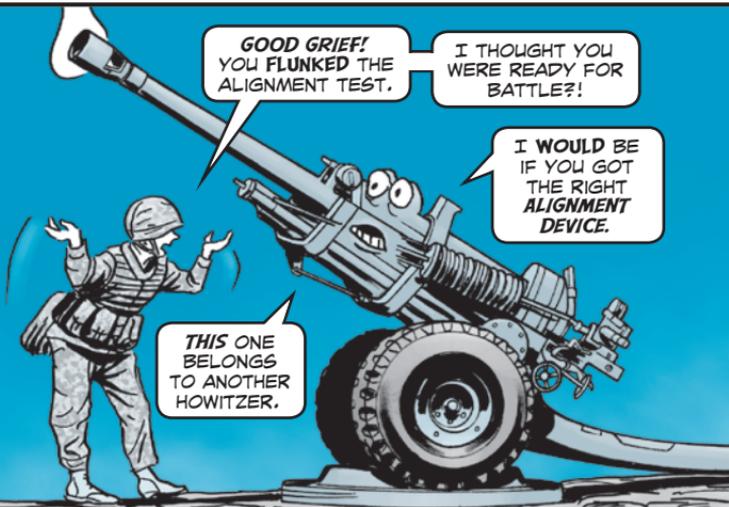


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YOU CAN USE
ANY M2A1
BARREL WITH ANY
M2A1 MACHINE
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M119A2 Howitzer...

Check Alignment Device's Mounting Bracket Serial Number



Dear Editor,

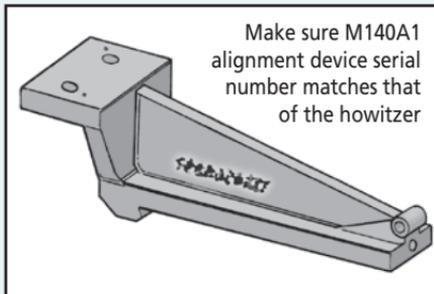
When M119A2 howitzer crews are doing the BEFORE PMCS in TM 9-1015-252-10, they need to add a step when they get to Item 15 in WP 0040-15. Crewmen must make sure the serial number for the M140A1 alignment device's mounting bracket (or "dovetail") matches that of the howitzer's serial number.

If the wrong dovetail is used, the howitzer can fail the fire control alignment test in WP 0049.

A dovetail can be adapted to another howitzer by being pinned, but this can be done only once. Then the dovetail must be replaced. The pinning procedure is in WP 0081 in TM 9-1015-252-34.

If you find the wrong dovetail, tell your repairman.

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Editor's note:
A good PMCS addition,
Mr. Palmer. Thanks.