

Post Nine Plays Here Today



The Fort's baseball team will play the Edmonton Field Air Corps team from Canada this afternoon at the Stadium at 1500. The local outfit has been turning out for the past two weeks and won their first exhibition game last Sunday.

Lt Roy S. Fujii, coach of the team, had approximately 45 players to pick from in their first game. The complete roster during the early tryouts are as follows:

Front row, left to right: Gary Fujiwara, Mas Okahara, Toyoaki Tateishi, Kazuto Yamada, Hiroki Yasutake and Takashi Misaki.

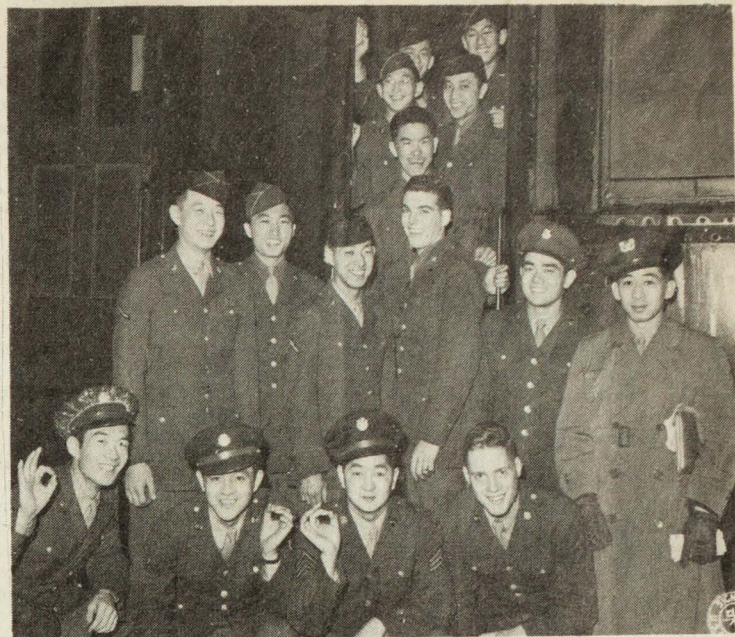
Second row: Noriyuki Sakamoto, Manager, John Matsuo, Bill Tsukamoto, Hiroshi Yakura, Battalion Commander Major Fred B. Keller, Coach Lt Fujii, Rikio Kamagai, Arthur Hayashi, Hajime Koike and Karuo Kuroda.

Third row: Junji Ono, George Mamiya, Dutch Takekawa, Tadashi Iigata, Masateru Jio, Peter Kasima and Richard Nimura.

Fourth row: George Wada, Gim Taguchi, Johnny Okamoto, Tom Onishi, Harutsugu Maruyama, Sam Funamura, Ed Iada, Harry Oka, Hisashi Kamei and Susumu Honda.

Back row: John Davis, Charles DeGraw and Irving Reiss.

Cagers Smile In Defeat



Smiling despite their defeat in two games at Omaha last weekend in the Service Command basketball championships, the Fort's team is shown as they returned to the Twin Cities on Monday.

In the first round play the Snelling boys lost to Fort Riley 46 to 39 and then lost to Fort Leonard Wood 37 to 32.

Fort Warren's team, which boasts of 62-56 win over the Harlem Globe Trotters, won the championships, defeating Fort Riley 62-45.

Crouching in the front row are Pfc Hal Noguchi, Pfc Frank Kebo, Sgt Jon Matsuo, trainer, and Tec 5 Merle Gulick. Standing are Pfc Mas Nishibayashi, Pfc Shig Fukuyama, Pfc Frank Kuramoto, Tec 5 John Leddy, Pfc Tets Sumida and WO Sal Jio, coach. On the train are Pfc Frank Katsuyama and Pfc Johnny Okamoto. Second row finds Pfc Johnny Oshida and Pfc Wat Misaka with Pfc Kenji Hosokawa, center, boarding the train.

Members Of Co C's Champ Basketball Team



Shown in the above picture are the members of Co C's basketball team, the School Battalion champs. Pfc Saki Hayashi was the coach of the team.

The title winners from left to right are: Pfc Saki Hayashi, Pfc Wat Misaka, captain; Pfc Johnny Oshida and Pfc Theodore Sumida. Second row: Pfc Yuichi Hirata, Pfc Isao Hasama, Pfc Frank Kebo, Pfc Teruo Ryono and Pfc John Sakamoto. Back row: Pfc Jack Hirose, Pfc Joe Hamanaka, Pfc Richard Nimura and Pfc John Ishimoto.

All-Stars



FORT'S MIS BASKETBALL ALL-STARS: Front row, left to right: Pfc Sakaye Hayashi, trainer; Sgt John Matsuo, assistant coach and business manager. Seated: Pfc Shigeru Fukuyama, center; O/C John Leddy, guard; Pfc Wat Misaka, forward and team captain; Pfc Kenji Hosokawa, guard; Pfc John Oshida, forward. Back row, standing: Warrant Officer Sal Jio, coach; Cpl Cheek Matsuo, Special Services; Pfc Frank Katsuyama, forward; Pfc Harold Noguchi, guard; Pfc Masaru Nishibayashi, center; O/C Merle Gulick, guard; Pfc Johnny Okamoto, forward; Pfc Frank Kuramoto, guard; and Major Fred B. Keller, battalion commander.

