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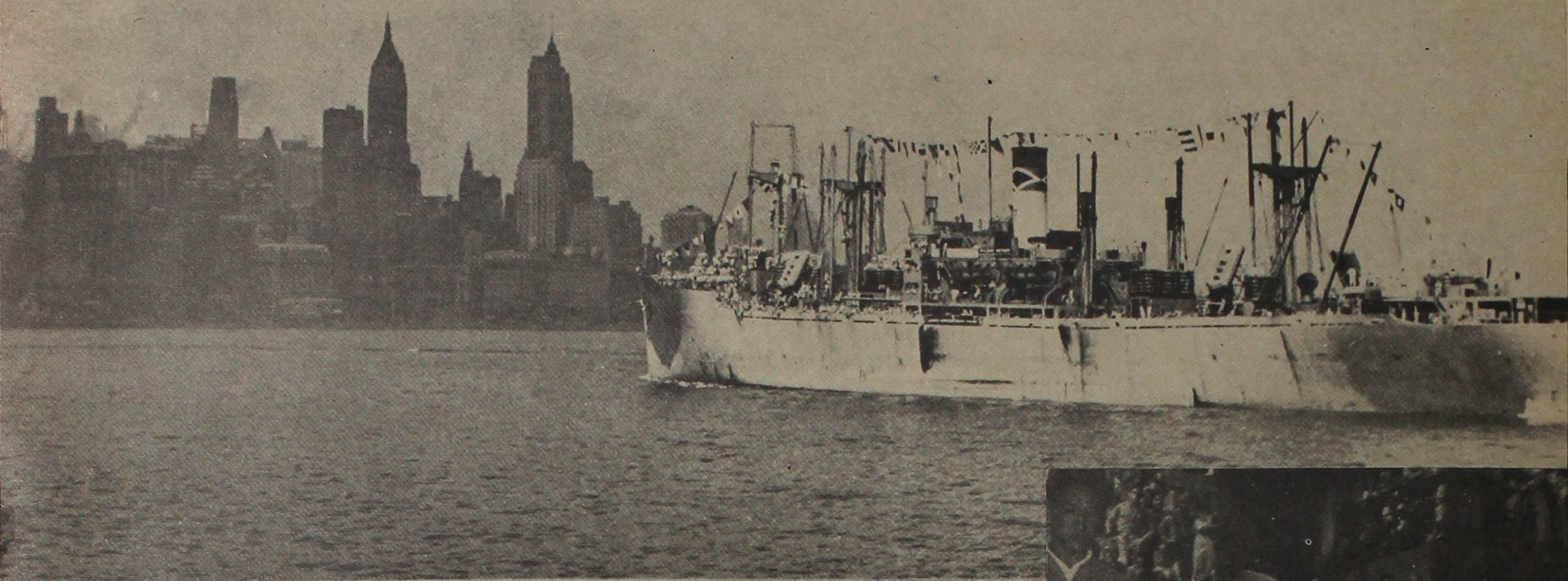
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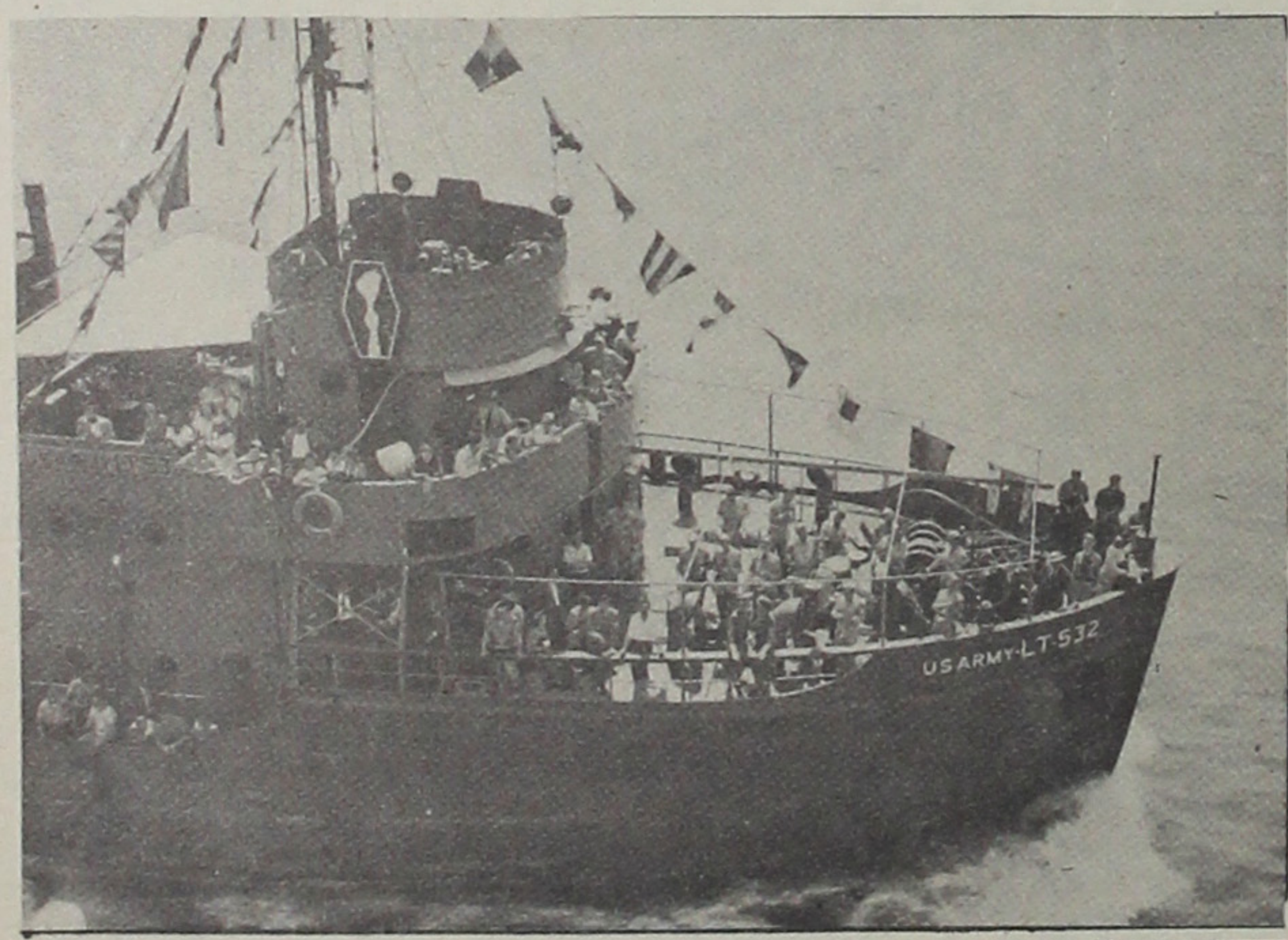
442nd PICTORIAL SUPPLEMENT



The Wilson Victory with 500 members of the 442nd Regimental Combat Team steams majestically up the lower Hudson while banners along the shore hail the returning heroes. (Photo: Stone Ishimaru.)



"Hi! Joe," waving wildly, the girls call from the official welcome boat. (Ishimaru.)

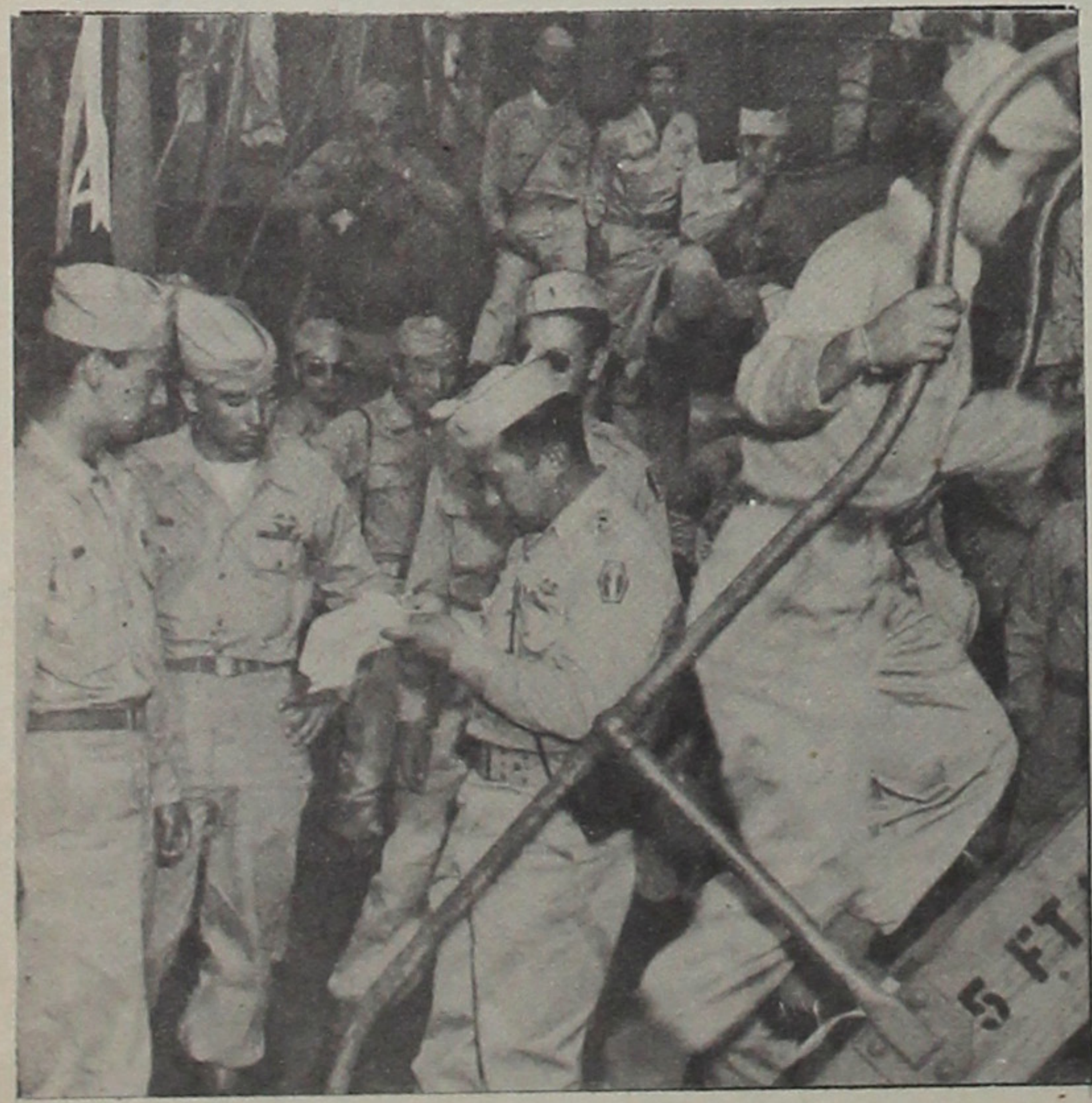


Hawaiian melodies waft across the Hudson as the 442nd is serenaded. (Signal Corps.)



A Royal Hawaiian welcome from the Hotel Lexington grass petticoats. (U. S. Signal Corps.)

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Checking off the men on the shipping list as they prepare to go topside. (Signal Corps.)



Hula girls and a wiggle wag perform for a cheerful audience. (Ishimaru.)



An issei couple anxiously scan passenger list for a long awaited son. (Signal Corps.)

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Gray ladies pass out refreshments at pier during brief break in ceremonies. (Ishimaru.)



Masao Nakada, veteran, joyously welcomes an old friend at the pier. (Ishimaru.)



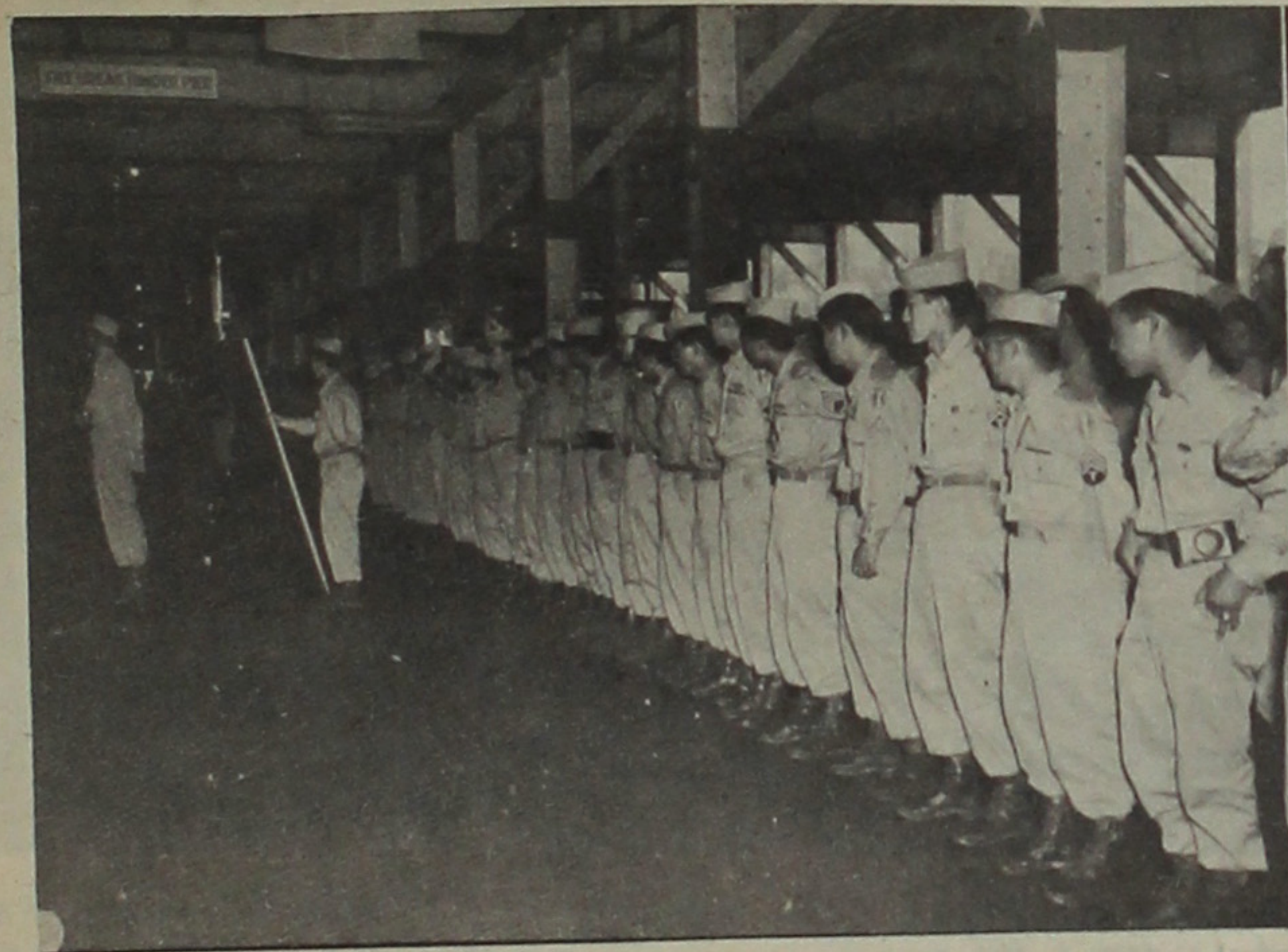
"This way, fellows!" Off the gangplank they come to "fall in" for a brief review. (Signal Corps.)



Katherine and Dorothy Yoshizawa take in tow a very good-looking sergeant. (Signal Corps.)



Crowd at Pier 34 follows the welcome rites as 800 casual troops still aboard the Wilson Victory cheer the 442nd. (Signal Corps.)



Necks crane to watch Gen. Ewart Plank make welcome address. (Signal Corps.)

Earl Finch and a group of early debarkees chew the fat for the grinding news reels. (Signal Corps.)



Gen. Plank, C. G. of the N.Y. P.O.E., gives the terse military salute, "Well done!" (Signal Corps.)



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The 442nd on the way to the Ellipse to be decorated by President Truman. (Ellis, Washington Post.)



The 442nd Regimental Combat Team marches smartly in the rain up Constitution Avenue, Washington, D. C. (Ozaki.)

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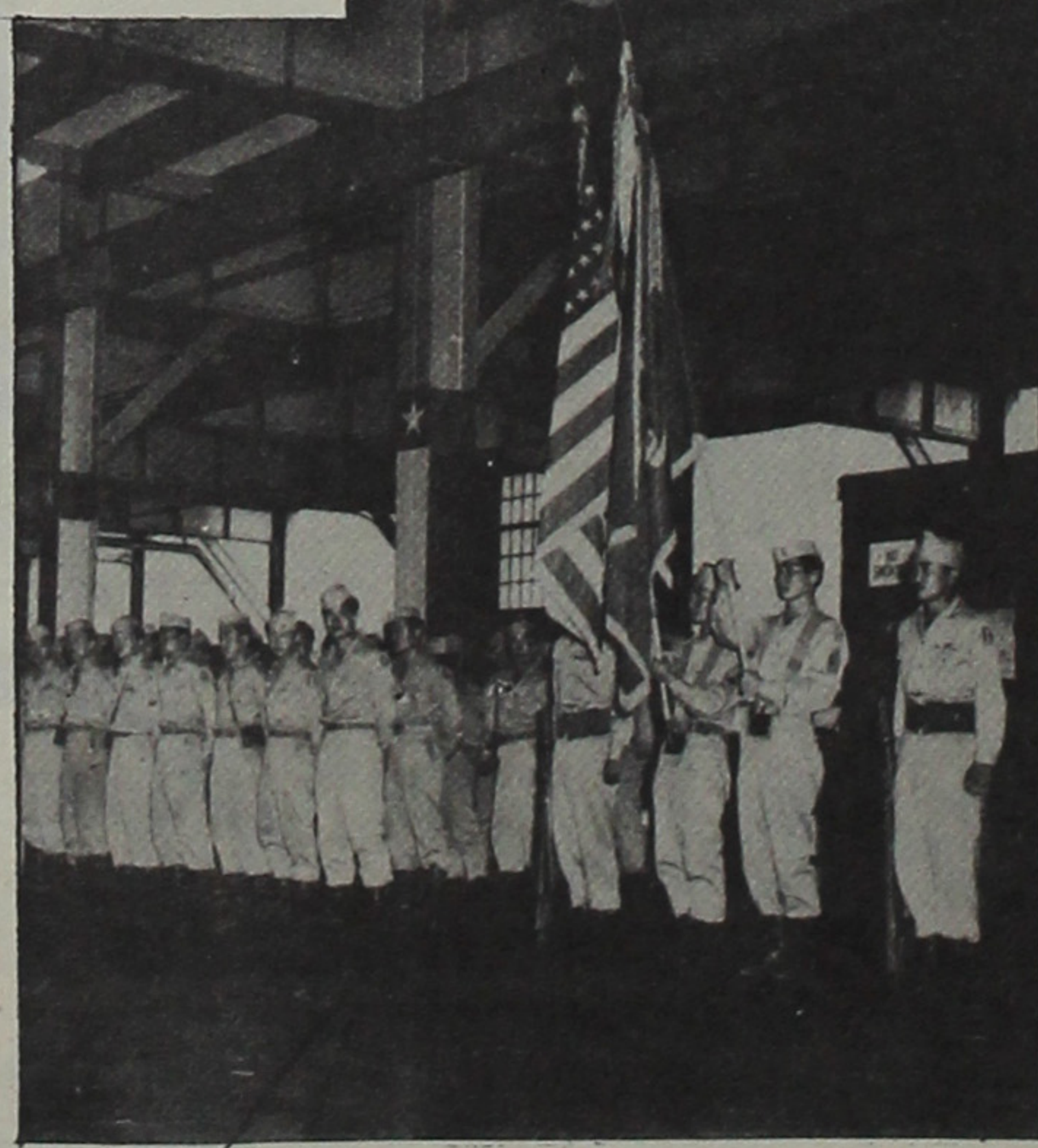
President Truman affixes the mental colors. (Ellis, Washington Post.)



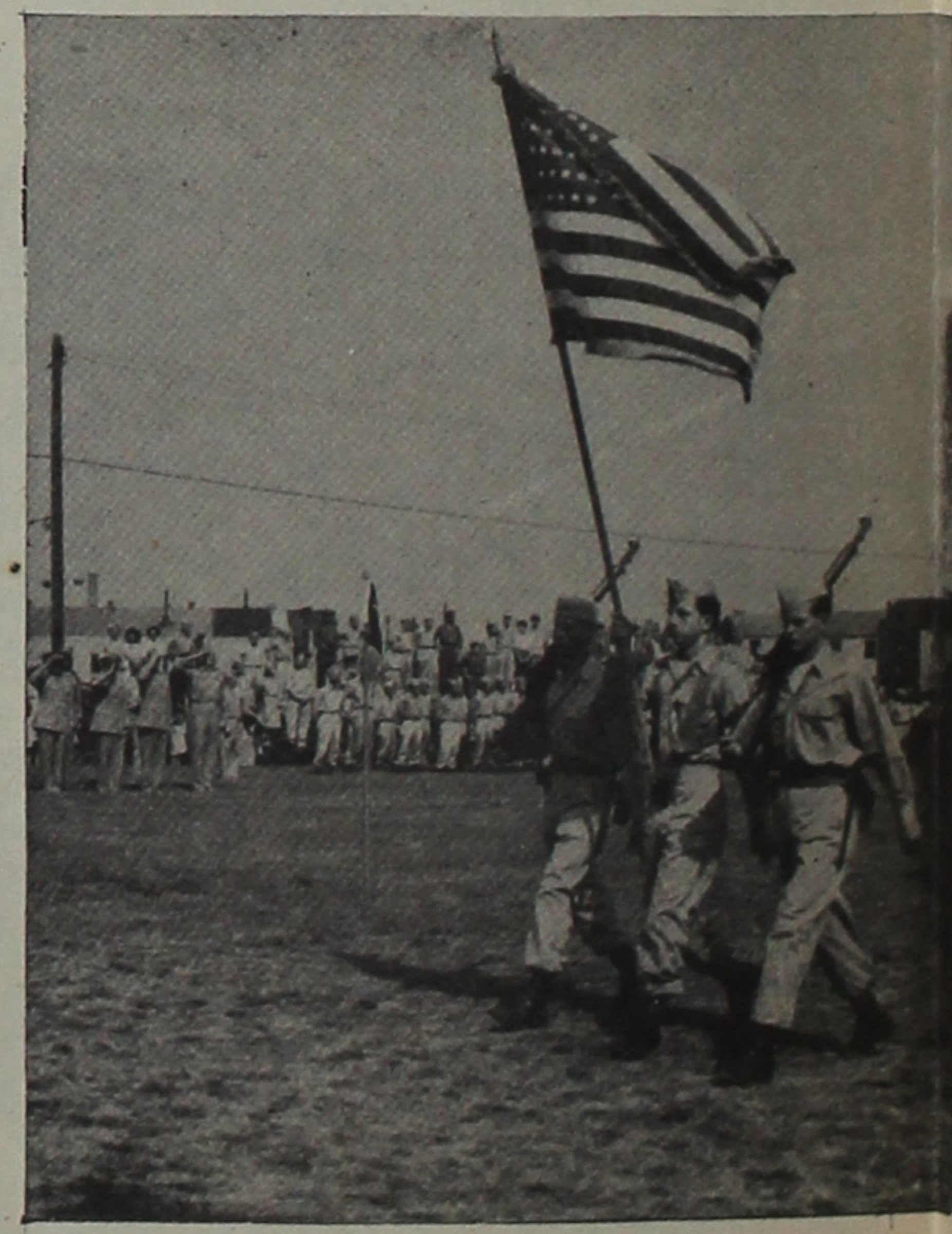
Photographers and reporters crowd President Truman on his inspection of the 442nd. (Ozaki.)



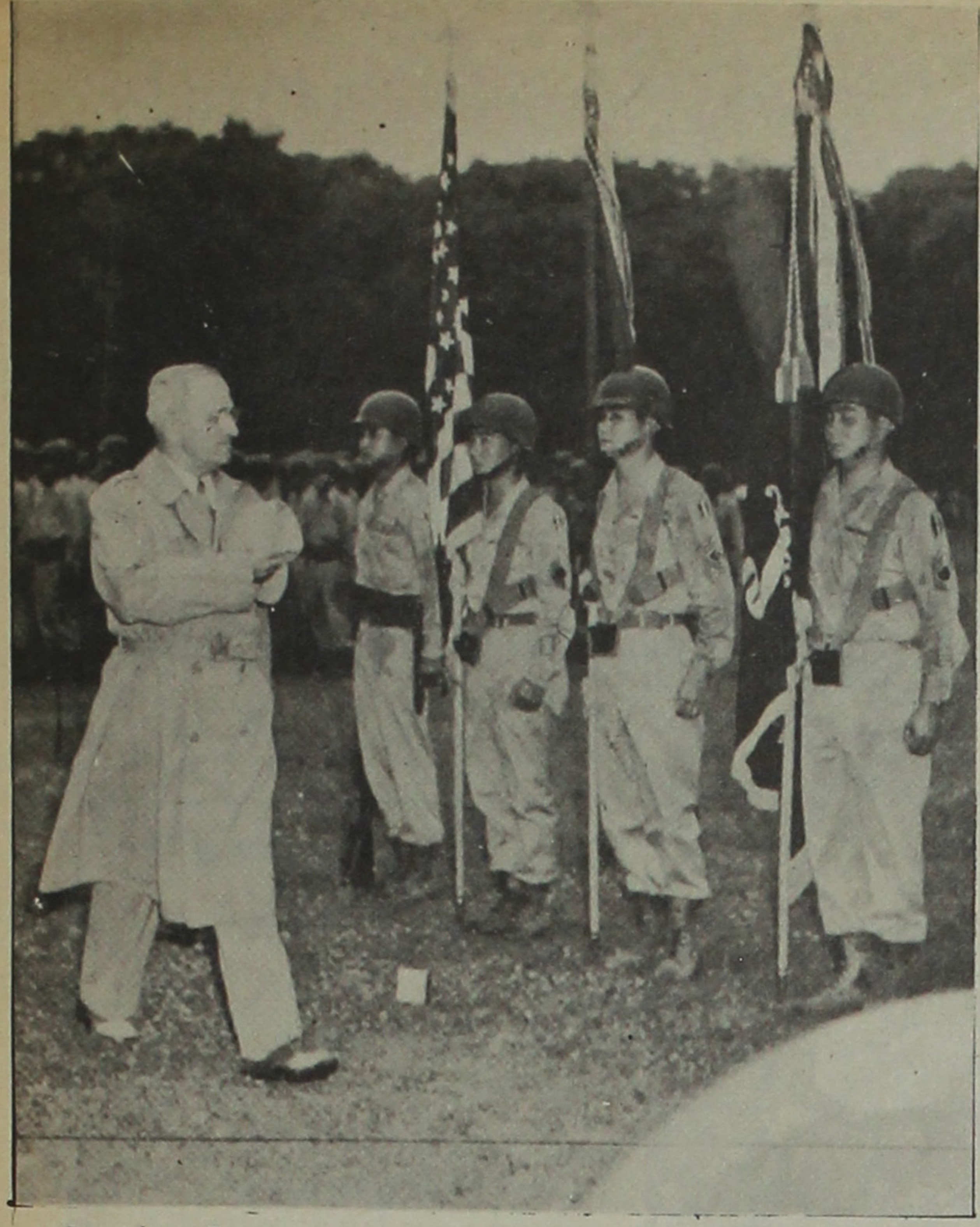
President Truman reviews the 442nd Regimental Combat Team. (Ozaki.)



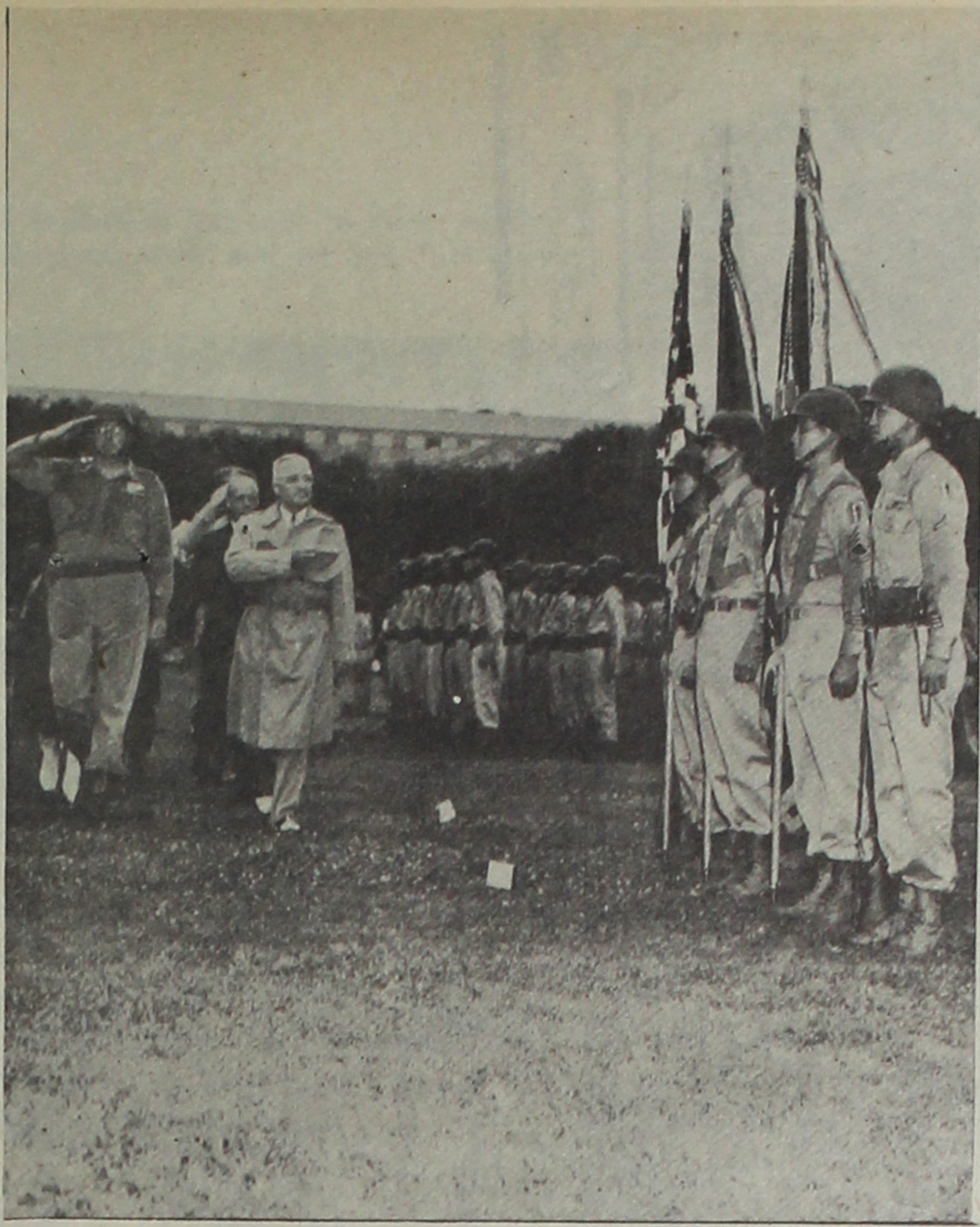
442nd colors unfurled in U. S. for first time in two years. (Signal Corps.)



Camp Kilmer troops honor the 442nd RCT with a review. (Signal Corps.)



President Truman salutes the 442nd colors and standards. (Ellis, Washington Post.)



President Truman and Lt. Col. Pursall inspect the troops. (Ozaki.)

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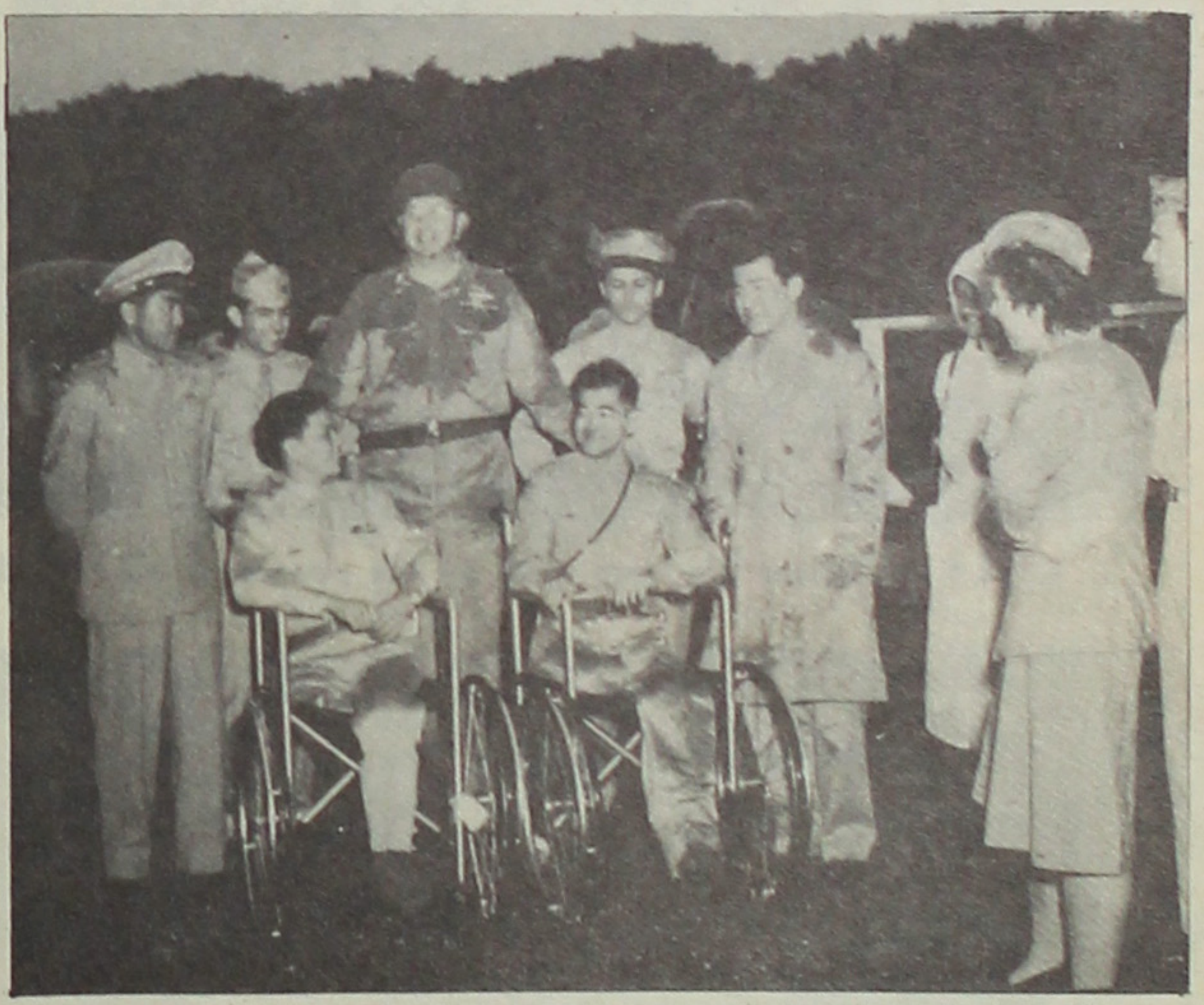
Pfc. Terry Kato of Honolulu, wounded at Carrara, Italy, reviews the parade with President Truman, Secretary of War Patterson, Representative Andrew May, Lt. Col. Alfred A. Pursall, CO, 442nd RCT, and other dignitaries. (Ozaki.)

Walter Reed Hospital patients with Lt. Col. Pursall. Left to right: 1st Lt. Howard Miyake, Pfc. Terry Kato, Pfc. Wilson Makabe in wheel chair, Pfc. Tad Ono in trenchcoat. (Ozaki.)

Walter Reed patients receive leis shipped from Hawaii at Camp Kilmer. (Signal Corps.)



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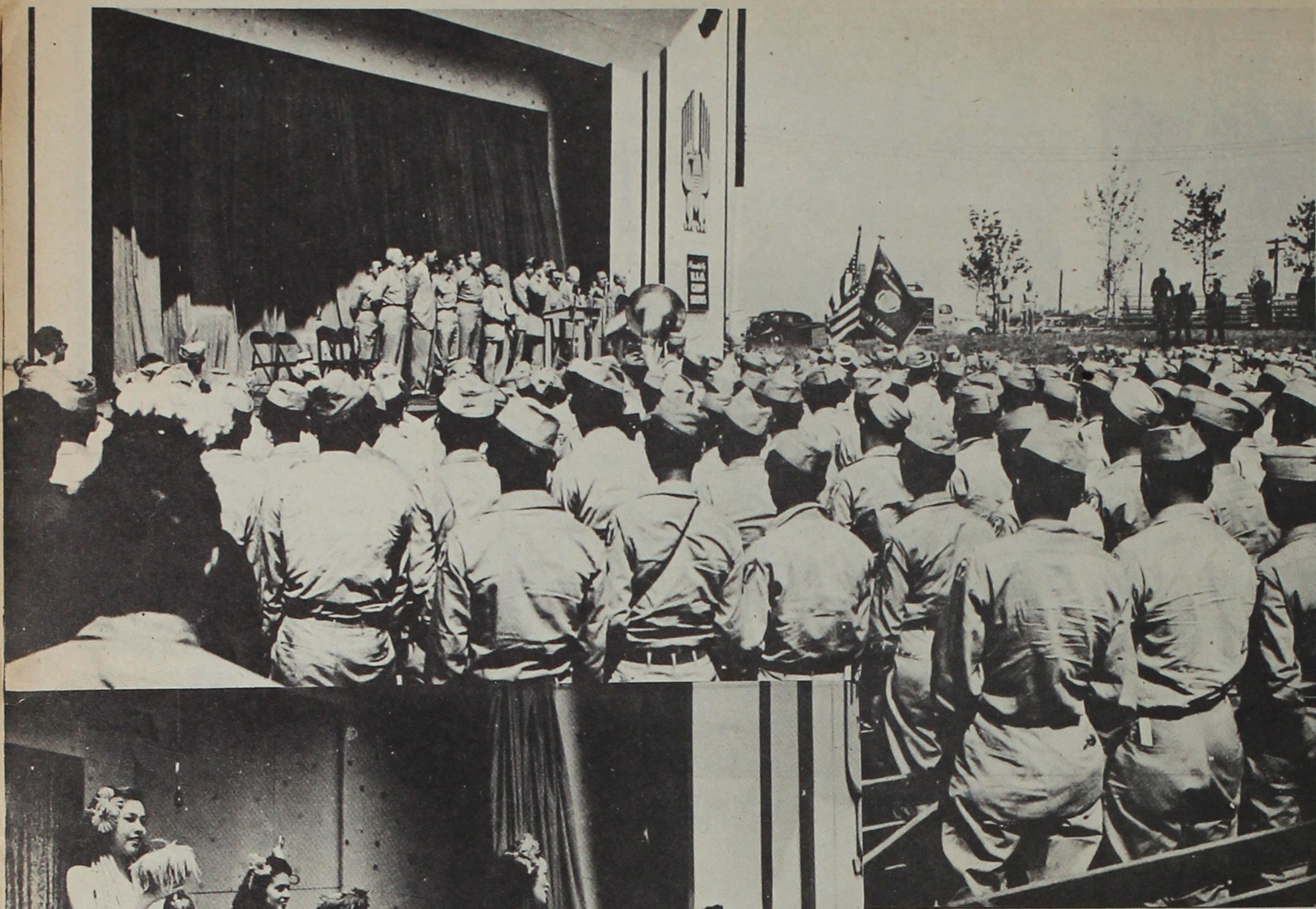


General Gruenther, representing the Secretary of War, addresses the troops at Kilmer with Mr. I. Sekine and Mr. John McCloy among the speakers. (Signal Corps.)

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"God bless America, land that I love . . ." fills the air as the simple austere ceremony at Camp Kilmer on July 30 is concluded. (Signal Corps.)



Swishing swaying hula wahines from the Hotel Lexington bring a bit of ole Hawaii to the severe Kilmer Bowl. (Signal Corps.)

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1,346 fresh flower leis were sent by the people of Hawaii. (Signal Corps.)



A nisei dogface and Camp Kilmer Wac find a Haw'n lei an excuse to ahhhh . . . (Signal Corps.)



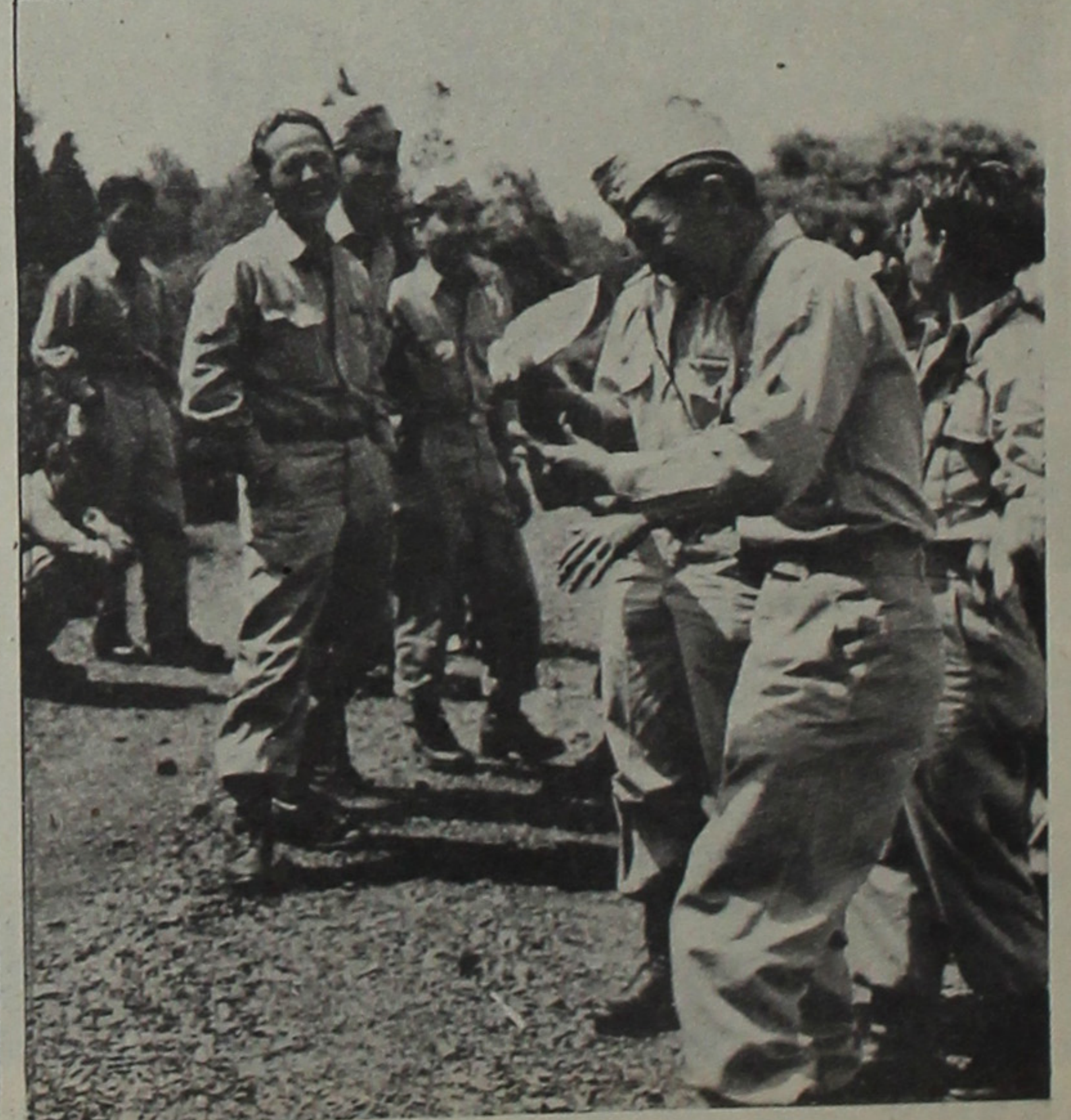
"Italy was never like this, or was it?" says the grinning Lt. Unkei Uchima. (Signal Corps.)



It's a happy reunion for Sgt. Marcus Naito, wife Mitzi, and sister, Mrs. Ernest Takahashi, at Camp Kilmer. (Ishimaru.)



A jeepload of jubilant nisei belles enroute to the Kilmer ceremonies. (Signal Corps.)



The men go for broke on Earl Finch's watermelons. (Signal Corps.)

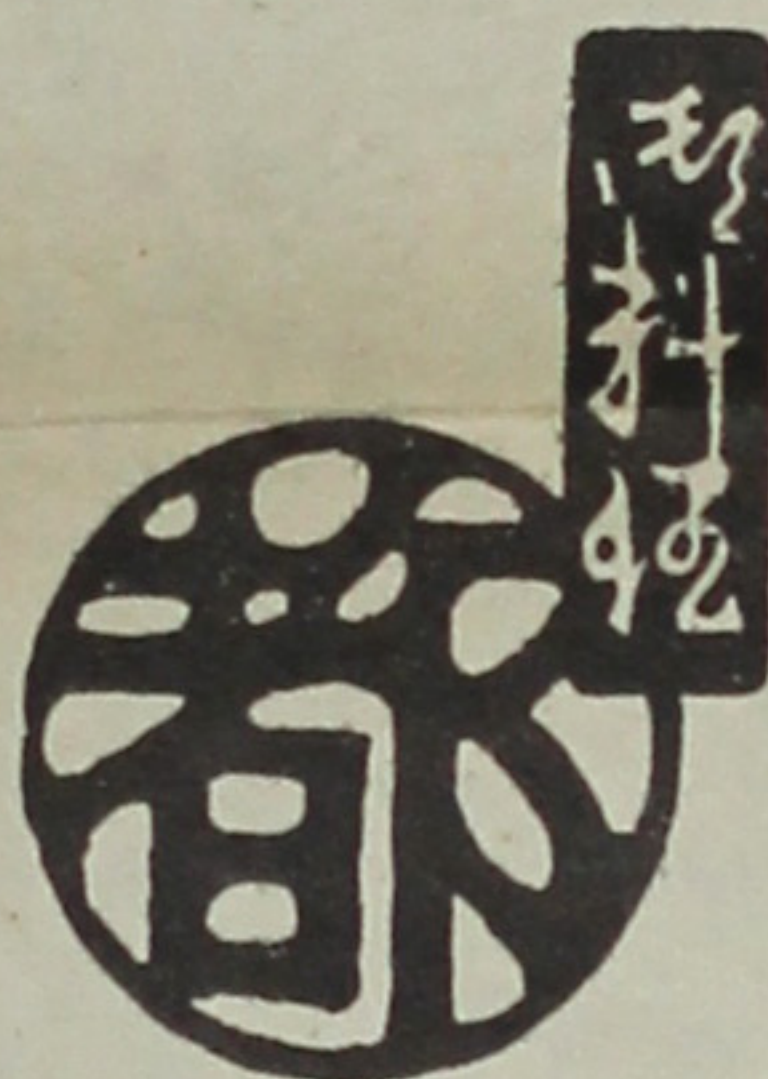
Color bearers prepare for July 15th Presidential Review at Fort Belvoir, Va. Left to right: M/Sgt. Mitsuomi Tanaka, Honokaa, Hawaii, T/Sgt. Hiroshi Yamamoto, Brigham, Utah, and 1st Sgt. Tom Harimoto, Honolulu. (Signal Corps.)



Issuing overseas bars at Fort Belvoir for Washington parade. (Signal Corps.)



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The effervescent Aloha spirit! Hawaiian boys make themselves at home aboard the train bound for Washington, D. C., from Camp Kilmer. (Washington Post.) Pfc. Roy Fujihara of Honolulu pulls sack fatigue after a strenuous drill at Fort Belvoir. (Signal Corps.)



Checking equipment for presidential parade: Sgt. Makoto Koda, Honolulu, Sgt. Shigeichi Hashimoto, Pahoia, Hawaii, and Pfc. Bob Miyashiro, Honolulu. (Signal Corps.)

Bill Davenport, former company commander in 442nd, discharged last month, giving boys a briefing in Operation Civilian at Fort Belvoir, Va. (Signal Corps.)



Groovy jivecats at the dance given by the N. Y. community, July 3. (Ishimaru.)



Cab Calloway gave out with songs and autographs at the dance sponsored by the New York Japanese American community. (Ishimaru.)



"Super!" says the sergeant. N. Y. issei women prepared over 1,000 boxes of sushi. (Ishimaru.)



Jinx Falkenburg records a WEA program with T/Sgt Tada-shi Mayeda. (Ishimaru.)



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Washington belles turn out for the USO dance, July 7. (Ozaki.)

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Army chowhounds! Nisei Wacs meet up with the 442nd in Washington. (Ozaki.)

Caught at the Washington reception . . . left to right: Dillon S. Myer, T/5 Juichi Inofuku, Fumi Iki, Lt. Col. Alfred A. Pursall, Helene Johnson, Earl Finch. (Ozaki.)