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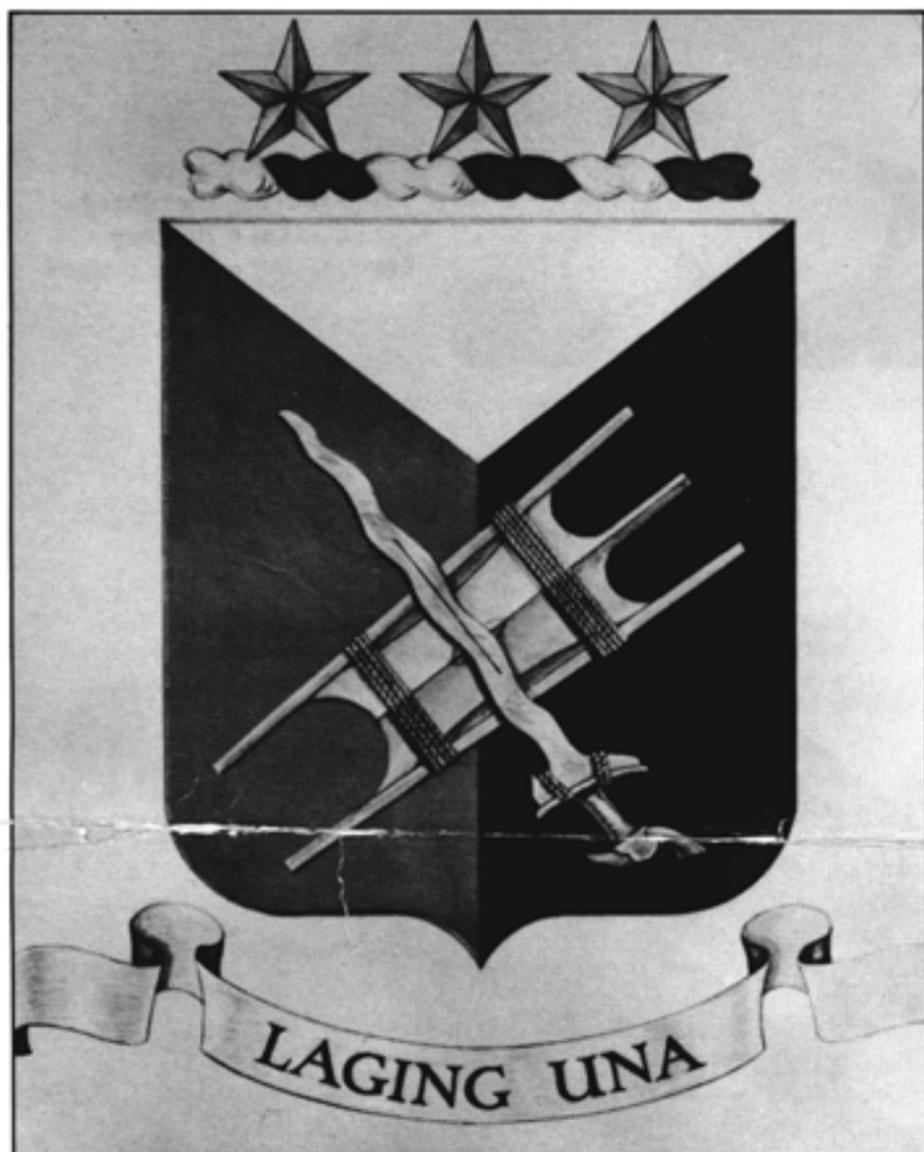
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# 1st FILIPINO REGIMENT

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## Coat of Arms

THE COLORS OF THE SHIELD REPRESENT THE NATIONAL COLORS OF THE PHILIPPINES AND THE UNITED STATES. THE CROSSED KRIS AND IGOROT WAR SHIELD REPRESENT THE TWO DOMINANT WAR-LIKE PAGAN TRIBES OF THE ISLANDS. THE THREE STARS ARE TAKEN FROM THE PHILIPPINE FLAG AND SYMBOLIZE LUZON, VISAYAS AND MINDANAO, THE THREE PRINCIPAL ISLANDS.



## Shoulder Sleeve Insignia

ON A YELLOW DISC  $3\frac{1}{4}$  INCHES IN DIAMETER, LEAVING  $\frac{1}{8}$  INCH EDGE, A CONVENTIONALIZED BLACK VOLCANO EMITTING SMOKE, THE LATTER CHARGED WITH THREE YELLOW MULLETTS IN FESS.

THE GOLD AND BLACK COLORS REPRESENT THE BLACK OF THE VOLCANO ERRUPTING; THE GOLD BACKGROUND BEING THE GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY OF RESTORING THE COUNTRY TO ITS RIGHTFUL OWNERS. THE VOLCANO IS A REPRESENTATION OF THE MAYON VOLCANO. NORMALLY INACTIVE BUT NOW SEETHING WITH THE RAGE OF CONQUEST. THE THREE STARS ARE THE FILIPINO SYMBOL TAKEN FROM THE PHILIPPINE FLAG AND SYMBOLIZE LUZON, VISAYAS AND MINDANAO, THE THREE PRINCIPAL ISLANDS.

# To the Members of the Regiment . . .

I have considered it an honor to command this Regiment  
 You have made my work easy by your fine spirit and your  
 devotion to duty. Such qualities will bring us victory . . .  
 God willing, our history will fill many more books of this  
 size and be a great source of pride to all . . . . .  
 . . . It is my hope that this book will help to cherish the  
 memories of days spent together during the formative  
 period of our history. A glance at the pages will show that  
 we have worked hard. May the work not have been in vain,  
 but instead, help us to conduct ourselves with glory on  
 the battle field. .

*Robert H. Offley*  
**Robert H. OFFLEY**  
 COLONEL, INFANTRY  
 COMMANDING.



**Col. Rob't H. OFFLEY**  
 COMMANDING



**Lt. Col. Mullinix**  
 EXECUTIVE OFFICER



**Maj. Fajardo**  
 S-3



**Maj. Mueller**  
 S-2



**Capt. Ashcraft**  
 ADJUTANT



**Capt. Spiotto**  
 S-4



**Chaplain Noury**



**Maj. Iverson**  
 1st Bn.



**Lt. Col. Mann**  
 2nd Bn.



**Lt. Col. Kessner**  
 3rd Bn.



*CEREMONY IN HONOR OF VISIT OF VICE PRESIDENT OSMEÑA  
OF THE PHILIPPINE COMMONWEALTH*



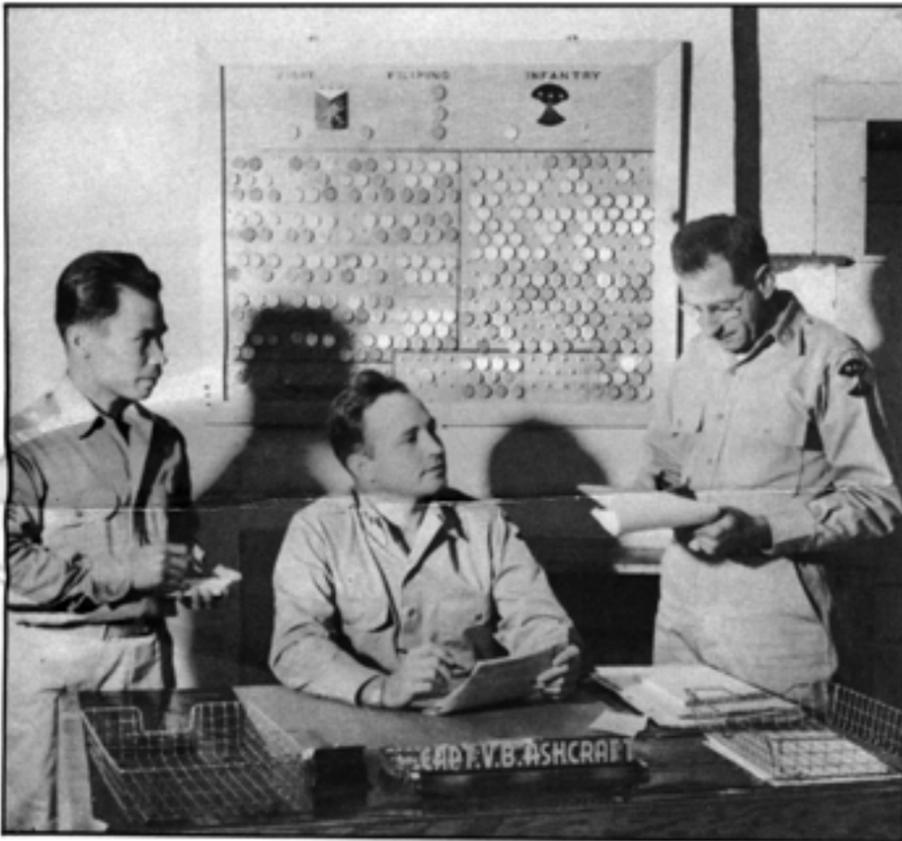
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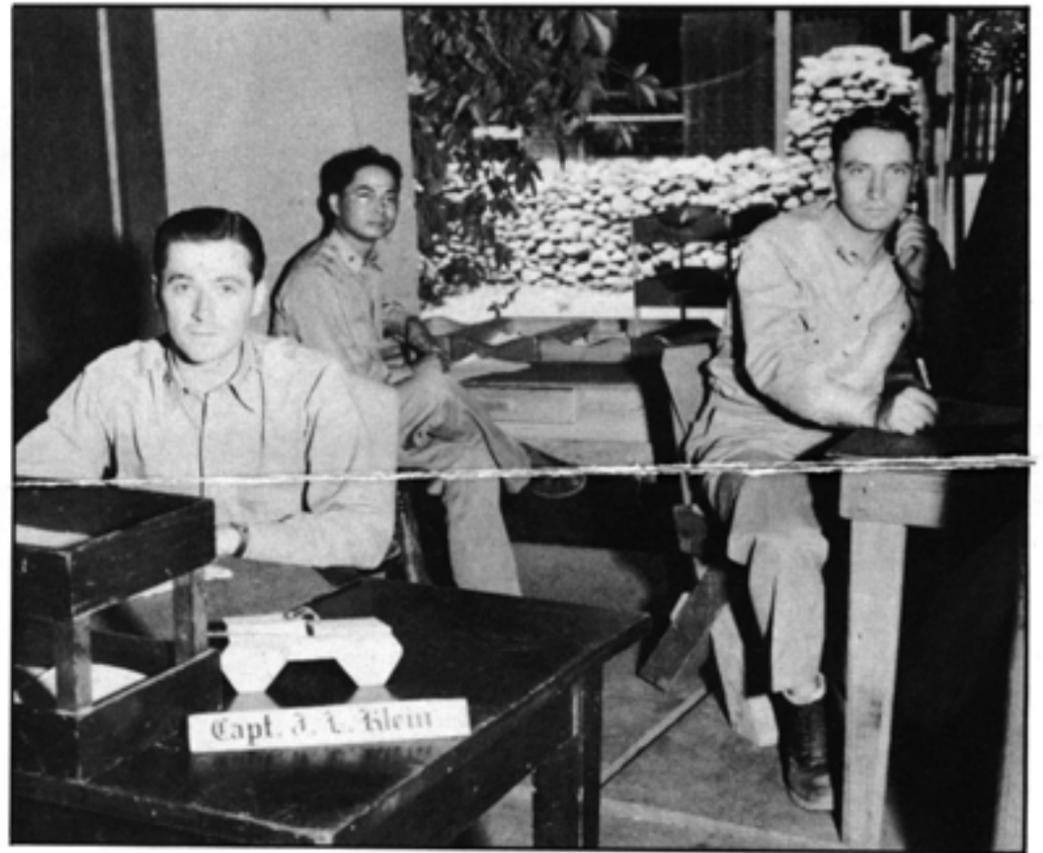
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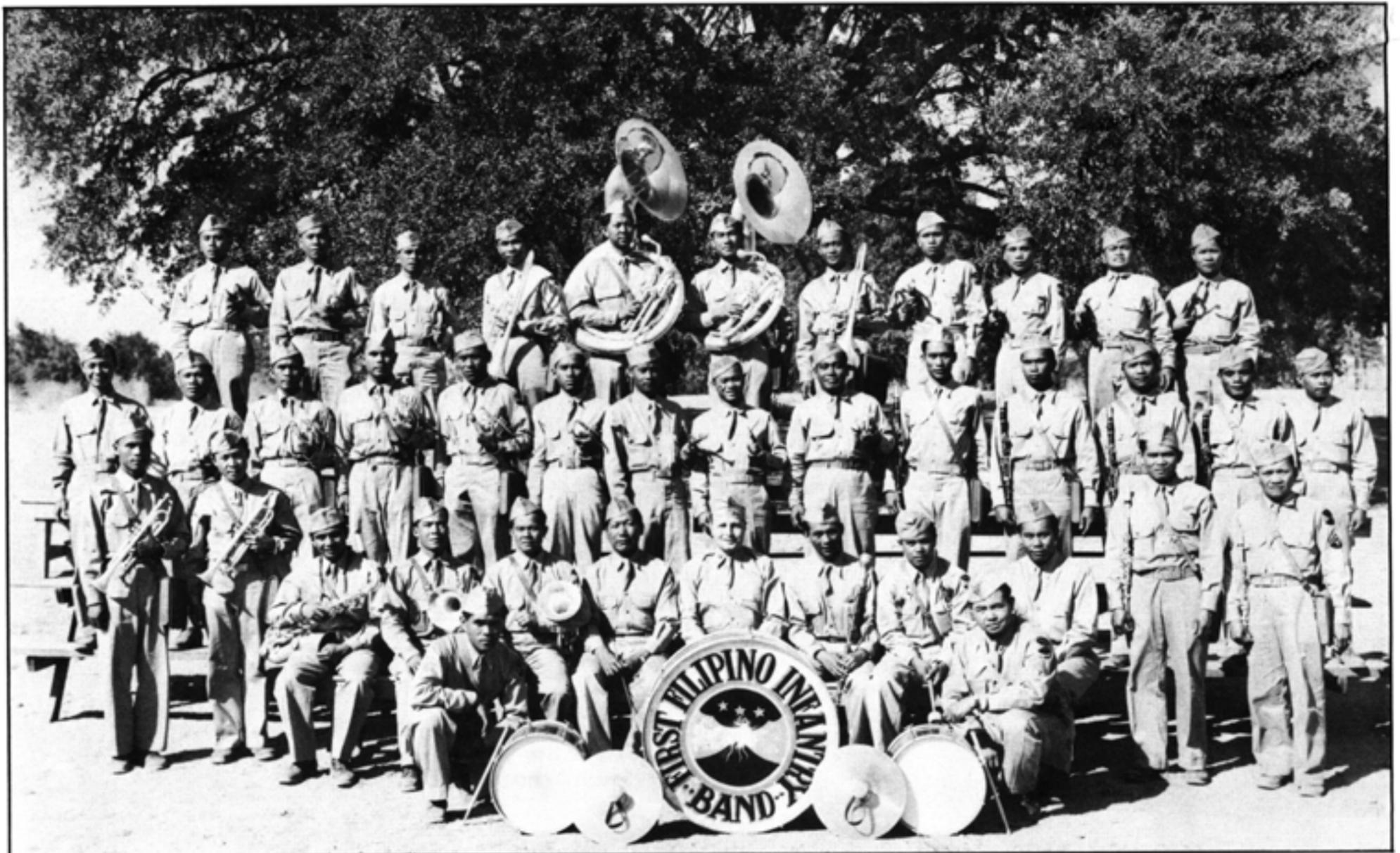
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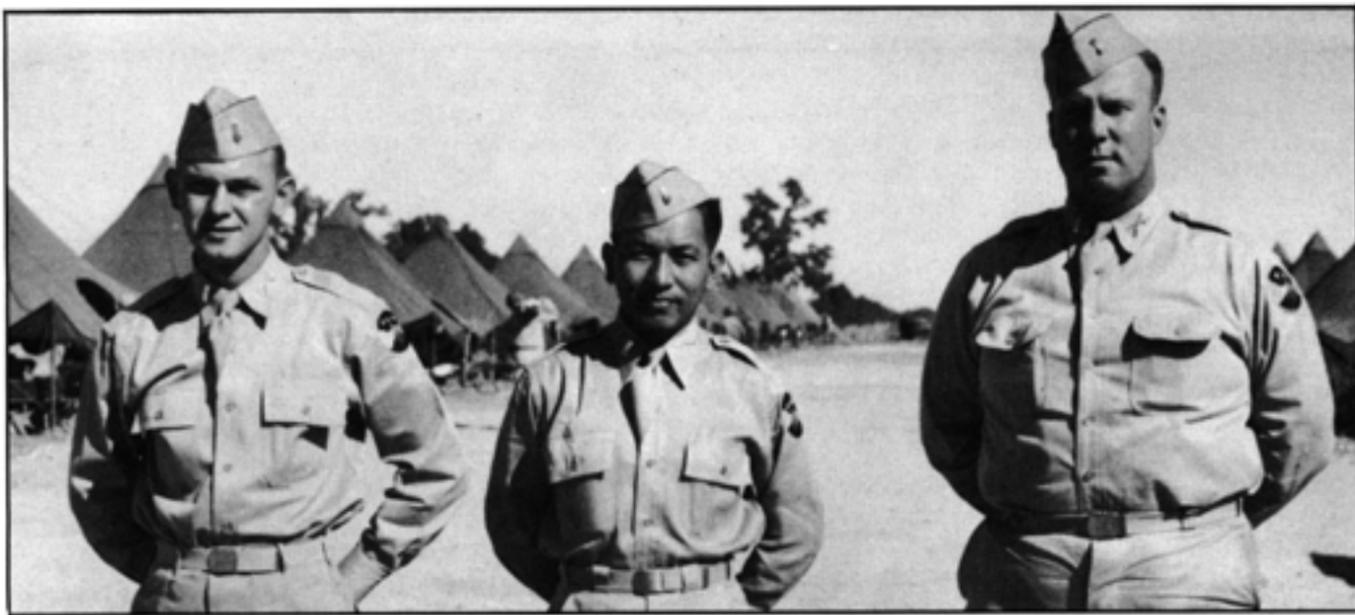
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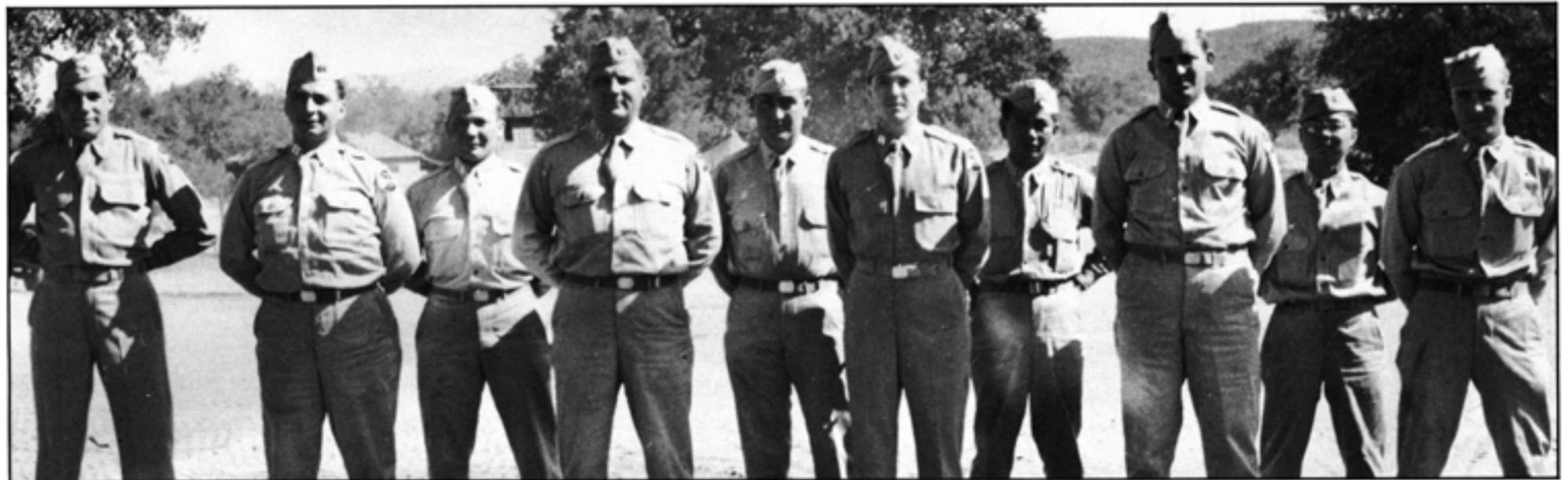
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CAPT. ASHCRAFT-COMMANDING*



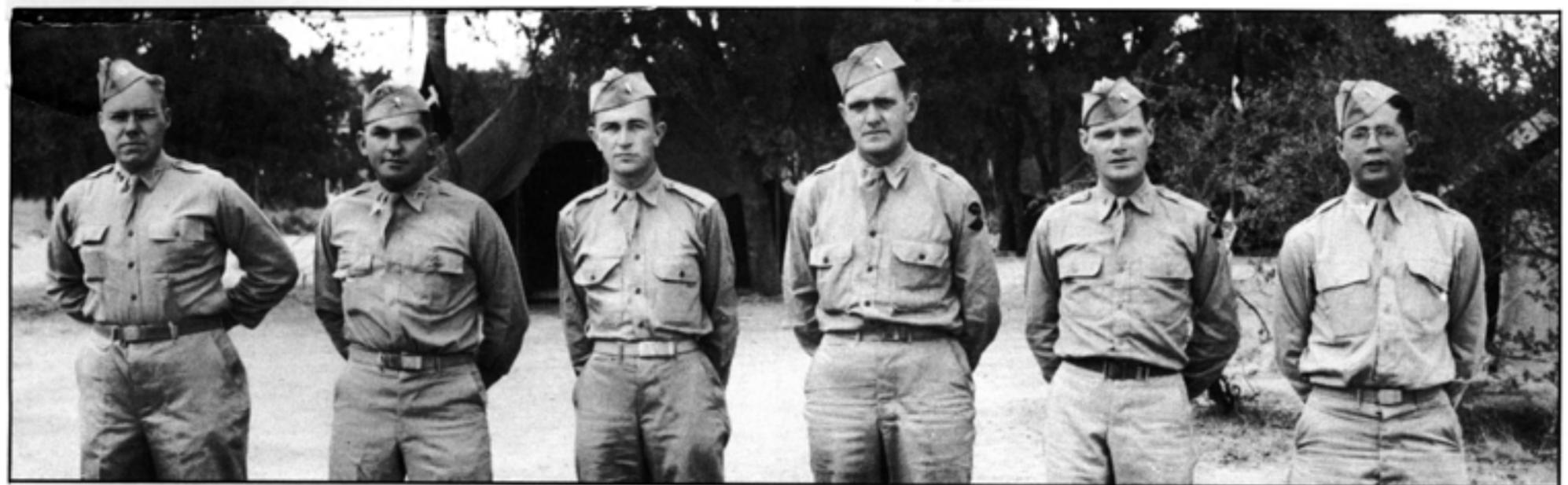
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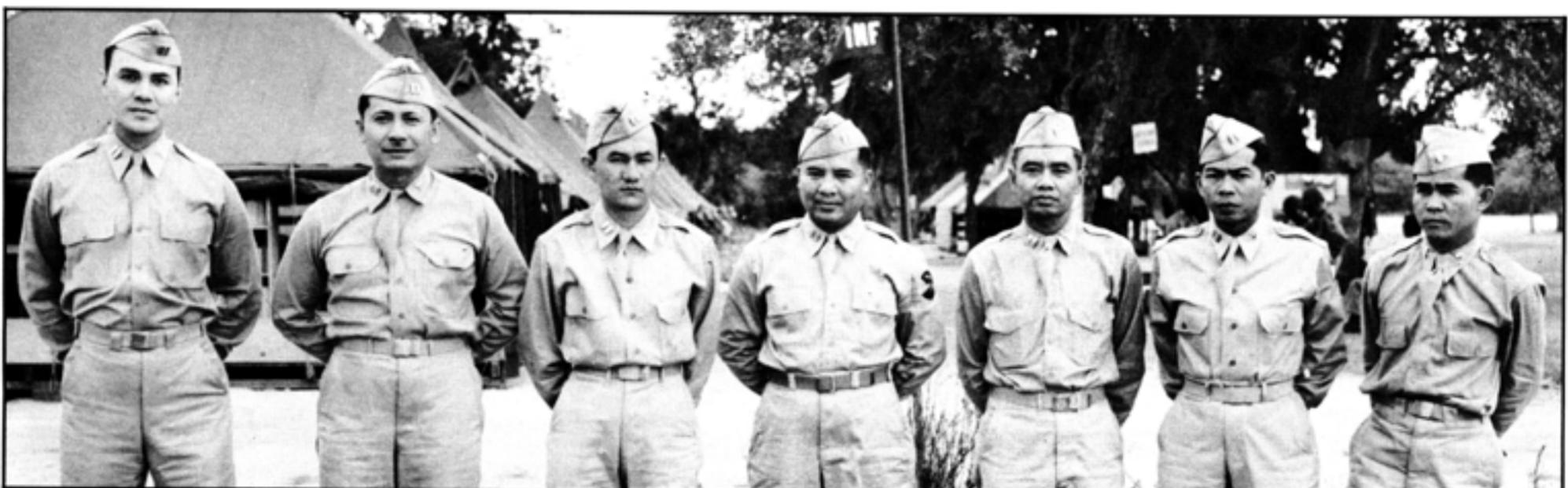
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FIELD DIRECTOR  
ZUEGER**



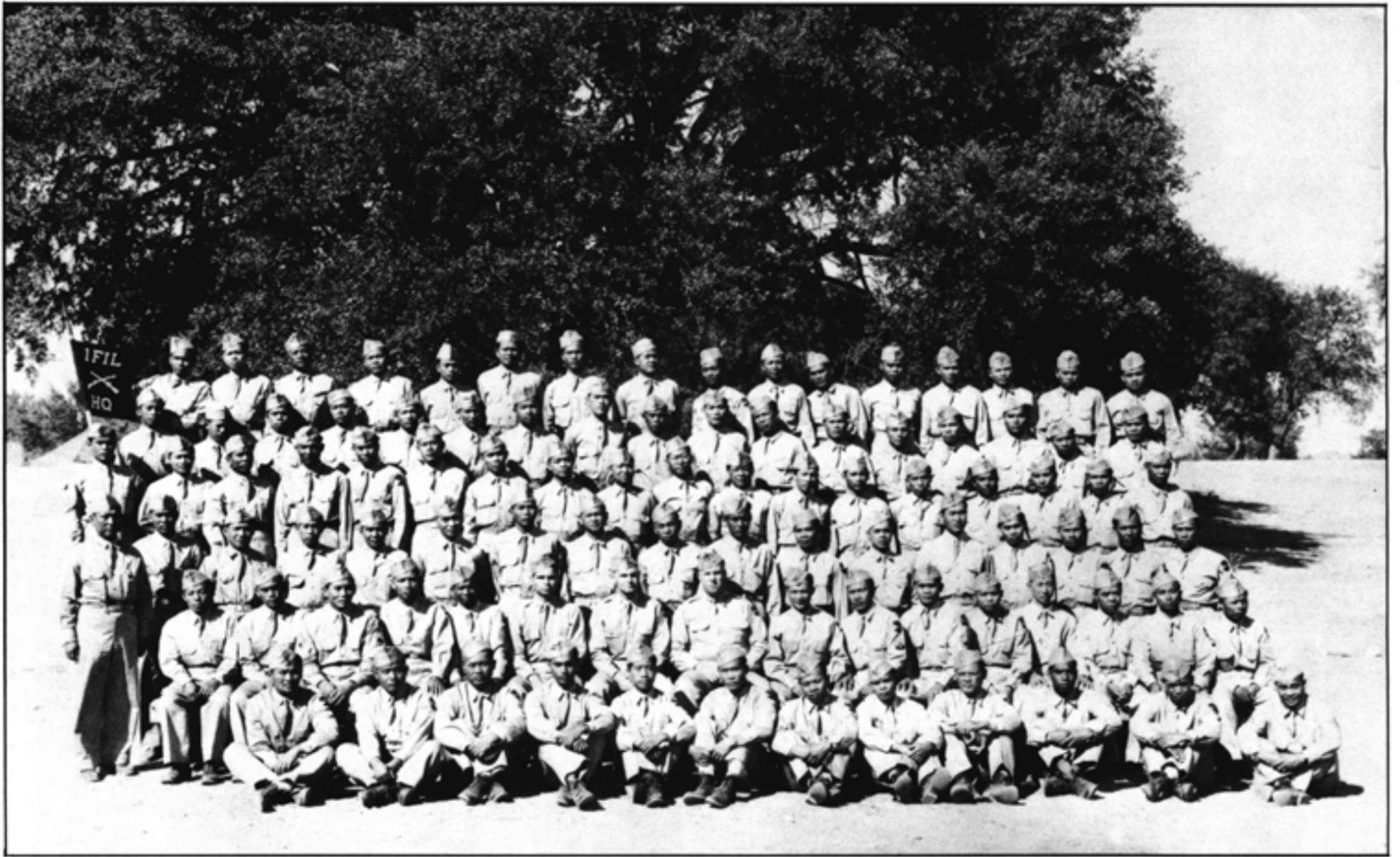
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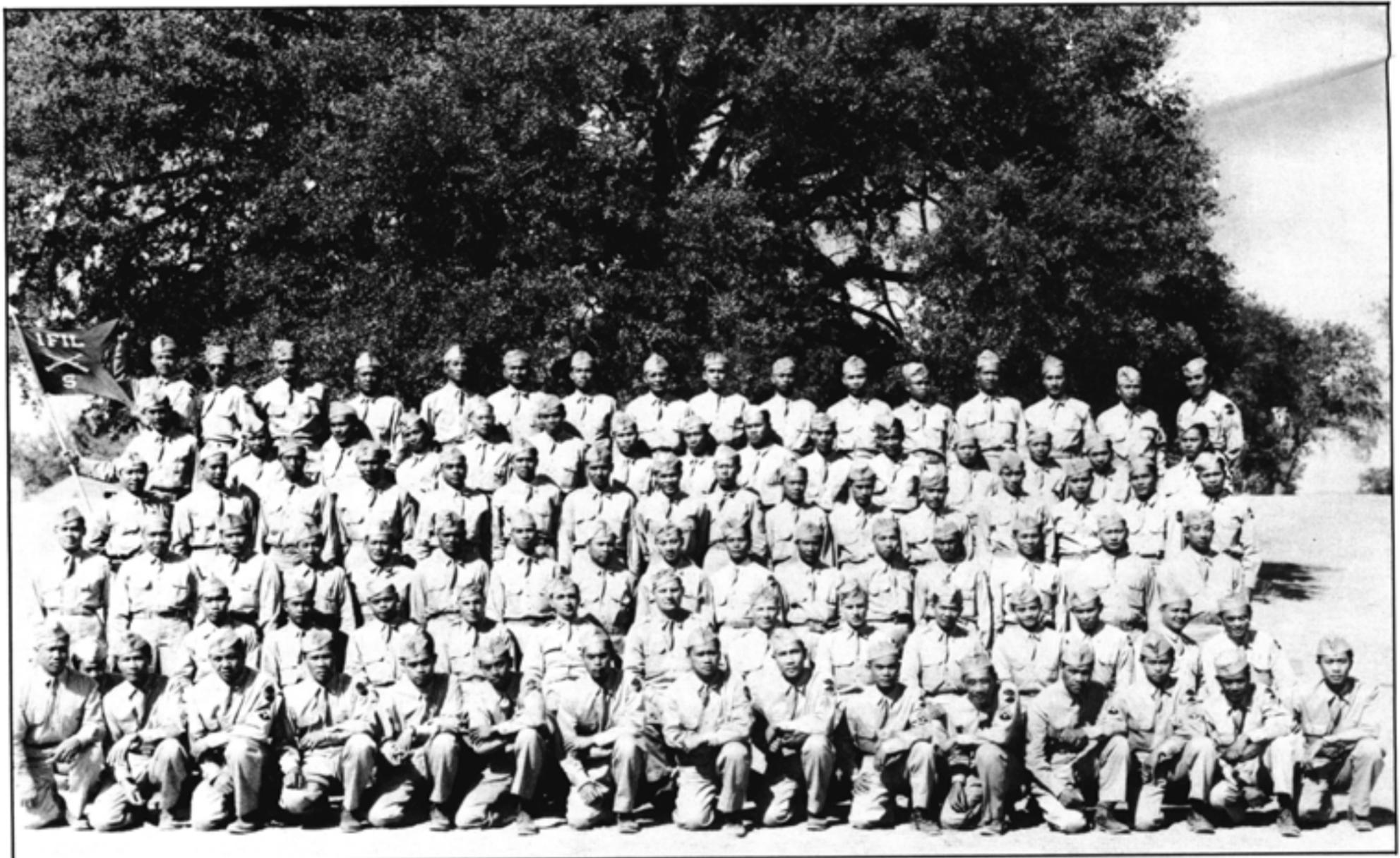
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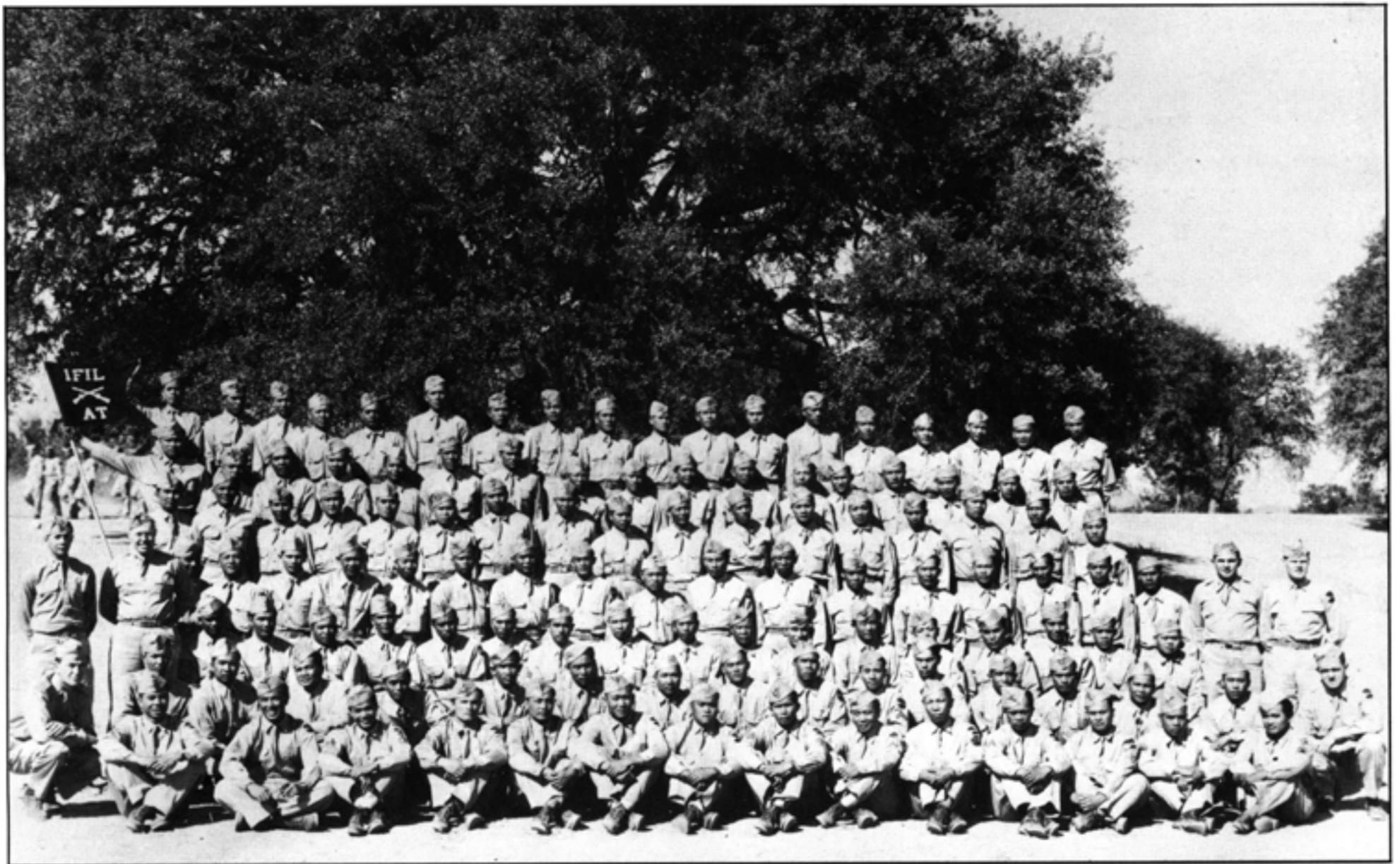
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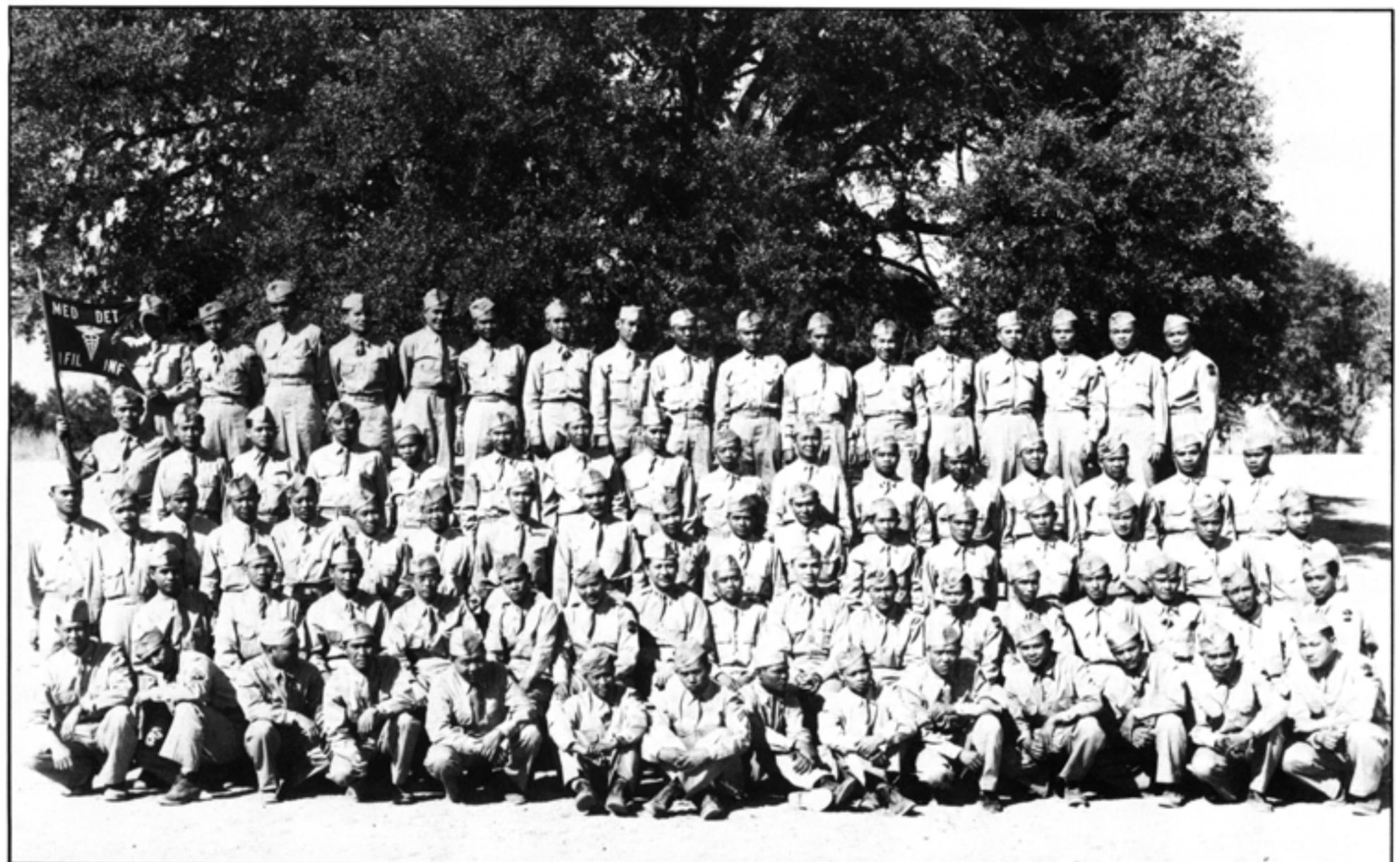
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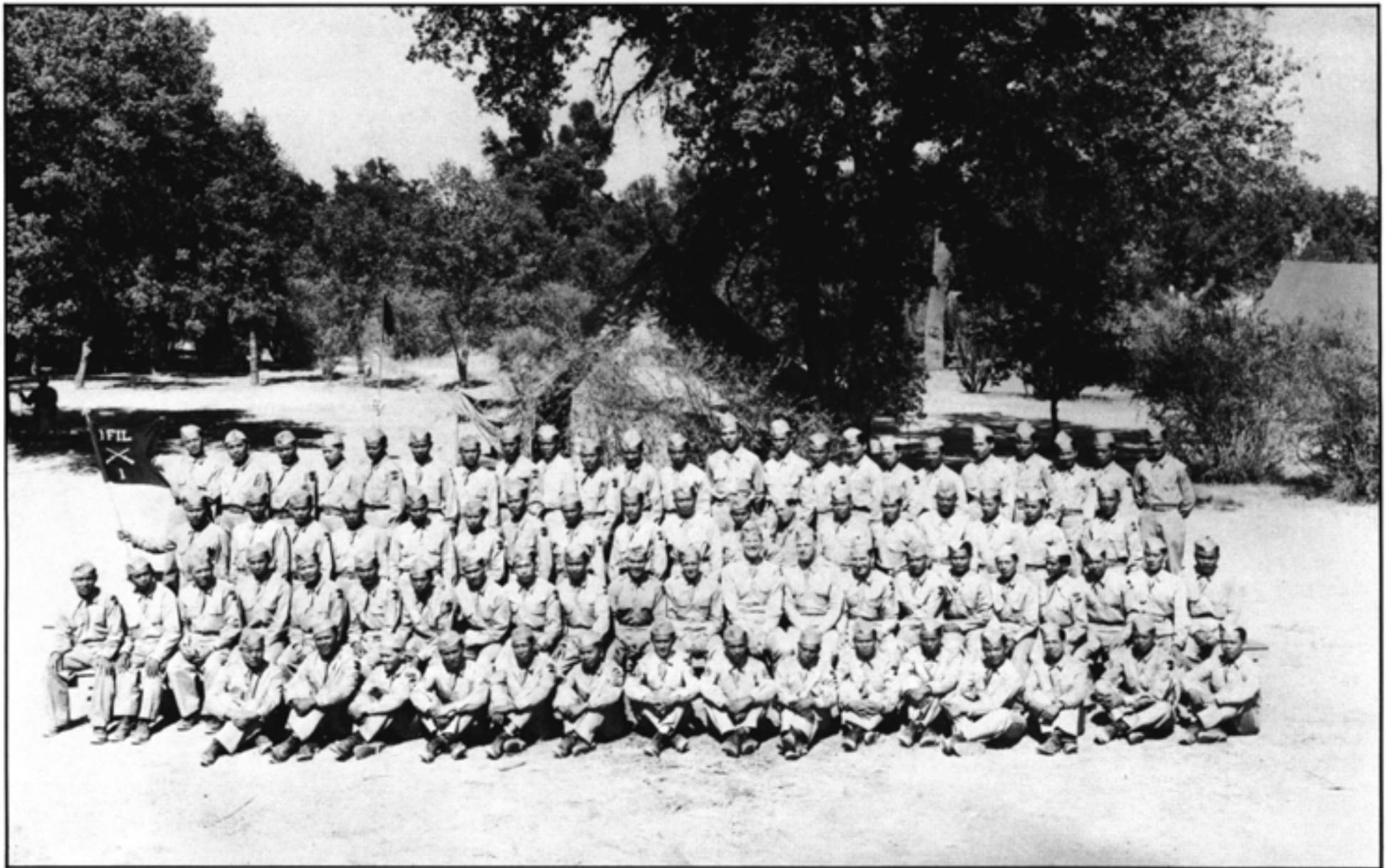
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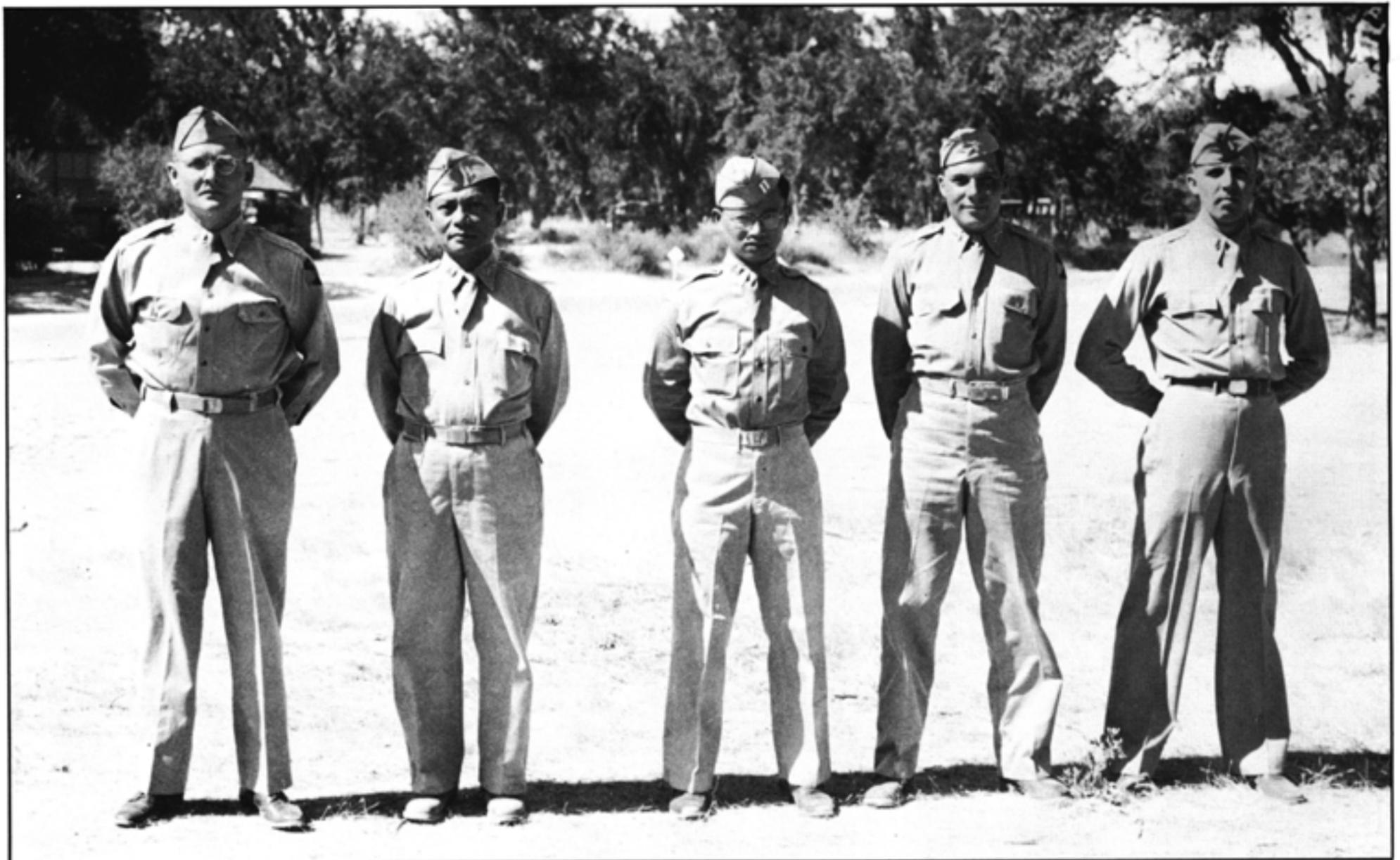
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**MEDICAL DETACHMENT**  
**MAJ. SPANGLER - COMMANDING**



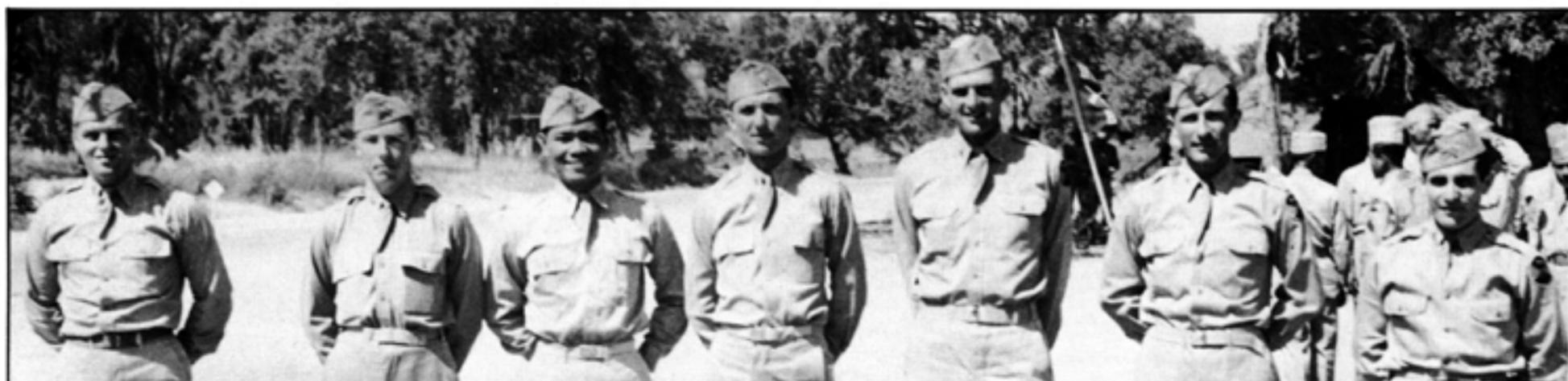
**HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 1ST BATTALION**  
*CAPT. FIELD, COMMANDING*



**HEADQUARTERS STAFF, 1ST BN.**  
*LT. COL. VELASQUEZ, COMMANDING.*



*HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 1ST BN. OFFICERS*



*A COMPANY OFFICERS*



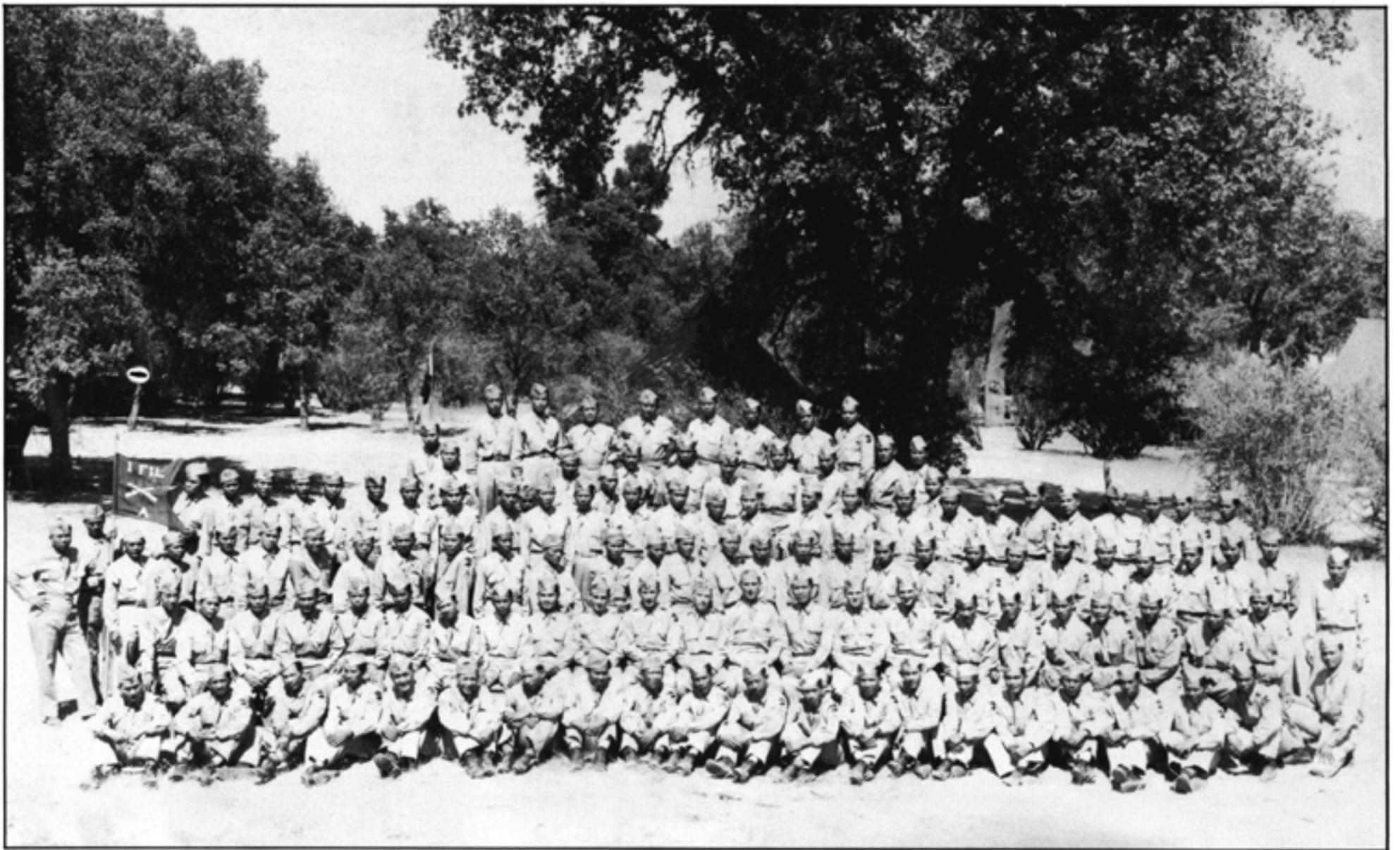
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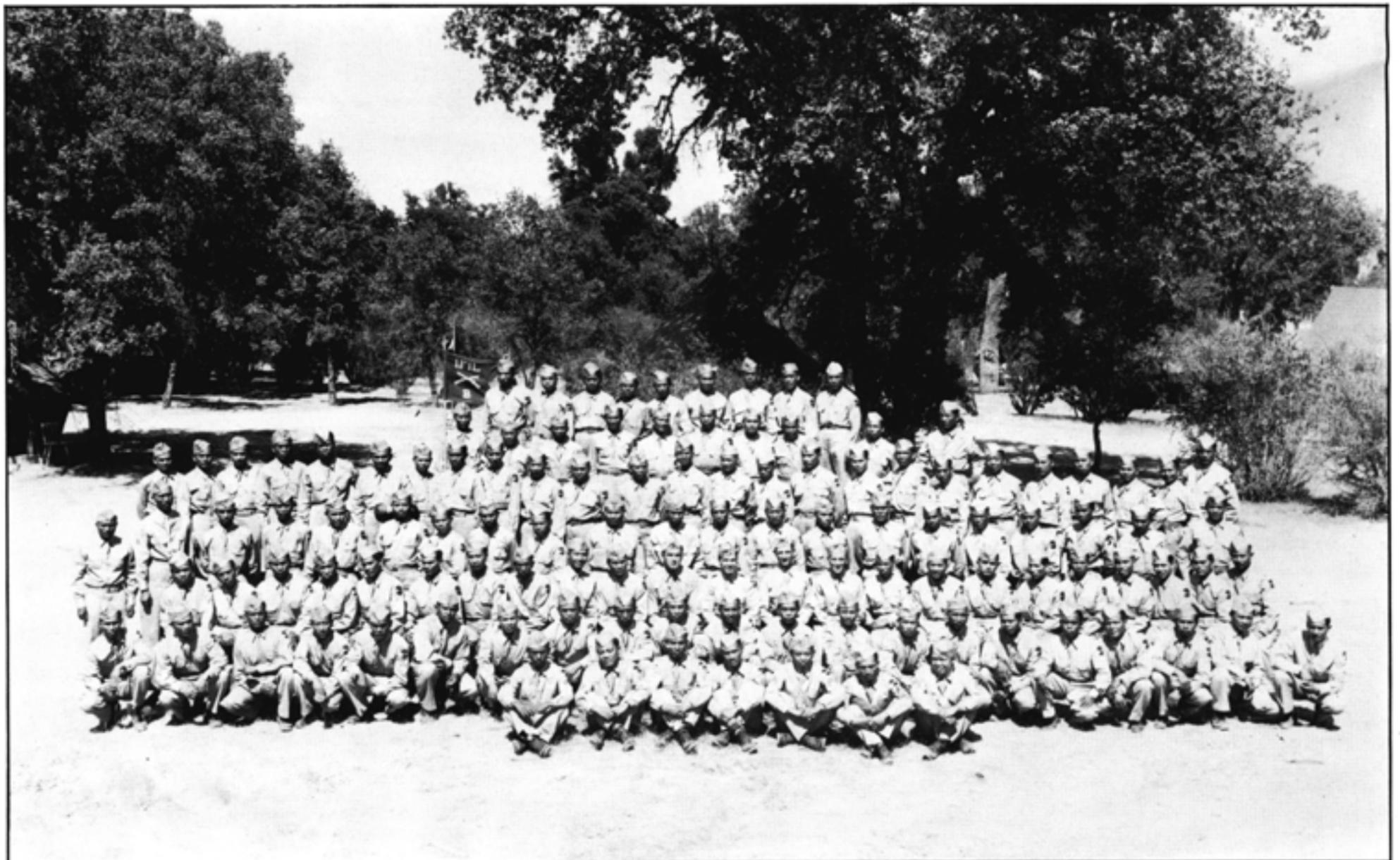
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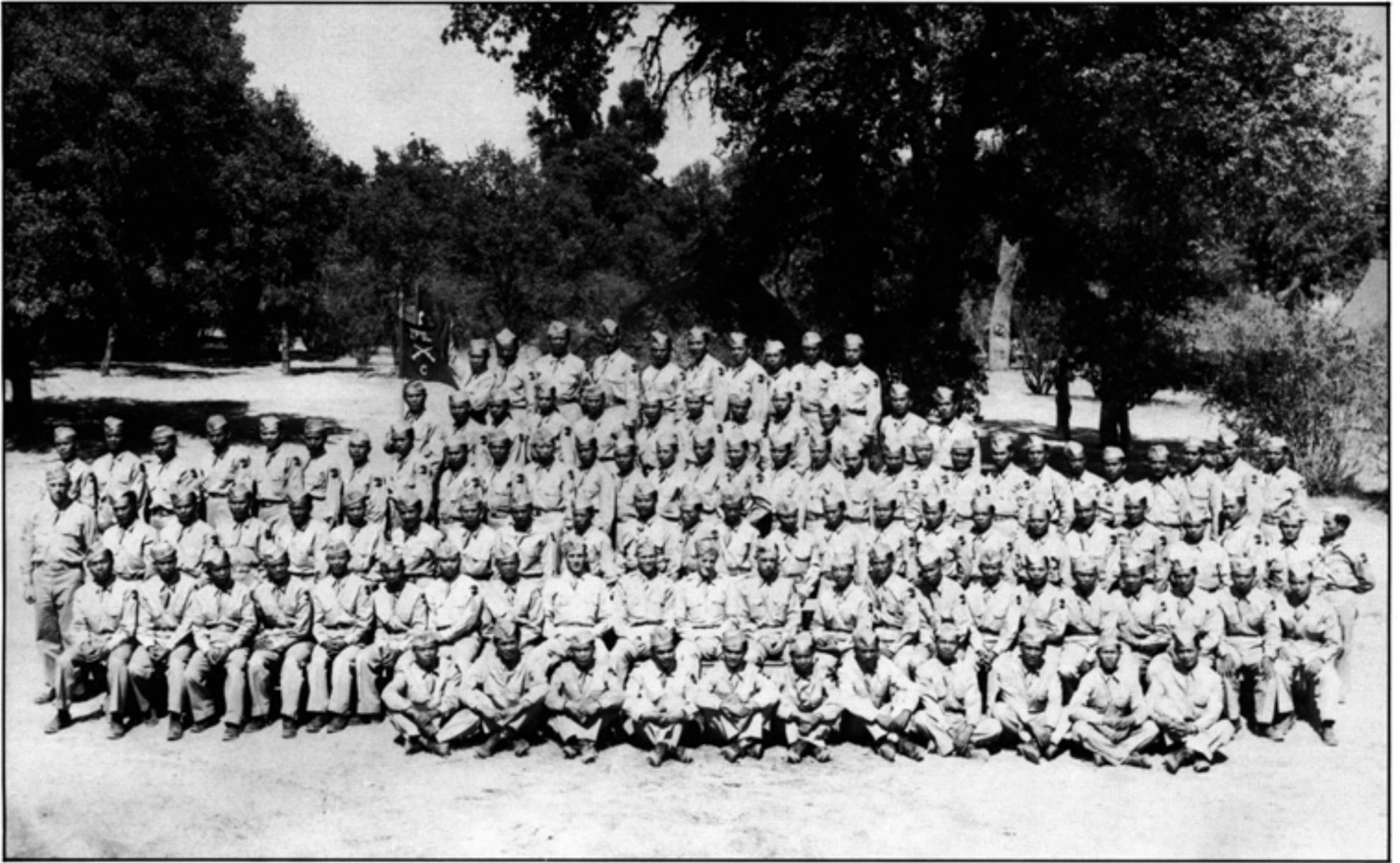
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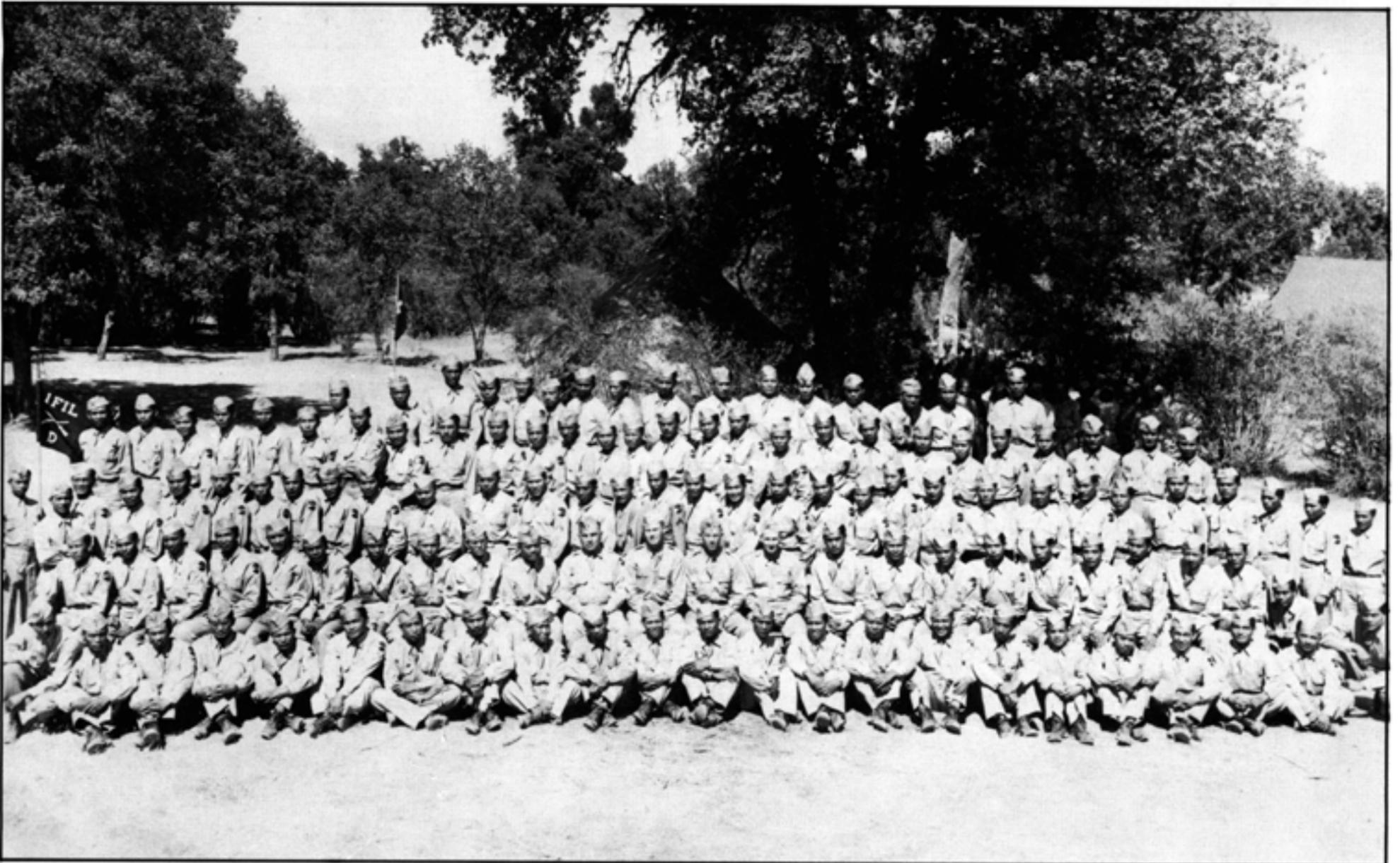
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*CAPT. DI BIANCA, COMMANDING*



**COMPANY B**  
*CAPT. CHAVEZ, COMMANDING*



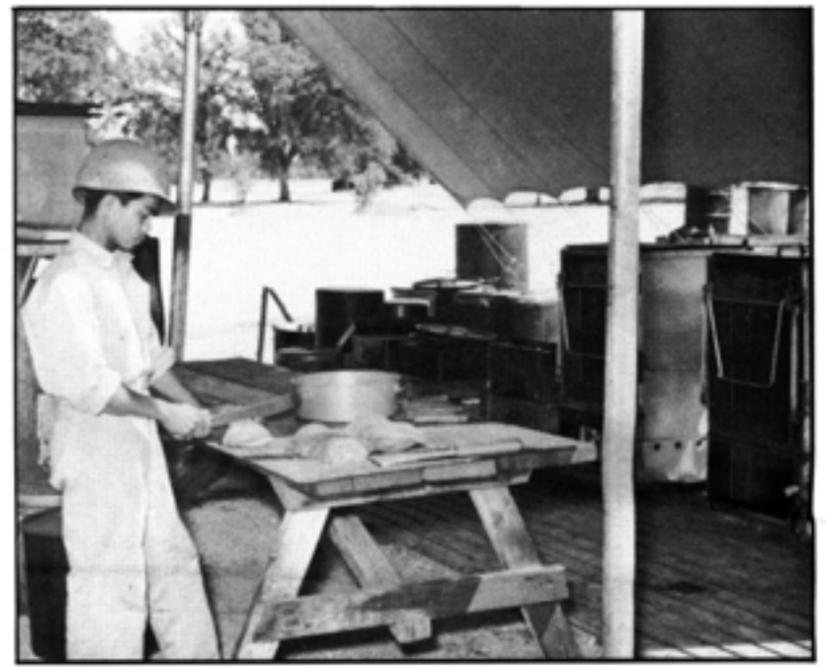
**COMPANY C**  
*1ST LT. DUNCAN, COMMANDING*



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*1ST LT. DAVIS, COMMANDING*



*PERSONNEL SECTION*



*A PART OF MOTOR POOL*

*A TYPICAL KITCHEN*



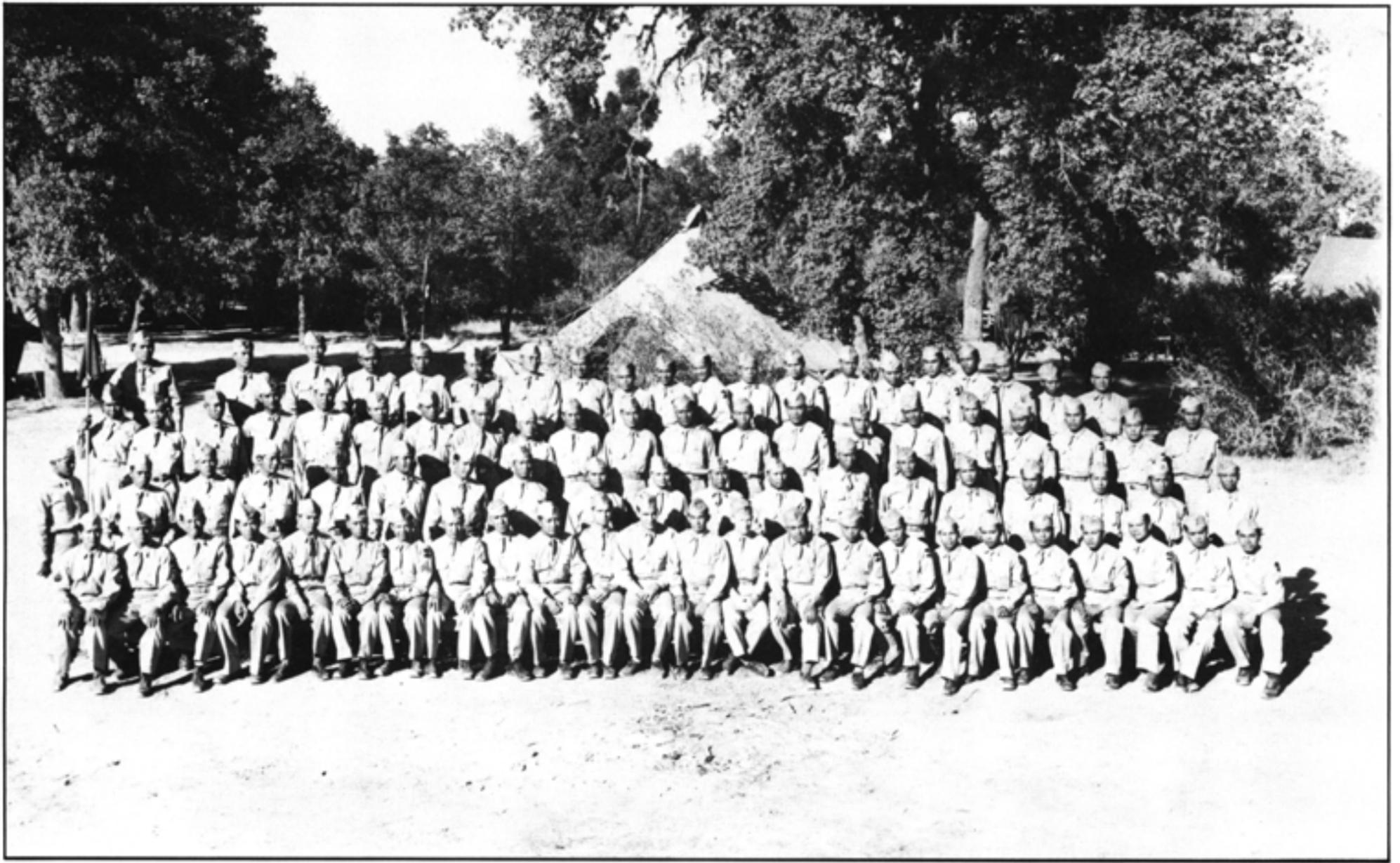
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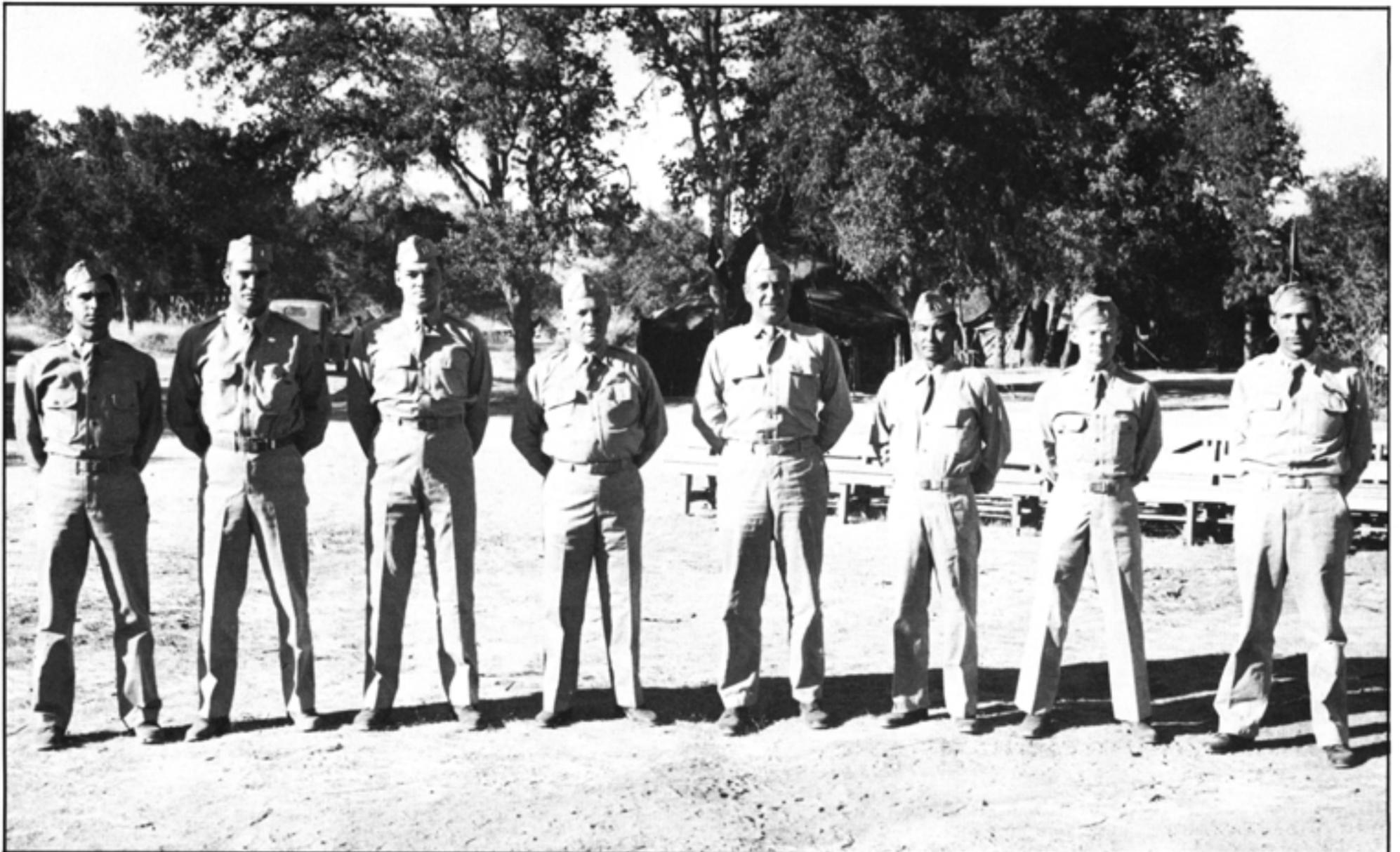


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SWEARING IN OF 1000 MEN AS CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES, CAMP BEALE, CALIFORNIA.*





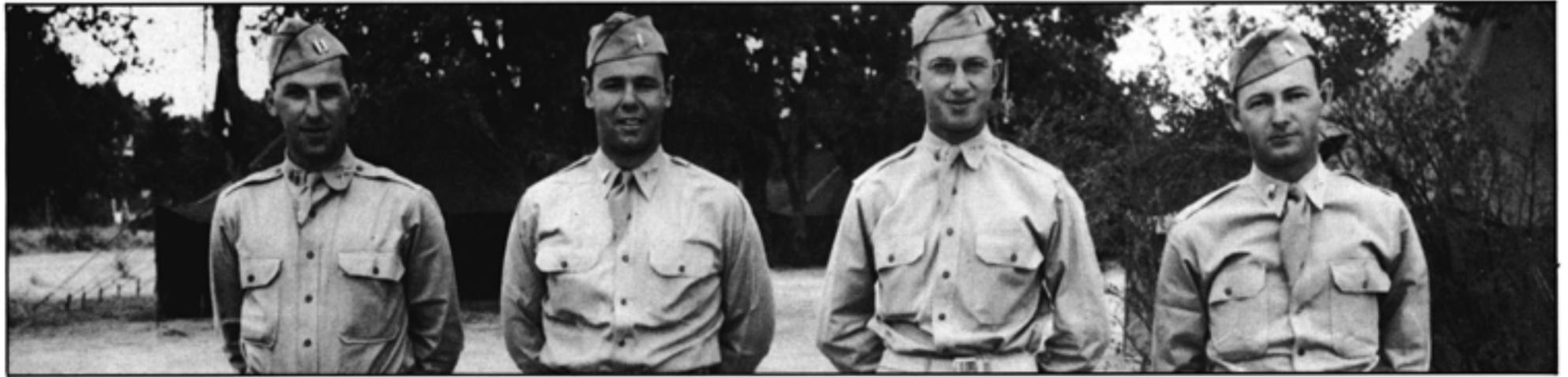
**HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 2ND BATTALION**  
*CAPT. LLORENTE, COMMANDING*



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*LT. COL. MANN, COMMANDING*



*HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 2ND BN. OFFICERS*



*E COMPANY OFFICERS*



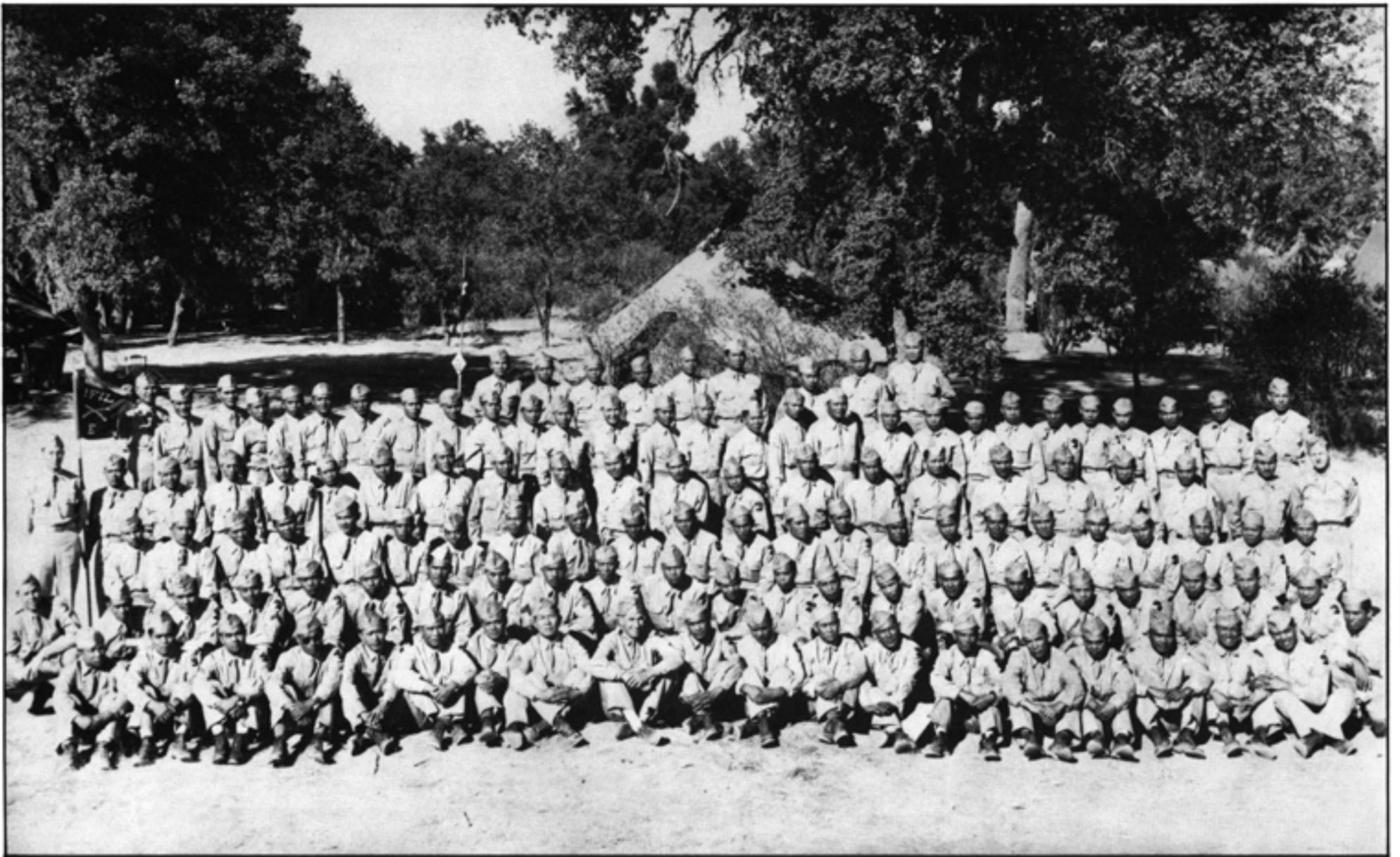
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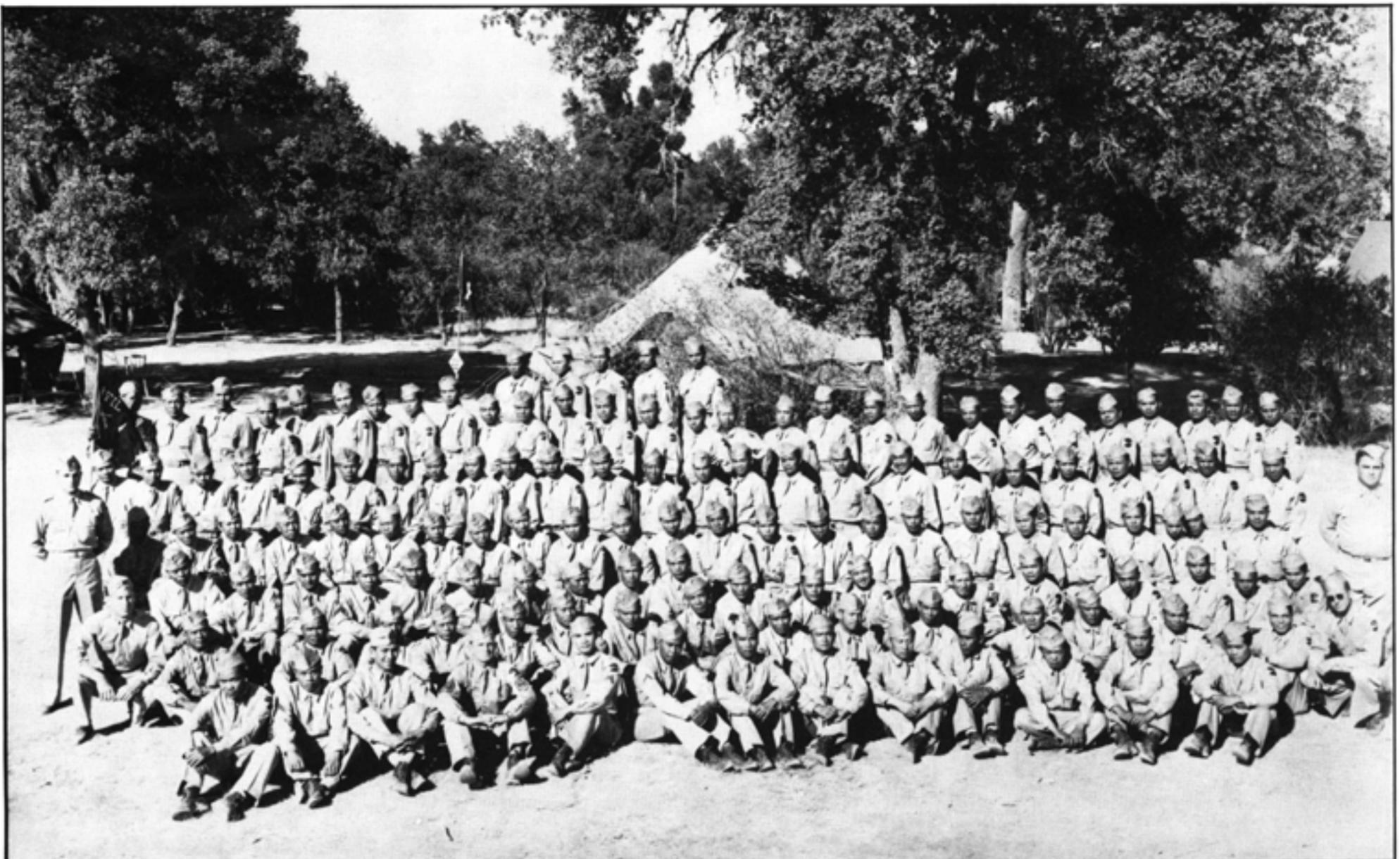
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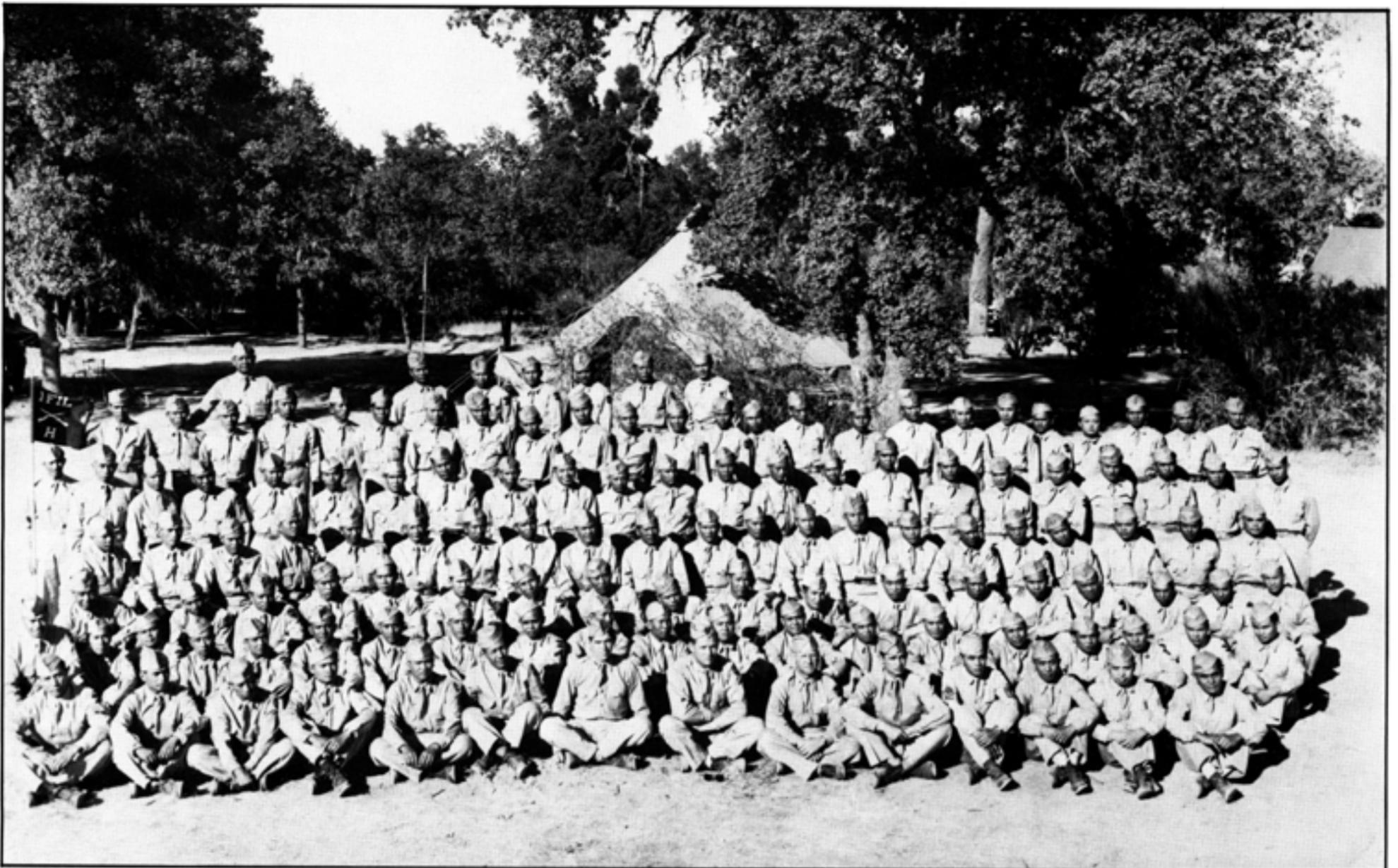
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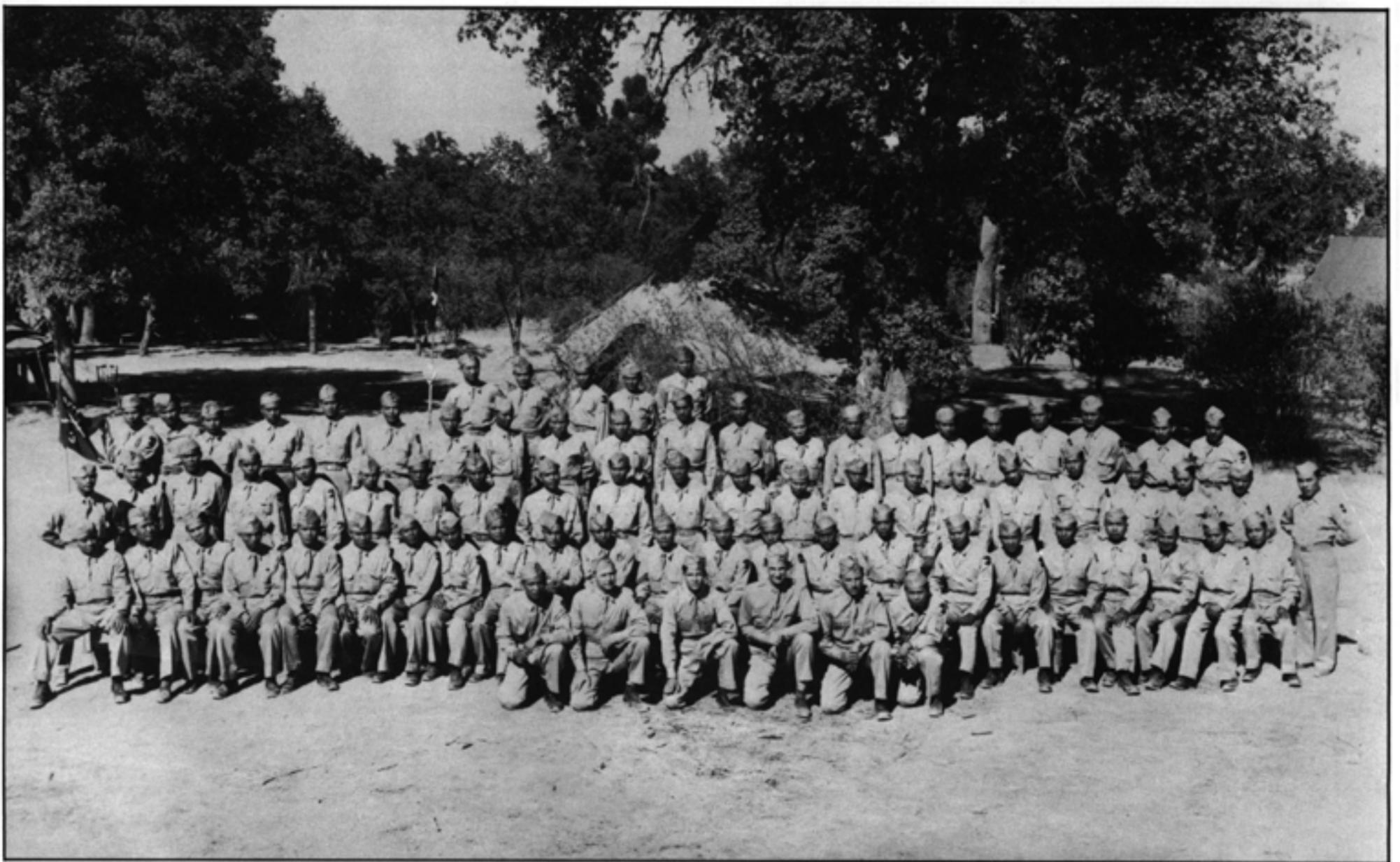
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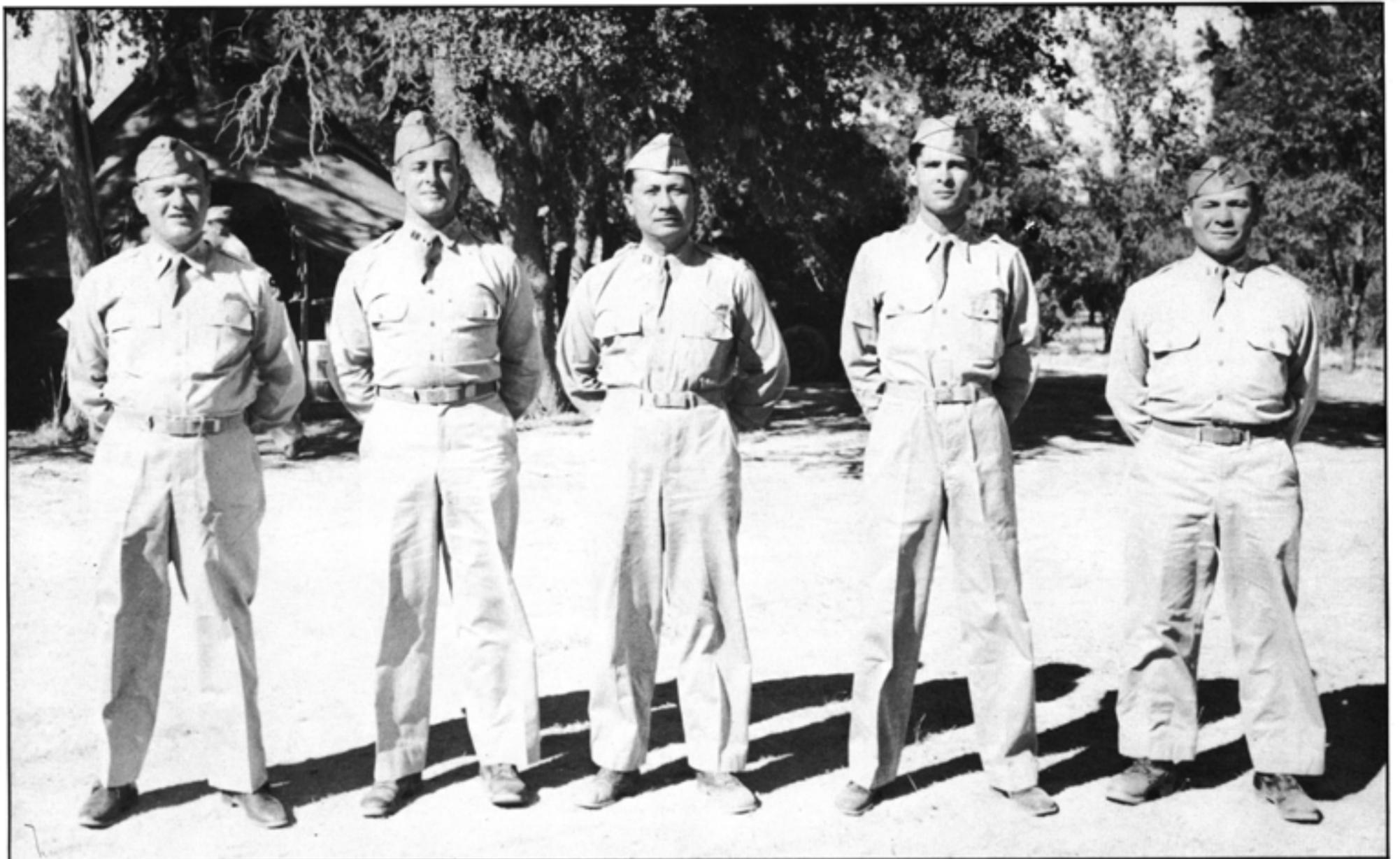
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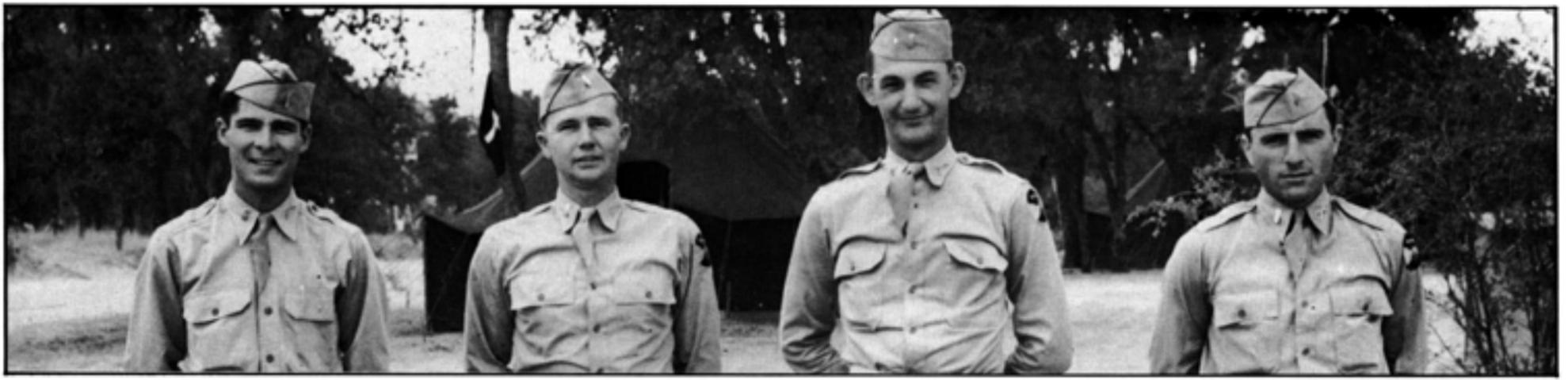
*COMPANY H*  
*CAPT. PARDO, COMMANDING*



**HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 3RD BN.**  
*1ST LT. FULLER, COMMANDING*



**HEADQUARTERS STAFF, 3RD BN.**  
*LT. COL. KESSNER, COMMANDING*



**HEADQUARTERS CO. 3RD BN. OFFICERS**



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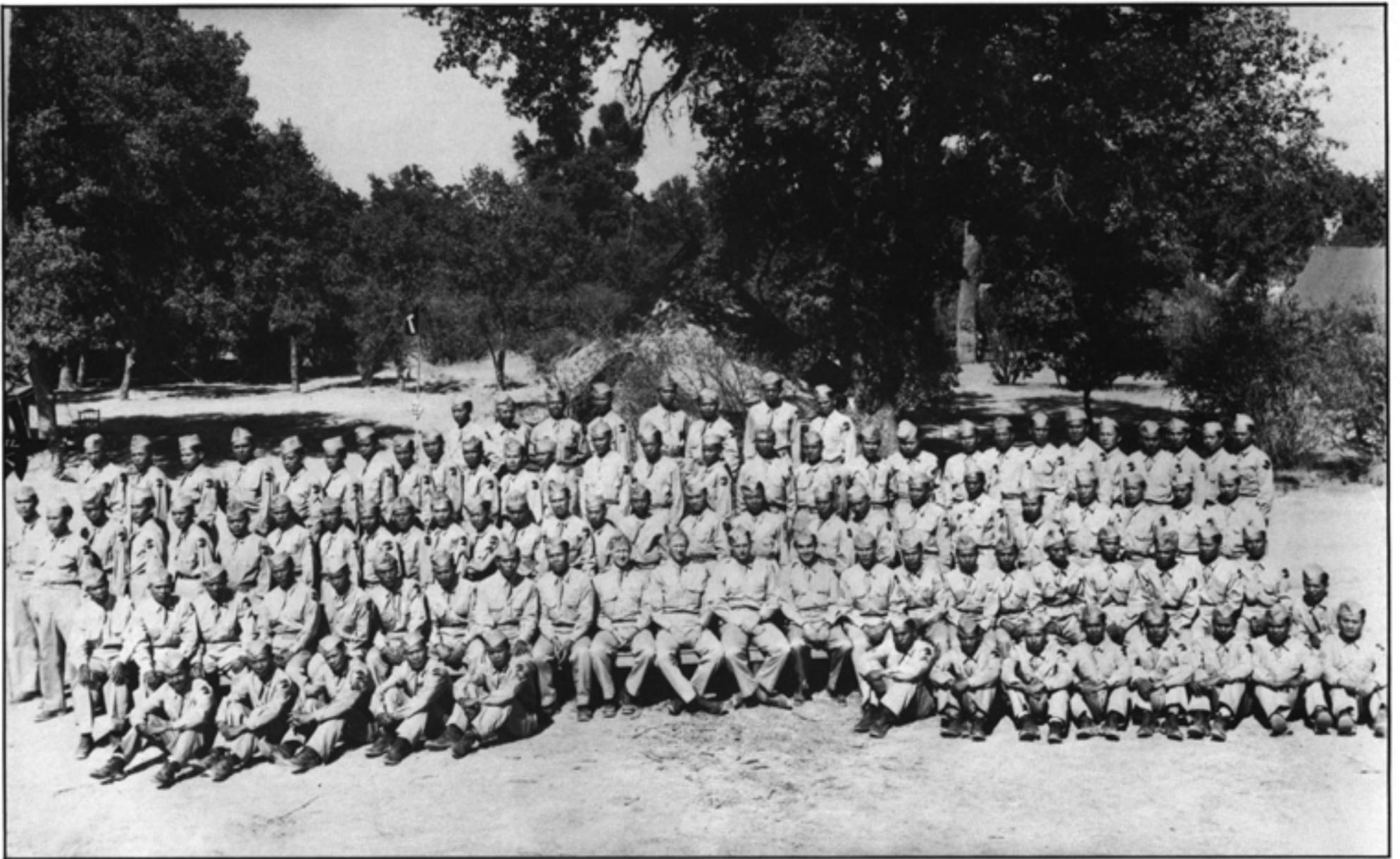
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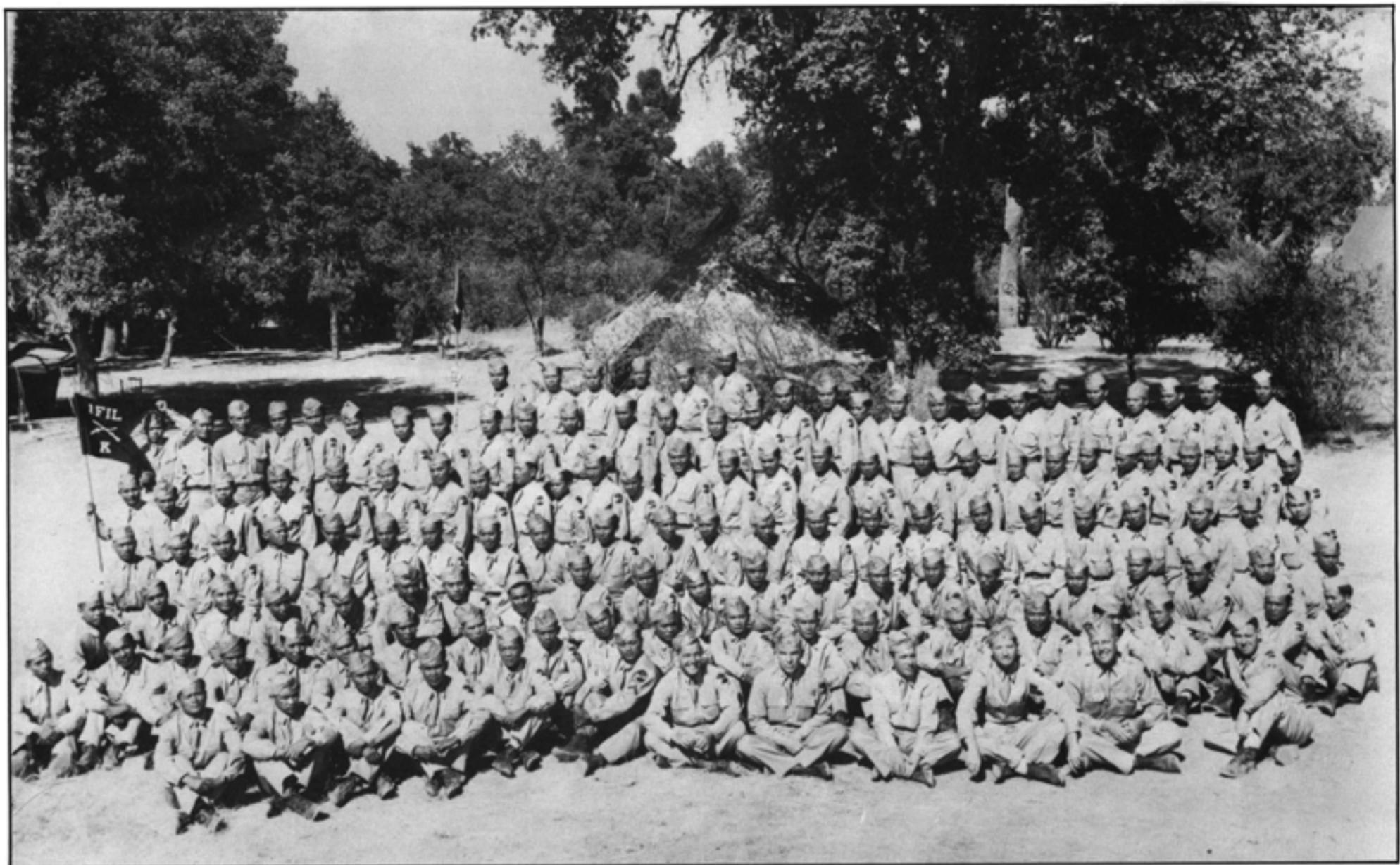
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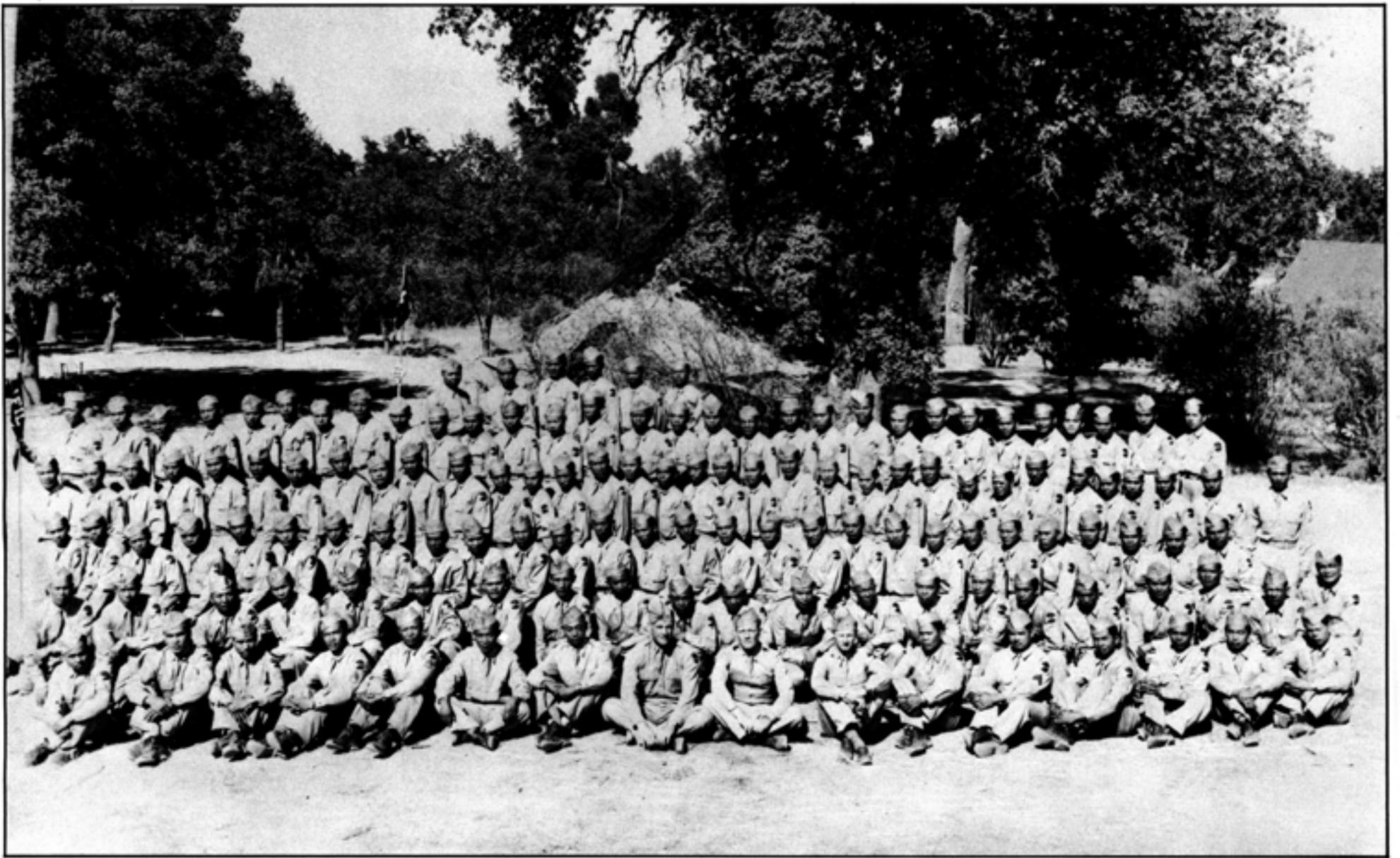
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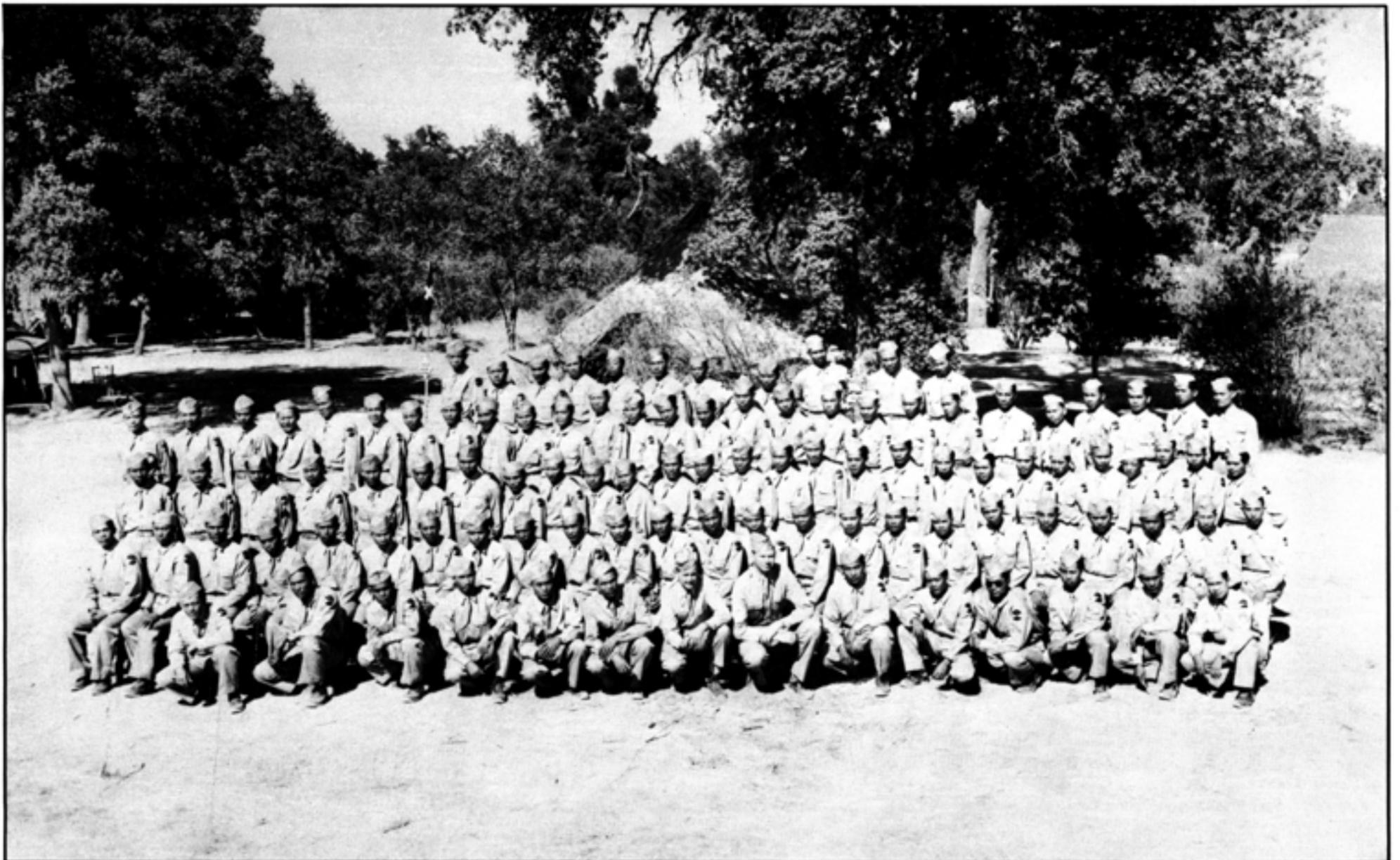
**COMPANY I**  
**CAPT. YANCEY-COMMANDING**



**COMPANY K**  
**1ST LT. KUHN-COMMANDING**



**COMPANY L**  
**CAPT. FLOR CRUZ COMMANDING**



**COMPANY M**  
**CAPT. WALLENFANG, COMMANDING**

*CAROLE LANDIS and POWERS MODELS AT-*

**1<sup>st</sup>**  
**FILIPINO**  
**INFANTRY**  
**BOND RALLY**



*CAROLE LANDIS AND COLONEL OFFLEY AT RECEPTION BY OFFICERS*



*CAROLE AND CAPT. DI BIANCA*



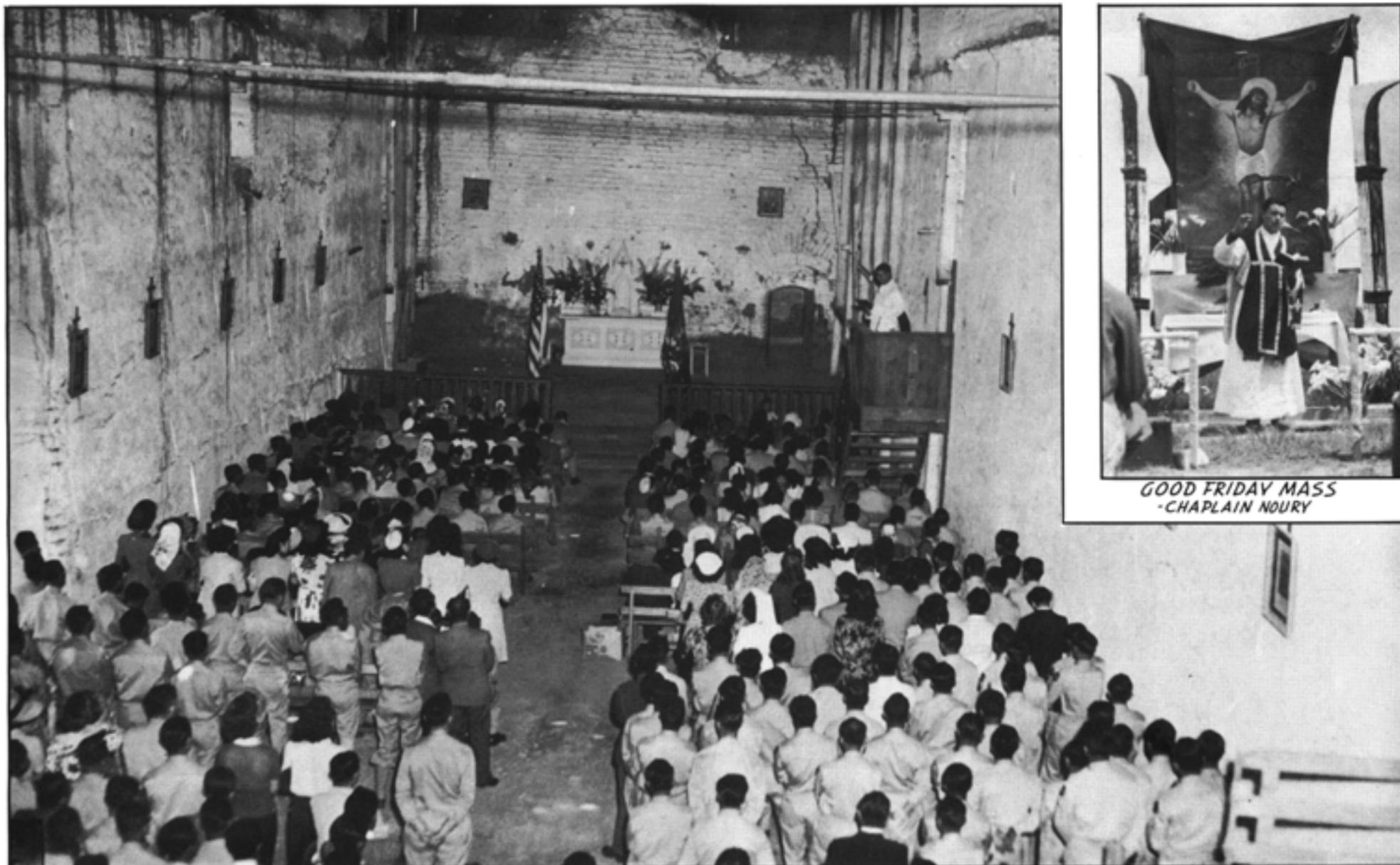
*LECHONADO IN HONOR OF CAROLE AND POWERS GIRLS*



*SELECTING THREE BEST DRESSED SOLDIERS*



*CAROLE GLADLY POSES FOR PICTURES*



GOOD FRIDAY MASS  
-CHAPLAIN NOURY

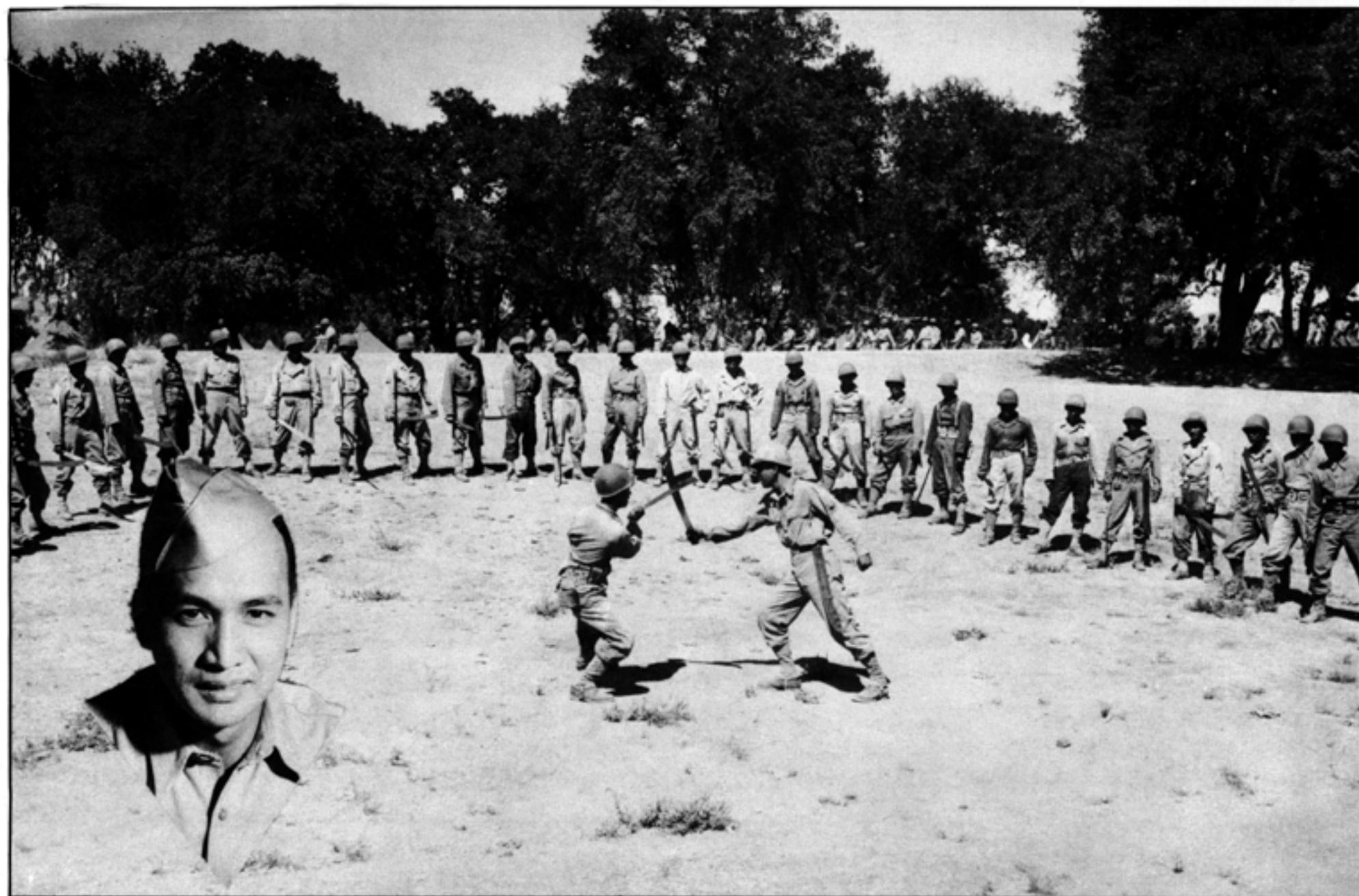
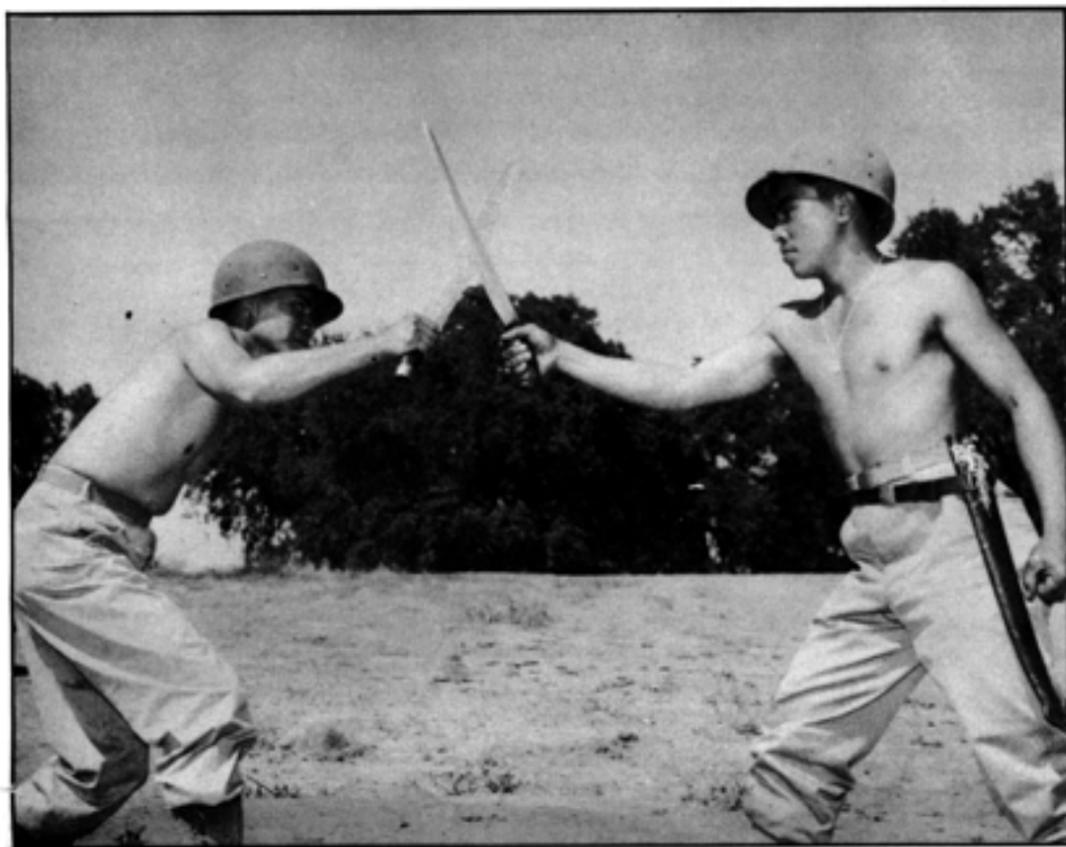
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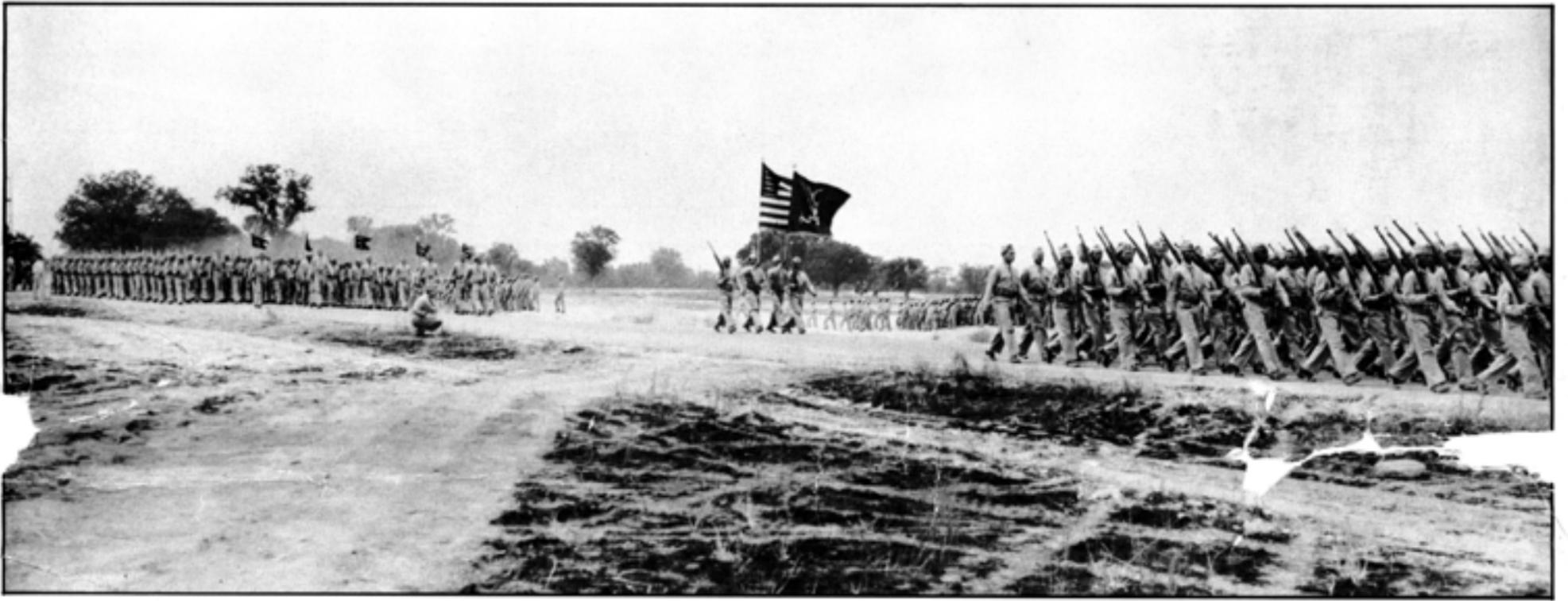
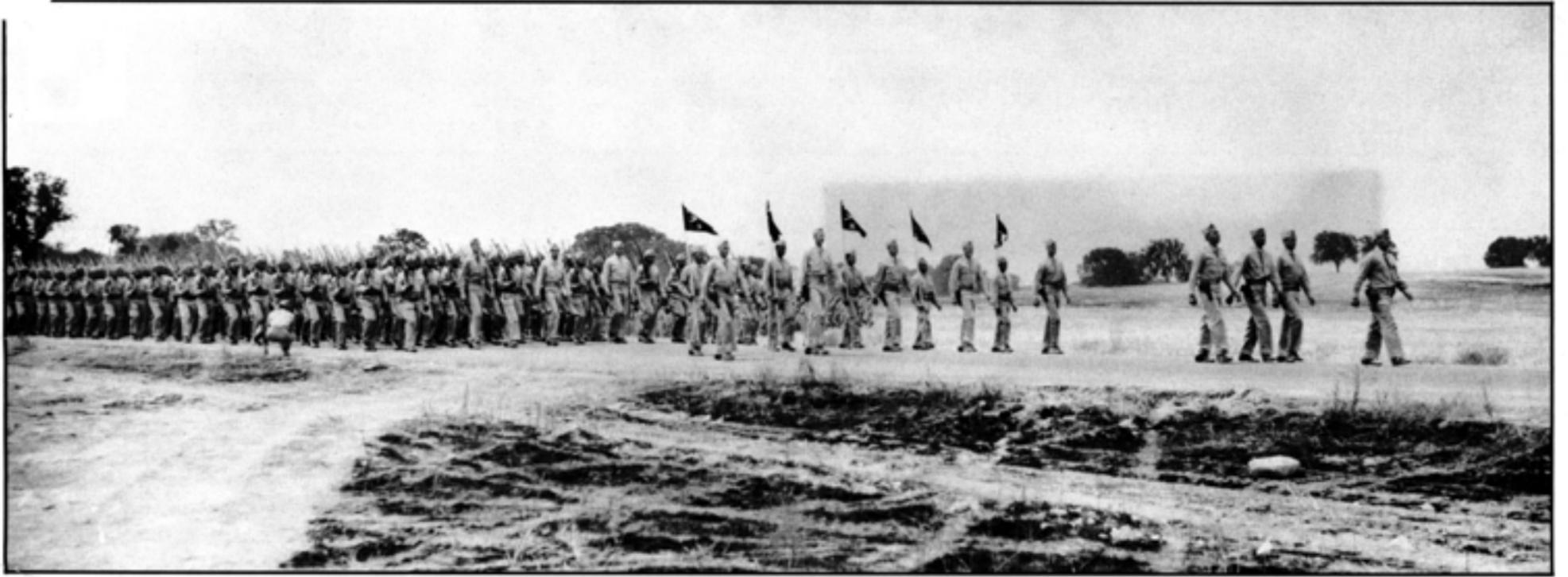


1ST FILIPINO INFANTRY'S  
FAVORITE WEAPON  
"the BOLO"



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