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Honorable Ingram M. Stainback
Governor of Hawaii
Honolulu, T. H.

Sir :

In compliance with Section 13042, Revised Laws of Hawaii 1945,
I have the honor to submit the Annual Report of The Adjutant General
of the Territory of Hawaii for the period July 1, 1946-June 30, 1947.

Respectfully yours,

F. W. MAKINNEY
Brig. General, HNG
Adjutant General.

ADJUTANTS GENERAL OF HAWAII
1894-1947

July 6, 1894-April 1, 1907.....Brig. Gen. John H. Soper
April 2, 1907-August 15, 1915.....Colonel John W. Jones
August 16, 1915-February 19, 1918.....Brig. Gen. Samuel I. Johnson
March 1, 1918-June 7, 1918.....Major Will Wayne (Acting)
June 8, 1918-September 21, 1918.....Colonel Will Wayne
September 23, 1918-February 8, 1921.....Colonel Harry S. Hayward
February 9, 1921-July 31, 1923.....Colonel William D. Potter
August 1, 1923-August 24, 1923.....Major John W. Short
September 20, 1923-August 3, 1946.....Colonel Perry M. Smoot
August 4, 1946-Incumbent.....Brig. Gen. Fred W. Makinney

U. S. PROPERTY AND DISBURSING OFFICERS FOR HAWAII
1907-1947

April 2, 1907-May 5, 1924.....Major John W. Short
May 6, 1924-June 30, 1927.....Capt. Frank F. Riess
July 1, 1927-December 9, 1929.....Colonel Perry M. Smoot
December 10, 1929-May 20, 1931.....Major Frank F. Riess
July 1, 1931-December 31, 1933.....Capt. Earl R. McGhee
January 1, 1934-December 6, 1934.....Capt. Alfred C. Young
December 7, 1934-December 31, 1935.....Colonel Perry M. Smoot
January 1, 1936-February 5, 1941.....Major Joseph I. deVille
April 11, 1946-Incumbent.....Lt. Colonel Joseph I. deVille (Acting)

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INTRODUCTION

At the commencement of the 1947 Fiscal Year on July 1, 1946, the Hawaii Territorial Guard under command of Brig. General James McEnery Huey was on active duty in the service of the Territory. The Hawaii National Guard was on inactive status having been demobilized from Federal Service.

Upon recommendation of the Governor of Hawaii to the President of the United States, Colonel F. W. Makinney, USA, Ret'd had been recommended for the position as Adjutant General, Territory of Hawaii to relieve Colonel Perry M. Smoot upon expiration of his term on August 3, 1946. Colonel Smoot had held this post for the past twenty-four years. The appointment of Colonel Makinney was approved by the President and so published in War Department Orders by Paragraph 7, Special Order 146, dated 2 July 1946.

The War Department, in official correspondence to the Governor, had urged the reestablishment of the Hawaii National Guard and had offered the Territory an allocation of troops. It was imperative that the newly appointed Adjutant General take over command of the Territorial Guard, for the purpose of inactivating these units and to reestablish the Hawaii National Guard on the effective date of his appointment August 4, 1946.

Accordingly and upon Executive Order of the Governor of Hawaii dated 1 July 1946, Colonel F. W. Makinney, USA, Ret'd., was placed in command of the Territorial Guard effective 0001 hours, 2 July 1946 relieving Brig. General James Huey.

During the period July 2, 1946 to August 3, 1946 a survey of the National Guard installations throughout the Territory was conducted. Conferences were held with National Guard Officers for the purpose of determining the strength, composition and location of units of the postwar Guard. The conclusions reached formed a basis for recommendations to the Governor on the Postwar Hawaii National Guard.

Formal acceptance of troops allocated by the War Department, was made by the Governor of Hawaii on 4th of August and the reestablishment of the Hawaii National Guard was started.

THE HAWAII TERRITORIAL GUARD

1. Status of the Hawaii Territorial Guard—July 1, 1946:

The Hawaii Territorial Guard, on active duty status, on July 1, 1946 consisted of the following:

<i>Unit</i>	<i>Officers</i>	<i>EM</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Hq Det. HTG.....	3	34	37	This personnel was on full duty status, paid from funds appropriated by the 1945 Legislature for the HTG.
1st Inf. Regiment				
Hq 1st Inf.....	6		6	Personnel of this regiment was on a volunteer drill status, no pay involved.
Hq 1st Bn.....	5	24	29	
Co. A.....	3	121	124	
Co. B.....	4	152	156	
Co. C.....	3	96	99	
Co. D.....	4	29	33	
Total 1st Bn	19	422	441	
Hq 2nd Bn.....	2	5	7	
Co. E.....	3	45	48	
Co. F.....	3	41	44	
Co. G.....	4	44	48	
Co. H.....	4	55	59	
Total 2nd Bn	16	190	206	
Med Det.....	3	5	8	
Total 1st Inf	44	617	661	

2. Status of Hawaii Territorial Guard Funds—July 1, 1946:

Appropriated 1945 Legislature.....	\$260,157.00
Expended through June 30, 1946.....	114,030.04
Balance—July 1, 1946.....	146,126.96

3. Inactive Status Hawaii Territorial Guard:

By Executive Order dated, 3 August 1946, the 1st Inf Regt, HTG, was placed on inactive status, subject to the call of the Commanding Officer, HTG. Full time duty personnel were discharged, July 31, 1946, with the exception of key personnel required to remain on this duty, to aid in reestablishing the Hawaii National Guard. These men, listed below, were finally discharged upon being replaced by National Guardsmen, on dates shown opposite their names:

Capt. Mun Kim Wong.....	9-30-46
M/Sgt. James K. Lota.....	10-25-46
1st Sgt. Frank Castanha.....	10-30-46
T/Sgt. Eugene Akana.....	9-30-46
T/4 Balbino B. Balaleng.....	10-15-46
T/4 Domingo Vasques.....	10-15-46
T/5 Eugene Cho.....	10-15-46
T/5 Francisco Agbayane.....	10-15-46

All Federal property issued the Hawaii Territorial Guard was turned into Army Supply Agencies and an audit of property records by the Staff of Headquarters, AFMIDPAC was taken and clearance received.

4. On December 31, 1946, the 1st Inf Regt, HTG, was deactivated; the officers and men were discharged per General Order 89, Headquarters, HTG, dated December 31, 1946.

THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT

1. Status of Military Department—July 1, 1946:

The Military Department on July 1, 1946, consisted of the following personnel whose salaries were paid out of Territorial funds appropriated by the 1945 Legislature for the Hawaii National Guard, and from Armory Board funds, received from rentals of armories.

- Lt. Col. Dean R. DeMerritt, CAF 11-B, Military Administrator
- Hazel R. Samson, CAF 6-D, Clerk
- *Oscar K. Cox, Mechanical Handyman, Honolulu Armory
- *Gabriel P. Moniz, Mechanical Handyman, Wailuku Armory
- *Koon Yee Ching, Mechanical Handyman, Lihue Armory
- Robert K. Nakihei (PT), Mechanical Handyman, Kaunakakai Armory
- Ernest Napaepae (PT), Mechanical Handyman, Lahaina Armory

2. Status of Funds—National Guard Appropriation:

Appropriated—1945 Legislature.....	\$ 30,602.00
Expended—July 1, 1945-June 30, 1946.....	15,544.41
Balance—July 1, 1946.....	15,057.59

3. Reorganization of the Military Department:

The Staff of the Military Department, as it existed in July 1946 was totally inadequate to perform efficiently the administrative, personnel, training and supply functions for the post-war guard. It was necessary to reorganize the Military Department, to provide a staff, following the staff set up for a military headquarters, with key personnel occupying positions as follows:

Military Executive (Chief of Staff)	To coordinate the work of the various sections of the staff and to act as assistant to the Adjutant General
Personnel Director (G-1)	Responsible for all personnel matters pertaining to officers and enlisted men, including enlistments, records, Federal recognition of officers, officers personnel records, orders to personnel, promotions, etc.
Intelligence, Plans, Training and Organization Director. (G-2 and G-3)	Responsible for matters pertaining to intelligence, organization of units, and training.
Supply and Service Director (G-4)	Responsible for territorial property, armories, reservations, territorial fiscal matters and procurement of supplies from territorial funds.
Commanding Officer (Air)	Commanding Officer for fighter squadron and, in addition, commanding officer of the Air Base, Hawaii National Guard.

PT—indicates part time employment.

* —indicates salary paid from Armory Board Funds

Additional personnel, including clerks, mechanical handymen, etc., would be needed to assist the key personnel, and would be based on the strength of the postwar Guard and Armory facilities available or to be made available.

After a careful study, the final staff set up for the Military Department was determined and submitted to the 1947 legislature for appropriation of funds for salaries for the biennium 1947-49. All positions were approved by the legislature and funds totaling \$332,390.00 for personal services were appropriated. As approved the Personnel of Military Department consists of the following:

The Adjutant General	
(1) Stenographer	CAF-4
Military Executive (Chief of Staff)	CAF-12
Administrator (Chief Clerk)	CAF-7
Publication Clerk	CAF-3
Messenger	CC-4
Military Personnel Officer (G-1)	CAF-9
Personnel Clerk (Officers)	CAF-7
Personnel Clerk (Enlisted Men)	CAF-6
Clerk Typist	CAF-2
(2) Personnel Clerks	CAF-4
298th Inf.	
299th Inf.	
(3) Personnel Clerks	CAF-3
199th Fighter Squadron	
1st Bn 299th Inf.	
3rd Bn 298th Inf.	
Military Plans and Training Officer (G-3)	CAF-9
Clerk Typist	CAF-2
Military Fiscal Officer (G-4)	CAF-10
Accountant	CAF-7
Maintenance Superintendent	CC-11
Clerk	CAF-5
Clerk Typist	CAF-2
Mechanical Handyman	CC-6
Chauffeur	CC-5
Custodial Personnel—Armories	
(3) Watchmen (Reservations)	CC-4
(14) General Laborers (Armories)	CC-5
(Note: 3 on part time basis)	
Commanding Officer, 199th Fighter Sqn and CO HNG Air Base, Bellows Field.	On active duty in Service of Territory per Secs 13060 and 13071 RL of Hawaii 1945
Mechanical Handyman, Bellows Field	CC-6
(3) Guards, Bellows Field	CC-5
(3) Watchmen, Bellows Field	CC-4
General Laborer, Bellows Field	CC-5
Clerk Typist, Bellows Field	CAF-2
Office of U. S. Property and Supply Officer	
Military Property and Supply Officer	CAF-9
Motor Equipment Operator	CC-6
Motor Maintenance Shops—613th Ord MM Co., HNG	
Parts Clerk	CAF-4
Stock Clerk	CAF-4
General Laborer	CC-5

A comparison of positions Territorial and Federal, indicate that the Territory has provided 56 positions while the Federal Government

has authorized 174 positions in support of the Hawaii National Guard. Ratio of funds to be provided by the Federal Government for salaries and for Armory and Field Training pay, in the 1947-49 biennium, to Territorial appropriations is seven to one.

THE HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD

1. Status on July 1, 1946:

The Hawaii National Guard was called to Federal service in October 1940. It consisted of two regiments of infantry less one battalion, less one company totalling 1802, officers and men. During World War II and upon the close of the war, units were inactivated from Federal service, the last unit, 1st Battalion, 298th Infantry was inactivated January 22, 1946. On July 1, 1946, no units of the Hawaii National Guard had been activated, although allocation of National Guard troops had been offered the territory under date of 7 February 1946, per letter Chief, National Guard Bureau to the Governor of Hawaii.

2. Reestablishment of the Hawaii National Guard.

a. Troops allocated by the War Department to the Territory consisted of:

<i>Units</i>	<i>Strength</i>
State Hq & Hq Det.....	53
Infantry Regimental Combat Team comprising:	
1 Infantry Regiment.....	3003
1 Field Artillery Bn (105 MM How).....	448
1 Engineer Combat Company.....	135
Infantry Regimental Combat Team comprising:	
1 Infantry Regiment.....	3003
1 Field Artillery Bn (105 MM How).....	448
1 Engineer Combat Company.....	135
Fighter Squadron SE (Honolulu).....	260
Flight Utility.....	35
Det Sq Sub Depot.....	17
AA Cp, Hq & Hq Btry.....	61
AA Bn, Gun, Sm Type A.....	511
AA Bn, AN, SM.....	638
Sig Radar Maint Unit Type C.....	4
Ord Co Maint AA.....	127
Band AGF.....	29
TOTAL.....	8907

b. The reestablishment of the Hawaii National Guard, was effected by the issuance of Executive Order, by the Governor of Hawaii, dated 3 August 1946.

c. Under date of August 4, 1946, the Governor of Hawaii formally accepted the following troops for the Hawaii National Guard, with numerical designation, location and authorized strength of major units as follows:

Unit	Location	Authorized Strength		
		Off	WO	EM
State Hq & Hq Det	Honolulu	24	0	31
298th Regt Combat Team comprising :				
298th Inf (Less 3rd Bn)	Oahu	121	5	2055
483rd FA Bn	Oahu	36	2	408
227th Engr Combat Co	Oahu	5	0	129
3rd Bn, 298th Inf	Kauai	37	0	781
299th Regt Combat Team comprising :				
299th Inf (less 1st Bn)	Hawaii	121	5	2055
487th FA Bn	Hawaii	36	2	408
230th Engr Combat Co	Hawaii	5	0	129
1st Bn, 299th Inf (less Co B)	Mau	30	0	593
Co B, 299th Inf	Molokai	7	0	188
613th Ordnance MM Co	Honolulu	6	1	123
110th AGF Band	Hawaii	0	1	28
111th AGF Band	Oahu	0	1	28
199th Fighter Squadron (SE)	Bellows Field	32	0	101
199th Utility Flight	Bellows Field	6	0	29
Det C, 199th Air Ser Gp (Ftr)	Bellows Field	8	1	168
199th Weather Station	Bellows Field	3	0	5
TOTAL.....		477	18	7259

3. Mission of the National Guard :

War Department Policies direct that the primary mission of the National Guard is that of an M Day Force to supplement the Regular Army in the defense of the United States in the event of any future declaration of war by an outlaw nation. Secondly, that the National Guard is a State Force which under the direction of the Governor, provides the State with local security strength and provides disaster relief if needed.

4. Plan of Organization, Hawaii National Guard :

The Plan of Organization of the Hawaii National Guard was announced shortly after acceptance of the above allocation of troops. It consisted of :

Phase I—Organization of certain units to meet initial Federal Requirements for recognition on or before December 31, 1946 (This Phase was completed on schedule except for Headquarters batteries for the two Field Artillery Battalions).

Phase II—Organization of certain other units to meet initial Federal Requirements for recognition on or before June 30, 1947.

Phase III—Organization of the remaining units of the total of 64, to be completed at a later date, dependent upon availability of armories and other facilities.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

The first step in the organization of the Hawaii National Guard was the formation of a sound Public Relations Plan and an active carrying out of this plan. It was felt that the Public should be informed of the composition of the postwar Hawaii National Guard, location of

units, mission of the National Guard, advantages offered by enlistments in the National Guard, rates of armory drill pay, etc. Such a plan was published to the command by Circular No. 17, Military Department, T. H., dated November 6, 1946.

RECRUITING DRIVE

An active recruiting drive of eight weeks duration was started on November 11, 1947. Radio addresses by the Adjutant General and Commanding Officers of units were made. Spot radio announcements, distribution of Hawaii National Guard brochures, goodwill advertising and enlistment dances were conducted. Recruiting posters were placed in buses and other appropriate places. The drive culminated in the formation of an Instructor and Recruiting Detachment for the purpose of instructing unit commanders in maintenance and supply procedures and to serve as contact party to recruit for the Guard. Each of the major islands was visited by the Detachment and the results obtained were satisfactory.

The Hawaii National Guard, also took an active part in the Junior Chamber of Commerce Industrial Exposition, March 1946, and the Army Show at Fort DeRussy during Army Week, April 6-13, 1946, by furnishing an exhibit booth to advertise National Guard activities. A recruiting team was on duty during the Exposition and Show.

ORGANIZATION, PLANS AND TRAINING

In the early stages of organization of the Hawaii National Guard, recruiting, supplying and training proceeded concurrently. While this situation appeared at times to slow up progress, nevertheless, the thought and ingenuity applied in resolving the conflicting requirements in itself constituted good training.

Due to budgetary limitations involving the National Guard activities of the War Department, frequent forecasts were required by and reported to the National Guard Bureau, relative to the anticipated dates of activation of the various units, reports concerning units Federally recognized and personnel strength.

As of 30 June 1947, the status of organization of the 64 units accepted by the Territory was as follows:

<i>Unit</i>	<i>Station</i>	<i>Date of Federal Recognition</i>
Hq & Hq Det HNG	Honolulu	9 Sept 1946
111th AGF Band	Honolulu	10 Sept 1946
613th Ordnance MM Co	Honolulu	30 Sept 1946
Hq & Hq Co 299th Inf	Hilo	8 Oct 1946
Med Det (Less 1st Bn Sec) 299th Inf	Hilo	8 Oct 1946
110th AGF Band	Hilo	8 Oct 1946
Hq & Hq Co 298th Inf	Honolulu	14 Oct 1946
Med Sec 1st Bn 299th Inf	Wailuku	22 Oct 1946
Hq & Hq Co 1st Bn 299th Inf	Wailuku	22 Oct 1946
Hq & Hq Co 3rd Bn 298th Inf	Lihue	28 Oct 1946
Med Sec 3rd Bn 298th Inf	Lihue	28 Oct 1946
199th Fighter Sq (SE)	Bellows Field	4 Nov 1946
Utility Flight, 199th Ftr Sq	Bellows Field	4 Nov 1946
Det C, 199th Air Ser Gp	Bellows Field	4 Nov 1946
199th Weather Station (Type A)	Bellows Field	4 Nov 1946
Service Co 299th Inf	Hilo	20 Nov 1946
Anti-Tank Co 299th Inf	Hilo	20 Nov 1946
Hq & Hq Co 2nd Bn 299th Inf	Hilo	20 Nov 1946
Med Det (Less 3rd Bn Sec) 298th Inf	Honolulu	9 Dec 1946

Co A 299th Inf	Lahaina	6 Jan 1947
Service Co 298th Inf	Honolulu	27 Jan 1947
Hq & Hq Co 1st Bn 298th Inf	Honolulu	27 Jan 1947
Co H 299th Inf	Honolulu	2 Mar 1947
Co D 299th Inf	Wailuku	3 Mar 1947
Co B 299th Inf	Kaunakakai	10 Mar 1947
227th Engr Combat Co	Honolulu	17 Apr 1947
Hq & Hq Btry, 487th FA Bn	Hilo	5 May 1947
Co A 298th Inf	Honolulu	15 May 1947
Co G 298th Inf	Kohala	3 June 1947

Units inspected and awaiting official notice of Federal Recognition

<i>Unit</i>	<i>Station</i>	<i>Date of Inspection</i>
Co B 298th Inf	Honolulu	30 June 1947
Co I 298th Inf	Hanapepe	9 June 1947
Cannon Co 299th Inf	Wailuku	27 June 1947
Co C 299th Inf	Paia	26 June 1947
Co E 299th Inf	Papaikou	4 May 1947
Co. F 299th Inf	Hilo	1 June 1947
230th Engr Combat Co	Hilo	18 June 1947

Units authorized to organize

<i>Unit</i>	<i>Station</i>	<i>Date of Authorization</i>
Hq & Hq Btry, 483rd FA Bn	Honolulu	21 May 1947
Hq & Hq Co, 3rd Bn 299th Inf	Honokaa	30 June 1947
Co I 299th Inf	Paauiio	30 June 1947
Service Btry 487th FA Bn	Hilo	23 June 1947
Btry A 487th FA Bn	Honokaa	23 June 1947
Btry B 487th FA Bn	Hilo	23 June 1947

Units for which authority to organize has been requested

<i>Unit</i>	<i>Station</i>
Anti-tank Co 298th Inf	Wahiawa
Hq & Hq Co 2nd Bn 298th Inf	Wahiawa
Co H 298th Inf	Wahiawa
Co K 299th Inf	Olaa
Co L 299th Inf	Pahala
Co M 299th Inf	Honokaa
Btry C 487th FA Bn	Kealakekua
Med Det 487th FA Bn	Hilo

Inactive Units

<i>Unit</i>	<i>Station</i>
Cannon Co 298th Inf	Hanapepe, Kauai
Co C 298th Inf	Honolulu, Oahu
Co D 298th Inf	Honolulu, Oahu
Co E 298th Inf	Walahua, Oahu
Co F 298th Inf	Waipahu, Oahu
Co G 298th Inf	Kaneohe, Oahu
Co K 298th Inf	Kapaa, Kauai
Co L 298th Inf	Lihue, Kauai
Co M 298th Inf	Hanapepe, Kauai
Service Btry 483rd FA Bn	Honolulu, Oahu
Btry A 483rd FA Bn	Honolulu, Oahu
Btry B 483rd FA Bn	Honolulu, Oahu
Btry C 483rd FA Bn	Honolulu, Oahu
Med Det 483rd FA Bn	Honolulu, Oahu

RECAPITULATION

Status of Organization as of 30 June 1947

Number of Units Federally Recognized.....	29
Number of Units Awaiting Recognition.....	7
Number of Units Authorized to Organize.....	6
Number of Units for which Authority has been requested.....	8
Number of Units Inactive.....	14
Total Number of Units Allotted.....	64

2. *Armory Drills:*

Regulations permit each unit to hold 48 armory drills per fiscal year, plus field training time, normally accomplished by holding one assembly for drill per week. Notwithstanding, the fact that all units were organized and Federally recognized after the start of the fiscal year, and many not until 1947, insofar as time permitted, all units held additional drills, usually one extra per week, in order to make up training time lost due to late activation. The progress of training has benefited notably thereby.

In the training during this early stage disciplinary exercises, weapon fundamentals, and the development of leadership and instructional ability have been stressed.

3. *Annual Federal Armory Inspection:*

In accordance with regulations, those units whose dates of Federal recognition antedated by at least six months the first day of June 1947, were required to undergo the Annual Federal Armory Inspection as prescribed by the War Department, and conducted by AGFPAC, Staff Officers. Fourteen units in this category were inspected as follows:

<i>Unit</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Date of</i>	
		<i>Federal Recognition</i>	<i>Annual Armory Inspection</i>
Hq & Hq Det, HNG	Honolulu	9 Sept 46	15 May 47
111th AGF Band	Honolulu	10 Sept 46	15 May 47
Hq & Hq Co 298th Inf	Honolulu	14 Oct 46	15 May 47
613th Ord MM Co	Honolulu	30 Sept 46	15 May 47
Hq & Hq Co 1st Bn 299th Inf	Wailuku	22 Oct 46	19 May 47
Med Sec 1st Bn 299th Inf	Wailuku	22 Oct 46	19 May 47
Hq & Hq Co 299th Inf	Hilo	8 Oct 46	21 May 47
Service Co 299th Inf	Hilo	20 Nov 46	21 May 47
Anti-Tank Co 299th Inf	Hilo	20 Nov 46	21 May 47
Med Det (Less 1st Bn Sec)			
299th Inf	Hilo	8 Oct 46	21 May 47
Hq & Hq Co 2nd Bn 299th Inf	Hilo	20 Nov 46	21 May 47
110th AGF Band	Hilo	8 Oct 46	21 May 47
Hq & Hq Co 3rd Bn 298th Inf	Lihue	28 Oct 46	26 May 47
Med Sec 3rd Bn 298th Inf	Lihue	28 Oct 46	26 May 47

Prior to the formal inspection, a team convened at the headquarters of the Adjutant General made a preliminary inspection of each of the above units. This inspection was most thorough, and as a result many minor irregularities were uncovered and corrected prior to the federal inspection. Each unit passed the annual federal inspection satisfactorily, a circumstance largely attributable to the work of the preliminary inspection team.

4. Army Extension Courses:

The War Department has made available to personnel of the National Guard instructional matter of the Army Extension Courses, or correspondence courses. Enrollment of these courses as of June 30, 1947 was as follows:

Officers	23
Enlisted Men	8

5. Local Officers School:

Through the courtesy of Lt. General John E. Hull, Commanding General, AGFPAC, the Oahu Officers Troop and Staff School, based at Schofield Barracks, conducted a course of instruction for the officers covering the following subjects:

- Customs and Courtesies of the Service
- Personnel Management
- Information and Education
- Leadership and Command Responsibilities
- Staff Functioning
- Methods of Instruction and Training Procedures
- Mess Management

Sessions were held each Thursday night at the armory from 13 February 1947 to 1 May 1947.

An invitation to join the class was extended to the Reserve Officers of Honolulu, many of whom attended the classes.

6. Army Service Schools:

The courses of instruction at the Army Service Schools, on the mainland, are open to both officers and enlisted men.

The following officers attended the Refresher Course for Higher Commanders and Staffs at the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga., in May 1947.

- Col. Robert L. Stevenson, 298th Inf
- Col. Jack E. Conley, 299th Inf
- Lt. Col. Lester W. Bryan, 299th Inf
- Capt. Robert Taira, 298th Inf

1st Lt. Francis K. Tom, Adjutant of the 298th Infantry is now attending the Associate Basic Course at the Adjutant General School, Carlisle Barracks, Pa., which will continue until 29 August 1947.

Staff Sgt. Masayuki W. Suminoto, of Service Co, 299th Infantry, Hilo, attended the Automotive Mechanic Course at the Transportation School, Fort Eustis, Va., from 17 February to 14 April 1947, on which date he graduated, having completed the course satisfactorily.

T/3 Shunichi Kamisato and T/3 Howard L. Sypher, both of the 613th Ordnance Medium Maintenance Co., Honolulu, are attending courses at the Ordnance School, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md. These courses will be completed about 1 August 1947.

Applications of nine men of the National Guard Air Units for enrollment in various courses conducted on the mainland by the Army Air Force have been forwarded to the National Guard Bureau and upon approval these men will leave to report.

The Federal government pays National Guardsmen while attending Service Schools, and defrays all traveling expenses.

PERSONNEL

1. *Strength:*

The total authorized strength of the Hawaii National Guard is 477 officers, 18 warrant officers, and 7259 enlisted men. As of 30 June 1947, the actual strength in personnel pertaining to activated units was, 164 officers, 8 warrant officers and 1133 enlisted men. The break down of strength, by island is as follows:

OAHU			
<i>Unit</i>	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Warrant Officers</i>	<i>Enlisted Men</i>
Hq & Hq Det HNG.....	20	0	19
613th Ord (MM) Co.....	5	1	61
111th AGF Band.....	0	1	26
199th Fighter Squadron.....	31	0	47
199th Utility Flight.....	6	0	15
199th Weather Station.....	1	0	3
Det C, 199th Air Ser Gp.....	6	0	58
Hq & Hq Co 298th Inf.....	12	0	56
Service Co 298th Inf.....	7	3	39
Med Det 298th Inf.....	4	0	29
Hq & Hq Co 1st Bn 298th Inf.....	4	0	20
Co A 298th Inf.....	2	0	25
Co B 298th Inf.....	2	0	27
227th Eng Combat Co.....	2	0	21
TOTAL OAHU.....	102	5	446

KAUAI			
<i>Unit</i>	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Warrant Officers</i>	<i>Enlisted Men</i>
Hq & Hq Co 3rd Bn 298th Inf.....	3	0	33
3rd Bn Sec Med Det 298th Inf.....	1	0	11
Co I 298th Inf.....	2	0	24
TOTAL KAUAI.....	6	0	68

MOLOKAI			
<i>Unit</i>	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Warrant Officers</i>	<i>Enlisted Men</i>
Co B 299th Inf.....	3	0	49
TOTAL MOLOKAI.....	3	0	49

MAUI			
<i>Unit</i>	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Warrant Officers</i>	<i>Enlisted Men</i>
Hq & Hq Co 1st Bn 299th Inf.....	5	0	43
1st Bn Sec Med Det 299th Inf.....	2	0	21
Co A 299th Inf.....	4	0	49
Co C 299th Inf.....	2	0	24
Co D 299th Inf.....	3	0	51
Cannon Co 299th Inf.....	2	0	10
TOTAL MAUI.....	18	0	198

HAWAII

<i>Unit</i>	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Warrant Officers</i>	<i>Enlisted Men</i>
Hq & Hq Co 299th Inf.....	10	0	52
Service Co 299th Inf.....	4	1	39
Anti-Tank Co 299th Inf.....	2	0	27
Med Det 299th Inf.....	3	0	29
Hq & Hq Co 2nd Bn 299th Inf.....	2	0	35
Co E 299th Inf.....	2	0	30
Co F 299th Inf.....	2	0	16
Co G 299th Inf.....	2	0	40
Co H 299th Inf.....	2	0	54
Hq & Hq Btry 487th FA.....	4	1	21
230th Eng Combat Co.....	2	0	17
110th AGF Band.....	0	1	11
TOTAL HAWAII.....	35	3	371

The breakdown of strength of tactical organizations is as follows:

<i>Organization</i>	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Warrant Officers</i>	<i>Enlisted Men</i>
Special Troops (Incl Hq Det, Ord Co and 2 bands).....	25	3	117
298th Regt Combat Team.....	39	3	286
299th Regt Combat Team.....	56	2	607
Air Force Units.....	44	0	123
TOTAL HNG.....	164	8	1133

OFFICERS

Officers comprising the State Staff, and Commanding Officers of major units of the Hawaii National Guard are as follows:

Brig. General F. W. Makinney—Adjutant General
 Col. Allen W. Smith—Ass't Adjutant General and Executive
 Col. Robert B. Faus—Surgeon
 Col. J. I. deVille—USP&D Officer
 Lt. Col. Philip C. Turner—Inspector General
 Lt. Col. Lake Bellinger—Selective Service Director
 Lt. Col. Francis H. Kanahele—Engineer Officer
 Major William M. Blatt—Judge Advocate General
 Maj. Chester G. Livingston—Air Officer
 Maj. Thomas Lum—Medical Advisor, Selective Service System
 Maj. Clarence R. Johnson—Ordnance Officer & State Maintenance Officer
 Capt. Drury Malone—Signal Officer
 Capt. David P. Silva—Comdg. Officer, Hq Det., State Hq.
 Capt. Alfred C. S. Lum—Dental Officer
 Capt. William J. West—Personnel Officer
 1st Lt. Ernest May—Public Information Officer
 1st Lt. James Ching—Quartermaster Officer
 1st Lt. Hedekozu Uyenoyama—Dental Officer
 2nd Lt. Russell Vieira—Finance Officer
 2nd Lt. A. J. Ahakuelo—Classification Officer, Selective Service

UNIT COMMANDERS

Hq & Hq Det, HNG—Capt. David P. Silva, QMC, HNG
613th Ord (MM) Co—Capt. Emil E. Kudzia, Ord, HNG
110th AGF Band—WOJG Jesse J. Walton
111th AGF Band—CWO Carl S. Baptiste
298th Regimental Combat Team—Col. Robert L. Stevenson, Inf, HNG
299th Regimental Combat Team—Col. Jack E. Conley, Inf, HNG
199th Fighter Squadron (SE)—Lt. Col. Wm. F. Nolan, AC, HNG

SELECTIVE SERVICE SECTION

State Headquarters Staff

There is provided in the State Headquarters Staff a Selective Service Section, composed of the following officers, (Federally recognized in the National Guard of the United States) and enlisted men, Hawaii National Guard who receive from the Federal Government, Armory Drill and Field Training pay for service in capacity indicated:

Lt. Col. Lake E. Bellinger—Director
Major Richard H. P. Lum—Medical Advisor
2nd Lt. Abraham J. Ahakuelo—Classification Officer
T/Sgt. David F. deCosta—Administrative NCO
*2nd Lt. Russell E. Vieira—Procurement Officer
T/Sgt. Raymond T. K. AuHoy—Administrative NCO
M/Sgt. Frank K. H. Lee—Auditor

The Selective Service Section, has the mission of being responsible, under the Adjutant General, for the planning and the training of personnel, required to administer Selective Service requirement in the Territory, should another national emergency arise. The basis of such planning and training will be the Selective Service System as it was operated during World War II.

Close liaison between the Selective Service Section of the State Staff and the Territorial Headquarters of the Selective Service System, under the Directorship of Mr. Milton E. Ballengee, has been maintained.

Upon deactivation of the Territorial Selective Service System on March 31, 1947, National Guard personnel and trucks were used to move records from local boards to the Selective Service Records Depository at Iolani Barracks. Although these records will be kept and administered by the personnel of the office of Selective Service Records, at Iolani Barracks, the records, together, with Reports and Regulations, will be available to the Selective Service Section, State Staff, in the accomplishment of its mission.

REGULAR ARMY INSTRUCTORS

Regular Army Instructors on duty with the Hawaii National Guard are as follows:

* Federal Recognition pending

OFFICE OF THE SENIOR GROUND INSTRUCTOR, HONOLULU, T. H.

<i>Rank</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>ASN</i>	<i>Arm or Service</i>	<i>Duty</i>
Col.	Ercil D. Porter	O6 966	Inf	Senior Instr
Col.	Francis H. Morse	O12 682	Fld Arty	Executive
CWO	Irvil D. Phelps, Sr.	W2 104 373	USA	Chief Clk
M/Sgt.	Donald R. Fisher	RA15 061 559	Inf	Adm NCO
M/Sgt.	Nick Lum	RA20 011 193	QMC	Adm NCO
M/Sgt.	John A. Palmicri	RA35 004 980	AGD	Adm NCO
M/Sgt.	Charles E. Strong, Jr.	RA20 911 631	Inf	Adm NCO
S/Sgt.	Ernest H. Lock	RA6 558 123	Fld Arty	Adm NCO
Tec. 3	Thomas P. Costello	RA6 908 996	Inf	Adm NCO

298th INFANTRY, HONOLULU, T. H.

Lt. Col.	William J. McCaffrey	O22 065	Inf	Regtl Instr
Lt. Col.	Donald W. Coons	O22 642	Inf	Instr 1st Bn
Major	Earle W. Aldrich	O34 667	Inf	Instr 2nd Bn
M/Sgt.	Charles Hornyak	RA6 847 397	Fld Arty	Regtl Adm NCO
1st Sgt.	Francis M. Nakamura	RA20 012 018	Inf	Regtl Sgt Instr
1st Sgt.	Washington E. Awo	RA20 011 194	Inf	Sgt Instr 1st Bn
1st Sgt.	Bernard E. Bentfeld	RA35 054 264	Inf	Sgt Instr 2nd Bn

483rd FIELD ARTILLERY BATTALION, HONOLULU, T. H.

Lt. Col.	Donald C. Cubbison, Jr.	O19 204	Fld Arty	Bn Instr
T/Sgt.	Herbert F. Giles	RA6 861 994	Fld Arty	Bn Sgt Instr

3rd BATTALION 298th INFANTRY, LIHUE, KAUAI, T. H.

Capt.	James M. Pratt	O25 135	Inf	Bn Instr
T/Sgt.	Stanley F. Eversfield	RA34 835 508	Inf	Bn Sgt Instr

299th INFANTRY, HILO, HAWAII, T. H.

Lt. Col.	James N. Peale, Jr.	O20 684	Inf	Regtl Instr
Lt. Col.	Robert C. Williams, Jr.	O22 091	Inf	Instr 2nd Bn
M/Sgt.	James H. Cordell	RA20 428 693	Inf	Regtl Adm NCO
M/Sgt.	James R. Shelton	RA6 918 143	Inf	Regtl Sgt Instr
1st Sgt.	John L. Eberhard	RA19 054 000	Inf	Sgt Instr 2nd Bn
M/Sgt.	Andres H. Pepin	RA20 125 162	Inf	Sgt Instr 3rd Bn

487th FIELD ARTILLERY BATTALION, HILO, HAWAII, T. H.

Lt. Col.	Charles E. Welsh	O32 706	Fld Arty	Bn Instr
1st Sgt.	John A. McDonald	RA34 084 018	Fld Arty	Bn Sgt Instr

1st BATTALION 299th INFANTRY, WAILUKU, MAUI, T. H.

Lt. Col.	Lloyd J. Ptak	O25 216	Inf	Bn Instr
M/Sgt.	William Krosnick	RA6 872 115	Inf	Bn Sgt Instr

COMPANY B, 299th INFANTRY, KAUNAKAKAI, MOLOKAI, T. H.

1st Sgt.	James H. Dawson	RA6 578 662	Inf	Sgt Instr
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SURPLUS REPORTED TO AGFPAC FOR RE-ASSIGNMENT

1st Sgt.	Clarence Iona	RA20 010 574	Inf	Unassigned
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ARMORIES AND RESERVATIONS

At the beginning of the Fiscal year the Military Department had under its control the following armories and reservations located as follows:

1. Kauai
 - a. Lihue Armory
 - b. Hanapepe Armory
2. Oahu
 - a. Honolulu Armory
 - b. Iolani Barracks
 - c. Punchbowl Military Reservation
 - d. Kuliouou Rifle Range
3. Molokai
 - a. Kaunakakai Armory
4. Maui
 - a. Wailuku Armory
 - b. Paukukalo Camp Site
 - c. Lahaina Armory
 - d. Pakaina Rifle Range
5. Hawaii
 - a. Hilo Armory
 - b. Honomu Armory
 - c. Oloa Cottage

The reorganization of the Hawaii National Guard based on the troop allocation made it imperative that additional armory facilities be secured from surplus Army and Navy installations to suitably house the many new units to be activated and to provide adequate storage to properly safeguard the equipment to be issued by the Federal government to those units. Not only were additional facilities necessary for the expanded infantry regiments but there were artillery and engineer units to be housed, an Ordnance Company with a maintenance shop and above all an Air National Guard to be provided for.

The Military Department took immediate action to alleviate at least partially the serious need for expanded facilities so as not to hinder the reorganization plans of the National Guard. Acquisition, both completed and pending, of new facilities is listed geographically by island as follows:

1. Oahu
 - a. A portion of Bellows Field was made available by the War Department for the exclusive use of the Air Units, Hawaii National Guard under the terms of a revocable permit. The area includes two main runways, one Butler hanger, three large warehouses, administration building, carpenter shop, paint warehouse, link trainer building, parachute building, motor pool including vehicle shed and shops. In addition Bachelor Officers Quarters and a few buildings which could be converted into family quarters were also made available.
 - b. Five large warehouses in the Richards Street Area, in the city of Honolulu, and which are a part of the Fort Armstrong Military Reservation, were likewise made available by the Army for use by the Hawaii National Guard on a five year revocable permit. These five warehouses are being utilized as follows: Warehouse 3 has been assigned as a temporary armory to the 227th Engineer Combat Company; Warehouse 4 is assigned to the United States Property and Disbursing Officer for use as offices and central warehouse depot for all federal property to be issued to the guard; Warehouse 5 has been assigned to the 483rd Field Artillery Battalion as a temporary armory; Warehouse 7 has been assigned to Service Company of the 298th Infantry. Warehouse 6, (The Old Fish-market) is being used as a Maintenance Shop and Armory for the 613th Ordnance MM Co, HNG.
 - c. The Military Department has made request on the Army for certain installations and facilities at the East Range in Wahiawa a part of the Military Reservation, Schofield Barracks, to provide for

armory and storage facilities for the 2nd Battalion of the 298th Inf., soon to be activated in Wahiawa. The area is also planned for development into a camp site for annual encampment with facilities for maximum of one regimental combat team. While no definite permit has been issued it is expected that the installations desired will be made available.

d. Realizing that the warehouse assigned to the Field Artillery Battalion is inadequate for its needs the Military Department has made request on Army to provide adequate facilities at Fort DeRussy, Fort Ruger or Fort Armstrong. The warehouse is inadequate inasmuch as it cannot provide storage for heavy equipment nor does it have adequate training areas available.

e. Request has been made on the War Department for certain portions of Hickam Field for use by the Hawaii Air National Guard. Bellows Field, by reason of its geographic location, is not considered desirable for future use by the National Guard. The physical limitations of the field make it unsuitable for jet propelled plane operation. Lack of adequate commercial transportation to and from Bellows Field make it difficult for the members of the Air Units to attend drill. Considerable time is lost by full time duty personnel going to and from supply points at Hickam Field, in securing parts and other supplies for airplanes.

2. Maui

a. The Military Department is presently negotiating a lease with the Maui Agricultural Company for the rental of the Paia Gymnasium. This building will be adequate as a temporary armory for the unit to be activated in Paia.

b. Request has been made upon the territory for certain buildings and land areas at the Puunene Airport at Puunene. These facilities, presently controlled by the Navy, would provide excellent armory and training areas for the units activated on Maui. This request is still pending and it depends on the acceptance by the territory of the air field from the Navy. Suitable facilities in lieu of Puunene installations are also available at Kahului Airport for the Maui units should this airport be taken over by the territory from the Navy, instead of the Puunene Airport.

3. Hawaii

a. The primary objective of the Military Department was the restoration to its control of the former National Guard Reservation in Keaukaha as set aside by Executive Order of the Governor. This area had been turned over to the Army who in turn had made it available to the Navy. The Navy has constructed many permanent installations in the area resulting in the complete removal of the rifle range once operated by the Military Department. Pending the eventual settlement of the complex land holdings involved in the area which is now part of General Lyman Air Field, the Navy has granted permission to the Hawaii National Guard to utilize sixteen (16) buildings located on the former military reservation. Four of these buildings are already occupied by units of the National Guard and the others will be utilized as soon as they are vacated by the Navy. These installations are being utilized as armories, storage warehouses and a sub depot motor pool.

b. The Military Department has made request from the Territory for a large Quonset located at Upolu Field. This Quonset, for use as an armory by Co. G, 299th Infantry now activated at Kohala. This request is being held in abeyance pending the formal acceptance of the air field from the Navy.

c. At Papaikou the Onomea Sugar Company will make available to the National Guard a site for a temporary armory of the Quonset

type. The Military Department has requested from the Navy four large Quonsets now located at Camp Catlin, Oahu, which the National Guard proposes to move to the outlying islands to provide temporary armories for towns such as Papaikou, Pahala and Paauilo where no such facilities exist. Federal Funds are being requested to cover dismantling, shipping and erecting the Quonsets on the new sites.

4. Kauai

a. The Military Department has made request on the Territory for certain installations and facilities at Hanapepe to meet the need for armories and storage facilities for the two units located there. The present Hanapepe Armory is inadequate and greater facilities must be provided. The County of Kauai has a prior claim to the installations desired but negotiations are now in progress which indicate that the County will withdraw its claim to those facilities which are so urgently needed by the National Guard.

b. The Military Department has also made request on the County for certain installations in Kapaa to serve as a temporary armory for the unit to be activated there. No action has been taken however and the request will be resubmitted.

c. Arrangements have been initiated to negotiate a lease with Grove Farm for the rental of a large building in Lihue for the storage of motor vehicles. The Lihue Armory is entirely lacking in such facilities and some area must be provided for that purpose.

5. Most of the measures listed above have been and are temporary solutions designed to alleviate the shortage of adequate armory facilities which confronts the Hawaii National Guard. The construction of armory facilities of a permanent nature must be the basis of our future planning. The responsibility of providing adequate armories is fundamentally that of the Territory. However, the War Department has realized that such responsibility necessitated largely by the increase in troop allocation has placed an inequitable burden on the territory and the War Department is therefore prepared to bear the major portion of the cost of new armory construction. Federal aid in this matter is contingent on the submission of plans and specifications for such construction as well as the supply of the sites for the new armories. To defray the expenses of preparing these plans and specifications the Military Department had requested the sum of \$15,000 from the Legislature. Unfortunately this item was disallowed but attempts are now being made to obtain funds from the Contingent Fund to meet this necessary expenditure. The following detail of new armory construction is planned for the next biennium.

1 Battalion size armory at Honokaa, Hawaii.....	\$225,000
1 Company size Armory at Paia, Maui.....	90,000
1 Company size armory at Kapaa, Kauai.....	90,000
1 3-Company size armory at Wahiawa, Oahu.....	160,000
1 Battalion size armory at Honolulu, Oahu (to include motor pool and repair shop).....	300,000
TOTAL.....	\$865,000

THE ARMORY BOARD

The Military Department has under its control special funds known as Armory Board Funds, on deposit with the Territorial Treasurer and credited to individual armories. These funds are administered by an Armory Board consisting of three National Guard Officers appointed by the Adjutant General in conformity with Territorial

statutes. The Armory Board for the fiscal year 1946 consisted of the following members:

Colonel Dean R. DeMerritt.....President
Captain David P. Silva.....Recorder
Captain William J. West.....Member

Revenues credited the various armories are derived from rentals fixed by the Armory Board. Revenues from the leasing or renting of office space by Federal, Territorial and civilian agencies have declined sharply in the past year as individual tenants were asked to vacate to provide space for the reorganized units of the Hawaii National Guard. In all cases the Military Department has cooperated to the fullest extent to permit continued occupancy of office space when such was possible due to the severely critical shortage of such space throughout the Territory. In all instances where eviction was necessary ample notice to vacate has been given all tenants and their willingness to cooperate has been appreciated by the Military Department.

At present there are tenants remaining in the following armories:

1. Honolulu Armory

a. Selective Service Headquarters still occupies space in the armory but will vacate that space as soon as space is made available for their Records Depository in Iolani Barracks.

b. The Veterans Service Council occupies one room in the Honolulu Armory. Their continued tenancy is based on the requirements of the National Guard and they remain only as tenants at will.

2. Iolani Barracks

a. The Territorial Employment Service occupies the major portion of Iolani Barracks. Their eviction has been long desired and new quarters for them are now being readied on the grounds of Iolani Palace. It is believed that Iolani Barracks will be vacated by 15 July 1947. Iolani Barracks after renovation and painting will house the Adjutant General, T. H., and the Military Department staff, the Records Depository Selective Service, State Headquarters Detachment and Staff, turning over to the 298th Infantry the exclusive use of the Honolulu Armory.

3. Hilo Armory

a. The Bureau of Sight Conservation is the only agency now occupying space in the Hilo Armory. This agency has been given notice to vacate and are presently seeking other quarters.

4. Wailuku Armory

a. The Bureau of Sight Conservation is again the only tenant in this armory with the same status.

5. Lihue Armory

a. The Bureau of Sight Conservation again remains a tenant with the same condition.

b. The United States Army Recruiting Office is also a tenant under a lease executed at the expressed desire of the Army.

6. Revenues credited to Army Board Funds for the coming fiscal year will be limited largely to those derived from rentals of the several armories for social or other functions. Rentals in all cases are fixed by the Armory Board.

Armory Board Funds have greatly aided the Military Department in effecting necessary repairs and improvements to armories and thereby effecting considerable savings in appropriated funds. All funds are audited regularly by the Auditor of the Territory and have been found correct in all instances.

A detailed breakdown of Armory Board Funds for the Fiscal year 1 July 1946 to 30 June 1947 is included herewith :

Armories	Bal. on Hand 1 July 1946	Receipts	Total	Disbursements 1 July-30 June	Bal. on Hand 1 July 1947
Honolulu	\$ 17,918.77	\$ 22,755.73	\$ 40,674.50	\$ 26,085.60	\$ 14,588.90
Lahaina	750.49	155.00	905.49	256.87	648.62
Waialuku	6,368.45	3,429.35	9,797.80	5,584.50	4,213.30
Hilo	2,776.84	4,305.13	7,081.97	3,459.30	3,622.67
Lihue	1,774.36	2,389.32	4,163.68	1,347.76	2,815.92
Hanapepe	574.43	365.00	939.43	416.51	522.92
Kaunakakai	1.50	.....	1.50	1.50	.....
Iolani	4,180.52	5,350.00	9,530.52	744.33	8,786.19
Olaa Cottage	939.51	.....	939.51	9.00	930.51
Total.....	\$ 35,284.87	\$ 38,749.33	\$ 74,034.40	\$ 37,905.37	\$ 36,129.03

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS

Territorial funds for the operation of the Military Department for the fiscal year 1 July 1946-June 30, 1947 were derived from two appropriations. First, the money appropriated by the 1945 Legislature for the operation of the Military Department as it existed at the beginning of the 1945-1947 biennium which covered only personal services.

Secondly from unexpended balances of the appropriation made by the same legislature for the operation of the Hawaii Territorial Guard. The latter funds were transferred from the inactivated Territorial Guard to the Military Department as of 1 August 1946. A chart showing the consolidation of both funds is shown below:

GENERAL FUND

G-2601

Fiscal Year 1 July 1946 to 30 June 1947

	Military Dept. Bal. on Hand 1 July 1946	Transfer and Receipts	Total	Disbursements 1 July-30 June	Bal. on Hand 1 July 1947
A. Personal Services.....	\$ 19,057.59	*\$119,343.99	138,401.58	\$109,782.44	\$ 28,619.14
B. Other Current Expenses.....	.....	* 27,164.99	27,164.99	27,079.33	85.66
C. Equipment .....	.....	* 119.68	119.68	116.07	3.61
M. Motor Vehicles.....	.....	300.00	300.00	.....	300.00
TOTALS.....	\$ 19,057.59	\$146,928.66	\$165,986.25	\$136,977.84	\$ 29,008.41

* Transfer of Funds No. 63 from HTG G-2602

A. \$118,877.29

B. 27,164.99

C. 84.68

The reorganization of the Hawaii National Guard on a greatly expanded basis places a great burden on the Military Department to successfully operate financially.

Administrative personnel requirements have increased over the pre-war National Guard because of the increased strength of the post-war Guard. An increase in maintenance and repair funds was necessary because of the additional installations taken over from the Army and Navy and repairs necessary to present armories.

The budget as submitted and appropriated by the 1947-49 Legislature is as follows:

<i>Appropriation Symbol</i>	<i>Title of Appropriation</i>	<i>Detail</i>	<i>Amount</i>
G-2601	Hawaii National Guard.....		\$446,215.00
	A. Personal Services.....	\$332,390.00	
	B. Other Current Expenses	104,825.00	
	C. Equipment	3,000.00	
	M. Motor Vehicles.....	6,000.00	
	Grand Total.....	\$446,215.00	

In addition to the above, there was appropriated for new construction and for repairs to National Guard armories, the following under control of Department of Public Works.

New Construction

Quarters for Caretakers, Honolulu Armory..... \$ 4,000.00

Repairs

Repairs to Armories (Honolulu) (Iolani
Barracks and Old Armory)..... 29,000.00

Total..... \$ 33,000.00

NATIONAL GUARD LEGISLATION

Passed by the 1947 Legislature

In addition to funds appropriated for support of National Guard the following Acts were passed by the 1947 Legislature and signed by the Governor:

Act No. 123—(HB 963) Changes name of “reserve militia” to “unorganized militia” and provides for its composition and being called into service. Provides for organization, discipline, and equipment of national guard, and for staffing Military Department. Specifies Adjutant General’s rank, powers, and duties. Provides for appointment, retirement, and elimination of officers. Increased pay of enlisted men on active duty.

Act No. 169—(HB 944) Provides workmen’s compensation benefits to Hawaii National Guard.

*Report of the U. S. Property and Disbursing Officer, HNG
For the Period Ending 30 June 1947*

Lt. Colonel Joseph I. deVille, National Guard Bureau, AUS
USP&DO

1. *General*: The personnel of the logistical support of the Hawaii National Guard has grown from one officer and one employee on June 30, 1946 to three officers and one enlisted man on duty from the Army, and 128 employees on full-time duty paid from Federal funds. In addition, two employees paid from Territorial funds were assigned to the USP&DO. The Guard is about 30 per cent equipped, and distribution to units is being stepped up monthly. Federal support is meeting our anticipated requirements. The Commanding General, AGFPAC, has been most cooperative, and the various local Army Supply Agencies have assisted and cooperated to the fullest extent possible. It is believed the equipment schedule of the Hawaii National Guard is ahead of most, if not all, the States due principally to this splendid Army cooperation. There is sufficient equipment on each Island to permit units to take the field, either for training or in any emergency, and this state of readiness is constantly being improved. While shortages of some items exist, none are considered serious.

2. *Finance*: The Federal Government obligated the sum of \$365,366.09 for the support of the Hawaii National Guard, distributed as follows:

a. Direct allotments, obligated by USP&DO....	\$213,783.53
b. Allocated to CG, AGFPAC.....	143,294.82
c. Obligated by Chief, NGB, for schools and travel in mainland, United States.....	8,287.74
Total.....	\$365,366.09

Obligations from Federal funds increase monthly, and the forecast for 1948 is well over \$1,000,000. This does not include the value of equipment issued to the National Guard. Monthly pay rolls for full-time personnel exceeds \$32,000 a month at present. Two hundred sixty-seven (267) vouchers were processed for payment during the period.

3. *Supply*: Our rate of supply to units is spaced ahead of the rate of complete organization and is issued on an automatic basis in increments sufficient for 25 to 50 men. Automatic supply relieves unit commanders of the burden of requisitioning for T/O&E items. Percentage of complete T/O&E equipment by Supply Branch is as follows:

Medical	100%
Chemical	95%
Quartermaster	75%
Ordnance	65%
Signal	60%
Engineer	35%
Air Force	25%

The number of Requisitions and Property Vouchers processed during the year were:

Ground Force Requisitions.....	216
Ground Force Property Vouchers.....	1,214
Air Force Property Vouchers.....	569
Air Force Requisitions.....	1,102

Thirty-three per cent (33%) of full T/O&E wheeled automotive equipment has already been received, and more than 100 motor vehicles have been shipped to the outside Islands. Some sample items are:

364	Vehicles motor propelled
151	Trailers
1,663	Small arms
3	Tanks
3	Airplanes, Type C-46
2	Airplanes, Type L-5
4	Airplanes, Type A-26
1	Airplane, Type AT-6
1	Howitzer, 105 mm
91	Radio Sets
1	Bulldozer
1	Concrete Mixer
4	Tractors
2	Fork Lifts
1	Crane, truck mounted

4. *Transportation*: a. Approximately 1,050 cubic tons of freight moved to the outside Islands during the period, covered by 61 Government Bills of Lading having a value of \$5,651.40. Thirty Government Transportation Requests were issued, having a total value of \$5,287.74.

b. National Guard aircraft carried 76 passengers and 80 cubic tons of freight during the period. A regularly scheduled air freight and passenger service was inaugurated on 27 June 1947 between the Islands of Maui, Hawaii and Oahu.

5. *Facilities*: Approximately \$35,000 has been made available by the National Guard Bureau for maintenance and repair of facilities on loan or permit from the Federal Government, on an agreement whereby the Territory is to furnish 25% of the cost of maintenance and the Federal Government 75%. In addition \$4,700 was made available for maintenance and repair work at the Kuliouou, Oahu, and Paukukalo, Maui, Target Ranges.

6. *Maintenance Service*: The Maintenance service is divided into two groups, Air Force and Ground Force. The Air Force Maintenance Service is authorized two officers and 42 enlisted men on full-time duty. The Ground Force Maintenance Service is divided into Pool Maintenance and Unit Maintenance. The main Pool, located in Honolulu, is authorized two officers and 18 enlisted men, and the Sub Pool, located in Hilo, is authorized four enlisted men, all paid on a full-time basis by the Federal Government. In the unit Maintenance Service, each company-size unit is authorized one full-time caretaker, and on 30 June 1947, these caretakers totaled two warrant officers and 31 enlisted men on full time basis. The Maintenance Service is meeting its responsibilities, although a lack of parts and tools is hampering Air Force maintenance. Centralized training for unit caretakers is planned.

7. *Personnel*: The number of employees paid from Federal funds will continue to increase as additional units are authorized, and the amount of equipment on hand justifies additional employees. All except Accounting employees in the office of the USP&DO must be members of the National Guard. Pay scales are comparable with similar rates being paid by other Departments of the Government and commercial firms.

All employees paid from Federal funds should be covered by the Territorial Retirement System. This will require a change in the present laws, but this additional security for our career employees would promote efficiency and stability.

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