

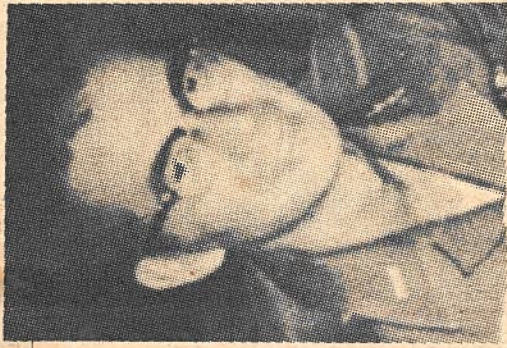
'Send-off' rite honors area soldiers

Many men of the Waihiwa-Waiialua area are among the members of Troop E, 19th Cavalry which will be honored on Monday, May 13 at 8:30 a.m. at the Waihiwa National Guard Armory. The public is invited to join in expressing its "aloha" by coming to the special ceremony.

This Troop has been called to active service on May 13 and will move to Quadrangle B at Schofield Barracks. It was activated on December 17, 1967 and was at that time stationed at the Waihiwa National Guard Armory as one of the units of the Hawaii Army National Guard's 29th Infantry Brigade.

The Leilehua High School Band will be out early on Monday to honor the men with a concert from 8:15 to 8:30.

As a token of appreciation to these citizen-soldiers, the Waihiwa Community and Businessmen's Association, Waiialua Community Association, Waipio Community Association and representatives from Del Monte Corporation, Dole Corporation, Waiialua Agriculture Company, the Leilehua High School Band, various civic organizations and the Adjutant General Hawaii National Guard will conduct a special "send-off."



CAPT OTA



SGT LOPEZ



SGT NAKAGAWA



RIOT CONTROL--Members of Troop E, 19th Cavalry are shown during recent riot control training at Schofield Barracks.



READY TO GO--sitting on their packed bags are, front row, MSG Thomas K. Lopez, SSG Robert Halemano, Jr., SFC Emilio Salvador, SSG Theodulpho Arao, SSG

Dominador Abregano, and in back, SSG Richard Anaguay, SSG Karl Hiroe. All are members of Troop E, 19th Cavalry.

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