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Halifax – At the top of the Halifax Senior City Baseball League, the Halifax Navy Baseball Club is working overtime these days in preparation for the invasion of Toronto's baseball world.

The Navy are entered in Toronto's Sand Lot Tournament opening Aug. 5, and if their showing to date is any indication, Toronto ball fans will see a star-studded team at their best.

Champions of the Maritimes last season, Navy are well on the way to repeating last year's laurels, with only two losses against them. Only a handful of last year's stars are with the team, but the others have been replaced with many well-known players.

Under the guidance of Lieut. Frederick Cook, R.C.N.V.R., of Stratford, Ont., the star-studded roster is made up of former civilian baseball stars from all over the country.

The pitching staff hail from Saskatchewan, Ontario, and Nova Scotia, and according to Lieut. Cook are "the cream of the crop". They are: Pay. Lieut. George Brent, R.C.N.V.R., Saskatoon; Writer Bill Wormington, R.C.N.V.R., Ottawa; Sto. Alex Rosnoski, R.C.N.V.R., Regina; Sto. Larry Angus, R.C.N.V.R., Windsor, Ont.; Sto. Eddy Parker, R.C.N.V.R., St. Catharines, Ont.; Sto. Tim Neary, R.C.N.V.R., Glace Bay, N.S.

The home plate is backed by Supply Assistant Bill Stirling, R.C.N.V.R., Chatham, Ont.; ERA Frank Poffenroth, R.C.N.V.R., Calgary; and P.O. Edward "Peaches" Ruven, R.C.N.V.R., Toronto.

Other team members are: A.B. Dannie Seaman, R.C.N.V.R., Liverpool, N.S.; Sick Berth P.O. Dev Vickers, R.C.N.V.R., Liverpool, N.S.; Sto. Gus Vickers, R.C.N.R.; and Sto. Charles Burchell, R.C.N.V.R., all of Sydney Mines, N.S.; S. A. Bud Morrison, R.C.N.V.R., Petrolia, Ont.; L/Smn. Bill Hannon, R.C.N.R., Halifax; ERA Harvey McDonald, R.C.N.V.R., Vancouver; Sto. Bud Heximer, R.C.N.V.R., Niagara Falls, Ont.; ERA Ernie Beland, R.C.N.V.R., Brantford, Ont.; O/Smn. John Wedley, R.C.N.V.R., Toronto; and P.O. Andy Chartren, R.C.N., Peterborough, Ont. (trainer).