COMMANDANT OF CADETS

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Lt. Col. Grimes was born here in Bamberg and graduated from Bamberg High School. After graduating from Wofford College he was commissioned a 2nd Lt. in the Army Reserve. During the Second World War he was a Capt. in the South Carolina State Guard. Lt. Col. Grimes has been at Carlisle for 30 years. He teaches American History and serves as Commandant.





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Lt. Col. Thompson was born in Chattanooga, Tennessee. He attended high school at Notre Dame High School. Upon graduation from The Citadel in 1942, he became a member of the Carlisle faculty. Lt. Col. Thompson has served as P.M.S. for the last 24 years. He instructs Military Classes, and is in charge of all Government property and Drill. Lt. Col. Thompson was the instigator in the building of the commissioned officers house, and advises them in all projects.