



COMMANDANT OF CADETS

LT. COL. JAMES M. GRIMES

Lt. Col. Grimes is a native of Bamberg and a graduate of Bamberg High School. He graduated from Wofford College in 1927 with a Bachelor of Arts degree and a commission as an officer in the Army Reserve. He served in the public schools of South Carolina as a teacher and administrator before coming to Carlisle in 1935. In his 33 years at Carlisle, he has served in many capacities, such as teacher, baseball coach, and administrator. At present, he is Commandant of Cadets, a post he has held for 26 years. He also teaches American History.

ASSISTANT HEADMASTER

LT. COL. WADDY THOMPSON

Lt. Col. Thompson was born in Chattanooga, Tennessee and graduate from Notre Dame High School in Chattanooga, Tennessee. Upon graduation from The Citadel in 1942, he became a member of the Carlisle Faculty. Lt. Col. Thompson served as Professor of Military Science for 24 years and now is Senior Army Instructor under the ROTC program. He is custodian of military property and in charge of drill. Through his efforts the Commissioned Officers Clubhouse was constructed and he advises the club members in all their projects.

