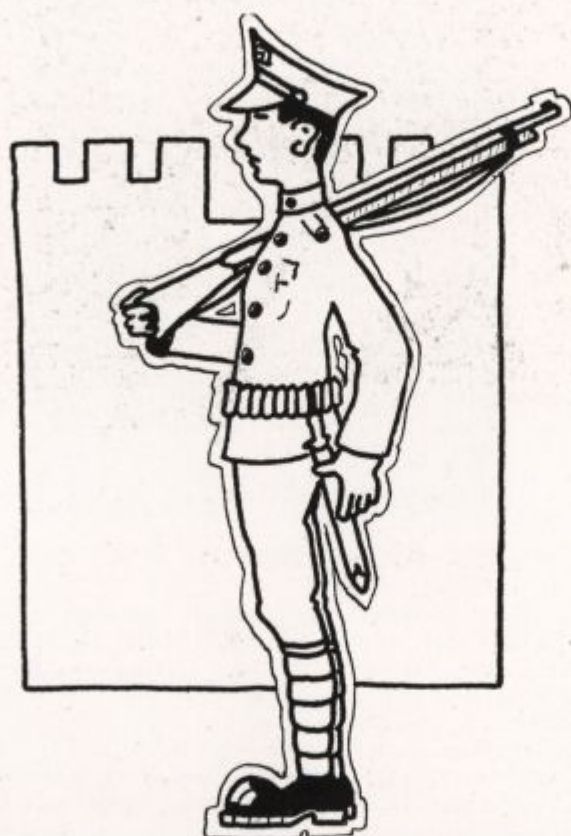


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LATHE B. ROW  
*Major Infantry*



**G**RADUATED from West Point as a second lieutenant in 1913, Lathe B. Row was immediately assigned to Eleventh Infantry, Texas City, Texas. In December, 1914, during the attack of Agua Prieta by Villa forces, he was transferred with the Eleventh Infantry to Naco, Arizona. November, 1915, he commanded entrenched company at Agua Prieta during an attack by General Villa. Immediately after these services he was promoted, July, 1916, to First Lieutenant and, May, 1917, to Captain. During the latter year he was ordered to Chickamauga Park, Georgia, as Adjutant, Fifty-Second Infantry. On June 17, 1918, he was made temporary major and in the same month appointed Brigade Adjutant of Eleventh Infantry Brigade, Sixth Division.

Major Row sailed for France July 6, 1918 and served with the Sixth Division until transferred to Army General Staff College, at Langres, on October 9, 1918. On January 27, 1919, he was appointed Division Inspector Eighty-Eighth Division and later Assistant to Inspector General, Brest, France, May 28, 1919.

Major Row returned to this country on December 21, 1919 and was assigned as Professor of Military Science and Tactics to Duquesne University, January 4, 1920. On August 23, 1920, having been promoted to permanent major, Regular Army, he was detailed as head of the military department at Delaware.



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THE impetus given to military at the University of Delaware by the World War has continued without abatement and the Reserve Officers Training Corps at the University now ranks among the first in the country. Statistics show that at Delaware a larger percentage of the student body is taking the advanced course of training than at any other university or college in the United States. The unit also furnished, in 1922, more commissioned officers per capita to the Reserved Officers Corps than any other institution.

More commendable than these records perhaps is the fact that our University has given more officers per capita to the Regular Army in the past two years than any college or university in the eastern part of the country.

To Major Lathe B. Row, commandant of the University of Delaware unit and Professor of Military Science and Tactics, is due a large portion of the credit for Delaware's contribution toward the national defense. Ably assisted during his three years as head of military by Captain Roy Sparks, Captain G. A. MacKenzie, Captain William F. Morse, and Lieutenant Stanley M. Prouty. Major Row has developed his department till it now ranks among the more important campus activities.

Delaware first came to the fore as a military college at the R. O. T. C. training camp at Plattsburgh in 1921. Represented by a group of sixty-nine men, Delaware ranked second in military efficiency among the thirty-eight colleges and universities represented. At the same camp in 1922, thirty-three Delaware men in a company commanded by Captain MacKenzie, were first in military efficiency and the other camp activities.

The student-officers of the battalion, however, must receive a portion of the honor for this showing. Working untiringly and aided by the co-operation of the other men in their companies these men did much to place Delaware to the fore.

One of the more important events in the University military calendar, during the 1921-1922 college year, was the review for Sergeant John Fraser in honor of his completing forty years of continuous service in the United States Army. The record is unique and, as far as can be learned, stands unparalleled by that of any

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other enlisted man in the army. Ten of these years were spent at the University of Delaware where Sergeant Fraser has won himself an enviable place in the hearts of the students, who honor him as a soldier and a gentleman.

Company "B" commanded by Cadet Captain Arley B. Magee, Jr., was the honor organization during the 1921-1922 year. Despite the fact that Magee's excellently drilled company won, it was forced to do its utmost by the other companies in command of Cadet Captains Florian R. Deppe and T. Muncy Keith.

On October 25, 1922 the entire student battalion paraded in Wilmington in behalf of the Memorial Library Campaign. Two-hundred and fifty cadets, led by a cadet band of twenty-six pieces, were in line. The authorities of the University and Major Row were heartily congratulated by prominent citizens of Wilmington for the appearance of the unit. The exhibition aided materially in the success of the campaign.



CADET OFFICERS OF THE 1922-1923 BATTALION



# PLATTSBURGH

1921-22





For the Correct List of the Authors of the Following Sayings---  
All Well-known to Delaware Students---We Offer  
a Prize of One Red Apple.



Now, Mr. Um-m-m, I am very sorry to have to ask you to leave the class, but I cannot lecture above so much noise. I trust you will pardon me, but I am forced to do this.



Let me think. Yes-s-s, yes! I believe that is correct.



Oh—ho! That's all there is of it.



F'rinstance, when my father was in the pump-makin' business —



Uh huh! Ya see, Mr. Smith!



Now, fellas, someone took my book!



Let me do the talking, please.



Now, this is very important. You'd better get it.



A coupla weeks ago, when I was in Italy, a friend of mine —