



Red River Aggie

MILITARY DRILL AT NORTHWEST SCHOOL



COMPANY B, N. W. S. A. CADETS

To fill the vacancy caused by Martinus Stenseth's entrance into the United States army, J. P. Bengtson was given charge of the military training in the school. He has organized from almost raw recruits, two well trained companies. Excellent drills were given in the school gymnasium, and in the armory at the time of the Farm Crops Show.

Last fall all the first semester boys were enrolled in a drill company which met for one hour twice a week. Corporals were chosen from the most efficient of the experienced boys. These corporals were then given special training one hour every Monday. The organization of the company was completed after Christmas by the appointment of officers.

After Christmas vacation the new students were organized into Company B.

Because of the limited amount of time, only the rudiments of military training have been given. Such are the school of the soldier, manual of arms, the school of the squad, and the school of the platoon and company.

First aid for raw recruits: Hay foot; straw foot!