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Large numbers of teachers of mathematics in secondary schools and colleges have enlisted in the military service since the opening of the present academic year. It has been the plan of the editors of the MONTHLY to record as many of these enlistments as possible, especially the members of the Association. The editor of the "Notes and News" columns of the MONTHLY welcomes all notices sent him concerning the military service of any member of the Association, or other mathematicians.

The twenty-fourth annual meeting of the American Mathematical society was held in New York on December 27-28, 1917. There were eleven papers on the printed program, the authors representing seven colleges and universities.

The attendance at the third annual meeting [of the MAA] was most gratifying, in view of war conditions. The total number present at the various sessions was 119, including 93 members.

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