

As You Were

The Canisius College Drill Team, a unit of the college's ROTC, stands in formation on the steps of Capitol Hill, where in April 1963, cadets successfully competed in a national drill meet. Winning 14 championship trophies that year alone, the ROTC Drill Team practiced an average of seven hours a week (14 hours in the weeks leading up to a major competition), and spent considerable time maintaining their uniform to achieve mirror-reflection shines on their combat boots and high gloss on their brass insignias.

This photo originally appeared on the cover of the *Sunday* magazine in the May 26, 1963 edition of the *Courier Express*. The names of those drill team cadets pictured were not available. Do you recognize any of them? If so, send us an E-mail at magazine@canisius.edu.

