

THE U. S. NAVY NEEDS YOU

Missouri Must Have 1,200 Naval Recruits Before Dec. 15.

The navy needs men, and needs them quickly. Secretary Daniels has called upon the state of Missouri to enlist 1,200 men before Dec. 15.

Throughout the state efforts are being made to fill this new quota, that the state may show that it supports the navy as well as it did the army.

Under new regulations just issued by the Provost Marshal-General of the army, in charge of the army draft, any man, even though he may be registered and called for examination for service in the army, may enlist in the navy before Dec. 15, provided, of course, that he is physically fit.

The men of Missouri have always stood ready when their country called. Today, pledged to do its part in the greatest war the world has ever seen, the country calls on its sons to come to its assistance. Never in the history of the country has there been attempted a task of half the magnitude as that of building up the new navy. And there is no time to spare. Shipbuilders on the coasts are working day and night to turn out ships. In the training camps men are rapidly being trained in thousands of duties that go to make up the strength of the navy. More are urgently needed. Missouri has been called upon to furnish 1,200 men before Dec. 15. Will YOU be one of them? The draft law does not apply to the navy. All enlistments must be voluntary.

Every postmaster in the state is a naval recruiting officer. All you have to do is see the postmaster in your town, and he will give you all the advice necessary. Then your local doctor will look you over, and unless there is some serious physical defect you will be ordered to St. Louis. The postmaster will furnish you with transportation, so that you will be at no expense. On arrival in St. Louis you will find a branch recruiting office directly opposite the Union Station, where you will report. From there you will be directed to the main recruiting station, at Seventh and Chestnut streets. There you will find the officers waiting for you. In case you are not physically qualified for enlistment your return fare to your home will be paid, so that you are not going to be out a cent. If you are accepted, as you probably will be, you will be sent at once to the Great Lakes Training Station, near Chicago, where you will go into actual training.

Within a short time you will be ordered into active service with the fleet. Your future will depend on yourself alone, as it does in any life you choose. There is plenty of chance for promotion, and there is no limit to the height a boy can reach if he tries. During the time you are in the service you will have absolutely no expenses. The government furnishes you with food and lodging, with clothes and with medical attendance if you are ill. You will receive from the day you are accepted and ordered to the training station a salary of \$32.50 a month. If you have dependents or those at home whom you care to help, allotments of your pay can be arranged. The government will insure your life. You will get a technical training that will greatly increase your earning power if you want to leave the navy when the war is over and will greatly increase your future opportunities.

And, above all else, you will be doing your bit for your country and your flag.

A MESSAGE TO YOU.
 YOUR country needs YOU.
 YOUR country is calling YOU.
 YOUR Navy needs men now.
 YOUR country is in danger.
 YOUR help is needed.
 YOUR ships are on the roads of the seas protecting YOUR homes.
 YOU are needed to man these ships and their great guns.
 The Navy wants YOU now.
 Ask your postmaster today.
 He knows.

The steel wall that protects YOUR mother, YOUR wife, YOUR daughter, YOUR sister, from the unthinkable fate of the women and girls of Belgium is the United States Navy. The ships are ready. The men are needed. Will you volunteer to be one?
JOIN THE NAVY NOW.
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BOY.
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YOUR NAVY NEEDS YOU NOW.
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Hard Luck.
 One day after shoveling soil on his father's allotment for two hours, little Jimmy began to cry. "What's the trouble, my little man?" asked a sympathetic bystander. "A bad tramp come along and stole the shovel from the boy in the next allotment." "Well, my lad, it's nice to be sympathetic," said the looker-on, "but you mustn't worry so over other people's affairs." "I can't help that," said Jimmy. "I'm crying because he stole my shovel."

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1909	553,345.20
1910	607,330.23
1911	785,133.57
1912	1,008,666.37
1913	1,187,004.25
1914	1,287,124.62
1915	1,319,455.66
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Catholic Church Services.
 ARCADIA.
 First Mass, Homily, 6:30 o'clock
 High Mass and Sermon, 9 o'clock;
 Benediction, 7:30 P. M.
 PILOT Knob.
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 GRANITEVILLE.
 First Sunday of the month, 8:30 o'clock; second and fourth Sundays, 10:30 o'clock.
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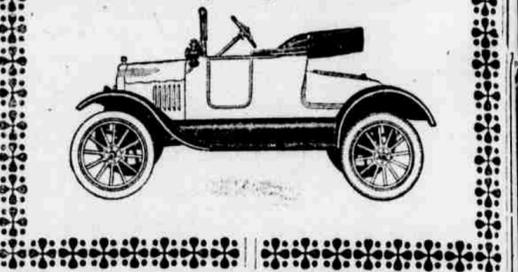
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