

Women Urged To Join Marine Corps

Now is the time ladies. If you join the Marine Corps now you will be getting in on the ground floor of the Women Leathernecks organization. Capt. H. T. Bredenberg, Women's Reserve procurement officer, stressed today Women enlisting now have a chance to become corporals or sergeants even before completing their preliminary six-week indoctrination course, he added.

Your pay will be exactly that of the men of the Marine Corps of corresponding rank. As a private, your pay and expenses will come to \$122.50 per month. And like men of the corps, you can if you have the ability work your way up through the ranks and become an officer.

To be eligible, you must be between the ages of 20 and 35 and must have had at least two years of high school plus acceptable business experience. You need not have any special talent. The Marine Corps will train you. You can be married or unmarried but you are not eligible if you have any children under 18.

If you are eligible, then write to Marine Officer Procurement Office, Healy Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. and set forth your qualifications. You will then be sent expense money to come to Atlanta for a personal interview.

If accepted you will be sent to Hunter College in New York City where you will undergo a period of indoctrination. The training is free of course as is the chic uniform you wear.

legislation even now is fact with the issue, and being will be taken it is believed in many quarters. In the WAVES, women are offered every advantage of civilian life, plus the opportunity to learn a trade which will be invaluable to them after the war is over. Aviation, for example, will be a major field of endeavor in years to come and women with experience and training in aviation in any form, will have the decided and natural advantage over the women untrained in that field.

Many WAVES are being used to day at Navy air bases, for checking planes, dispatching them, and other duties. Another field that is growing popular with women is radio — and the WAVES has a wide-open field in that phase.

Age limits in the WAVES for enlisted women are 20 to 35. Women with college degrees or the equivalent in experience may apply to the commissioned branch if they are between the ages of 20 and 35. Slip coupon below and mail to: Charlotte Navy Recruiting Station.

I would like full information on the WAVES and SPARS.

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Address

Date of Birth

Occupation

Years of Experience

High School 5 9 10 11 12

College 1 2 3 4

The Kings Mountain Herald.

Promoted To Corporal

Elmer H. MacDowell, son of M. Henry C. MacDowell of Kings Mountain, N. C., and a Freshman at Hampton Institute, has been promoted to the grade of cadet corporal in the Hampton Institute ROTC battalion, according to an announcement made by Lt. Col. J. H. Ross, in charge of the ROTC unit at the college.

L. P. Banks of Burnsville has solved the equipment shortage. He slipped one oil barrel in another, put them on legs off the floor, and attached a simple thermostat. Result — brooder for 500 chicks.

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Superior Cockerels Can Increase Egg Production

For greater egg production, North Carolina poultrymen should not only increase the number of hens in the laying flock but also use superior breeding males in all hatchery-carrying flocks, says C. J. Maupin, Extension Poultry Specialist at N. C. State College.

There is a definite proof that high egg production is inherited and the use of males coming from trap nested flocks with excellent record can increase North Carolina egg production about 10 percent, according to Maupin.

He said that there were twelve

Record of Production flocks in the State, which have breeding males for sale this year, and that good cockerels could also be obtained from the certified hatcheries. There are other good flocks having superior breeding males but individual egg records are not available.

In recent years the number of eggs per hen has been raised from about 65 to 100 eggs in North Carolina, Maupin says that it is encouraging to know that with the same number of hens, the same feed, and the same labor and equipment, that egg production can be increased another 10, or may be 20 eggs per hen through the use of superior breeding males.

Last year Uncle Sam called for

12 percent increase in egg production and growers gave him 15 percent. This year he is calling for still another 14 percent increase and Maupin urges growers to use every method possible to achieve this goal.

Farmers Must Continue Drives To Reach Goals

With the campaign to enlist every farmer in the State in the 1945 agricultural production program virtually completed, farmers were warned that efforts to meet goals must be continued throughout the growing and harvesting seasons.

This warning came from G. T. Scott, chairman of the State USDA War Board, who declared that "no pledge to grow war food crops will do any American fighter any good until that food is harvested, processed, and delivered to him where he may be."

The sign-up campaign is being conducted throughout the State by county and community committees of the AAA who are visiting each individual farm to explain production goals to the operator and assist him in mapping a 1945 farm plan for maximum war production.

"The fact that the sign up is nearly completed is more reason why we must continue our efforts," Scott declared. "This is no time to quit. The farmer's most important work begins where the sign up leaves off. If every farmer in the nation carries out his pledge to produce, the persons who are charged with the responsibility of feeding this nation and our allies will have a catalog of farm production almost a year in advance."

Steady gains are being made in milk production in Ashe County. In 1942 there were 1640 growers who marketed \$204,000 worth of milk, which was 34 percent above the total marketed in 1941.

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"It's great to know you're helping!"

"Sure, I know I'm too young to carry a gun and be a Ranger like brother Bill, but I'm helping all the same in every way I know how. Dad told me the other night about the need for cutting down my local phone calls. He said that every telephone line was needed so badly by Uncle Sam that every call I didn't make would help win the war."

"Gee, I didn't know my calls would make any difference, but they sure do. Dad says telephone lines and switchboards are so crowded now that every call I make, to be dead sure it's important."

"Mom and Dad, and Sister and the maid, and the whole gang of kids in my neighborhood are now doing a lot less telephoning. Believe me, I want brother Bill back home, and if cutting down on my phone calls will help bring him back — it's sure okay with me."

"How about you? Will you help, too? I bet you will."

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Registration books will be open on April 10th and will close on May 1st. Registration will be held at follows:

SATURDAY, APRIL 10TH
SATURDAY, APRIL 17TH
SATURDAY, APRIL 24TH

And The Entire Week Of
April 26th--May 1st

Saturday, May 1st., Will Be Challenge Day

Registrations Will Be At Regular Poles From
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5 P. M. Wednesday, April 26th.

S. A. Crouse, City Clerk

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