

# "COAST GUARD RECRUITING DRIVE"



YEOMAN RATINGS ARE FILLED UP.

THE NATION'S OLDEST SEA-GOING FORCE OFFERS  
YOU !!

1. THE PRIVILEGE OF SERVING YOUR COUNTRY
2. THOROUGH TRAINING
3. EXCELLENT PAY
4. BEST FOOD, CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT
5. ADVANCEMENT
6. AVENGE PEARL HARBOR!



AGES 17 to 35.

## ENLIST NOW!!

ROOM 200 GENERAL POST OFFICE BUILDING,  
PERSHING ROAD  
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI



| HEIGHT | NORMAL WEIGHT | ALLOWANCE FOR UNDER<br>WEIGHT IN POUNDS | CHEST MEASUREMENTS  |                     |
|--------|---------------|---|---------------------|---------------------|
|        |               |   | MINIMUMS            |                     |
|        |               |   | Expiration          | Inspiration         |
| 5'4"   | 128           | 8                                       | 31"                 | 33"                 |
| 5'6"   | 132           | 8                                       | 32"                 | 34"                 |
| 5'7"   | 134           | 8                                       | 33"                 | 35"                 |
| 5'8"   | 141           | 12                                      | 33 $\frac{1}{4}$ "  | 35- $\frac{3}{4}$ " |
| 5'9"   | 148           | 15                                      | 33 $\frac{1}{2}$ "  | 36"                 |
| 5'10"  | 155           | 20                                      | 34"                 | 36 $\frac{1}{2}$ "  |
| 5'11"  | 162           | 20                                      | 34 $\frac{1}{4}$ "  | 36- $\frac{3}{4}$ " |
| 6'0"   | 169           | 20                                      | 34- $\frac{3}{4}$ " | 37- $\frac{3}{4}$ " |
| 6'1"   | 176           | 20                                      | 35 $\frac{1}{4}$ "  | 38 $\frac{1}{4}$ "  |
| 6'2"   | 183           | 20                                      | 35- $\frac{3}{4}$ " | 39 $\frac{1}{4}$ "  |

The above weights are stripped (Naked). If an applicant weighs more than the normal weight, he will be accepted if the overweight is due entirely to muscle and bone, but not fat. Fat is cause for rejection.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PHYSICAL EXAMINATION ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- (a) Height - Not under 5'4" Barefooted and not over 6'2" barefooted if under 20 years of age. If over 20 years, NOT under 5'6" and not over 6'2".
- (b) Eyes to be free of infection and vision to be at least 20/30 in each eye uncorrected. Glasses are not permitted in taking eye tests.
- (c) Color Blindness is cause for rejection. (Ishara Plates" for testing color blindness" are used.
- (d) Normal lungs and heart, without heart murmurs.
- (e) Blood Pressure to be within normal limits for age.
- (f) No deformities or disfiguration of head, body or limbs.
- (g) Nose to be free of nasal obstructions.
- (h) Hernia (Rupture) disqualifies, provided it has not been successfully repaired by an operation.
- (i) TEETH: A minimum of 20 good teeth, four of which must be masticating in upper jaw opposing four masticating teeth in lower jaw, and three incisor teeth in upper jaw opposing three incisor teeth in lower jaw. Plates or bridgework are not acceptable in lieu of required natural teeth.
- (j) No swollen glands or inflamed tonsils.
- (k) No skin diseases or venereal diseases.
- (l) Weight and chest measurement according to height as shown in this pamphlet.
- (m) Operation for EMPYEMA (Pneumonia Drainage) is cause for rejection.
- (n) History of Syphilis.
- (o) Tuberculosis is cause for rejection.
- (p) Epilepsy, and sleep walking are causes for rejection.

ALSO: (1) A minimum of an eighth grade education is required, (2) no criminal record whatsoever, (3) Be a Citizen of the United States.

If after reading this you feel you are qualified fill out the application we are enclosing herewith and mail back to this office. Your application will then be investigated and you will be notified when to report in for physical examination. After physical examination, if successful in passing, you should be prepared to be assigned to immediate active duty.

Enlistments are for the duration of the war and six months and all original enlistments are effected in the rating of Apprentice Seaman for General Service. Pay Grades are as per following page

Room 200, General Post Office Building  
 Pershing Road  
 Kansas City, Missouri

NEW PAY SCALE FOR ALL ENLISTED MEN  
APPRENTICE SEAMAN

| <u>BASE PAY</u> | <u>MARRIED</u> | <u>1st CHILD</u> | <u>2nd CHILD</u> | <u>1 PARENT</u> | <u>2 PARENTS</u> | <u>TOTAL</u> |
|-----------------|----------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------|
| \$50.00         | No             | No               | No               | No              | No               | \$50.00      |
| \$50.00         | \$28           | No               | No               | No              | No               | \$78.00      |
| \$50.00         | \$28           | \$12             | No               | No              | No               | \$90.00      |
| \$50.00         | \$28           | \$12             | \$10             | No              | No               | \$100.00     |
| \$50.00         | No             | No               | No               | \$15            | No               | \$65.00      |
| \$50.00         | No             | No               | No               | \$15            | \$10             | \$75.00      |

SEAMAN 2nd CLASS & FIREMAN 3rd CLASS

Add \$4.00 to above total which is comparable to particular case.

SEAMAN 1st CLASS & FIREMAN 2nd CLASS

Add \$16.00 to above total which is comparable to particular case.

PETTY OFFICER, 3rd CLASS & FIREMAN 1st CLASS

Add \$28.00 to above total which is comparable to particular case.

PETTY OFFICER, SECOND CLASS

|         |                           |          |
|---------|---------------------------|----------|
| \$96.00 | Unmarried (no allowance)  | \$96.00  |
| \$96.00 | Married (34.50 allowance) | \$130.50 |

PETTY OFFICER, FIRST CLASS

|          |                           |          |
|----------|---------------------------|----------|
| \$114.00 | Unmarried (no allowance)  | \$114.00 |
| \$114.00 | Married (34.50 allowance) | \$148.50 |

CHIEF PETTY OFFICER (AA) (ACTING)

|          |                           |          |
|----------|---------------------------|----------|
| \$126.00 | Unmarried (no allowance)  | \$126.00 |
| \$126.00 | Married (34.50 allowance) | \$160.50 |

CHIEF PETTY OFFICER (PA) (PERMANENT)

|          |                           |          |
|----------|---------------------------|----------|
| \$138.00 | Unmarried (no allowance)  | \$138.00 |
| \$138.00 | Married (34.50 allowance) | \$172.50 |

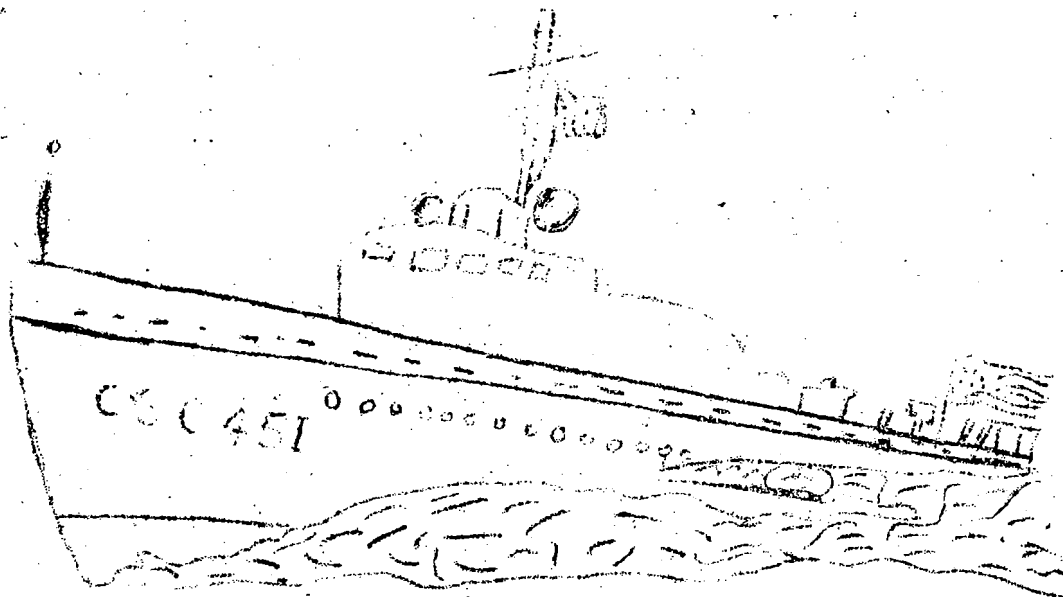
NOTE: A man can claim only one (1) dependancy allowance.  
 Either wife and children or parents or brothers and sisters  
 are considered separate types of dependants and only one can  
 be chosen.

NOTE: An extra allowance of twenty (20) per cent is allowed for  
 oversea duty---- on BASE PAY ONLY.

Founded August 4, 1790 to protect America's Maritime existence the U.S. Coast Guard, America's oldest sea-going military organization, is still on the job, still protecting our sea-borne commerce,

With America at war the Coast Guard has taken on many added responsibilities such as the protection of American Shipping against submarine attack, and the patrolling of America's many thousands of miles of shoreline against invasion.

In addition to its wartime responsibilities the Coast Guard, since it is the Federal Maritime Policing Agency, must also operate and maintain all aids to Marine Navigation, save life and property at sea, enforce all maritime law.



ON THE JOB. ARE YOU? ENLIST NOW.

Organizationally the Coast Guard is similar to the Navy; its ranks and ratings are the same, as are its uniforms. The distinguishing mark of a coastguardsman being the Coast Guard Shield worn several inches above the wrist on the right sleeve.

Due to its many added war-time responsibilities the Coast Guard is greatly expanding its forces, and men enlisting now can progress rapidly through hard conscientious work. In order that its men may win promotion the Coast Guard urges its men to study one or more of some 25 different trades and professions used in different departments of the Coast Guard and also usable as profitable civilian occupations. Courses in these various trades and professions are furnished to the man free of charge through the Coast Guard's Comprehensive Educational System.

An enlistment in addition to providing the means of your serving America, also means the opportunity to better yourself both physically and mentally, the opportunity to advance into responsible well paid jobs, excitement and travel.

Do your part in the American War Effort by enlisting in the U.S. Coast Guard NOW! Don't Wait -

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR

# APPLICATION FOR ENLISTMENT

Position desired APPRENTICE SEAMAN (R) COAST GUARD RESERVE

## WARNING

If you have been in the Coast Guard, Army, Navy, or Marine Corps, or have ever been arrested by civil authorities, and fail to reveal the facts, your fingerprints will establish your identity and summary punishment will be forthcoming for fraudulent enlistment.

If statements made herein are found to be false disciplinary action will result.

(Place)

\_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

I respectfully request permission to enlist in the United States Coast Guard, and to that end do declare that I am \_\_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_\_ months old, and believe myself to be physically qualified to perform the duties of the rating in which I may be enlisted; that I am of good habits and character in all respects; that I have never deserted from the U. S. Coast Guard, Navy, Marine Corps, Army, or Naval Reserve; and I certify that the following statements are correct:

Name in full \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Place of birth \_\_\_\_\_ Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_ (Street) \_\_\_\_\_ (City) \_\_\_\_\_ (County) \_\_\_\_\_ (State)

Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_ Number and relationship of persons dependent on you for support? \_\_\_\_\_

WIFE: \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you prepared to support your dependents on service pay? \_\_\_\_\_

Are your parents living? \_\_\_\_\_ Are your parents dependent on you for support? \_\_\_\_\_

MOTHER \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

FATHER \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and address of next of kin \_\_\_\_\_  
The following must be filled out to cover the last year for those under 21 and the last 2 years for those over 21. In case of nonemployment, substitute school history.

| Employer's Name | His Address | His Business | Length of Employment |     | You were Employed as— |
|-----------------|-------------|--------------|----------------------|-----|-----------------------|
|                 |             |              | From—                | To— |                       |
|                 |             |              |                      |     |                       |
|                 |             |              |                      |     |                       |
|                 |             |              |                      |     |                       |
|                 |             |              |                      |     |                       |

Do you drink intoxicating liquors? If so, to what extent? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been arrested? If so, for what? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been in a reform school, jail, or penitentiary, or have you ever been convicted of any crime? \_\_\_\_\_

HEIGHT \_\_\_\_\_

WEIGHT \_\_\_\_\_

COLOR \_\_\_\_\_

I have had the following education (state grammar schools, high schools, business colleges, or schools and colleges attended, stating whether or not you graduated and the number of years you attended each):

| NAME OF SCHOOL ATTENDED | ADDRESS OF SCHOOL ATTENDED | YEARS ATTENDED | GRAD. |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|-------|
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Have you ever served in the U. S. Coast Guard, Navy, Marine Corps, Army, or Naval Reserve? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, state which \_\_\_\_\_

Are you now or have you been a member of the National Guard? \_\_\_\_\_

Produce your discharges from the U. S. Coast Guard, Navy, Marine Corps, Army, Naval Reserve, or National Guard.

Have you ever applied for enlistment in the Coast Guard? \_\_\_\_\_

When did you apply? \_\_\_\_\_ Where? \_\_\_\_\_

Were you accepted or rejected? \_\_\_\_\_ If rejected, state why \_\_\_\_\_

I further certify that there do not exist any circumstances connected with the support of my dependents nor any conditions in my domestic affairs which, in the event I am accepted for enlistment, would cause me to seek a discharge prior to the expiration of my period of enlistment on account of dependency or the need for my presence at home.

(Sign your full name here) \_\_\_\_\_

Accepted or rejected \_\_\_\_\_ Cause of rejection \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the statements of the applicant, contained herein have been verified and that the same are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LIST NAME AND ADDRESS OF THREE CHARACTER REFERENCES OTHER THAN RELATIVES, SCHOOL TEACHERS, OR FORMER EMPLOYERS:.....

1. \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_