

# Military Reserve Plans Expanded

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Military reserve programs open to University of Oregon students now are functioning on a more widespread basis than ever before, with five branches established and a sixth under consideration by the government. The five divisions available are the army enlisted reserve corps, the army air corps reserve (both flying officer and ground officer branches), the naval V-1 and V-7 reserves (deck and engineer officers' training), the naval V-5 reserve (naval flight training), the marine reserve corps. A coast guard reserve, now in the tentative stage, may be completely organized by fall, according to Dr. Carl Kossack, instructor in mathematics and adviser on the reserve branches.

All University men under 20 years of age, including freshmen, have opportunity to enlist in any one of the five reserves if they can qualify. At the beginning of fall term, possibly during freshman week, a joint military procurement board will visit the campus to explain the various programs and to complete enlistments.

#### Procedure Listed

Students over 20, i.e., those subject to selective service, can

enlist in the reserve programs immediately this summer in the following manner:

(1) Army enlisted reserve: Students living in Oregon should arrange to come to the University campus on any Tuesday or Thursday morning and report to the ROTC building to begin enlistment procedure. (Those 20 years old must obtain a parent's consent blank before reporting for enlistment. These blanks may be secured by writing to Major W. S. Averill, c-o ROTC, University of Oregon, Eugene. They must be signed and notarized, then brought to the campus when the student reports).

Enlistment procedure includes a physical examination; a statement from the registrar certifying former enrollment in the University; filling out an application form; and a personal interview before a faculty committee authorized to pass on the student's qualifications.

#### Rules Set

Since this committee meets only on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons and since the application forms must be complete before an applicant is considered, it is essential that students re-

port in the morning to complete enlistment in one day.

(2) Army air corps reserve: Students should report either to the aviation cadet examining board, room 323 of the main post office building in Portland, or to the Portland or Pendleton air bases.

(3) Classes V-1 and V-7 of the naval reserve: Students should report to their local naval recruiting office for the V-1 program for freshmen and sophomores. Juniors and seniors interested in the V-7 branch should report to the naval recruiting office, U. S. courthouse, Portland.

(4) Class V-5 of the naval reserve: Freshmen and sophomores interested in this program, naval aviation, must enlist in the V-1 class, from which they will later be transferred to V-5. Juniors and seniors may report to their local naval recruiting office.

(5) Marine reserve: Those interested in applying should report

## Spring Term Grades Refute War's Harm

War-time emergencies apparently had little effect on the campus brains.

A new all-time record of 23 students emerged from a crowded spring term this year with a 4-point GPA, according to an announcement from Clifford L. Constance, assistant registrar.

A total of 205 were placed on the spring term honor roll. This compares with 206 for winter term and 185 for spring term, 1941.

to the marine recruiting office, U. S. court house, Portland.

(6) Coast guard reserve: Still in the formative stage, therefore no enlistments during the summer.

If additional information is required, students may write to Dr. Carl Kossack, University of Oregon, Eugene.

Dr. Kossack reported that at a meeting of faculty representatives in the ninth corps area with a board from Washington, D. C., in San Francisco the latter part of July it was announced that applications for the communications division of the army air corps are still being considered. This announcement is of interest to men enrolled in physics, which

## UO Students Get NYA Aid

Although national NYA allotments have been cut to \$5,000,000, for 1942-43, one-half the sum of the previous year, the University of Oregon will receive some of this aid for needy students, Karl W. Onthank, dean of personnel, announced this week.

The University campus received \$32,145 last year for 411 students who received work. The Oregon allotment for 1942-43 has not yet been set, but it probably will be a reduction of 50 per cent, Dean Onthank said.

Work through NYA is limited to students who "without that assistance cannot otherwise attend college." Despite cuts, it is predicted that additional campus jobs will be available to accommodate all those who want work.

is required for communications work.

Students who enlist in the army enlisted reserve corps will take basic ROTC courses as freshmen and sophomores. Those who become advanced military students in the future will automatically be included in the enlisted reserves; however, juniors and seniors need not be in advanced military to enlist in the program.



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