

Major-General Leonard Wood Endorses North Shore Naval Training Project

Approval by Major General Leonard Wood of the object of the naval training corps and of the plans laid out by the Naval Training association for carrying on the cadet organization is contained in a letter to R. A. Eddy, president of the association. This expression by General Wood, in which he states that the work is bound to have a beneficial effect upon the cadets and in which he expressed his wishes for the success and support of the movement, may be of particular interest to prospective cadets and parents in view of the training association's intention to considerably enlarge the cadet organization. The general's letter follows:

"Chicago, Ill., Dec. 4, 1919.
"Dear Mr. Eddy:

"I note with pleasure that you have decided to keep up the organization. If the program is carried on as laid down in your circular it is bound to have a beneficial effect upon the boys, and in addition to developing habits of discipline, etc., it will give them a certain amount of very useful training and tend to build up and maintain interest in military training.

"Please accept my best wishes for your success and the hearty support which this movement deserves.

"Sincerely yours,
"Leonard Wood."

An Officer's Opinion

This expression of General Wood's approval is of particular interest, as

the naval training corps is now the only military organization on the north shore for cadets of high school age, as well as the fact that the general's opinion is that of an army officer on a naval organization. As a matter of fact, it is intended to make the activities sufficiently broad to interest boys and parents whether they have a particular interest in naval work or not.

Fine Officers on Staff

A recent addition to the staff of instructors is Francis M. Knight, lieutenant (j. g.) U. S. N. There are now five ex-navy officers serving on the staff of the local organization as instructors. In some high schools all military work is in charge of one non-commissioned officer, and in Chicago, in the junior R. O. T. C. system, one army lieutenant is assigned several schools. In the local company of the naval training corps there is an ex-navy officer for each small group of cadets, an advantage and an opportunity that is unusual. The one other naval cadet organization, established some time ago in the east and recently organized in Chicago, makes no attempt to provide experienced instructors in this manner. The north shore organization, however, is considered a training corps for officers and is said to have established a standard in keeping with that object. Any boy over sixty-two inches in height may apply for enrollment.

More Victory Buttons For Discharged Heroes

Of interest to all discharged men of the Navy and Naval reserves who served during the war and now reside in this vicinity is the following notice from Naval Recruiting headquarters:

"A limited supply of Victory buttons has been received at the Navy Recruiting station, 608 South Dearborn street, Chicago, for issue to men of the regular Navy and Naval Reserve force who served on active duty between April 6, 1917, and November 11, 1918, and have since been discharged from the Naval service.
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YOUNG PRINCE HEADS BOY SCOUTS OF ITALY

In the Quirinal at Rome, the official town residence of the Italian royal family, there was a family celebration in honor of the fifteenth birthday of the Prince of Piedmont, the only son of King Victor Emanuel and the future King of Italy. Brought up in a tolerant manner by his father, the young Prince is said to be all boy, through and through.

For a youth of his age he has had some remarkable adventures. He is the head of the Giovanni Esploratori, or Young Explorers of Italy, a body that corresponds to the Boy Scouts in England and America, and he has

done a lot of things that any boy would like to do.

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