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U.S. Navy Seeks Radio Students

An appeal for radio amateu and men with a technical know²⁶ edge of radio.to enlist in the Unitⁱⁿ States Navy for service in connc¹ tion with radio locator operati²⁷ has been made by Commander ^{1h} H. G. Mathews, officer in charge³⁰ navy recruiting in the Indiana art.

Thorough instruction in ultihigh frequency work will be given those men enlisting in the naval reserve for the radio locator operation, Commander Mathews said. Upon completion of the training course, graduates will receive a rating as non-commissioned officers. Commander Mathews, a former radio amateur, for several years was vice-president and central division director of the American Radio Relay League.

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Enlistment qualifications and ratings for radio technicians needed by the United States Navy for specialized training in ultra-high frequency radio work were listed Tuesday by Commander R. H. G. Mathews, USNR, officer in charge, navy recruiting, Indiana area.

The Navy Department has authorized the navy recruiting service to accept technicians and maintenance men for enlistment in the Naval Reserve, Class V-6, for four years or the duration of the emegency.

Enlistment of radiomen in the rating of radioman second class is authorized for men who are high school graduates, hold or have held an amateur Class "A" or "B" license or, in the absence of the latter, must be actively engaged in radio repair or service work or have had experience in connection with high frequency design, transmission or reception.

Men enlisted for ultra-high frequency work are sent to a naval training school at Noroton, Conn. Upon completion of the course graduates may be recommended for advancement in rating up to chief radioman.

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