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"Only A Volunteer" By Mary A. Smith.

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 While mothers are dreaming of some home from home,
 And praying for peace soon to come;
 Her boy he is crossing the deep ocean foam,
 And she'll sing for a volunteer son:

CHORUS.

I did not raise my boy to be a slacker;
 I raised him to be a volunteer;
 There were no exemption papers for our boy, so brave--
 Thank God, he's a volunteer!

2
 For he did not want to be drafted, and sent
 Away with the gifts and the cheers;
 The only farewell as our hero then went,
 Were the smiles that we give volunteers.

