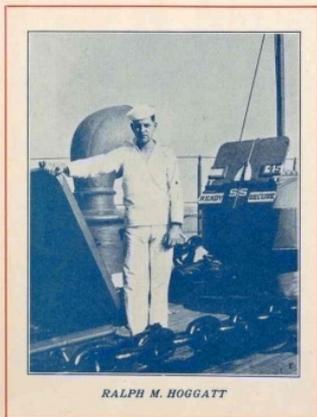


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A - mer - i - ca is read - y now her hon - or to de fend, — Our
Our Na - tion's hon - or is at stake, our coun - try heeds the call, — With

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lit - tle sis - ters o'er the sea at last have found a friend, — Our
mon - ey and the best of men we pledge them one and all, — For

Sam - mies are im - pa - tient now to min - gle in the fray, — And
free - dom's ban - ner must un - furl and float on ev - 'ry breeze, — For

by their grit and Yan - kee wit they're sure to win the day. —
peace and lib - er - ty on earth all - o - ver land and seas.

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CHORUS *p*

So ral - ly 'round Old Glo - ry, boys, for we are on the way, — The boys in

blue are sure to do ex - act - ly what they say. — They're not a - fraid and will not

stop till they have made the hill — And put a crimp in that old imp, you know, old

"Kai - ser Bill" — And when the war is end - ed the Sam - mies will come home; —

— God keep them safe till they re - turn and nev - er more to roam. —

