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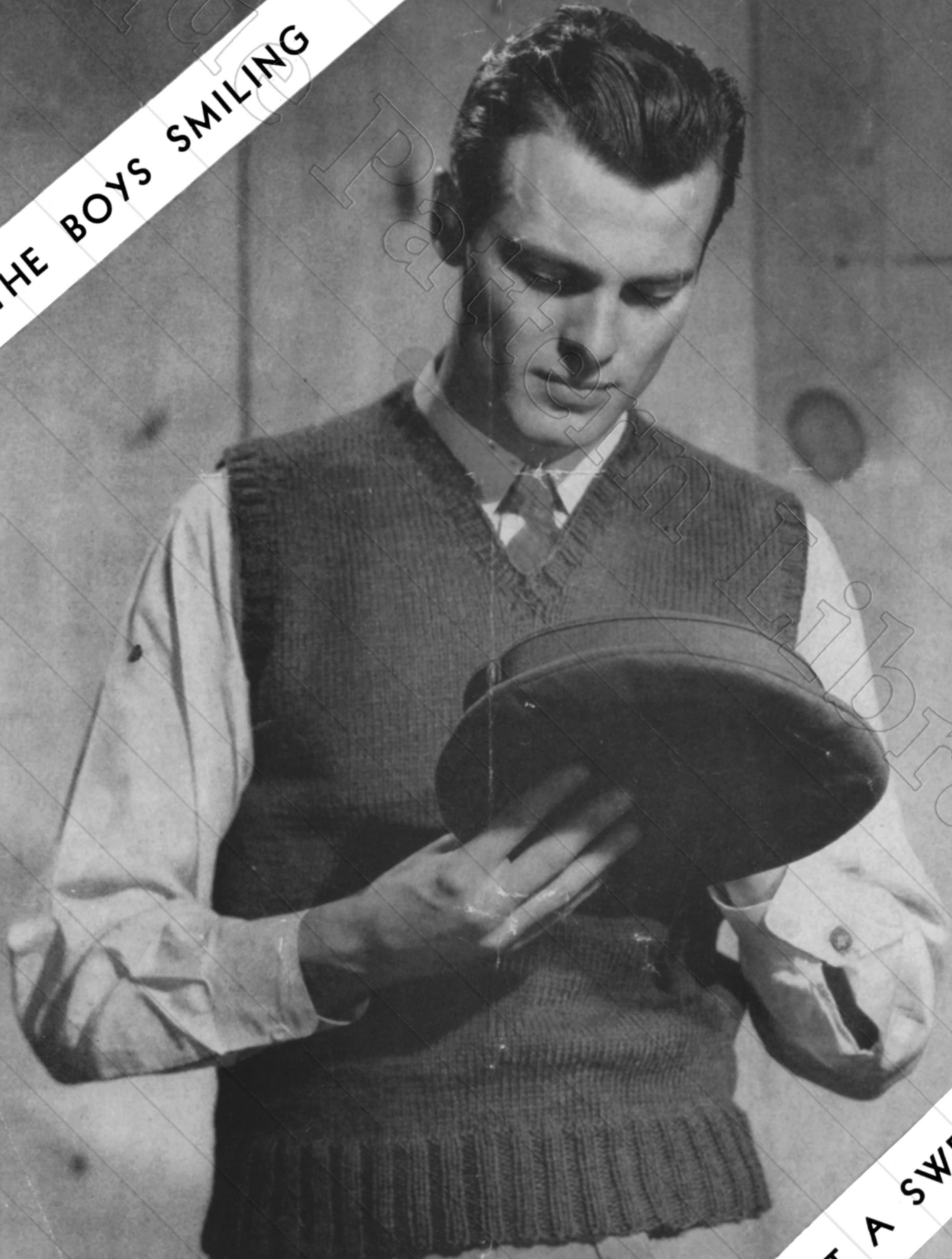
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MINERVA SERVICE KNITTING WORSTED

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KNIT A SWEATER NOW

The Citizen's Committee for the Army and Navy, Inc.

for

V NECK SLEEVELESS SWEATER

For the United States Army

These instructions are written in *Size 36, Size 38, and Size 40*

Materials Required:

4 ply Minerva Service Knitting Worsted—Color KHAKI No. 1790

Four 2 ounce skeins for size 36

Four 2 ounce skeins for size 38

Five 2 ounce skeins for size 40

1 Pr. No. 5 Athena Nonflammable Knitting Needles—14 Inch—Standard Gauge for ribbing.

1 Pr. No. 6 Athena Nonflammable Knitting Needles—14 Inch—Standard Gauge for body of sweater.

SCALE: $4\frac{1}{2}$ stitches to 1 inch and 6 rows to 1 inch.

This Instruction is written in Size 36 with changes given in Brackets for Sizes 38 and 40.

BACK: With No. 5 Needles cast on 82 Stitches, (86 Stitches for Size 38), (90 Stitches for Size 40), and work in Ribbing of Knit 2 Stitches, Purl 2 Stitches, for 4 inches. Change to No. 6 Needles and work in Stockinette Stitch (Knit 1 row, Purl 1 row) until work measures $10\frac{1}{2}$ inches from start. Now bind off 5 Stitches at the beginning of each of the next 2 rows for underarms, then decrease 1 Stitch every other row 10 times each side for armholes. Work even until back measures $10\frac{1}{2}$ inches straight up from the bound off Stitches of underarm, then bind off 7 Stitches, (8 Stitches for Size 38), (9 Stitches for Size 40), at the beginning of each of the next 4 rows for shoulders, change to No. 5 Needles and work the remaining Stitches in Ribbing of Knit 2 Stitches, Purl 2 Stitches, for 6 rows, bind off.

FRONT: With No. 5 Needles cast on 82 Stitches,

(86 Stitches for Size 38), (90 Stitches for Size 40), and work same as BACK to underarm ending with a Purled row, now bind off 5 Stitches at the beginning of each of the next 2 rows, Purl to center, slip the remaining stitches of other half of front on a Stitch Holder or thread, then work Right Shoulder. Decrease at armhole same as BACK and work V neck as follows:—Knit 2 Stitches together at center front, then decrease 1 Stitch at same edge every 4th row 6 times, then every 6th row 5 times more. When work measures $10\frac{1}{2}$ inches straight up from the bound off Stitches of underarm, bind off 7 Stitches, (8 Stitches for Size 38), (9 Stitches for Size 40), at armhole edge every other row 2 times. Now slip the Stitches from Stitch Holder and work Left Shoulder to correspond, reversing shaping. With No. 5 Needles pick up 124 Stitches around V neck on right side of work and work in Ribbing of Knit 2 Stitches, Purl 2 Stitches, for 6 rows, mitering V at center by Knitting 2 Stitches together 2 times every row, bind off.

Sew shoulder seams, then with No. 5 Needles pick up 126 Stitches around armhole and work in Ribbing of Knit 2 Stitches, Purl 2 Stitches, for 6 rows, bind off. Sew underarm seams.