

UNITED STATES NAVY YARD
PORTSMOUTH, N. H.
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDANT

5 November 1927.

Mrs. Phillip Mason Sears,
West Street,
Dedham, Mass.

Dear Madam:

I have the pleasure of informing you that you have been designated by the Secretary of the Navy as the person to whom I shall extend an invitation to act as Sponsor for the Fleet Submarine which is to be launched from this Navy Yard at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, November 10th, 1927.

The name which has been selected for this vessel by the Navy Department is "U. S. S. V-4".

I am therefore writing you to ask you if you will be so kind as to accept the invitation to christen this vessel at the time and place stated. I hope that you will find it possible to accept.

Very sincerely yours,

W. D. MacDougal

W. D. MacDOUGAL
Rear Admiral, U. S. Navy
Commandant.

FLEET SUBMARINE
U. S. S. V-4



BUILT BY
U. S. NAVY YARD
PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

KEEL LAID
1 May, 1925

LAUNCHED
10 November, 1927

SPONSOR
Mrs. Philip Mason Sears





