CALL ME WALT

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Based on the life of Walt Disney

"CALL ME WALT" PODCAST AUDITIONS

CHARACTER: VARIOUS MALES

NOTES: Please send us a video of yourself from the chest up, performing the part. While we will record the podcast on video, we are primarily interested in your voicework. Try to bring the character(s) to life for the ears of the audience.

State your name, age, and the part you're reading for.

WHO ARE THEY?: Several characters interact with Walt for a season and then leave his life forever. Below you will find three characters, young men working at a post office in 1917. Please read the whole scene, giving each a distinct voice. That can be done using inflection, pitch, nasality, gruffness, accents, or anything you feel is right.

For this audition, treat Walt as an average young man who happens to be named Walt. We primarily want to hear

ELIAS SCRIPT:

RUSSELL

I'm using the postcard as a bookmark. I'll send it on when I finish reading the book.

WALT

But for you, reading a whole book could take longer than two weeks!

RUSSELL

Funny. Until then, Mrs. Craycraft can just assume her son is fighting hard for his country.

WALT At least he <u>gets</u> to fight.

WILLIAM

Don't tell me you've got war fever, too.

RUSSELL Walt and I are going to join up as soon as we get the chance.

WILLIAM Not me. I'm happy sticking to the safety of home, thank you.

RUSSELL

William Wheeler, four star general of the Adams Street Post Office!

WALT Lay off him, Russell. When you and I are killing Fritzies, we'll need him to deliver the letters home to our families.

WILLIAM You guys really think you're going to the war?

WALT Sooner than you think.

RUSSELL

The Canadian Army isn't as strict about age. We're gonna go up north and join with them.

WILLIAM I'll believe it when I see it.

WALT

We'll make it.

WILLIAM

Well, I'm done for the day. I'll see you simps tomorrow.

WALT

You done, Russell?

RUSSELL

Just a few more. Give me three minutes. (mumbles quickly) Lake Forest, south side, Hyde Park, Hyde Park...

WALT

Oh, William, before you go... Here's that drawing you wanted. One Eiffel Tower.

WILLIAM

Pretty good, Disney. Looks just like it. See you tomorrow, boys.