

"HOW CAN I HELP?"

An Old-Time writer, Dryden, once said, "Behold the fury of a great Peaceful people."

That old lesson must be retaught. Uncle Sam is about to strike. The world will soon feel the militant might of a great peaceful people. The kindly sympathetic uncle of the world will soon unloose his power in defense of human rights. We, the people of the country, are behind him. His force will be our force. His ability to help mankind will be measured by our promptness in helping him.

How Can You help? You Have a Chance Today!

Uncle Sam—the same Uncle Sam who for decades past has guarded over the happiness and prosperity which have stood as models to the world, now asks you to loan him money.

He cannot knock at the door of each of us. But his request for a loan is just as personal, just as individual as it would be if he rang your door bell tomorrow morning and personally said, "Please lend me money."

The money that Uncle Sam borrows will go for food for your army (and it must be fed); it will go for uniforms, ammunition and equipment; it will go for ships and construction; it will go toward putting a support behind our flag which will be worthy of the stars and stripes upon it.

Every dollar of the money will go for something which, in Uncle Sam's judgment, is necessary for your protection, or for human welfare.

We are asked to loan money in amounts of \$50, \$100, \$1,000 and up. In return for each loan Uncle Sam will give us an I. O. U.—an engraved slip of paper called a Government Bond—on which he promises to pay back the loan, and to pay us in the meantime interest of 4 per cent per year.

So high does the credit of Uncle Sam stand, that should you at any time be pressed for funds, your bank will loan close to the full amount which you loaned Uncle Sam. You merely deposit Uncle Sam's I. O. U.'s—your Government Bonds—as security.

If you feel that your Uncle Sam is worth a loan of \$50 or more, you can quickly arrange it by coming to your bank.

We are authorized to act. We are acting without profit to ourselves.

We will explain the payment of interest, or anything else in connection with the loan which you want to have explained.

We will conduct the whole transaction for you.

Buy Your Liberty Bond To-Day

Farmers Commercial Bank, Benson, N. C.
The Citizens Bank, Micro, N. C.
First National Bank, Selma, N. C.
Clayton Banking Company, Clayton, N. C.
Johnston County Bank & Trust Co., Smithfield, N. C.
Bank of Kenly, Kenly, N. C.

Merchants and Farmers Bank, Princeton, N. C.
Bank of Pine Level, Pine Level, N. C.
Bank of Four Oaks, Four Oaks, N. C.
Peoples Bank, Selma, N. C.
Citizens Bank & Trust Co., Benson, N. C.
First National Bank, Smithfield, N. C.