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**WEATHER**

Tacoma: Fair.  
Washington: Same,  
light frost east portion.



# YOU!-YOU!-YOU!-YOU!

## THAT IS UNCLE'S DEMAND

By the Editor

President Wilson has pledged ALL of the resources of the United States to help smash the Prussian war machine. That includes YOU.

It is because The Times is anxious to bring the fact home to every person in Tacoma that we today are giving up all of this page to this appeal.

And that does not mean that either President Wilson or The Times expects every person in Tacoma to go to the trenches. That is absurd.

### First and Foremost, We Must Produce More Food

Only one man perhaps in a hundred or two hundred of us will ever be fortunate enough to be called for that spectacular service.

Only one Tacoma woman in 5000 perhaps will be taken to Europe as a nurse.

BUT—

Every one of us that does not devote long, hard, thoughtful, efficient hours of service in some form or other to the national cause will be a real slacker.

The Times has been devoting much space to a discussion of the various forms of service we might—and must—perform.

It is becoming increasingly apparent that one of the greatest needs of Uncle Sam and the people of the world is more food.

### Avoid Wastefulness and Shun White-Flour Bread

This means that YOU have a patriotic duty to plant potatoes, and to plant them quickly. To plant vegetables. To raise all the chickens possible. To stimulate your flocks to laying the maximum number of eggs. To breed Belgian hares.

This means that YOU should avoid every form of food wastefulness.

That YOU should bake war bread, instead of white bread.

It means that you should help gear Tacoma up to a smooth-running state of high industrial efficiency.

Insist that the tidelflats railway be started NOW.

### Demand War Market and Saving of Daylight

Insist that a war market be established by the city at once, central, level, free to all, so that the middleman may be eliminated.

Raise your voice for moving ahead the clocks, so that our evenings may be daylighted and we thus may be enabled to cultivate our gardens to the maximum.

Prepare to facilitate the mobilization and training of vast bodies of men at American lake; there are endless ways Tacomans can assist in that.

Prepare to help Uncle Sam turn out wooden ships by the score and thus laugh at the U-boat.

These are just a few of the ways—humble they may be, but essential—in which YOU can do YOUR part to win this war for America and Humanity.

Stand up and answer 'Hera'



SATTERFIELD