

October 31st. 1918

Dr. W.M. Biggs,

Rome, Miss.,

Dear Sir:-

Mr. W.R. Early of Indianola, has advised us that you have accepted committee work in your county, to assist in the Pledge Card Campaign, for conserving foods.

This work is one of the most important lines which has recently been touched upon by our Administration, for it is necessary to feed our starving allies, as well as to provide for the need of our own soldiers.

The kind of food which can be shipped, is of a nature we are all in the habit of consuming, and it is necessary to learn to substitute home grown products, such as fruit, vegetables, game, fish, etc., for the more staple foods, such as meat, wheat and sugar.

You will find this subject well handled on the Home Card, which you have in your possession for distribution to those who sign the Pledge Card.

As you go forth to your work, you may take pride to yourself as doing your bit as a soldier of the United States, and in teaching the conserving of foods for our armies and allies, each person who takes part in this work, is helping to win the war.

We thank you for your volunteer service, and know that you will not neglect any part of your district, in giving every one a chance to sign the Pledge Card. We thank you for your help, and bespeak help for you.

Yours very truly,

Campaign Manager for Mississippi.