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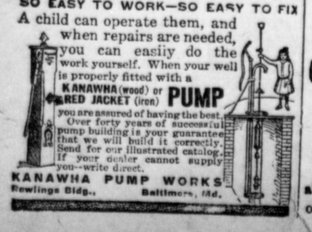

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Farmers Must Have Liberty in Labor—Gen. Joseph B. Seth For It.

To the Editor:—You may remember that for long years I have told you that compulsory education was working the ruin of the boys and girls and driving them from the farms. You may remember also that I said war or revolution would bring a realization of what I called for if nothing else would. Now we are at war and farmers are called to raise big crops while there are hardly any to help them.

I have just had the farmers of Howard county send a petition to Gov. Harrington calling for a suspension of the State compulsory school law for boys over 12 (it should have been for girls also) and at this writing there is a probability of the petition being acted on. Every county in the State should send in a similar petition. Many farmers want the school law repealed at the next Legislature. It has been a sickening thing to them. I have written to every governor in the country on the subject and Missouri seems to be lining up for the suspension of her compulsory law.

In the Baltimore Evening Sun of April 11th, Gen. Joseph B. Seth has the feature article decidedly to my point. He says: "Suspend your compulsory school law and unnecessary legislation with labor and put the farmer where he stood 50 years ago." Exactly! Then something will be doing and boys will not be the "sissies" they now are. Who says "correct?"

Francis Buck Livesey,
West Friendship, Md.

P. S.—Since writing the above the Baltimore American of April 12th, announces that Gov. Harrington has received protests from all over the State against any suspension of the compulsory education law. The question is, *from whom do those protests come?* Self interested educators and their friends could have gotten up every protest. They are not the ones doing the farm work. The question for Gov. Harrington to ask himself is, what do the practical farmers say? Vain are all helps to the farmers with the question of help omitted—nor will city bums fill the bill.

F. B. L.

PROCLAMATION OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE OF MARYLAND,
Executive Department.

Whereas, the assembling of a large army for our country's service, and the help we will be privileged to give in supplying the peoples of Europe, with whom we are making common cause, will greatly increase the demand for agricultural and food supplies in this state and throughout the land, which in connection with the present shortage, makes the food problem a matter of grave concern, to be met and solved only through helpful, systematic and efficient effort and co-operation; and

Whereas, food preparedness is essential to military preparedness, and together form the basis which will insure American success in the days which are ahead;

Now, Therefore, I, Emerson. C Harrington, Governor of Maryland, do hereby recommend and urge:

1. That the farmers of Maryland make every effort to place under cultivation the largest acreage possible, commensurate with the labor obtainable for proper cultivation and harvesting, and that intensive cultural methods be followed as far as possible, as this practice will give the best returns for the labor expended.

2. That farmers consult and closely cooperate with the extension Service, an organization of the Maryland State College of Agriculture and the United States Department of Agriculture Co-operating, whose specialists and county agents are trained to utilize every facility of the State and Federal Governments to insure better and larger crops.

3. That merchants, bankers, business and professional men organize, in each county of the State, in order to assist in obtaining and properly distributing labor for the farms; in purchasing and transporting seed, fertilizer, farming implements and other supplies, and generally in aiding and encouraging farmers in the production of large crops. The benefits of the National Farm Loan Bank of Baltimore should be understood and availed of by the farmers.

4. That farmers devote themselves chiefly to the production of staples which can be stored and disposed of during the winter months. Such staples will be in steady demand, at good prices, throughout the year, and their production, therefore, is most important, both to the producer and to the comsumer, and should be given preference over perishable products.

5. That groups of boys and women and girls, of the villages, towns and country, be organized for the growing, canning and preserving of food products. The Extension Service of the Maryland State College of Agriculture has already formed boys and girls into a number of groups, and will advise and co-operate with all who organize for this purpose.

6. That vacant lot and back-yard gardening and cultivation be encouraged and developed in Baltimore City and in other cities throughout the State. This can readily be made an important source of supply, as well as of profit, to those engaged in such work.

7. *The more earnestly and faithfully the people of Maryland co-operate in the development of our agricultural resources along the lines thus broadly suggested, the more prepared will our country be to meet successfully the conditions which confront us: the more efficient will be the aid we give in restoring peace in the world' and the greater will be the individual's personal contribution to that resul.*

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Maryland, at the Capital, in the City of Annapolis, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

By the Governor:
(Signed) EMERSON C. HARRINGTON.
(Signed) THOS. W. SIMMONS,
Secretary of State.

The Chestertown Boy Scouts won an easy victory from Kennedyville Saturday at the fair grounds. The game ended in the third inning, the score being 10 to 0.

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