

*Be it further resolved,* That the Chairman of the State Roads Commission be and he is hereby directed to give to all of the daily and County papers of the State copies of the reports which he receives from each County for the purpose of securing a free discussion of the same by the press, with a view to formulating a better method of improving the County roads of the State.

Approved April 13th, 1922.

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NO. 15.

WHEREAS, The development of the farm implement and machinery business in the United States has resulted in the production of vast numbers of differing types and sizes of such labor-saving devices; and

WHEREAS, Manufacture and distribution of such a great multiplicity of types and models of farm implements and machinery results in a vast economic waste through duplication of plant, operating costs, advertising costs and selling expense and adds to the price which the farmer must pay for farm machinery and implements of all kinds; and

WHEREAS, During the recent war the War Industries Board made substantial strides towards the standardization of certain kinds and types of farm implements and machinery with consequent economic advantage to both manufacturer and the farmer; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate of the State of Maryland,* That the Joint Commission of Agricultural Inquiry of the United States be requested and urged to investigate the feasibility of causing all forms and types of farm implements and machinery to be standardized so as to eliminate uneconomic duplication and waste and the consequent enhancement in cost of production and distribution of such implements and machinery; and be it further

*Resolved,* That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Chairman of the Joint Commission of Agricultural Inquiry of the United States and to the Chairman of the Committees on Agriculture in the U. S. Senate and House of Representatives.

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