

the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries have been polluted by waste material being dumped into the said waters by such ships, and the said pollution destroys fish, crabs and wild fowl, and creates a dangerous fire hazard in the harbors. Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Congress of the United States be and it is hereby requested to enact suitable legislation to prevent the pollution of navigable waters situated within and adjacent to the State of Maryland, and to provide reasonable penalties for such pollution; and

*Be it further resolved,* That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives and to each of the members of Congress from the State of Maryland.

Approved April 9, 1924.

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NO. 25.

JOINT RESOLUTION petitioning the President and Congress of the United States for relief of those engaged in agriculture, by arranging credits to European nations and providing for payment of same.

WHEREAS, The production of farm produce in the United States is in excess of consumption; and

WHEREAS, The farmers of the United States are unable to sell their crops at a profit, resulting in serious economic loss; and

WHEREAS, Owing to their financial condition, it is imperative that relief be afforded to those engaged in agriculture in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Millions of people are unemployed and on the verge of starvation in Germany and other European countries; and

WHEREAS, Millions in European countries are fed by Government doles and charity, thereby destroying ambition and self-respect; and

WHEREAS, The aforesaid nations and people are urgently in need of food to sustain them and raw materials that they may