

WAYS OF EARNING MONEY DURING SUMMER VACATION

Many Opportunities Open to Children Who Wish to Encourage Habits of Thrift and Saving.

A great many questions about how children may earn money in order to purchase Thrift and War Savings Stamps during the summer vacation period have come into the War Loan Organization at Richmond, and it is to answer these inquiries that the present article has been prepared.

The suburban or country child probably has the best opportunities for making money, though selling papers and magazines, running errands and doing chores offer several ways for the city child to earn the wherewithal for Thrift Stamps.

In the country there is first of all the garden, and at this time growing food stuffs should receive special attention. It is not too late to plant fall crops which may be marketed with profit. Lettuce and radishes are easily grown and always find good markets, especially in the late summer and fall. There will probably be more of some kinds of vegetables in the garden than can be eaten or canned. These should be sold.

On almost every farm there is a time when much of the fruit ripens at once, and the problem of disposing of it arises. Some of it is eaten, some preserved. A quantity of it not infrequently rots. This should be sold if there is a market near enough, but if such is not the case the children can put it up and sell the canned stuff in the fall.

Pigs, chickens, turkeys or rabbits are easily raised in the summer vacation, and all of them will bring in large returns for the time and labor. Berry picking is another way of making money that children should enjoy, and this year there is a plentiful crop.

Many mothers and fathers will be glad to pay the children for taking care of the yard, cutting wood, running errands or doing daily chores. In fact there are so many ways of earning money during the summer that the list might be indefinitely lengthened. But of course the object of any and all of these ways is not simply to make money, but to make and save money. In other words, enough to buy War Savings Stamps which will bring in four per cent interest, compounded quarterly.

You can do this, every boy and girl in this big country.

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 FIND in the GOOD old System, HANDED down to us, INTACT JUST as our KIND forefathers LEFT it, to MAKE the young NATION OPULENT and Free, PROTECTOR of all in QUEST of Liberty, RIGHT and Equality! SHUTE down THESE vile efforts to UNDO our glorious VINDICATE AMERICA! WAR SAVINGS STAMPS EXTERMINATE "Reds!" YOU can help. Put BEST into your WAR SAVINGS SOCIETY.

HOW ABOUT IT?

Someone is saving the money you waste. Who is depositing your dollars? Save them and deposit them yourself.

Buy a year of Savings Stamps. The year of living's high. But have you counted all the things these Savings Stamps will buy?

BEN FRANKLIN EARLY LEARNED FRUGALITY

Great American Exemplar of Thrift Knew Value of Regular and Systematic Saving For Future.

Thrift is not stinginess. In fact it is more often than not that the thrifty man is the one who is truly generous. Benjamin Franklin, our national exemplar of thrift, was, from boyhood up, always liberal and unselfish. Rene Baché, his great-great-grandson, gives an instance of this characteristic of his ancestor in a story he tells:

"The price of bread two centuries ago was a penny a loaf. Thus it happened that Benjamin Franklin, a boy of seventeen, on arriving in Philadelphia, was able to buy three loaves for three-pence; and with them he walked up Market Street from the wharf, holding one under each arm and eating the third. An hour later he gave two of them to a woman and her child who had been fellow voyagers up the Delaware."

Rene Baché goes on to say of Franklin: "Where his own expenditures were concerned he was always frugal, saving what he could out of his wages as printer, while his fellow-workers spent theirs as fast as they got them, or faster. In this way it came about that while a mere youngster in a printing office, he lent them money every week.

"Though the earnings of most of them were greater than his, he was capitalist. By the middle of each week they were penniless, and came to him for loans to carry them over until payday. He would accept no interest, but each Saturday, on getting their money they gave back to him what they borrowed—only to repeat the borrowing a day or two later."

The secret of Franklin's success was systematic and persistent saving, from the time he first began to earn money, and always having a savings fund he was ever ready to grasp his opportunities—those of lending a helping hand as well as those of self-betterment.

Let Benjamin Franklin be your example—start saving today. Thrift Stamps are an easy beginning and pave the way to a certain future.

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