

MARKET REPORT.

GRAIN

Wheat..... 2.12
 New wheat..... 2.20
 Bran..... 1.70
 Corn..... 70
 Oats..... 1.60
 Rye..... 1.60

PROVISIONS

Butter, Creamery..... 30
 Butter, Country..... 30
 Eggs, per dozen..... 34

The public schools of McConnellsburg opened last Monday with a full attendance of pupils.

Harvey Black, of Ebensburg, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Black, in McConnellsburg, several days this week.

Mrs. Harvey H. Clevenger and two children, of Cossart, Pa., are visiting in the Lodge home on North Second street.

Maryland peaches of a very superior quality arrived in town last week by wagon and sold for seventy-five cents a basket.

What a pity it is that tourists cannot see some of the back yards in McConnellsburg when the profusion of fall flowers are in bloom.

Remember that the question is not whether you personally may feel that you can afford to waste food; the point is that the Nation can not afford to have any food wasted by anybody.

Not another drop of whiskey will be manufactured in the United States after midnight Saturday of this week. All other distilled spirits for use as beverages, will cease to be manufactured at the same time.

Labor Day brought out so many week-end auto travelers that accommodation could not be had at night at many places along the Lincoln Highway in this state. Five thousand made demands on Chambersburg hotels and restaurants.

After having spent several weeks with relatives in this county and in Bedford county, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Akers and son left on Monday of last week for their home in Texarkana, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Akers were former residents of Akersville.

E. R. Shollenburger and wife, of Hamburg, Pa., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Woollet several days recently. Mr. Shollenburger was here in connection with business for the Water Company. The reservoir has been cleaned and other work done there.

Mary Fisher left Tuesday for Chambersburg where she will visit her sister Miss Rose for a day or two. She will then go to Salem, N. J., to live with her brother-in-law and sister, Prof. and Mrs. A. J. Dobner and to attend the public schools of that place this winter.

W. H. Shaw and son Roy, of New Grenada, stopped at the NEWS office Tuesday while on their return trip to Franklin county for a load of peaches. They brought with them twelve bushels for which they paid one dollar a bushel. A liberal sample was left on the editor's desk.

To Start High School Class.

Notice is hereby given to all who wish to enter the McConnellsburg High School class of 1917-18, that examinations for entrance may be taken in McConnellsburg on Monday, September 10, 1917.

Harvest Home Picnic.

A harvest home picnic will be held in Wagner's Woods, near Battle Creek school house, Saturday, September 8th, to which all well disposed persons are cordially invited.

Sale Register.

Thursday, September 13, Mrs. Harriet Mellott will sell at the residence of her son Joseph, 1 1/2 mile southwest of Webster Mills at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, 1 good fall cow, chickens and guineas, potatoes, household goods consisting of stoves, chairs, tables, lounges, carpet, bedsteads, bedclothing, bureau, queensware, glassware, etc. Terms made known on day of sale. J. J. Harris, auctioneer and G. A. Comer, clerk.

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
The Fulton County Bank**

OF McCONNELLSBURG,
Fulton County, Pennsylvania, at the close of business August 21, 1917.

RESOURCES.

Cash, specie and notes.....	\$24,455.85	
Due from Approved Reserve Agents.....	40,631.49	
Legal securities at par.....	17,000.00	\$ 82,087.34
Nickels and cents.....		279.85
Checks and cash items.....		152.25
Due from Banks and Trust Cos. not reserve.....		2,325.45
Bills discounted: Upon one name.....	2,071.00	
" " Upon two or more names.....	25,276.12	27,347.12
Time loans.....		9,835.82
Loans on call with collateral.....		30,928.87
Loans on call upon one name.....		48,485.93
Loans on call upon two or more names.....		88,691.61
Bonds.....		107,271.27
Mortgages and judgments of record.....		117,762.98
Office building and lot.....		9,000.00
Furniture and fixtures.....		1,570.00
Overdrafts.....		1,193.76
Book value of reserve securities above par.....		499.00
Total.....		\$527,401.25

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	50,000.00
Surplus fund.....	32,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	7,460.47
Individual deposits subject to check, \$ 97,217.73	
Demand Certificates of Deposit.....	150.00
Time Certificates of Deposits.....	306,437.78
Savings fund deposits.....	31,584.19
Due to Banks and Trust Cos. etc., not reserve.....	2,551.08
Total.....	\$527,401.25

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF FULTON, SS:
 I, Wilson L. Nace, Cashier of above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 WILSON L. NACE,
 Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of August 1917.
 M. RAY SHAFNER,
 Notary Public.

GEO. A. HARRIS,
 GEO. B. MELLOTT,
 B. W. PECK,
 A. U. NACE,
 JNO. A. IRWIN,
 D. A. WASHBAUGH,
 Directors.

What Does It Mean?

What does all this talk of food conservation mean? To a Fulton county family with a good garden or farm, and with access to the abundance of food raised in the County, the necessity for economy is not perceptible. Why? Because we have so long accustomed ourselves to plenty and to let balance go to waste that it seems strange that a food scare should confront others.

It is this going to waste that is attracting the attention of those whose duty it will be to feed our armies and those of our allies for—maybe—several years. In older countries fruit and vegetables are not permitted to rot on the ground because of no sale for them. America has not yet reached the state of congested foreign countries when waste had to be stopped hundreds of years ago. But we are entering that state and new demands have hastened the necessity for the saving of all food if two-thirds of our population are to be fed at reasonable cost. America will have to feed half the world next year—and the next. No farmer should buy a single can of fruit or vegetable until the war is over. He should have his own home product stored for use so that factory goods will be spared for those less fortunate.

The lady who gave the canning demonstration in Fulton county last week did not have so much in mind the teaching of methods of food preservation, but her errand was largely to awaken in our people a sense of patriot duty to stop buying factory goods and to encourage home canning and preserving.

Why are Americans asked to reduce on the use of wheat flour and to use more corn? It is because our foreign allies do not know the use of corn on the table in the form of puddings, bread, muffins, &c. They must have wheat, and as our armies will soon be fighting side by side with the French and English, their bread must be of wheat too.

Showing of Fall Millinery.

We are ready to fit you up with a fall hat or Velour. We have a full line of shapes and colors to choose from. The materials are beautiful, and—best of all—the prices are right. We have just returned from the City and have a dandy line for you to choose from.

Come in and look before buying anywhere else.

MRS. S. MANNING,
 North Main Street, Opposite the Post Office, Chambersburg, Pa.

Jurors for October Court.

Last Thursday, Sheriff J. L. Garland and Jury Commissioners J. C. Hixson and Harry C. Mumma, with Attorney J. R. Jackson as clerk, drew the following Jurors to serve at the October term of Court at McConnellsburg, Pa., beginning Monday, October 1, 1917 at 2 o'clock, p. m.

GRAND JURORS.

Ayr—William Brewer, Nicholas Hohman, J. H. Johnston, B. W. Logue, J. B. Runyan and Cyrus Wagner.

Belfast—James Pott McKee.

Bethel—Wilbur Layton and Lemuel Smith.

Brush Creek—M. J. Hixson and Geo. O. Lynch.

Dublin—D. W. Cromer, George Glunt and Samuel McElhaney.

Licking Creek—A. C. Deshong and S. H. Mellott.

McConnellsburg—John McLucas.

Taylor—James Lamberson.

Thompson—Clarence Brewer and Wilson B. Myers.

Tod—Clarence Gobin, George Mook and A. J. Pittman.

Union—Harry Hendershot.

PETTIT JURORS.

Ayr—Wash Crouse, Tobie Glazier, Daniel Hewett, G. Wesley Mellott, C. Murray Ray, Walter Shaw, and John Souders.

Bethel—J. P. Fisher, Chas. H. Hess, Chester Palmer, Edward Palmer, Thomas R. Slusher and Charles Truax.

Brush Creek—E. E. Akers.

Dublin—Geo. Hann, Lewis Kelso, and Grant Shoemaker.

Licking Creek—Ally Deshong, Edward C. Hann, James O. Mellott, Earl Metzler, D. G. Shives and O. C. Wible.

McConnellsburg—David Gress, Harry Johnston and Harry Snyder.

Taylor—C. J. Barton, A. L. Shaw and J. L. Wright.

Thompson—B. C. Powell, S. R. Simpson and H. W. Wink.

Tod—John Snyder.

Union—L. H. Carnell, Clem Lehman, J. W. Rice and Amos Sigel.

Wells—Harry Bivens.

Wouldn't Exchange Places.

The salary of the president of the United States is \$205 a day with an allowance of \$25,000 a year for traveling expenses. The vice president and cabinet officers get \$250 a week. It seems to an editor, like good money; but we suspect if the weight of responsibility carried continually by any one of them were placed upon our shoulders for about half an hour, we should forever discard the idea of wishing to exchange places.

**25,000
BOYS WANTED
FOR THE BIGGEST JOB
ON EARTH
JOIN THE PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION
UNITED STATES
BOYS' WORKING RESERVE
AND HELP TO WIN THE WAR**

Boys of Pennsylvania! come away from the ball fields, turn from vacation frolics, put aside the pleasant lures of boyhood and give heed to serious doings. Your country has a grim business in hand and relies largely upon you to put it through.

You have heard the song of the bugles and the rattle of the drums; you have seen the dust-stained troops on highways and byways; you have cheered with the shouting bystanders and through these things you personally have come to know that the nation is at war.

The stirring military scene, no doubt, have impressed you with the greatness of your country's martial might. They have given you a comforting sense of security through visible assurance that thousands upon thousands of steel-muscled, splendidly equipped fighting men stand as living barriers between you and your country's foe.

And you, perhaps, have turned back to your sports and games in the confident belief that these chosen legions of a free nation have but to meet the enemy to sweep him from the field. But in that belief there is danger. It is a belief which, if permitted to spread unchecked, would place the armies of America in deadly peril.

All of these inspiring troop movements you have witnessed relate only to one phase of war activity—the military side.

There is another phase of war and it is the more important one because properly directed it backs up the soldier in the field with the entire resources of his country.

Valor Not Enough.

It is this phase of war activity that must give the American fighting men more and better cannon than the enemy possesses; more ammunition, more food and more of everything that is vital to the prosecution of war. For if the nation permits its armies to be overmatched in these things their valor will count for nothing. Mere bravery will not avert defeat and defeat would mean a reign of terrorism in this free land too shocking to be pictured even in a part of its barbarity.

That is why no one—not even boys—should be allowed to think that war is only the soldier's business. This war is the business of every man, every woman, every boy and every girl in America who, by their work, can be of use to American troops.

Primarily, war, because it is destructive, taxes to the utmost the productive energy of the nation engaged. At the same time it weakens the productive forces by taking all of the able-bodied men from farms, workshops and business to do the fighting.

One million American soldiers, the pick of the country's manhood recruited from the various industries, will soon be at grips with the enemy, and workers must be found to fill their places. Additional workers must be located to produce the excess quantities of supplies that these one million soldiers will require, and the supplies our European allies need.

Where are these workers to be obtained? Boys, the answer rests with you. Perhaps upon witnessing parades of fighting squadrons you have felt regret that you, too, could not have a place in the heroic files. But there is no need to harbor regret. You and every other boy between the ages of 16 and 21 years may help your country fight and win the war. You may not be able to shoulder a rifle or man a gun, but by working to supply everything useful to the men who do these things you will be making your country's guns effective.

President Wilson's Call.

The war has made a place for you. That place is in the ranks of the Pennsylvania Division of the United States Boys' Working Reserve, an organization created by the United States government to furnish emergency workers so that there will be no shortage of the labor needed to keep the American soldier in victorious fighting trim.

So important is the Reserve considered by the government that President Wilson has issued a message urging boys of Pennsylvania to enroll. Here is the President's message to you:

"Let me express the hope that the young men of Pennsylvania not now permanently employed may eagerly enter the Boys' Working Reserve to fit

themselves by training and study for good citizenship and productive service. In this way they can show themselves worthy of patriotic fathers who fought for democracy in the past, sustain their patriotic brothers who are fighting for it today, and command the affectionate pride of the brave mothers who are silently bearing the burdens at home."

Under the direction of the Pennsylvania committee of Public Safety the Reserve is now recruiting an industrial army of 25,000 boys. They will be guided in their activities by John C. Frazee, Federal Director for this State, and a corps of district superintendents.

The aims of the Reserve are: First, the organization, and, second, the preparation of boys for emergency service in all lines of work. The motto of the boys who enroll is: "I will be ready." The Reserve will find useful work for them and if necessary will instruct them in the work.

Service Badge Given.

You may enroll by obtaining the consent of your parents or guardians, whether you are now employed or not. Boys who are employed join with the idea of becoming more useful to their country by learning to produce more at their present work. They will not be urged to change their employment, but only to become more proficient at it.

Boys who are not now at work, but who attend school, may enroll and will be instructed in some line of industry fitted to their abilities. Working hours will be arranged so that their education will not be interfered with. All boys enrolling will receive at once the handsome button of the Pennsylvania Division. By loyal service they may earn the bronze badge of the Reserve which is a reproduction of the seal of the United States suitably inscribed and numbered. Appropriate wages will be paid while boys are at work.

Working conditions will be carefully supervised so that members of the Reserve shall be protected against all forms of physical and moral injury. There is nothing of a military character about the Reserve, its training or its work and members may withdraw whenever their parents or guardians so desire.



It is not intended to keep the boys working on the same basis as workers who are regularly employed. Service is of a temporary nature and will be called for in emergencies only. The Reserve does not seek to shift the employment of boys who are working for their parents or interfere with their wage arrangements. But these boys may become members and earn the badge of honor as such.

The Reserve will encourage school-boys or student members in their studies, as it holds that mental improvement is a form of proficiency by which the country and its industries benefit.

Workshops, farms and business are depending upon the loyalty of the American people to insure sufficient working forces while hundreds of thousands of brave Americans are deciding the national destiny in a far-off land. And the American soldier is going about his stern task with implicit confidence that he will receive the right kind of support from those who remain behind.

Whether he is justified in that confidence is up to you.

Your big brothers, perhaps, are already near the firing line or soon will be on their way there. For every man at the front there must be five workers at home producing the food, the clothing, the ammunition, the weapons and other supplies without which the bravest troops would be defeated before they even began the fight.

Boys of Pennsylvania enroll to give the American soldier the things he needs to win the war!

And, fathers, mothers, let your boys enroll. They are needed, sorely needed, and it is public service that calls.

First Wool Figures.

For the first time in this or any other country a survey has been made of the wool stocks on hand, and figures representing the holdings June 30, 1917, were published by the Bureau of Markets of the United States Department of Agriculture on August 1.

According to this summary

there are 370,000,000 pounds of grease wool in the hands of dealers and manufacturers who reported, 47,000,000 pounds of scoured wool, 29,000,000 pounds of pulled wool, 23,000,000 pounds of top, and 18,000,000 pounds of noil. About 56 per cent of the grease wool, 62 per cent of the scoured wool, and 45 per cent of the pulled wool was reported by manufacturers, and the remainder by dealers.

RACKET STORE

Well the time of year is here for getting ready for Winter, and we have a nice lot of Jar Rubbers. That heavy rubber that we had last year at 50c. We have the same one this year; and the Perfectum put up in 1 pound boxes at 35c., runs about 58 to 60 gums to the pound. Zinc Jar Caps, 50c. tin, 25c. dozen. 1 pint Jars, with Zinc Caps, 50c. quarts 60c., 1-2 gallon 85c. dozen. These all have dozen. Black Flag Insect powder 9c. per bottle. Machine Oil, the best made, 35c. gallon; Black Beauty Harness Oil 75c. gallon. Team Nets \$1.35 to \$1.90. Leather Buggy Nets, last year stock \$2.45. Buggy Whips 10c. to 75c. Why pay 75c. for a quart of paint that is not good when you can buy a good one from us at 55 and 60c.? 1 pint stain at 10c. yet. Varnish Stain at 30c. for a full pint. Varnish at old prices \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.50 per gallon.

- 500 Radium matches 5c.
- 24 clothes pins 8c.
- Lenox soap 5c.
- Heavy shoestrings 2c. pair.
- Open links 4 for 5c.
- Bridle bits 10 to 45c.
- Lap spreads 75c. to \$1.00.
- Pins 2c. pack.
- Coal oil 10c. gallon.
- Mouse traps 4 for 5c.
- Rat traps 8c.
- Window screens 25c.
- Suspenders 10 to 48c.
- Men's underwear 25 to 48c.
- Men's union suits 48 to 95c.
- Ladies' union suit 25 and 30c.
- Ladies' vests 10 to 20c.
- Men's dress shirts 48 to 60c.
- Men's full size work shirts 10 1/2 to 13c.
- Bunch straps 10 1/2c.
- Men's dress hats \$1.00 to \$1.50.
- Hand saw files 5 and 6c.
- Flat files 8 in. 13c.
- A good strong suit case with lock \$1.00.
- Granite dish pans 35c.
- Screen wire 12 to 20c. yd.
- 500 carpet tacks 5c.
- Shoe nails 4c.
- Men's heavy hose 10c.
- See our Misses hose 15c.
- 4 qt. ice cream freezer \$2.00.
- Horse collars \$1.35 to \$1.50.

SHOES! SHOES!

We have sold more shoes in one month this year than in last two years. Why? because we had them on hand and didn't advance the price and we are still doing the same thing.

The same is true of our clothing. We have a new line at old prices and will sell that way until all sold.

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