

MARKET REPORT.

CORRECTED EVERY WEDNESDAY. The grain markets are taken from the Chambersburg daily newspapers. The provision prices are those that obtain in Conococheague.

GRAIN

Table with 2 columns: Grain type (Wheat, New wheat, Bran, Corn, Oats, Rye) and Price per bushel.

PROVISIONS

Table with 2 columns: Provision type (Butter, Creamery, Butter, Country, Eggs, per dozen) and Price.

Red Cross Work.

Instead of lagging, the interest in Red Cross work among our local workers is growing in intensity every day. It is now about conceded that the credit of winning the world from the dreadful clutches of the Kaiser will belong to the women.

As was told in the NEWS last week, one of our town ladies conceived a scheme that would net just the nicest kind of a sum—and so easy! The only thing to it was, that she would entertain ten ladies, each of whom should contribute a half dollar; then, each of the ten would entertain eight, who in like manner would not forget the half-dollar contribution; the eighty, (ten times eight) in turn would each entertain six, which would add 480 persons and \$240.00 more to the treasury.

In addition to the sums reported last week, the treasurer reports the following "entertainers" and their contributions. Miss Ruth Kendall \$4.00, Miss Rhoda Kendall 1.00, Miss Annie Dickson 4.00, Mrs. B. W. Logue 3.60, Mrs. Lewis Harris 3.05, Mrs. F. K. Stevens 2.50, Mrs. Geo. W. Hays 3.00, Mrs. C. F. Jacobs 5.00, Mrs. Peter Morton 3.00, Miss Jeannette Stouteagle 3.00.

NEW MEMBERS. Mrs. T. S. Metzler and J. B. Fraker. WELLS AUXILIARY. Mrs. John Newman, Mr. John Newman, Mr. Earl Chamberlain. BETHEL AUXILIARY. Mrs. Wm. Downes, Elmer Mann, Mrs. Elmer Mann, Roy W. Layton, Mrs. Roy W. Layton, Ralph Layton, Helen Louise Layton, Katherine Hill, Milton B. Hill, Mrs. M. B. Hill, Lee Charlton, S. Hill.

Miss Lottie McIlvaine, who for many years lived at the Mountain House on Sideling Hill, but is now making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel Noggle at Providence church, Bedford county, passed her 86th birthday on Tuesday of last week. Her numerous Fulton County friends extend congratulations.

DR. FAHRNEY HAGERSTOWN, MD. DIAGNOSTICIAN. Specialist in Chronic Diseases. Acute diseases get well of themselves or run into chronic form. There is always a cause and you can not get well until the cause is removed.

NEBRASKA LEADS.

Vast Volume of Money Rolling in from the Sale of War Saving Stamps.

Philadelphia April 24—The War-Stamp sales for the nation to the end of March aggregated \$149,361,972. Pennsylvania's contribution to the vast fund was \$10,868,034. The palm for high subscription went to Nebraska which state, with an estimated population of 1,296,006, bought \$14,343,991 worth of stamps, or \$11.06 for each inhabitant. For the month of March alone Nebraska purchased \$6.64 in stamps for each member of its population. New York was second with \$12,273,783, but it was twenty-ninth in the list of States with a per capita of \$1.19. Eastern Pennsylvania was twenty-fifth, its per capita being \$1.40.

The District of Columbia is second in per capita with \$3.73, Missouri third with \$3.14 and Kansas fourth, \$3.11. Of the twenty leading states all but five are west of the Mississippi river. Since the beginning of April the Treasury Department reports show average war savings receipts of \$2,600,000 a day, or at the rate of \$800,000,000 a year. The daily average is constantly rising, however, having been \$730,000 in December, \$1,250,000 in January, \$1,500,000 in February and \$2,227,000 in March.

The wonderful showing made by Nebraska in March is attributed entirely to the pledge card system inaugurated in that month and still operating successfully, so successfully in fact that the state now has more than \$25,000,000 pledged to the end of the year, sufficient to run its per capita above \$35. This Nebraska plan is to be put into operation in Pennsylvania beginning with "Pledge Week," May 13-18.

Weekly Review.

Henry Clews, one of New York's foremost bankers, in his weekly financial review of last Saturday gives the following: "Early war news this week was not encouraging. The German hosts brought unprecedented pressure upon the British army on the Western front, forcing it to give considerable ground, in an effort to sever the line and drive the British back to the sea. Fortunately that British line held, and though badly bent has not been broken. Hope is now rising owing to arrival of French reinforcements; and the most critical point since the war began is now being faced. The destiny of the world is at stake, and any day decisive results may follow. At the same time we must not deceive ourselves by overconfidence. Let it be frankly admitted that Germany has been immensely favored by the breakup of Russia, and the consequent release of large bodies of German soldiers, which enabled Germany to draw freely upon Russia labor and food supplies. Should the enemy succeed in making important gains in the present drive it will mean nothing less than a serious prolongation of the war. But a final German victory is impossible; because the world and civilization cannot and will not submit to German ideals and domination. In any event it will probably fall upon us to give the finishing stroke without delay. It is precisely this that Germany intensely fears; hence this hectic drive, this supreme effort to win, before America gets in with all its might. Our efforts to send men and munitions must be backed up generously and promptly with funds. The Liberty Loan must be heavily oversubscribed as a patriotic debt to our country, to the men at the front, and even on the common basis of intelligent self interest. Of late subscriptions have not been coming in with sufficient promptness. It is difficult to explain this lethargy, which is probably only temporary. The remainder of the campaign must be pushed with growing intensity, for success in the war depends upon successful financing. It is either 'bonds or bondage.'"

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Keefer, of Thompson township, made a trip to McConnellsburg last Friday. On account of the swollen condition of Licking Creek, it became necessary for them to go around by Peck's fording in order to get across.

Report of the Condition of the Fulton County BANK of McConnellsburg.

Fulton County, Pennsylvania, at the close of business April 15, 1918.

RESOURCES

Table of Resources: Reserve Fund (Cash specie and notes, Due from Approved Reserve Agents, Legal reserve securities), Liabilities (Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, Demand Deposits, etc.), Total: \$594,516.10.

LIABILITIES

Table of Liabilities: Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, Demand Deposits, etc., Total: \$594,516.10.

WILSON L. NACE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of April, 1918. M. RAY SHAFNER, Notary Public. C. R. SPANGLER, S. W. KIRK, GEO. B. MELLOTT, A. U. NACE, B. W. PECK, JNO. A. IRWIN, Directors.

Harry Hill, a former successful school teacher in this county, but now a successful farmer in Thompson township, was in town last Thursday night.

Use Local Supply of Lime.

When lime is properly used, it is a great aid in speeding up the production of many crops. While it is not usually listed among the commercial fertilizers, it furnishes food for plants. It also corrects acidity of the soil and improves its physical condition. It also influences favorably the decomposition of the organic matter in the soil, and in some cases it may make available to a slight extent insoluble forms of potash and other minerals. It is particularly valuable if there is a good supply of organic matter in the soil.

Spring is a good time to apply lime, particularly the hydrated form, and specialists of the Department of Agriculture are urging that local limestone deposits be utilized in every possible way. This is already being done in many places, but no doubt the practice could be very widely extended. However, it involves, in the case of grinding, the purchase and delivery of grinding machinery, which may be difficult to accomplish, and in the case of local burning it means the purchase and delivery of fuel unless there is local fuel available. Wherever fuel, either wood or coal, is available, however, together with a local supply of limestone, every effort should be put forth to make use of this limestone in the present emergency.

MERCANTILE APPRAISER'S TAX LIST.

McConnellsburg, April 1, 1918. The following is a list of retail and wholesale vendors or dealers in goods, wares, merchandise, commodities or effects, of whatsoever kind or nature, subject to a mercantile license tax in Fulton county, Pennsylvania, returned to the proper authorities herein, by the undersigned, Mercantile Appraiser in and for the county of Fulton aforesaid and published by the direction of the Commissioners of said county. Names of retailers. Classification of business.

- List of retailers and their classifications across various townships including Bethel, Licking Creek, McConnellsburg, Taylor, and Wells.

DELCO-LIGHT ELECTRICITY FOR ANYONE ANYWHERE. An Extra Hand for Farm Work. Delco-Light is the busiest and most efficient workman on the farm. It not only furnishes an abundance of clean, safe and economical electric light for house and barn, but— It furnishes power to pump the water, operate the separator and churn, wash the clothes and grind the tools— It lengthens the working day by making it possible to do the barn chores safely and easily after dark— It pays for itself in time and labor saved— And at the same time it adds greatly to the comfort and convenience of farm life. Delco-Light is a simple, compact, highly-efficient electric plant that requires little or no attention, and that runs on kerosene, gas or gasoline.

New Real Estate Agency. Having retired from the Mercantile business with a view to giving his entire attention to Real Estate, the undersigned offers his service to any one having real estate for sale, or wanting to buy. His thorough acquaintance with values and conditions in Fulton County, coupled with long and successful experience in handling Real Estate, makes it possible for him to bring about results in the shortest possible time. Write, or call on, D. H. PATTERSON, WEBSTER MILLS, PA.

Bonds Are Not A Burden, But A Blessing. Thrift requires the exercise of restraint and self-denial—qualities without which you cannot achieve the success in life which it is your ambition to achieve and for the lack of which you are likely to suffer in later years. The money you acquire by thrift you are asked to loan—not give—to your country. It will come back to you when you may need it far more than you do now, and you will be paid interest for its use. This war is a frightful thing, but it may prove of inestimable benefit to you, if it teaches you the good habit of thrift. Help Your Country and Yourself by Investing in Liberty Bonds. THIS SPACE PAID FOR AND CONTRIBUTED BY JAMES J. HARRIS PROPRIETOR OF HOTEL HARRIS TOURISTS HEADQUARTERS McConnellsburg, Penna.

Have Your Clothing Made YOUR Way— Don't Be A Ready-Made Man. There is individuality about custom made clothes that you cannot possibly get in the ordinary ready-made kind. MADE TO ORDER \$20 SUITS OVERCOATS \$30 MADE TO FIT THE ROYAL WOOLEN MILLS CO., 62 S. Main St., Chambersburg, Pa. Public Square, Hagerstown, Md.

IT WILL PAY YOU? VISIT THE "FAMILY SHOE STORE" LARGE STOCK, LATE STYLE, GOOD SERVICE MODERATE PRICES. PETERS & HEINTZELMAN On The "Square" - - Chambersburg, Pa.

Don't Let the Kaiser Get Your Goat. MUSIC WILL HELP KEEP UP YOUR SPIRITS YOU CAN GET IT HERE Anything in Instruments from a PLAYER PIANO to JEWS HARPS, COLUMBIA GRAPHONOLAS and SONORAS. HEAR THE NEW RECORDS. DUFFIELD MUSIC HOUSE 57 S. Main St. Chambersburg, Pa.