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AUDITORS' REPORT of MOUNT JOY BOROUGH

For the year ending Mar. 15, 1918.

RECEIPTS	
Bal. in treas. Mar. 15, 1917.	\$ 473.31
Breneman, T. M. collected outstanding tax for 1916.	474.20
Breneman, T. M., collected.	4210.27
Brown, Burgess, April 5.	567.92
Brown, Burgess, April 6.	64.50
Brown, Burgess, May 7.	721.50
Brown, Burgess, June 2.	17.90
Brown, Burgess, June 5.	83.50
Brown, Burgess, June 18.	72.00
Brown, Burgess, June 23.	97.00
Brown, Burgess, July 2.	1.00
Brown, Burgess, July 25.	69.80
Brown, Burgess, Aug. 6.	1.00
Brown, Burgess, Aug. 29.	6.50
Brown, Burgess, Sept. 18.	10.50
Brown, Burgess, Oct. 1.	5.00
Brown, Burgess, Nov. 15.	142.00
Brown, Burgess, Jan. 2.	65.50
Loan from War. Acct.	500.00
Collector Breneman reports tax outstanding for 1917	\$260.00.
	\$7653.90

EXPENDITURES	
Backenstoe, M., Labor.	7.90
Barnhart, Jno., Labor.	3.60
Baughman, J. P., Labor.	3.00
Duty.	4.75
Baughman, Jno., Labor.	3.40
Borough Improving Assn.	500.00
Bertzfeld, Amos, Hauling.	7.00
Breneman, T. M., Comm.	88.48
Brian, F., Labor.	1.50
Brown Bros., Supplies.	6.51
Brown, Russel, Labor.	1.40
Brubaker, Ed., Labor.	63.00
Brubaker, M. N., Surveys.	1.50
Bucher, Fred, Labor.	69.70
Barrenkamp, Wm., Hauling.	2.50
Deitz, Jno., Supplies.	10.79
Derr, E., Labor.	1.00
Derr, Harry, Labor.	3.25
Billinger, Jno., Dist. Notices	5.00
Ebersole, D., Labor.	1689.72
Edison Electric Co., Lights.	779.49
Engle, E. H., Stone.	1.50
Eshleman, Chas., Labor.	2.00
Eshleman, H. W., Labor.	1.50
Fauby, Abram, Labor.	75.90
Fellenbaum, R., Salary and Postage.	68.01
Foreman, M., Labor.	1.50
Freed, J. W., Supplies.	1.50
Friendship Fire Co., Approp	100.00
Garber, Chas., Labor.	1.00
Gillums, H. H., Salary.	60.00
Good, F., Labor.	41.00
Grey Iron Casting Co., Grate	2.96
Herald Printing, Supplies.	20.50
Hendrix, Jno. Jr., Labor.	1.50
Hershey, F. E., Auditing.	126.07
Hinkle, W., Labor.	1.50
Hofer, Jno., Salary.	15.00
Hofer, U. E., Printing.	2.00
Horst, Christ, special service	115.50
Howard & Moore, Supplies.	32.64
Kaufman, E., Labor.	1.25
Klein, Geo., Labor.	3.50
Kramer, Jno., Special service	7.00
Lanc, E'town and Middle-town Co., repairing Main street	1612.97
Leib, M. M., Salary B. of H.	95.00
Loraw, W., Labor.	.90
McGann, Jno., Dist. Notices	1.50
Miller, Wm., Labor.	18.30
Misener, J. D., Printing.	82.88
Mooney, A., Labor.	66.62
Moyer, G., Supplies.	.75
Myers, Earl, Labor.	2.75
Myers, G. W., Labor.	2.75
Myers, H. C., Labor.	57.25
Newcomer, H. S., Supplies.	10.02
Northern Mutual Fire Ins. Co., Insurance.	72.00
Pennell, J., Salary.	126.07
Good, G. S., Freight.	.50
Rahn, Jno., Labor.	2.00
Rheinhart, A., Labor.	1.50
Rheinhart, Harry, Labor.	52.93
Rollman Mfg. Co., Labor furnished.	63.50
Schroll, J. E., Printing.	190.19
Schock, C., Coal, oil, etc.	3.00
Shelley, Abram, Labor.	102.51
Smeltzer, F., Labor.	283.97
Smeltzer, Henry, Labor.	54.60
Springer, Geo., Hauling.	18.70
Standard Hw. Co., Signs.	14.97
Strickler, A., Coal.	141.90
Sumpman, E., Hauling.	25.00
Treas. G. A. R. appropr'n	2.00
Trexler, E. M., Auditing.	1.50
Weber, Geo., Labor.	73.20
Welsh, A. B., Labor.	3.00
Wintermyer, Wm., Labor.	1.05
Whartell, Jno., Labor.	2.00
Zaeger, Carl, Labor.	90.39
Zaeger, Frank, Labor.	1.50
Zeller, Claude, Labor.	.75
Zeller, J. H., Acknowledgment.	.90
Zerphy, Peter, Labor.	1.80
Zink, Geo., Repairing lock boxes.	1.80
Balance in Treas. Mar. 19 1918.	557.90

THE RETIREMENT BOARD FIXES TEACHERS' PENSIONS
The Pennsylvania Teachers' Retirement Board, which is providing for the establishment of the state teachers pension system has issued a table of payments required from salaries of teachers to enable them to participate in the system which is now being distributed among the 41,000 teachers in the State. Prof. H. H. Baish, the Secretary, in a statement issued today, says that the rates of contribution are based on an actuarial investigation of the service and mortality records of teachers throughout the country.
The contribution form school employees are computed to be sufficient to pay one half of the retirement allowances. "The rates," he says, "are lower for men than women only because the mortality among men annuitants is higher than among women, resulting in a small number of payments to men, consequently in a reduction in the cost of the allowances. The rate at which the employee begins to contribute is computed to remain constant throughout the remainder of the service."
The tables issued give the percentage of salary required from 18 to 61 years of age. At 18 men are listed at \$3.33 and women at \$3.69, while the payment at 22 is \$3.34 for men and \$3.73 for women; at 30 it is \$3.42 and \$3.96; at 35, \$3.55 and \$4.16; at 40, \$3.74 and \$4.45; 45, \$4.01 and \$4.83; at 50, \$4.34 and \$5.29.

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LETTERS FROM OUR SOLDIER BOYS

INFORMATION WHICH WILL INTEREST ALL—OUR BOYS LIKE THE LIFE AND WRITE US ABOUT IT

Somewhere in France. April 17, 1918
J. Willis Freed, Postmaster, Mount Joy, Pa.

Dear Friend:
I received your welcome letter and was glad to hear from you. You stated in your letter that it was the coldest winter for some time in the United States. Well, it is very cold here, but it is not so cold now as the trees are in full blossom.
You asked what I am doing to the Germans. Well, I tell you what we are doing. I guess you see it in the papers. The Germans know that they have a country to fight that can make them sit up and take notice. I have a deck of German cards, and they are some cards.
I have been in the trenches for some time, and back in again. The trenches are a good place to be. The first night we were in, the big shells made us sit up and take notice, but it didn't mind them. When the big shells go over our heads they play a tune for us.

We are all well and are having a good time here. We get all the warm clothes to wear. What more does a fellow want?
I read Joe Breneman and John Bowman's letters in the paper, and was glad to hear they were over here, but the way the paper stated they were not near the firing line yet.
I guess the town looks very slim by this time, for most of the boys have been called out. You say there are 85 on the service flag. Well, that is a good figure for the old town. I hope the boys will do their bit. I am doing mine.

From a friend,
Co. D, 151 M. G. B. N., American Expeditionary Forces.

Somewhere in France. April 2, 1918
The following letter was received by Mrs. Minnie Wittich from Mr. Carl J. Dyer, who is across the pond. Just a few lines to let you know that I am well and happy and hoping that your family are the same. I receive your ever welcome letters and was glad to hear all the news around home. I am enjoying myself very much or at least am trying to. We are still having trouble with plenty of rats and mice getting more used to them. If we haven't any partners they always call around and I assure you that they are very friendly. Some of them are as large as half-grown kittens.
As to wishing that we were home you are not the only one that wishes that as we all do at times but it doesn't do us very much good to wish that way. We may be home in a short while and then too it may be a very long time. But we are all hoping for the best.

I have been up at the trenches for several days and of course "Hans" and I came out O. K. and now we are back again for a longer time. I hope that we all come out safely again.
Living out in the trenches like that just reminds me of camping out in the big woods during the summer and taking in all kinds of sports. But we don't have time for sports here and that is the only difference. It is awful the way the Germans have blown up the towns. It seems a pity for the beautiful homes and also the large factories which are in ruins.
There are some few persons living in their homes, but the majority of them have moved out and gone to a different part of the country. So we soldiers take possession of those homes which have been vacated and which are not too badly wrecked.

We were recently transferred to a different company so my address is slightly changed.
I will close for this time, with best regards to all the children I am a friend,
Private Carl J. Dyer,
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Farmers Column

Items in These Columns Are Prepared in the Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C., and are Reliable and Trustworthy

WHEN CANNING FOR MARKET
Housewives and canning club members who wish to sell their canned products are urged by the Bureau of Markets, U. S. Department of Agriculture, to study their markets at the beginning of the season and pack according to local demands for different products. Secure orders for canned goods before putting them up, is the advice of the specialists. Small loss of non-standardized products are difficult to sell except among local buyers and are not purchased by the Army, Navy, commercial dealers, or any department of the Government. Home-canned food can be kept over from one season to the next, and those who have not sold their goods have reserves to draw from for their home-table. It is good policy, say the specialists, for the housewife to provide a reasonable surplus beyond the probable home consumption for the next crop year. While the Bureau of Markets is giving aid to producers on marketing problems, it says that it is difficult to place producers of small quantities of different kinds of products in touch with buyers. It urges home and club canners to learn the marketing end of their business just as do producers in other lines of industry.

WATCH PIGS FOR AILMENTS
Don't let ailments get a start in war litters. For the first week at least after farrowing the pig should be watched carefully before each feeding. If any indications of scours appear the sow's feed should be reduced immediately or possibly cut off entirely. A heavy feed of rich stop given when scours begin to show possibly may kill the entire litter. A little extra care for the first few days is very necessary to prevent losses.

VALUE OF A DEAD WOLF
Wolves cause an annual destruction of about \$1,000 worth of live stock each. One killed in October by a hunter of the Biological Survey in New Mexico had killed in six months 150 head of cattle valued at not less than \$5,000. Another taken by a Government hunter in the same state in June had killed in five months 20 yearling steers, 9 calves, 1 cow, 15 sheep and a valuable sheep dog.

COYOTES TOLL IN MEAT
Three coyotes in Morgan county, Utah, attacked a herd of sheep and in one hour destroyed \$500 worth. Ewes worth about \$1000, were killed by one or two coyotes in Colorado, 67 which had been separated from the main herd were killed, but only one of the carcasses had been partly eaten.

DUCKS FOR MEAT AND EGGS
On general farms ducks can be raised with success and at a profit. As a source of income, however, they do not appear to be well adapted for the average farm as chickens but under certain conditions they are good money makers. The demand for ducks eggs is more limited than for hens' eggs, and though ducks for table use usually bring a good price, their market is also limited and is mostly confined to large cities. For this reason it is advisable to study the market investment in ducks. Intensive duck farming on a large scale has been more successful than intensive chicken raising. Pekin ducks, which are kept extensively by commercial growers, are less subject to disease than chickens, and their methods of hatching and rearing have been used very successfully with them. Farmers as a rule have rarely given the necessary care to the feeding and marketing of their ducklings to secure any large share of the trade in fancy green ducks. It is this trade which attracts the commercial duck raiser. A green duck is a duckling which is grown rapidly and marketed when from 8 to 12 weeks old, weighing at that time from 4 1/2 to 6 lbs. They are usually sold in the spring and summer and bring high prices. Farmers who grow ducks generally market them in the fall when the prices are low as compared to prices earlier in the season.

SHORT STORIES FROM FEDERAL ANIMAL HUNTERS
Wild animals which prey upon live stock are only "good when dead." Then they may serve a really useful purpose, if their skins are properly cured, tanned, and made into fur garments.
Predatory animals cause losses to sheep herds in Utah and neighboring states of 500,000 head annually. Besides the foodstuffs thus destroyed, this means a loss of about 4,000,000 pounds of wool.
Two wolves at Ozona, Texas, killed 70 head of sheep in two weeks. In New Mexico 3 per cent. of the cattle are destroyed by predatory animals. In addition to about 34,350 head of cattle thus killed, the animals destroy about 165,000 sheep, a loss of 16,000,000 pounds of meat and 1,320,000 pounds of wool. The total loss to the State each year from this source amounts to about \$2,715,250.

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