RECORD OF FARM ACREAGE IN ASSESSMENT DISTRICT, PERMANENTLY ABANDONED FOR AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES

(Farms only temporarily idle should be reported in the regular schedule: See instructions on "Idle farms")

OWNER OF ABANDONED FARM LAND			FARM LAND ABANDONED		Number of dwellings on farm	HOW MANY OF THESE DWELLINGS ARE			OWNER OF ABANDONED FARM LAND			FARM LAND ABANDONED		Number of dwellings on farm	HOW MANY OF THESE DWELLINGS ARE		
NAME	R. D.	POST OFFICE	Year when first abandoned	Number of acres		Vacant	Occupied by a family engaged in farming	Occupied by a family not engaged in farming	NAME	R. D.	POST OFFICE	Year when first abandoned	Number of acres		Vacant	Occupied by a family engaged in farming	Occupied by a family not engaged in farming

Principal Reasons For Abandonment of These Farm Lands:

Each Assessor will please furnish the following information for his assessment district for the year 1927:

1. Tax millage rate for County purposes 8½
2. Tax millage rate for School purposes None
3. Poll tax for School purposes: (a) Male $1.50
   (b) Female 1.50
4. Tax millage rate for Boro Road purposes 14
5. Tax millage rate for Poor purposes None

Is the Poor Tax included in the County rate you have reported in (1)? yes

AFFIDAVIT OF ASSESSOR.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA }
COUNTY OF Adams } SS:

I, F. U. Topper, Assessor of the ~~Township~~ or Borough of McSherrystown 2nd Wd County and State aforesaid, do solemnly affirm or swear that I have faithfully performed the duties required of me by law and the annexed return is a full, true and correct return of all agricultural information for my assessment district to the best of my knowledge and belief; that the census work was begun on Sept 1st, 1927, and was completed on Oct 28th, 1927.

F. U. Topper
Assessor.

Affirmed or sworn and subscribed to before me this 3rd day of Nov, 1927.

P. E. Crouse
Clerk to Com. Commrs
(SEAL)

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