

**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:

**AFFIDAVIT OF ASSESSOR.**

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

1. Tax millage rate for County purposes 2<sup>1/2</sup>
2. Tax millage rate for School purposes 9 mills
3. Poll tax for School purposes: (a) Male \$ 3.00  
(b) Female \$ 3.00
4. Tax millage rate for Road purposes 8 mills
5. Tax millage rate for Poor purposes 4/10 of 1 mill

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA )  
COUNTY OF Butler ) SS:

John J. Kegan, Assessor of the Township or Borough of Swatara, 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 Oct 10, 1927, and was completed on 15 Dec, 1927.

Affirmed or sworn and subscribed to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of

April, 1927.

Ralph B. Berman  
Clerk to Con. Comm.  
(SEAL)



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(month) (dates) (year)

NAME OF FARM OPERATOR (Give full name as ordinarily written; last name last) (1)		ADDRESS R.D. Post Office		Owner, Renter or Manager	FARM POPULATION				Total acres of ALL LAND in farm	Total acres of LAND used for CROPS during season	CORN		WHEAT for grain	OATS for grain	RYE for grain	BUCK-WHEAT for grain	IRISH POTATOES	TOBACCO	TAME HAY		APPLE TREES		PEACH TREES of all ages	PEAR TREES of all ages	HORSES including colts	MULES including mule colts	HORSES and MULES of working age	MILK COWS and Heifers 2 years old and over	HEIFERS 1 to 2 years old (to be kept for milking)	ALL OTHER CATTLE including calves	SOWS AND GILTS for breeding	ALL OTHER SWINE including pigs	SHEEP including lambs	HENS AND PULLETS of laying age	ALL OTHER CHICKENS	HIVES OF BEES	EQUIPMENT AND CONVENIENCES Report number of each												If farm is equipped with ELECTRICITY, show source of current		
				Insert O, R, or M	Number under 10 years of age		Number 10 years of age and Older		acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number	number				
					Male	Female	Male	Female																																								for grain	for silage and fodder etc.		
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14	Morris Mesh	5	Lebanon	O	1	3	2	52	40	6	11	4					3/4		11	30	5		6	2	2	4	3	4	14				75	40									1		1						
15	Harvey Peters	5	"	O	1	1	1	93	80	14		24	12				2		26	42	20	10	4	1	4	5	9	1	1	15			100	50											1		1				
16	Miles W. Light	5	Lebanon	O	3	2	1	40	25	4	3	4					1		3	15	6	4	1	1	1	3				6			125	25																	
17	William Ketter	5	"	O	2	1	2	8	8	1							1/2		3	6	2	8	6	1	1	1						50	25																		
18	John Heilman	5	"	O	2	2	1	78	57	4	3	16	7				2		6	8	100		15	2	2	8	3	2	1	12			300																		
19	Paul Lee	5	"	R	2	2	1	92	80	17	8	20	6				1		20	20	50		1	4	4	8			1	8			40																		
20	William Rank	5	"	O			1	42	18										18	1	25				1	1	3																								
21	Raymond Reber	5	"	O	1	1	4	47	30	6		6					2		6	3	15		10	5	2	2	1			9	2		40	35																	
22	Fred A. Gill	5	"	O	3	2	2	190	130	18		5	14	5	10	1						6	6	3	3	1			7	25			250																		
23	Robert Bender	5	"	O		1	1	10																																											
24	Arthur Rank	5	"	O	2	1	1	2	33	25	5	12	1 1/2				1/4			9	16																														
25	Aaron Hartman	5	"	O	1	3	4	2	109	85	14	25	11				2 1/4			30	60	8		10	5	5	9	2	7	2	21			100	25																
26	Jerome Kresson	1	Suckdale	O			2	3	137	85	11	25	12				3/4			35	12				1	5	6	2	4	1	3			150	25																
27	Charlie Deibert	1	"	O	2	3	1	1	48	40	3	4	4				1/2			25	5				2	2							18																		
28	Mark Boshore	1	"	R	2	2	1	149	120	14		25	17				3/4			36	30			2	2	2	4	8	3	2																					
29	Grant Yeagley	1	"	O			2	1	56	25	6	3	6 1/2				1/2			8	10	15	20	6	2	2																									
30	John Hershey	1	"	O			NA		59	50	6	7								10																															
Assessor: Do not write below these lines; the columns are not to be added before returning this book to Harrisburg.		Column totals		O, R, or M	under 10	10 and over	All land in farm	Land in Crops	Corn for grain	Silage, fodder	Wheat	Oats	Rye	Buck-wheat	Irish potatoes	Tobacco	Alfalfa hay	Other tame	Bearing apples	Non-b. apples	Peaches all ages	Pears all ages	Horses	Mules	Work stock	Milk Cows	Heifers 1-2 yrs.	Other cattle	Sows & gilts	Other swine	Sheep	Hens & pullets	Other chickens	Hives of bees	Run. wat. syst.	Heat. syst.	Milk mach.	Auto. tr.	Mot. tr.	Trac. eng.	Gas eng.	Tel. eng.	Rad.	Silos	Electricity own sta.						
		30		O	28	34	49	45	214	1135	215	24	256	142	18	10	26	-	14	430	1025	156	58	88	47	13	61	111	17	42	17	184	2	2428	560	1	12		27	3	11	4	4	6	1						
Farms reporting		on single items		on groups																																															





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Nov 15 - 30  
(month) (dates) (year)

PENNSYLVANIA TRIENNIAL FARM CENSUS—1927

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Record of farms, crop acreages harvested or to be harvested during the 1927 season, livestock numbers on the date of enumeration, equipment and conveniences.

Table with columns: NAME OF FARM OPERATOR, ADDRESS, FARM POPULATION, CROPS (CORN, WHEAT, OATS, RYE, BUCKWHEAT, IRISH POTATOES), LIVESTOCK (TAME HAY, APPLE TREES, PEACH, PEAR, HORSES, MULES, MILK COWS, HEIFERS, ALL OTHER CATTLE, SOWS AND GILTS, ALL OTHER SWINE, SHEEP, HENS AND PULLETS, ALL OTHER CHICKENS, HIVES OF BEES), EQUIPMENT AND CONVENIENCES (RUNNING WATER, FURNACE HEATING SYSTEM, AUTOMOBILES, MOTOR TRUCKS, GAS ENGINES, TELEPHONES, RADIOS, SILOS), and POWER (OWN plant, Electricity Sta.).

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Column totals  
Farms reporting (on single items) (on groups)

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(month) (dates) (year)

Main data table with columns for farm operator name, address, farm population, land area, crop production (corn, wheat, etc.), and livestock numbers (cattle, horses, etc.).

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Summary table for Column totals, Farms reporting (on single items and on groups), and Electricity (own and station).

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Dec 1 - 10 (month) (dates) (year)

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Table with columns for Farm Operator Name, Address, Farm Population (Male/Female under 10/10 and over), Crops (Corn, Wheat, Oats, Rye, Buckwheat, Irish Potatoes, Tobacco), and Livestock (Horses, Mules, Cows, Heifers, Pigs, Sheep, Hens, etc.). Includes equipment and convenience columns at the bottom.

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Column totals... Farms reporting on single items on groups





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Dec 10 - 16 (month) (dates) (year)

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Table with 46 columns: NAME OF FARM OPERATOR, ADDRESS, FARM POPULATION, Land, Crops (Corn, Wheat, Oats, Rye, Buck-wheat, Irish potatoes, Tobacco), Tame Hay, Apple Trees, Peach, Pear, Horses, Mules, Milk Cows, Heifers, All other cattle, Sows and gilts, Other swine, Sheep, Hens and pullets, Other chickens, Hives, Bees, and various equipment types (35-44) and Electricity (45-46). Includes handwritten entries for farms 1-13 and column totals at the bottom.



