

## Big Spring Graveyard

**Marker Number:** 1989HM00007  
**Date Dedicated:** 11/6/1989  
**Marker Missing:** No  
**Marker Type:** Roadside  
**County:** Fulton  
**Municipality:** Ayr Township  
**Street Address:** Great Cove Rd. (US 522), 2.8 miles S of McConnellsburg  
**Coordinates:** 39.889935, -78.016552

**Marker Text:** Among those buried here are victims of the Great Cove Massacre of Nov. 1, 1755, at present McConnellsburg. The raid was conducted by Delawares and Shawnees led by Shingas, the Delaware "king." Houses were burned, and about 50 settlers were killed or captured. Its revelation at a meeting of Pennsylvania's Provincial Council, Nov. 5, 1755, led Gov. R.H. Morris to ask the Assembly for increased frontier protection.

**Location Description:** Great Cove Rd. (US 522), 2.8 miles S of McConnellsburg

**Marker Categories:**  
Native American

## Burnt Cabins

**Marker Number:** 1947HM00160  
**Date Dedicated:** 6/4/1947  
**Marker Missing:** No  
**Marker Type:** Roadside  
**County:** Fulton  
**Municipality:** Dublin Township  
**Street Address:** U.S. 522, .2 mile S of Burnt Cabins, county line  
**Coordinates:** 40.077336, -77.902515

**Marker Text:** Early settlers' cabins in this vicinity were burned by Provincial forces, 1750, to satisfy Indian protests against white trespassers on their lands. The name is a relic of troubled days on the Pennsylvania frontier.

**Location Description:** U.S. 522, .2 mile S of Burnt Cabins, county line

**Marker Categories:**  
Native American

## First Confederate Dead - Marker retired and replaced with 2021HM00034

**Marker Number:** 1948HM00083  
**Date Dedicated:** 2/10/1948  
**Marker Missing:** No  
**Marker Type:** Roadside  
**County:** Fulton  
**Municipality:** Ayr Township  
**Street Address:** Buchanan Trail (PA 16) near Horton Dr., just SE of McConnellsburg  
**Coordinates:** 39.924020, -77.983810

**Marker Text:** Two Confederate soldiers, killed June 29, 1863, in a skirmish with Union troops, were buried here by local residents. The monument in their honor was erected by the Daughters of the Confederacy.

**Location Description:** Buchanan Trail (PA 16) near Horton Dr., just SE of McConnellsburg

**Marker Categories:**  
Civil War  
Military

## Forbes Road - Raystown Path

**Marker Number:** 1952HM00028  
**Date Dedicated:** 2/21/1952  
**Marker Missing:** No  
**Marker Type:** Roadside  
**County:** Fulton  
**Municipality:** Dublin Township  
**Street Address:** U.S. 522, .2 mile SW of Burnt Cabins  
**Coordinates:** 40.077453, -77.901768

**Marker Text:** Just east of here is the junction of the two branches of the Raystown Path: a mountain shortcut by way of Fannettsburg, and Gen. Forbes road through Cowan Gap. From here Forbes route is marked by towns named for his forts: Littleton, Bedford, Ligonier, Pittsburgh.

**Location Description:** U.S. 522, .2 mile SW of Burnt Cabins

**Marker Categories:**  
French & Indian War  
Military  
Transportation  
Roads

## Fort Littleton - PLAQUE

**Marker Number:** 1924HM00004  
**Date Dedicated:** 7/1/1924  
**Marker Missing:** No  
**Marker Type:** Plaque  
**County:** Fulton  
**Municipality:** Dublin Township  
**Street Address:** US 522, 1.2 mile from intersection at Fort Littleton  
**Coordinates:** 40.063426, -77.961114

**Marker Text:** One of Pennsylvania's defenses against the French and Indians stood on this knoll built 1756 by GOVERNOR ROBERT HUNTER MORRIS.

**Location Description:** US 522, 1.2 mile from intersection at Fort Littleton

**Marker Categories:**  
Forts  
French & Indian War  
Governors  
Military

## Fort Lyttelton

**Marker Number:** 1967HM00014  
**Date Dedicated:** 6/30/1967  
**Marker Missing:** No  
**Marker Type:** Roadside  
**County:** Fulton  
**Municipality:** Dublin Township  
**Street Address:** US 522 at site, ~.5 miles E of Fort Littleton  
**Coordinates:** 40.063435, -77.961016

**Marker Text:** Begun in 1755 by George Croghan, named by Governor Morris after Sir George Lyttelton, then the Chancellor of the Exchequer. Garrisoned variously by Provincial and regular troops, as well as local volunteers in 1763. By 1764 it was reported in ruins.

**Location Description:** US 522 at site, ~.5 miles E of Fort Littleton

**Marker Categories:**  
Forts  
French & Indian War  
Military

## Fulton County

**Marker Number:** 1982HM00030  
**Date Dedicated:** 12/5/1982  
**Marker Missing:** No  
**Marker Type:** City  
**County:** Fulton  
**Municipality:** McConnellsburg Borough  
**Street Address:** County Courthouse, N. 2nd (U.S. 522) & Market Sts., McConnellsburg  
**Coordinates:** 39.934031, -77.998580

**Marker Text:** Formed April 19, 1850 out of Bedford County. Named for steamboat inventor Robert Fulton. Scene of Confederacy's first casualties in the Gettysburg Campaign, and its last campsite (1864) in Pennsylvania. McConnellsburg, county seat, incorporated 1814.

**Location Description:** County Courthouse, N. 2nd (U.S. 522) & Market Sts., McConnellsburg

**Marker Categories:**  
Government & Politics  
Government & Politics 19th Century

## Gettysburg Campaign

**Marker Number:** 1947HM00161  
**Date Dedicated:** 10/23/1947  
**Marker Missing:** No  
**Marker Type:** Roadside  
**County:** Fulton  
**Municipality:** Ayr Township  
**Street Address:** Near intersection of Lincoln Way East and Horton St., at E end of McConnellsburg  
**Coordinates:** 39.928800, -77.984682

**Marker Text:** Three times occupied by Southern invaders, chiefly cavalry: June 19, 1863, by Gen. A.G. Jenkins; June 24-26, by Gen. G.H. Steuart; and June 29, after a brief clash with Union troops, by Gen. J.D. Imboden.

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**Marker Categories:**  
Civil War  
Military

## Gettysburg Campaign

**Marker Text:** During the invasion of Pennsylvania by the

**Marker Number:** 2021HM00034  
**Date Dedicated:** 5/1/2021  
**Marker Missing:** No  
**Marker Type:** Roadside  
**County:** Fulton  
**Municipality:** Ayr Township  
**Street Address:** Buchanan Trail (PA 16)  
**Coordinates:** 39.923903, -77.983725

Confederate Army, raiding parties crossed into Fulton County to steal horses, live-stock, and supplies. On June 29, 1863, Union troops of the 1st New York Cavalry attacked the enemy soldiers, killing two, injuring several, and taking 32 prisoners, including the captain. These were the first Confederate soldiers killed in battle on Pennsylvania soil, and they were buried here by local residents.

**Location Description:** Buchanan Trail (PA 16) near Horton Dr., just SE of McConnellsburg

**Marker Categories:**  
Civil War

## Hunter Mill

**Marker Number:** 1947HM00162  
**Date Dedicated:** 10/23/1947  
**Marker Missing:** No  
**Marker Type:** Roadside  
**County:** Fulton  
**Municipality:** Ayr Township  
**Street Address:** Great Cove Rd. (US 522) near Hwy. 928, 5.3 miles S of McConnellsburg at Webster Mills  
**Coordinates:** 39.859639, -78.035983

**Marker Text:** This pioneer grist mill was built in 1812 by William Hunter. It has been in use continuously since that date. It is powered by a water wheel and uses much of the old-style machinery in its present operation.

**Location Description:** Great Cove Rd. (US 522) near Hwy. 928, 5.3 miles S of McConnellsburg at Webster Mills

**Marker Categories:**  
Buildings & Architecture  
Business & Industry  
Mills

## Last Confederate Bivouac

**Marker Number:** 2021HM00033  
**Date Dedicated:** 5/1/2021  
**Marker Missing:** No  
**Marker Type:** Roadside  
**County:** Fulton  
**Municipality:** Ayr Township  
**Street Address:** Great Cove Rd. (US 522) at Confederate Rd., ~.5 mile S of McConnellsburg 39.9205, -78.00637  
**Coordinates:** 39.920519, -78.006365

**Marker Text:** A Confederate force under General Bradley T. Johnson camped here July 31, 1864, after raiding and burning Chambersburg. They were the last Confederates to camp on Pennsylvania soil. General William W. Averell's Union cavalry pursued Johnson's and McCausland's brigades and routed the Confederates at the Battle of Moorefield in WV on August 7, 1864. That victory marked the beginning of Union dominance in the Shenandoah Valley.

**Location Description:** Great Cove Rd. (US 522) at Confederate Rd., ~.5 mile S of McConnellsburg

**Marker Categories:**  
Civil War

## Last Confederate Bivouac - Marker retired and replaced with 2021HM00033

**Marker Number:** 1947HM00163  
**Date Dedicated:** 6/4/1947  
**Marker Missing:** No  
**Marker Type:** Roadside  
**County:** Fulton  
**Municipality:** Ayr Township  
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**Marker Categories:**  
Civil War

Coordinates: 39.920500, -78.006370

Military

## Last Confederate Bivouac - Plaque Retired

**Marker Number:** 1930HM00010

**Date Dedicated:** 7/31/1930

**Marker Missing:** No

**Marker Type:** Plaque

**County:** Fulton

**Municipality:** Ayr Township

**Street Address:** Great Cove Rd. (US 522) at  
Confederate Rd., ~.5 mile S of  
McConnellsburg

**Coordinates:** 39.920590, -78.006350

**Marker Text:** General Bradley T. Johnson of the Confederate Army encamped 20 rods west of this marker at the Patterson home July 31, 1864 after the burning of Chambersburg. This was the last Confederate bivouac north of the Mason and Dixon line.

**Location Description:** Great Cove Rd. (US 522) at Confederate Rd., ~.5 mile S of McConnellsburg

**Marker Categories:**

Civil War

Military

## Pennsylvania

**Marker Number:** 1947HM00164

**Date Dedicated:** 6/1/1947

**Marker Missing:** No

**Marker Type:** Roadside

**County:** Fulton

**Municipality:** Bethel Township

**Street Address:** E side of Buck Valley /  
Warfordsburg Rd., just N of state line, S of  
Warfordsburg

**Coordinates:** 39.722900, -78.181797

**Marker Text:** Founded 1681 by William Penn as a Quaker Commonwealth. Birthplace of The Declaration of Independence and The Constitution of The United States.

**Location Description:** E side of Buck Valley / Warfordsburg Rd., just N of state line, S of Warfordsburg

**Marker Categories:**

Government & Politics 17th Century

Religion

William Penn