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100 lbs. cotton seed meal,	1.60
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Tall cans red salmon	10
Rice	5c to 9c
Tomatoes per can	10c
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1 lb cans baking powder with spoon	.10
Roasted coffee from	10 to 32c
Veal calves wanted every Wednes- day forenoon. Dressed poultry and live springers every Thursday.	

M. BRINK.

County Seat
Local and Personal Events
Tersely Told.

J. V. Finkle is visiting his son Frank at Hills Grove, this week.

Mrs. Dewitt Layton of Glen Mawr, visited friends here last week.

Miss Henrietta Hick of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of Miss Eliza Shant at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ritter and daughter, Ada, visited at the home of Dr. Wackenhuth at Picture Rocks, on Sunday last.

Mr. W. C. Mason has gone to Punxatawny where he will be engaged at surveying for several months.

Mrs. Wells and grand daughter, of Towanda, and Mrs. Brown of Wyalusing are recent arrivals at the Mountain House.

On Friday evening Dr. Whalen will lecture on "The Bright and Dark Side of Life in New York City." All who fail to attend this lecture will miss a rare treat.

Dr. Whalen, a lecturer of note who is at the Eagles Mere Chalet, gave an illustrated lecture upon "The Life of Christ," in the Baptist church at this place Monday evening. It was an excellent and instructive lecture and ably delivered.

The romantic novel written by Ellery P. Ingham, entitled "At The Point of the Sword" has come from the press and is being largely read and eagerly sought for at this place. The book is on sale at this office for \$1.50 a volume, the regular price of all standard works. Mail orders will be promptly filled. A review of the book will be published later.

After making attacks upon the honor and integrity of Judge Kraus, Judge Line, Judge Dunham and Judge Metzgar, Scouter continues his course by an attack on Judge Mitchell. We merely ventured to say that Judge Mitchell had, at his request, granted him a new trial and tried his case fairly and honestly. This he calls "trash," and characterizes it as "absolutely false." If Judge Mitchell had not intended to treat Scouter honestly and fairly, why did he grant a new trial? He surely did not have to. That he made an unintentional error in one of the numerous rulings he was called upon to make is now decided, but that he was dishonest and unfair is not true. The Superior Court does not impute unfairness to him. If Mr. Scouter will calmly consider the numerous prosecutions he has had in court during the term of Judge Sittler, and since, he will be forced to the conclusion that the dishonesty is nearer home than on the bench.

In response to the call for a meeting of those interested in forming a cemetery association, a large number of citizens met in the court room last Saturday evening. The meeting was organized by the election of Hon. E. M. Dunham as president, and F. W. Meylert secretary. The question of a permanent cemetery organization was fully discussed by several citizens and a committee of seven was appointed with full power to take such action as in its judgment would best bring about the desired results. The committee appointed is as follows: F. W. Meylert, W. C. Mason, A. J. Hackley, Mrs. M. C. Lauer, Ellery P. Ingham, John Minnier. At a subsequent meeting of the committee it was decided to circulate a subscription paper to raise sufficient funds to make urgent, immediate repairs and improvements at the cemetery. It was also decided to at once proceed to form a chartered organization, and a committee was appointed to prepare the necessary legal papers. All citizens will be given an opportunity to become members of the corporation and it is hoped that with a permanent organization Mt. Ash cemetery may be placed and kept in such condition as to reflect credit upon all concerned.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

Chairman Scouter called the convention to order. John G. Wright was elected president; J. W. Flynn and Ransom Thrasher, vice-presidents; John Finan, Geo. Hartzig and Frank Magargle, secretaries. After appointment of committee on resolutions the convention waited. The committee finally reported the usual class of resolutions and the convention proceeded to business. L. R. Gavitt of Laporte twp., was nominated for Treasurer. Peter Yonkin and Thos. Gahan both of Cherry twp., for County Commissioners. Christian Caseman of Elkland, and James Sweeney of Lopez for County Auditors. Edw. Rogers of Elkland, Member of Assembly. J. Henry Cochran of Williamsport, for state senate; C. H. Dickerman of Milton for congress, and Alexander Billmeyer for the short term congressman.

Everything was plain sailing except for the nomination of commissioners.

The first ballot showed Yonkin 29 1/2, Gahan 25, Bender 19 1/2, Laird 13 and Thrasher 11 1/2. Then by some sort of manipulation not understood at the time by a large number of delegates two additional votes were given to Yonkin, Gahan, and Bender, giving Yonkin 31 1/2, Gahan 27, Bender 21 1/2. If instead of doing this had the convention dropped the lowest man as provided for in their rules, the second choice on another ballot would most likely have nominated Bender instead of Gahan. But Cherry has eight delegates and proposes to take care of itself.

The convention then called upon Messrs Dickerman and Rogers who both responded to the call. Mr. Chas. H. Dickerman had a typewritten speech prepared which assured the people present that Columbia county would give Pattison a good majority, which aroused wild enthusiasm.

Hon. E. G. Rogers had a well prepared speech ready in which he endeavored to explain why he had supported measures against his party caucus decisions, or something on that strain, and also quoted Henry Clay in support of his actions in the last legislature. We did not know who it was controlled his vote on some of the legislation but never supposed it was Henry. Atty. A. Walsh apologized for the absence of the Hon. Henry Cochran, after which the convention adjourned.

DUSHORE.

Mrs. Hill whose illness was mentioned last week is no better; The temperature on Friday was 105.

Dr. Randall's son Ralph is very sick with inflammation of the bowels. A polander from Bernice was tried before Squire Lawrence on Monday charged with shooting another of his countrymen. The prisoner was committed to jail.

Geo. W. Jackson has returned from his fishing trip down the river.

Mrs. R. Hoag and family are visiting relatives near Wyalusing.

The band is preparing for a grand picnic August 15th.

The Evangelical Church people will hold an ice cream festival on Hamer's lawn Thursday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Randall entertained a select company at five o'clock tea last Thursday.

Chauncy Cunningham has returned from an extended visit to Elmira, Binghamton, Scranton, Williamsport and other places.

A very bold thief entered the home of Mr. J. W. Flynn one night last week. Mr. Flynn was away from home, and during the night Mrs. Breiger hearing a noise aroused Mrs. Flynn, they in some manner made it known to the robber that some one was about and he immediately made his escape without any booty for his trouble. An entrance was effected through a side door.

Services as usual at St. Johns Protestant Episcopal church, Laporte, on Sunday next at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Also services every Friday evening at 7:30.

WANTED.—A Middle age woman for cook at the Laporte Hotel. Good Wages.
F. W. Gallagher.

Republican County Convention.

There will be held in the Court House at Laporte, on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 12, 1902; at 1 o'clock p.m., a Republican Convention for the purpose of placing in nomination two persons for Congressmen, one person for Member of Assembly, one person for County Treasurer, two persons for County Commissioner and two persons for County Auditor.

It is earnestly desired that each precinct be represented by its full quota of delegates. Those who are unable to attend are specially requested to engage an alternate who will serve.

Following is the list of delegates:

Bernice.—Simon Fromberg, John C. Shaud, Chas. B. Watson, R. H. Guy.

Colley.—John S. Mosier, Hector Pritchard.

Cherry.—Lawrence Layelle, Lewis Zaner, Jos. Sick, Wm. Leonard, R. C. R. Kschinka.

Davidson.—Jas. C. Deininger, J. J. Sick, J. W. Laird, John Girtan.

Dushore Boro.—D. A. Wagner, J. H. Bohn, John Hileman, Jr. Jas. F. Cook.

Elkland.—Ulysses Bird, Edward Norton, Robert Reed, Sylvester Kilmer, Harry A. Hess, B. K. Luther, Forks.—Thos. Griffin, H. C. Pardo, E. P. Battin.

Eagles Mere Boro.—E. V. Ingham F. W. Peale.

Forksville Boro.—John W. Rogers, John R. Fleming.

Fox.—R. S. Fanning, Leon Campbell, W. H. Fanning, Samuel Leonard.

Hills Grove.—E. S. Little, Wm. Boyles, S. T. Galough, W. H. Harrison.

Laporte Borough.—F. H. Ingham C. R. Funston, Frank Shoemaker.

Laporte Twp.—R. Kessler, Ernest Botsford.

Lopez.—Charles Schock, Herman Ring, Wm. Shaffer, Stephen Beahm, Dr. J. L. Christian, Ed. Distall.

Ricketts.—Samuel Henning, Horace Carpenter.

Shrewsbury.—J. W. Little, Nelson W. Bennett.

Mt. Vernon.—Ward Edkin, Albert Bennett.

Ringdale.—S. Mead.

WM. P. SHOEMAKER, Chairman.

BERNICE.

Saturday night this town was again thrown in excitement by another shooting affray in which the foreigners were participants. A number of them had gotten into a fight across the creek at what is known as Mildred. After quiet had been restored two of the number who sought further vengeance upon those with whom they had been fighting, hurried ahead of the crowd on their return home in the lower section of this village. When they reached Miners street near the old barber shop the two who had advanced and taken ambush opened fire upon the crowd with a loaded No. 5 shot, of which 26 took effect in Adam Rice, a polander, lodging in his hip and thigh. An Italian by the name Ross Zawnoski also stopped some of the stray shot, neither were seriously injured. Monday morning Coal and Iron Police H. W. Taylor placed Michael White, a Lithuanian under arrest for the shooting. At the same time Wm. Smith, a polander was placed under arrest for assault and battery upon Joseph White. Both were taken to Dushore and given a hearing before Squire Lawrence and in default of bail were taken to Laporte and lodged in jail.

Geo. Stalisl, while trying to start an electric pump in the mines Monday July 28, had his arm caught between the cog gearing tearing off the flesh from the elbow to the wrist. Dr. Campbell was called and made the man as comfortable as possible. H. W. Taylor took him to the Sayre Hospital on the evening train.

Atty. Robert Mercer of Towanda transacted business here last week. Atty. R. J. Tison of Dushore was a business man in town Thursday last.

One of the L. V. R. R. detectives was here Saturday and straightened up some of the boys who have been jumping trains in and about here.

A very heavy electrical shower passed over this place Friday afternoon and lightning struck the big dynamo at the electric plant doing enough damage to throw the mines idle Saturday.

It was pay day here Saturday and things were lively as usual.

Abel King visited his parents at Towanda, Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Vankaving of Kingston preached a very able sermon at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

S. W. Brown of Towanda was a business man in town last week.

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