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100 " Corn meal,	1.40
100 " Cracked corn,	1.40
100 " Corn, oats, & barley chop	1.45
100 " Oil meal, old process	1.85
200 " coarse brans;	2.00
Same per ton (1800)	19.00
140 lbs red dog (middlings)	1.90
Same per ton	25.00
100 lb. Granulated sugar	4.90
Oats per bushel	37
Schumacher's best flour	1.15
"Our Own" a blended flour	1.05
Best Spring Patent	1.15
Extra, a partry flour	.95
140 lbs. common fine salt	.60
Same per barrel	1.20
Best Rio Coffee per lb.	18
Arbuckle or Lion	11
Fair loose coffee	10
1 pkg. good coffee	15
2 lbs same	25
10 bars of Dome soap for	10
1 lb. can baking powder	10
Good smoking tobacco	16
Dressed pork by the whole carcass	00
Veal calves wanted every Wednesday forenoon. Dressed poultry and live springers every Thursday.	

M. BRINK.
700ft Wyckoff Patent Wood Water Pipe for sale, 7c lineal foot by Wieland & Kessler, Nordmont. Best because water piped in this way keeps sweet and untainted, and wood has longer life under ground than iron. Use it in piping your water to the house or barn.

County Seat
Local and Personal Events
Tersely Told.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Cowell spent Sunday at Bernice.

Mrs. Henry Karge is visiting her former home in Missouri.

Michael McNellon last week moved his family to Williamsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Duple of Williamsport, are guests at the Mountain House.

Mr. Warren Watrous of Johnsonburg, spent Sunday at the home of W. C. Mason at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Ingham of Eagles Mere made Laporte friends a pleasant call on Sunday.

Miss Jeannette Spencer of Picture Rocks spent Sunday at her mother's home in this place.

Albert Hess, Esq. one of Dushore's young and popular attorneys, stopped at the Laporte Hotel Monday night.

Mr. Cornelius Glidewell and Miss Lizzie Swisher, both of Sonestown, were married at Dushore, Nov. 12, by Rev. W. J. Campbelle.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Ingham and son Donald returned to New York last week to spend the winter months.

Rev. A. E. Smith of Forksville M. E. Church, is rendering assistance to Rev. S. B. Bidlack in his revival meetings this week.

Miss Katie Beahen of Philadelphia, and formerly of this place, entered the Norristown Hospital last week to take a three years' course in professional nursing.

Mrs. Jacob Fries, Sr. and Mrs. Simon Brieger returned home Monday after spending several days at Dushore.

Mrs. Van Heiser and daughter Sadie of New Columbia, spent Friday with their friend, Mrs. S. B. Cowell.

M. W. Botsford of Nordmont, who has recently engaged in the wholesale confectionery business, was in town Monday taking orders for a large distribution of his toothsome goods among our dealers.

Mr. M. E. Reeder moved his family on Tuesday to Chippewa, his prize stock farm near Hughesville. The best wishes of their many Laporte friends go with them to their new home, which has the charms of an ideal country place.

Mr. and Mrs. Delroy Heim of Bellwood, Pa., visited friends at Laporte Sunday and Monday of this week. Delroy is one of the expert moulders in the iron foundry at that place.

He presented the News Item with an iron bust of Abraham Lincoln, as a sample of his work in moulding.

On Saturday last while out hunting, Walter Ring, a young man of Lopez, had his gun accidentally discharged the load striking him in the left arm, inflicting a serious wound. He was immediately sent to the Sayre Hospital, where an effort is being made to save his arm.

In bold face type over the heading of the Cross Fork News, edited by O. W. Grimm, appears the startling statement "Lightning strikes the man who borrows his neighbor's newspaper. Subscribe for the 'News' and take no chances." The editor of that paper evidently has his own ideas regarding justice. If successful in having accomplished what he says will be done, he will have saved publishers the expense of supplying news to that class of criminals and rid the world of those who are not a part of it.

Rev. R. C. Caswell will hold Episcopal services at his appointments as follows: At Dushore, Thursday evening, Nov. 20, at 7:30, also Friday morning, Nov. 21 at 7 o'clock, Holy Communion. At Bernice, Friday evening, Nov. 21, at 7:30, in Odd Fellows Hall. At Laporte, Sunday morning, Nov. 23, at 11 o'clock, Sunday evening at 6:30. Thanksgiving Day, Holy Communion and sermon, 9:00 a. m. at Laporte. Evening Prayer and sermon at 7:30 at Eagles Mere.

Transfer of License.
Notice is hereby given that an application for a transfer of Tavern License for the Commercial Hotel in Laporte Borough now held by David Temple to David Mark has been filed in my office, and the same will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace on Monday Dec. 1, 1902, at eleven o'clock a. m.
THOS. E. KENNEDY, Clerk.
Laporte, Pa., Nov. 13, 1902.

RELIGIOUS THOUGHT.

Gems Gleaned From the Teachings of All Denominations.
The only hope to be saved from everlasting suffering is to accept the offered mercy of God in this life and repent of all sin.—Rev. Dr. Holderby, Presbyterian, Atlanta, Ga.

Christ Relieves All Burdens.
There is not a galling of the yoke or a pressure of the burden but can be relieved by a consistent application of the teaching of Christ.—Rev. F. E. Hopkins, Congregationalist, Chicago.

Follow Where Christ Leads.
If we go astray, it shall not be for lack of a bath, but for not following where Christ leads. We are simply to go forward to Christlikeness.—Rev. Mr. Helms, Methodist, Worcester, Mass.

Nearness of God and Man.
Of all creeds that have been founded since the beginning of the world the Christian religion is the only one that overcomes the sense of distance between God and man.—Rev. Dr. Brady, Episcopalian, Philadelphia.

Unstable Christianity.
A Christianity which is not rooted is always unstable; a Christian love that has not penetrated into the depths is not a love of a permanent or enduring character. It is more like a bubble.—Rev. Dr. MacLaurin, Reformed, Rochester, N. Y.

Supplies Utmost Need.
Christ supplies our utmost spiritual need. In him alone there is satisfaction. In him we have the inheritance, incorruptible, undefiled and that fadeeth not away. If Christ be ours, if our faith be rooted and grounded in him, all things are ours and we are Christ's.—Rev. S. G. Nell, Baptist, Philadelphia.

Ministering Unto Others.
If a man would believe in his fellow men, if he would believe in society and the possibilities of human nature, if he would believe in God, he must approach his duties in the spirit of the Master when he said, "I come not to be ministered unto, but to minister."—Rev. Dr. George L. Perin, Universalist, Boston.

Being Right With God.
If right with God, there is comfort in the thought of a final reckoning of all accounts, when and where all wrongs shall be righted. If right with God, you cannot be wrong with anything or anybody. If not right in relation to God, you are out of relation to everything and to everybody.—Rev. N. H. Lee, Methodist, Denver.

Responsibility For Thoughts.
A man is as responsible for his thoughts as his actions. In fact, a man's actions are but his embodied thought. Wrong doing feeds on wrong thinking. Coarse thinking is the nearest of kin to coarse actions. Right thinking about Christ brings right thinking about every relationship of life.—Rev. Dr. Harlan, Brooklyn.

Righteousness Pays.
There is no greater folly conceivable than that of imagining that unrighteousness pays more than righteousness. The history of the world is against it. Reason is against it. It is the righteousness of the world that makes unrighteousness of seeming advantage.—Rev. Dr. Raymond, President Union College, Schenectady, N. Y.

Active and Devoted.
Christ was an example of religious devotion. We find him going to the temple. He was also an example of religious activity. We find him doing good. Some people are devoted Christians, but they are not active. Others are active, but not devoted. Christ was both active and devoted.—Rev. Dr. Meeley, Methodist, Brooklyn.

Favors and Obligations.
There are no favors in God's world but involve also greater obligations. Each privilege we enjoy means another duty. Every power we obtain imposes upon us some new responsibility. There is no such thing as equality in life. Nature did not fashion all flowers and trees alike. Its beauty consists in its variety of form and color, in its contrasts of high and low, of strong and feeble. Neither are all men molded alike physically or intellectually; otherwise human existence would be bereft of all charm, of all ambition.—Rev. Kaufman Kohler, Hebrew, New York.

Orphans' Court Sale.

Valuable Farm in Fox Township. A substantial dwelling house beautifully situated. Two bank barns. One hundred and fifty acres of land. Mostly cleared, but has some woodland. It is well watered. A fine young orchard and other fruit trees. A good sugar bush.
By virtue of an order from the Orphans' Court of Sullivan County I will, at the dwelling house on the premises, on SATURDAY the 29th day of NOV., 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m., expose to public sale the farm owned by James Stull deceased, situated in the Township of Fox, County of Sullivan and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the north-west corner, thence east by lands of S. U. Morgan, A. L. Brown and the estate of Lydia Jackson 283 perches to a stone heap; thence south by lands of Sophronia Porter 84 perches to a stone heap; thence west by lands of John Battin estate 283 perches to a post; thence north by lands of Jacob Brown 90 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 150 acres more or less.
Terms of Sale: One-fourth of the purchase money at the striking down of the property, and the remaining three-fourths within one year thereafter, with interest from confirmation N. S.
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SOUTH LONDON.

Sir Walter Besant Gives Some Interesting Sketches of That Ancient Portion of the City.

Besides being a novelist, Sir Walter Besant is a historian, particularly the historian par excellence of London. For the last few years he has written articles on historical London for The Pall Mall Magazine. The last series to appear were on South London; these, like the others, are now presented in book form under their original title and with the elaborate and artistic illustrations which so enhanced their value when they were printed in the magazine. The publishers of "South London" in this country are Frederick A. Stokes Company.

"The chief difficulty in writing 'South London,' has been that of selection from the great treasures which have accumulated about this strange spot. The contents of this volume do not form a tenth part of what might be written on the same plan, and still without including the history proper of the borough."

The author courteously acknowledges his obligations to the artist "Mr. Perry Wadham, who has so faithfully and so cunningly carried out the task committed to him."

"My South London," says Sir Walter, "extends from Battersea in the west to Greenwich in the east, and from the river on the north to the first rising ground on the south. This rising ground, a gentle ascent, the beginning of the Surrey hills, can still be observed on the high roads of the south—Clapham, Brixton, Camberwell."

At first London had no communication with the rest of the world, except by water. Then a causeway was built across the Southwark marshes. The second road connected with the high road to Dover; it is now called High Street Borough. It formed an entirely open and broad communication; it began not far to the west of St. Saviour's Church, opposite the Roman Trajectory, the mediaeval ferry, now St. Mary Overies Dock. Ferries were soon established across the Thames, and at length the marshes were drained. Prehistoric remains prove that all this was done during the stone age and the bronze age.

Centuries passed by. "High Street of Southwark is now a crowded thoroughfare, because it is the main artery of a town containing a population of many hundreds of thousands. In the last century it was quite as animated, because it was one of the main arteries by which London was in communication with the country. An immense number of coaches, carts, wagons, and caravans passed every day up and down the High Street, some stopping or starting in Southwark itself; some going over London Bridge to their destination in the city."

Among the relics of the bygone ages stands to-day the remains of the palace of the Bishop of Winchester. As one of the Bishops of Winchester would have made a very good modern Police Court Judge and District Attorney combined, it may not be inappropriate at this place to tell something about the punishments of the time that were ordered by the church. "There was whipping, but not the terrible, murderous flogging of the eighteenth century; there were hangings, but not for everything. Mostly to the credit of the church, punishment was designed not to crush a man, but to shame him into repentance and to give him a chance of retrieving his character. A man might be set in the stocks or put in pillory, and so made to feel the heinousness of his offense. This punishment was like that which was inflicted on a schoolboy; the thing done, the boy is taken back to favor. The eighteenth century branded him, imprisoned him, transported him, made a brute of him, and then hanged him. Did a woman speak despitely of authority—presumptuous queen—set her up in the cage beside the stouples of London Bridge, that every one should see her there and should ask what she had done. After an hour or two take her down; bid her go home and keep henceforth a quiet tongue in her head. This leniency was only for offenses moral and against the law. For freedom of thought or doctrine there was Bishop Bonner's better way. And it was a way inhuman, inflexible, unable to forgive."

Sir Walter Besant, in showing how the palace either contains or has at some time contained the work of nearly every archbishop in succession, incidentally remarks, in speaking of some of the improvements executed by the various prelates, that the Chicheley Tower, commonly known as the "Lollards' Tower," never had any connection with Lollards, and that all the talk about the unhappy Lollard prisoners is without foundation."

And, in a word, which will explain why I have given an apparently disproportionate space to Lambeth Palace, the author thus ends his chapter on the royal houses of South London; "Lambeth Palace, the only palace in the whole of South London, is a monument of English history from the twelfth century downward. Kennington appears at intervals; Eltham is a holiday house; Greenwich practically begins with the Tudors. Lambeth, like Westminster or St. Paul's belongs to the long history of the English people."

From the fragmentary "lives" of Shakespeare we have learned considerable about the Globe Theatre, but in "South London" we find a great deal more, and also much about the Bear Garden, Blackfriars, and Paris Garden, the Hope Theatre, the Swan Theatre, and the Rose. It is all very interesting.

And of the South London of to-day, there is much that is of interest, much that is fascinating, albeit the tourist to London can see it all if he only takes the trouble.

Tempering Steel.
The tempering of steel with uniform results is a feat hardly to be achieved by the most expert artisan. A German inventor had devised a process for accurately obtaining any desired degree of hardness, the variations being effected by changes in the liquid used, and depending on the fact that graded results may be produced by the use of milk in varying forms and dilutions—that is, by fresh and skimmed milk, sweet and sour whey, fresh and old buttermilk, and different mixtures with water. The various stages of acidification of milk are also said to give all the effects of hardening in oil and other fat mixtures.

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Trial List. December Term, 1902.
Return Day, December 8th, at 2 o'clock.
1. Robert McMahon, Jr. now to use of John W. Carroll vs Robert McMahon and Eliza McMahon. No. 34, May term, 1900. Feigned issue. Plea, non assumption, payment etc.
Mullen. | Cronin & Walsh.
J. S. Hoffa & Co. vs Mary Maxwell Jackson. Executrix of George C. Jackson deed No. 34, December term, 1900. Assumpsit.
Cronin. |
2. Rider Erison Engine Co. a corporation vs Henry Brown owner or reputed owner and W. McConnell, contractor No. 40 May term, 1901. Mechanic's lien. Plea, non assumption etc.
Mullen. | Fredericks and Inghamst.
Union Tanning Co. vs Isaac Robbin, Zebulon S. Robbins and Freeman O. Robbins, co-partners, doing business under firm name of Robbins Lumber Co.
Chas Jackson, Elisha Jackson and Eugen Wood. No. 3, September term, 1902. Trespass. Plea—"Not Guilty."
Thomson & McCormick, Inghams & Boyle The Township of Cherry vs The County of Sullivan. No. 62, Sept. term, 1902. Assumpsit, Plea non assumption. | Mullen.
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