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100 " coarse bran	120
100 " low grade flour	160
125 " fancy middlings	190
140 " reddog	225
100 " gluten feed	140
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Oats per bushel	55
100 lbs buckeye wheat feed	125
140 " salt in bag	60
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AT  
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**County Seat**  
**Local and Personal Events**  
**Tersely Told.**

G. S. Eddy was a business man at Monroeton last week.

Judge and Mrs. E. M. Dunham are in Tunkhannock this week.

Mrs. E. E. Wrede and daughter Bessie spent Wednesday in Williamsport.

Herman Green of Hillsgrove, visited his sister, Mrs. L. R. Gumble, this week.

Miss Emma Spencer is spending a week with relatives in Williamsport.

Mrs. B. S. Cowell returned Saturday after spending a week in Towanda.

Mrs. E. H. Cook returned to her home in Athens Saturday after spending a week in town.

A. E. Tripp has been awarded the contract for erecting a dwelling house at Jamison City for the Elk Tanning Company.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Randall left on Tuesday for a ten days visit with friends in Williamsport and Philadelphia.

Miss Mame Fries returned home Sunday after a few week's visit to her sister, Mrs. J. L. Farrel at Dushore.

Miss Josephine Hamman, of Martinsburg, W. Va, spent Sunday with her cousin Mrs. C. L. Wing.

The Laporte High School commencement exercises will be held in the Court House Friday evening, April 29. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

George Craft of Shrewsbury township, who was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for sheriff several years ago, suffered a paralytic stroke last Sunday.

With the thermometer nearing zero Tuesday night and a rough blizzard Wednesday, drove the early robbers from our midst and set the farmers to meditating on their spring planting.

Sheriff Cott in company with F. M. Crossley conveyed James Shevelling to the Danville asylum the early part of this week.

Mrs. Wilcox and daughter Miss Eva, of Buffalo, N. Y. were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Culver, the fore-part of this week.

Mr. Walter Lowe of Laporte Twp. recently left for the state of Washington where he will join his brother Parker who went west several months ago.

The entertainment given at the Methodist church last Saturday evening proved a success in every way. A full house showed their appreciation of the efforts of those who took part in the amusing farce. Over \$26 was realized from the sale of seats.

Hon. Fred P. Vincent the newly appointed appraiser of the port of Philadelphia received a happy surprise as he reached his office to enter upon his new duties. A reception which has been tendered him by the employees of his office. Flowers of all kinds filled every nook and cranny of the appraiser's office. Behind Mr. Vincent's chair was a horseshoe of roses intertwined with green, his desk was almost hidden by an immense bouquet of American Beauty roses, palms and carnations filled every available place in the large office. Concealed among the flowers were cages of singing birds. As Mr. Vincent entered his office, the surprise was pleasing. The entire office force was immediately marshalled in from another door, and passing in review tendered their congratulations.

Andrew Carnegie's establishment of a fund for the benefit of heroes who save life and suffer injury in the act and for the benefit of their dependents if they suffer death is something new in the pensioning way. Nothing of the kind has ever been undertaken before. Hundreds of lives are saved each year by brave rescuers. Often the rescuer receives permanent injury. Occasionally he is killed leaving his family without means of support. For such both public bounty and private philanthropy have failed to make provision Carnegie is the first in the field. His long hunt for noble ways to give away his wealth has had no better result than this. A place on the Carnegie pension roll will be a place of honor and the man who founds this new philanthropy is himself worthy of high honor. It is his latest gift. Is it too much to say that it is the best?

David Mark has sold his hotel business at this place to Joseph Carpenter of Dushore, who will take charge of the Commercial Hotel about May 1st. Mr. Marks will move into the Messenger house when he leaves the hotel.

A Kansas papertells of the dangers of newspaper borrowing as follows:

A man who was too economical to take the home paper sent his little boy to borrow the copy taken by his neighbor. In haste the boy ran over a \$4 stand of bees, and in ten minutes his face looked like a warty summer squash. His cries reached his father who ran to his assistance, and failing to notice a barbed wire fence ran in to that, breaking it down, cutting a handful of flesh from his anatomy and ruining a \$5 pair of pants. The cow took advantage of the gap in the fence and got into the corn field and killed herself eating green corn. Hearing the racket, the wife ran, upset a four gallon churn full of cream onto some kittens, drowning them, in her hurry she lost a \$7 set of teeth. The baby left alone crawled through the cream and into the parlor, and ruined a new \$20 carpet. During the excitement the oldest daughter ran away with the hired man; the dog broke up eleven setting hens; and the calves got out and chewed the tails off of four fine shirts.

**NOTICE.**—Notice is hereby given to all persons that I will not be held responsible for any debts contracted by my father, Mr. Henry Kohensparger, after this date, unless he presents an order properly signed by me. Mrs. E. H. COOK. April 15, 1904.

**GRANGE SUPERVISION.**

**A New Force in Michigan Grange Work.**

Michigan Patrons are ever awake to new methods for advancing the interests and the usefulness of the Order. Their latest "organized force" in the forward movement is a department of grange supervision and inspection. The chairman of the executive committee of the Michigan state grange, Mr. F. W. Redfern, says that "owing to the rapid increase in membership and the desirability of keeping in close touch with our Pomona and subordinate granges in their efforts to assimilate, educate and instruct this new membership in the duties, obligations, privileges and opportunities given by our Order to its members it was thought best to present to our state grange a proposition for the creation of a new department to be known as the "department of grange supervision and inspection." This recommendation contained provisions for the appointment of one general and thirteen special deputies; also for the division of the state into districts, each with an approximately equal number of granges. This recommendation received favorable recognition and was made operative by the action of the state grange. In accordance with the above, one general and thirteen special deputies have been appointed. The state has been districted, and these gentlemen have commenced work. It is the duty of these deputies to visit and inspect each and every grange in the state, each deputy in the district to which he has been assigned to co-operate, advise, instruct and in every legitimate way strive to build up and strengthen the Order."

**THE JUVENILE GRANGE.**

**Organized in 1888, Its Growth Has Been Slow.**

The idea of training the boys and girls of the farm home for future usefulness by the organization of juvenile granges originated in Texas in the year 1888, when the first young people's grange was organized. A resolution directing the executive committee to prepare a suitable ritual was passed at the session of the national grange in Sacramento, Cal., in 1888. Jonathan J. Woodman, P. M., of the national grange drew up the present ritual, which was adopted at Atlanta, Ga., in 1889. Since that the work had practically died out, to be revived again during the last few years in New England and Michigan.

At the recent meeting of the national grange in Rochester it was voted to procure the requisite regalia and working tools for conferring the juvenile degree.

Any child whose parents are members of the Order is eligible to membership in the juvenile grange. He must be eight years of age and under fourteen, for at the latter age he may become a member of the subordinate grange.

In strictly rural communities, where there is less to occupy the young in a social way than in villages, the juvenile grange seems to flourish best. It gives young people a most valuable mental and social training at an age when impressions are most easily made and prepares them for membership in the subordinate grange when they arrive at the proper age. It cultivates the polite graces. It gives self confidence. It inculcates truth and morality. The granges should not lose this grand opportunity for molding the lives of farmers' boys and girls and instilling early the excellent principles of our beneficent Order.

**Trial List, May Term 1904**

Return day, May 23, at 2 o'clock p. m.  
James Jordan vs Howard Lyon doing business as the Lyon Lumber Co.  
1. No. 49, February term, 1902. Defendants appeal. Plea non assumpsit. Mullen.  
Lawrence D. Finan vs Thos Cadden.  
2. No. 42, February term, 1903. Trespass. Plea, not guilty. Cronin. Walsh.  
James Hawley vs Laura D. Hawley.  
3. No. 1 May term, 1903. In divorce. Issue. Bradly. Inghams.  
James McFarlane vs Michael Collins.  
4. No. 43, Sept. term, 1903. Defendant's Appeal. Plea, "non assumpsit, payment etc." Bradly. Mullen.  
THOS. E. KENNEDY, Prothonotary. Office, Laporte, Pa. April 9, 1904.

**Trial List, Special Court, Common Pleas.**

Return day, June 6, 1904, at 2 o'clock p. m.  
No. 1. W. W. Jackson and Blanche Sturdevant, trustees for the devisees of George D. Jackson, decd, and W. W. Jackson administrator of the estate of George D. Jackson decd and Mary B. Young, Alice E. Irving, Blanche W. Sturdevant and Ida Green Jackson vs Rush J. Thomson, The Citizens National Bank of Towanda, Pa. and Walter B. Gunton. No. 49 September term, 1902. Ejectment. Plea, not guilty. Mullen, Walsh. Thomson & Heess Mercur, McPherson.  
No. 2. Mary M. Jackson devisee of George C. Jackson, decd, W. W. Jackson and Blanche W. Sturdevant, executors of Bernice W. Jackson, decd, Mary B. Young, Alice E. Irving, Blanche Winifred Sturdevant and Ida Green Jackson vs Rush J. Thomson and the Citizens National Bank of Towanda Pa. No. 50 September term, 1902. Ejectment. Plea, not guilty. Mullen, Walsh. Thomson & Heess Mercur, McPherson.  
No. 3. J. K. Newell cashier, vs Mary M. Jackson, Ex. of George C. Jackson decd, W. W. Jackson Ex. and Blanche W. Sturdevant Exs. of Bernice W. Jackson decd, and Rush J. Thomson, terre tenant. No. 10, February term, 1904. Sei Fa. Plea non assumpsit with leave etc Thayer & Harney. McCormick, Walsh Mullen.  
No. 4. The Lehigh Valley Coal Co. now to use of F. Vidraus Thomson, vs Mary M. Jackson Ex of George C. Jackson decd, and Rush J. Thomson terre tenant. No. 12, February term, 1904. Sei Fa. Plea, non assumpsit, with leave, etc. Thayer & Harney. McCormick, Walsh Mullen.  
THOMAS E. KENNEDY, Prothotary's office, Laporte, Pa., April 11, 1904.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box, 25c.

**Alumni Banquet.**

The members of the Alumni Association of the Forksville Graded School will be entertained in their 15th annual meeting at Hotel Curie the evening of May 3d, 1904. The usual program will be followed. Music furnished by the Hillsgrove orchestra. Supper, seventy-five cents per plate.  
WINIFRED MOLYNEUX, Sec.

**Transfer of License.**

Notice is hereby given that an application for a transfer of license granted to David Mark in Laporte to Jos. Carpenter and the same will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions on Saturday, April 30, at 10 o'clock, a. m.  
THOMAS E. KENNEDY, Clerk. Clerk's office, Laporte Pa., Apr. 20, 1904.

**Notice to Student and Prospective.**

L. S. Owen formerly Dist. Rep. for the International Correspondence Schools of Scranton, Pa. having resigned.  
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