

Moylan Store list

LEX, 1792

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In 1792, John Moylan's store stood next door to the Buffalo Tavern in Lexington. His ledger book lists the diversity of commodities that were available in Lexington by way of freight wagons traveling the Limestone Road.

Household items: knives and forks, pewter hardware, glassware, looking glass, coffee pot, frying pan, Dutch oven, thread on bobbins, silk thread, needles, knitting needles, thimble, scissors, linen, indigo, starch, rosin, bed sheets, blankets, carpet, beeswax, paste board, Castile soap, candles, spectacles, stationary, spelling book. Construction materials and tools: nails, hinges, locks and latches, door knobs, axe, roofers' adze, coopers' adze, draw knife, spade, hand vice. Clothing and yard goods: boots, ladies shoes, leather shoes, course shoes, shoe buckles, silk handkerchiefs, broad cloth, white cloth, muslin, blue coating material, calico, silk material, ribbon, buttons, wool hats, castor hats, worsted hosiery. Food stuffs and spirits: wine, Lisbon wine, port, sherry, gin, whiskey, butter, cheese, salt, mustard in bottles, cayenne pepper, cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg, mace, Hyson tea, Louchong tea, raisins, sugar, loaf sugar, vinegar, bacon. Other goods: snuff, rifles, flints, gun locks, powder and shot, lead, whip, riding whip, bridle, girth buckles, twine and fish hooks, surveyors' chain, heavy duty chain, bristone.

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