Lumberjack Supplies: Cookee

As the cookee, you will be working in the cookhouse helping the cook with all three meals of the day. It is also your job to bring lunch to the men with the horse and swingdingle, so make sure you have enough socks and mitts to be outside over lunch. Being new at camp, you will be given the bunk furthest from the stove, so you will want to purchase another blanket.



-Clerk

Your job: Cookee Your pay: \$25/month Start Date: November 1, 1900 End Date: March 31, 1901

Camp supplies

Long underwearScotch capHorsehide mitts\$2.00/undershirt\$0.75/each\$1.00/pair

\$2.00/drawers Wool shirt Wool Mackinaw jacket

Wool socks \$2.00/each \$4.25/each

\$0.65/pair (cheap quality)
\$0.75/pair (best quality)

Malone wool pants
\$2.75/pair \$2.00/each

Cotton socks

\$0.25/pair (not as warm as wool)

You brought the following items along to camp: 1 pair of cotton socks; 1 pair of boots; 1 jacket; 1 pair of pants; 1 shirt.

Looking at what you brought with you, and what your job is, the clerk suggests that you purchase at least two pairs of the cheap quality wool socks, a blanket, long underwear, and two pairs of horsehide mitts. You can follow the clerk's advice, add to his suggestions, or make your own selections. However, you need to purchase a minimum of three different items. In the box on the next page write a paragraph explaining why you purchased the items you selected.

Answers will vary. The items suggested by the clerk are shown below.

Item	Quantity	Calculation	Total
Wool socks, cheap quality	2 pairs	\$0.65 × 2	\$1.30
Blanket	1	\$2.00 x 1	\$2.00
Long underwear, undershirt	1	\$2.00 x 1	\$2.00
Long underwear, drawers	1	\$2.00 x 1	\$2.00
Horsehide mitts	2 pairs	\$1.00 × 2	\$2.00

Monthly wage: \$\\\\^\$25.00\$ Total bill: \$\\\\^\$9.30\$ Money left (first month): \$\\\\^\$15.70\$