THE DEMOCRAT.

MONTROSE, PA., JAN. 10, 1877.

Town, County, and Variety.

——People begin to want that "January thaw."

——All men are not homeless, but some men are home,less than others.

——The ladies of South Bridgewater will hold a mite society at Wm. Allen's Friday evening next.

——"Capital weather, Mr. Jones, capital weather. My wife's got such a cold that she can't speak. I like such weather."

——Pray for the poor with all your might, and now and then throw in a loaf of bread, basket of potatoes, or barrow of coal.

——We call men "loose" when they are tight,
And "gone" when they are staying;
And some get "sawed" that go to sea,
And "slewed" when they go sleighing.

——An exchange says; "What the country needs to have right off is a religion which will make a man feel that it is just as cold for his wife to get up and build a fire as it is for himself.

——Between 17,000 and 18,000 alligator skins are tanned yearly in the United States, which are consumed by boot and shoe manufacturers, and many are exported to London and Hamburg.

——Mr. G. W. Doolittle, the photographer of this place, has bought the old Keeler property on South Main street, which he will fit up for his business and for a dwelling.

——As a man walks forth with his hands in his pockets, and an icicle on the end of his nose, the assuring knowledge that he isn't liable to sunstroke for at least six months sends a grateful glow along his frozen backbone.

——J. J. Valentine, superintendent of the bullion department of Wells, Fargo & Co., reports the treasure product of the states and territories west of the Missouri river for the past year at $44,328,000 in gold and $41,536,900 in silver.

——A large majority of our citizens are entitled to credit for their perseverance in the struggle to keep their sidewalks clean. Old Probs has been against them, but they have been reasonably successful.

——Our new Prothonotary, Mr. W. W. Simrell, has assumed the duties of his office. We understand that the late Prothonotary, Mr. David Summers, will remain in the office and assist Mr. Simrell until he becomes perfectly familiar with the routine of business.

——The expenditures of the United States Senate for the year ending June 30, 1876, show that there were purchased during that period 10 gallons of cologne, 13 gallons of bay rum, 1½ dozen bottles of Martinique snuff for the Senate Chamber, 100 pounds of camphor, besides many other articles for the comfort and convenience of Senators.

——Keely, the inventor of the motor bearing his name, is having made, at the Chester Steel-Casting Works, two immense balls, the largest of which is thirty-six inches in diameter outside and weighs fifty-eight thousand pounds. The smaller one is eighteen inches in diameter and weighs eighteen thousand pounds. It is supposed they are intended for additional experiments with his apparatus

——A little girl by the name of Mertie Piper, aged six years, died on Monday evening of brain fever, superinduced by fright. It seems that the child had been frightened by boys, who threatened to cut her ears off, while returning from school one morning last week. On arriving home she was immediately taken ill and died, as above stated, on Monday morning.—An example should be made of the boys.—Ithaca *Democrat*.

——The Reading *Adler*, the oldest paper in Berks county, recently moved into a new and commodious building. The first number of the *Adler* was issued November 29, 1796, and advocated the doctrines of Thomas Jefferson. On the 20th of April, 1799, a troop of horse from Lancaster county, under order from the National Government, visited Reading and enforced the "alien and sedition" laws against Mr. Schneider, the editor of the *Adler*.

——Among the passengers in a sleeping car of the Erie the other night were a couple of sisters occupying a berth together. During the night one of them had occasion to get up and in getting back made a mistake and got into the next berth with a man. She supposed it was her sister who had rolled to the front, began to nudge the sleeper to lie over. The fellow woke up and siezed the girl by the neck, supposing he had caught a thief. The scene which ensued was mortifying as well as amusing.

——N. L. Munroe & Co., Publishers of the New York *Family Story Paper*, make a liberal offer to parties who desire to get a fine copy of Shakespeare. They propose to give each subscriber the whole volume, to be issued in weekly parts. We have received the first numbers and can speak as to the merits of the work.—The paper is a large story paper, well worth the price, $3 per year. Address, N. L. Munroe & Co., 74 Beekman Street, New York City.

——Monday was the anniversary of the battle of New Orleans, the wining of which, made Andrew Jackson, President. Had the Ocean Telegraph then been in existence, that battle would never have been fought, Americans would have had one less cause for their boasted prowess on the tented field; England would have been spared much of humiliation and disgrace and the Democratic party would not have had "Jackson's Day" with its old time military parades and social gatherings to keep alive the time honored traditions of the party. The treaty of peace between the United States and Great Britian was signed at Ghent on the 24th day of December, 15 days before the battle was fought. What a change in the affairs of nations as well as individuals a simple cable message might have wrought.

——Friday is an unlucky day—for fish.

——School commenced on Monday last.

——Comfortable quarters—Twenty-five cent pieces.

——This is the kind of winter that tickles the liverymen.

——Choconut Items came too late for this issue but will appear next week.

——Factoryville Notes which were received too late for this week's issue will appear in our next.

——Rev. A. J. Arnold, of Binghamton, occupied the pulpit of the M. E. Church last Sabbath. Come again.

——The attention of our readers is called to the advertisement of Mr. Owen Donahoe, who has lost a horse, which he is anxious to recover and have the thief brought to justice.

——Wide-Awake Fire Company, No. 3, will hold their first annual reception in the rooms of Montrose Fire Company No 3, on Friday evening of this week. All are invited.

——In our notice of Rev. Samuel Leroy Baker, last week, we were led to say that he was stationed over the Catholic Church at Great Bend, when we should have said Episcopal Church.

——Montrose Lodge K. of P. will hereafter hold its meetings in its new lodge rooms over F. B. Chandler's store. The rooms have been fitted up for this purpose and are very neat and commodious.

——Among the most pitiable men in the commercial world is the business man who "can't afford to advertise." He makes about the same progress as a steamboat engineer who can't afford to burn coal or wood.

——At the annual communication of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania A. Y. M., held in Philadelphia week before last, John H. Dusenbury, of Great Bend, was appointed District Deputy Grand Master for the counties of Susquehanna and Wayne.

——The Montrose correspondent of the Great Bend *Reporter* sends that paper intelligence, that "*Mrs.* E. M. Tiffany and *wife* were in town Dec. 25th." Is that one of the natural results of the late Leap Year? or some new phase of the Woman's Rights movement? Or did too much Christmas have a hand in the announcement?

——The recent severe snow storms interfered with the running of trains on larger roads than our little Narrow Guage. A passenger train on the Jefferson Branch of the Erie was snow-bound at Uniondale for fifteen hours, and no trains ran over the gravity road between Honesdale and Carbondale for two or three days, owing to the immense drifts.

——The Week of United Prayer, which takes place every year, commenced Monday, and will be continued until next Sunday, services being held each day. To day the subject is "Prayer for Families and the Unconverted;" Thursday, "Prayer for Nations, Rulers and Statesmen;" Friday, "For Christian Missions;" Saturday, "For Observance of the Sabbath."

——Some time since the Erie Company issued an order that the brakemen on freight trains should not leave their posts while the train was in motion. During the recent cold weather the brakemen have been compelled to disobey the rule to keep from freezing, and by a recent order from headquarters several conductors who allowed the men to warm in the cabooses have been laid off.

——The heavy fall of snow which turned to rain, Saturday night, broke down the roof of a barn on the farm at Choconut Centre, of B. Rielly of Binghamton, which is occupied by a Mr. Hillsinger. It fell about 6 o'clock Sunday afternoon, killing 6 out of 15 or 16 cows, which were inside and injuring several others. The barn of P. Dacey, at Silver Lake, was also crushed by the snow and two sheep killed.

——At the annual meeting of Montrose Fire Company No. 2 on Monday evening, Jan. 8th, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing term of one year: President, Geo. P. Little; Vice President, C. C. Lect; Foreman, Otis McCracken; 1st Ass't Foreman, D. P. Little; Foreman of Hose, E. C. Bacon; Recording Secretary, J. C. Harrington; Financial Secretary, W. A. Keene; Treasurer, A. R. Whipple; 1st Pipeman, A. W. Arnold; 2d Pipeman, T. I. Tingley; Trustees, Geo. H. Burgess, A. E. Shipman.

——Just read the list of calamities which overtook a man who stopped our worthy cotemporary the Doylestown *Democrat* His children took the measles, his chickens got the cholera, his horse ran off, the clock would not go, the stove smoked, the plastering fell down, the mortgage on his farm increased, he got boils, and his wife got cross. He could not come in fast enough to renew his subscription on one horse, so he rode two, and to-day everything is going on at home with him as fine as a cambric needle, and as smooth as a piece of soap. Let none of our subscribers be rash enough to risk such a category of evils. "A word to the wise, etc."

——The following account of the manner in which the Dakotah Division of the Northern Pacific Railroad is operated this winter, should prove of value to Railway managers hereabout, and we recommend them to adopt some of the precautions mentioned. Every train that goes out is accompanied by a commissary department carrying ten days' provisions, together with blankets and other comforts for passengers, should the train become blockaded at any time. Each train is supplied with a snow plough and an extra engine called a "pusher," and with a force of eight men. In case of storm, or threatened storm, the trains are not allowed to move, and in case they are overtaken by storm they are stopped at once and remain in place until the storm is over, provision having been made through the commissary arrangements for the comfort of passengers. So far no serious difficulties have been encountered, and the train has come through on time except on one or two occasions, but in February and March, when the heavy snow falls come the commissary arrangements are liable to be appreciated by travelers on this line.

MEDICAL SOCIETY.—The Susquehanna County Medical Society held its annual session here last Wednesday. The attendance was not large, but good for the condition of the roads. The report of the Treasurer showed a balance of about $80 in his hands. The old officers were unanimously elected.

The Society dined at the Tarbell House as guests of Drs. Richardson and Halsey.

ONE BACK NUMBER WANTED.—In answer to our advertisement for back numbers, in last week's paper, Mr. L. D. Wilmarth, of Oakley, and Mr. A. W. Main, of Dimock, have placed us under obligations by furnishing us all but No. 16, April 22, 1875.

Will some one else increase our obligations by sending us that one number.

HAWLEY & CRUSER.

Montrose, Jan. 10, 1877.

QUARTERLY MEETING.—The last Quarterly Meeting for this Conference year will be held at the M. E. Church, in Montrose, next Saturday and Sabbath. Rev. S. W. Weiss, of Tunkhannock, will officiate. Preaching, Saturday, at 2 p. m., and on Sabbath.

The Union Meeting of the Y. M. C. A. will be held in the M. E. Church next Sabbath evening, Rev. S. W. Weiss preaching the sermon.

The singing will be from the Gospel Hymns; bring them with you.

NEW YEAR'S TREE IN DIMOCK.—Notwithstanding the storm, I had the pleasure of being one of the number that were present at a New Year's Tree held at Pleasant Grove school house. The people had a very fine Tree which was heavily loaded. They favored us with some very fine singing, to which, all listened very attentively, with the exception of a few who did not appear to know what civilization meant, but we do hope that at some future time they will know. The distribution of the presents caused much merriment. There was a goodly number present, but the storm detained a good many.

Dimock, Jan. 2, 1877. VISITOR.

A CHRISTIAN HERO.—Among those who perished in the terrible railroad accident at Ashtabula, the other day, were Prof. P. P. Bliss and wife. They left the home of Mrs. B.'s father, O. F. Young, Esq., in Rome, Pa. on the day before, for Chicago, to aid in the great religious work now being prosecuted there by Moody and Sankey, but like the sainted Parvin, they met a painful death. While Mr. Bliss' useful life has been suddenly cut off, he will be remembered as long as Christians sing the beautiful hymns which he gave to the world. "Hold the Fort," the "Armor Bearer," "Almost Persuaded," "Jesus Loves Even Me," and many other popular hymns, which are sung all over the civilized world, will keep his memory fresh for ages.

Mr. Bliss was born in Tioga county, in this State, and was thirty-eight years of age. The funeral services were held at Rome last Sunday.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.—January Term of Court called Jan. 8th. Hon. F. B. Streeter presiding.

In the matter of the sale of the Real Estate of John Biglan. Rule absolute and the sale of Real Estate by the Sheriff set aside.

Charles Beebe, L. P. Hinds et al. vs N. W. Fox. Rule to show cause why Sheriff should not be enjoined from selling real estate of Defendant.

The following Licenses were granted: J. J. Holloran, Tavern, Thomson; Peruel Carpenter, Tavern, Harford; Jos. Allen, Eating House, Susquehanna; Sackert & Depue, Tavern, Great Bend; William Oliver, Tavern, Thomson.

A. L. Southworth vs N. W. Eastman. Judgment opened.

In the estate of A. M. Stearns. Sale of Real Estate confined finally.

Mutual B. and Loan Association of Susquehanna Depot vs J. N. Sedden et al. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened.

Com'th vs Jane B. Tenny. Indictment, Larceny. Now on trial.

IN ORPHANS' COURT.

Order for sale of Real Estate by Administrator in estate of W. C. Tiffany, dec'd. Also in Estates of Henrietta Sherman, Timothy Hurley, and John W. Denny.

Dr. A. Dunham appointed Guardian of Almira Siver, a minor.

SOLDIERS' ORPHANS.—We have received the Annual Report of the Superintendent of Soldiers' Orphans which contains much useful and interesting matter concerning this important branch of the State charities. Superintendent Wickersham says:

"The schools continue to be well managed, and the children are, as a body, healthy and happy. Their intellectual and moral improvement has been satisfactory, and no backward step has been taken in the work of rendering as efficient as possible the industrial departments of the several schools. Nearly 6,000 children, educated in the orphan schools, have left them to enter upon the duties of active life. Many of them have reached manhood and womanhood. They are to be found in almost every school district in the Commonwealth, and engaged in almost every kind of business. No testimony could be stronger in support of the system by which they have been educated, and the general efficiency and faithfulness with which it has been administered, than the fact that, with scarcely an exception, they make good citizens. Let the tree be judged by its fruits.

"The number of children under the care of the State on the first day of September, 1876, was 2,641. On the first day of the same month, 1875, it was 2,695, the decrease being only 54; 944 were discharged during the year, but the number of admissions nearly equaled the number of discharges. This circumstance was mainly occasioned by the act providing for the admission into the schools of children born since the first of January, 1866, and of the children of sick and disabled as well as of deceased soldiers. Had the original act remained in force 422 children now in school would have been excluded, and the whole number of orphans in the care of the State would have been reduced to 2,219. It should be added also that the "hard times" have had considerable influence in keeping up the number of children in the schools.

"The system cost, the past year, $402,530.27. The cost for 1875 was $428,698.76. The expenditures exceeded the appropriation by $2,530 27, but fortunately there was a balance from the preceding year, out of which this excess could be paid. The balance still remaining in the State Treasury to the credit of the Department is $68,595.36."

Of the Harford School, which we look upon as a Home Institution and therefore with a great degree of interest; the Principal, Mr. H. S. Sweet, makes the following gratifying report:

"The past year has been to us one of special prosperity and encouragement. The entire and hearty co-operation on the part of pupils, teachers and all connected with the school, in their endeavors to render this school worthy of the support of those who provide for the orphan children, is evident, in the advanced standing that it holds educationally, socially and morally. A home influence pervades the institution—the children feeling that they are cared for by friends in whom they can place implicit confidence. There is a general desire on the part of the children to make it pleasant for each other, and especial pains is taken to remove the "home-sickness" of those who leave their homes for the first time, for their new one with us.

"During the past year fifty-seven have been admitted; only seven of those are of the class admitted under the act of March 18, 1875. An encouraging feature is in the fact that the majority of the children entering the school during the year is from localities where the facilities for obtaining an education are good, and many are consequently ready to be admitted into our higher grades. The pupils have been taught to think for themselves, and especial pains has been taken to give to all a knowledge of those things met with in actual business life, so that they may not be mere book scholars.

"Those attaining to the seventh and eighth grades receive instruction in all the higher English branches; and those who have gone from our eighth grades, during the last year, to the Normal schools, have graduated in one year; and those remaining with us occupy the same standing.

"The religious improvement has been good. Divine services have been held alternately by the clergymen residing in the village, and have been attended by all connected with the school, and by those in the vicinity. The discourse is especially adapted to the wants of the children All are required to repair to the chapel Sunday morning, where an hour is spent in preparing for the Sabbath school, which occurs in the afternoon. International "lesson-leaves" are furnished to all. Two hundred volumes were bought for the Sabbath school library, to replace those that have been worn out by constant use.

"Could the members of the Legislature see the avidity with which the books are read, they would add to the generosity of the State by placing a library, adapted to the wants of youth, at the disposal of every orphan school in the State.

"Military duty is still required. We are especially indebted to the Grand Army of the Republic for favors extended to the children.

"One change has been made among the teachers—Miss Eastman, from Delaware College, Ohio, filling the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Carpenter. M. Kasson is still in charge of the educational department, assisted by four teachers.

"The buildings and grounds have become the property of the principal, and there has been a constant effort to improve their appearance, and to make needed alterations and repairs.

MARRIAGES.

GARDNER—FOOT—At the home of the bride, Jan. 3, 1877, by Rev. J. H. Weston, Mr. Frank Gardner and Miss Eva F. Foot, adopted daughter of N. O. Pasmore, esq., both of Bridgewater.

GOODNOW—LEARY—At Union, N. Y., on the 2d inst., Mr. Isaac Goodnow to Miss Anna Leary, both of Friendsville, Pa.

DEATHS.

OLIN.—In Jackson, August 16th 1876, Ruth, wife of John Olin, aged 72 years and 5 months.

DRINKER—In Philadelphia, the 3rd of January, Sally Drinker, widow of the late James C. Biddle.

WEST—Upon the death of H. R. West, a member of Rush Lodge No. 471, I. O. of O. F., the proper committee reported the following resolutions which were adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased the hand of an all-wise Providence to remove from our midst our beloved brother, we feel called upon to express our sorrow at his untimely decease and our sympathy with the bereaved family; therefore,

Resolved, That the chairs and all implements of the Lodge shall be draped in mourning for thirty days, that all members of the Lodge shall wear a badge of mourning for thirty days, that these resolutions be published in our county papers, and a copy sent to the family.

We hereby tender the thanks of the Lodge to the brother and friends of the family for their kind attendance and assistance at the services.

S. B. McCAIN,
E. GRANGER,
C. J. HAIGHT, } Com.

February Election Blanks for sale at this office.

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Montrose, Aug. 9, 1876tf.

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Violins and Boxes, Guitars, Flies, Accordeons, Picolos Clarionets, Harmonicos, Flageoletts, Folios for Sheet Music, Piano and Organ Covers, Piano Stools, &c., &c. too numerous to mention, at prices that will astonish close buyers.

A FEW CASH PRICES:

Organs, five octave, elegant case, 8⅛ setts Reeds, Sub Bass and Octave Coupler, 10 stops, list price $400, for $200. Above Organ is suitable for a Church. Piano 7⅓ octavos, Grand Square Scale, Serpentine and Plith Mouldings, fine carved legs, has been used less than 1 year, usual price $675 to $750, will be sold for $285.—Above Instruments warranted for six years.

Silver plated Fruit Dishes..... $2 85 to $4 50
" " Butter " ..... 2 25 upwards
" " Cake Baskets..... 4 00 to $6 50
" " Castors..... $2 to finest 7 50
" " Pickle Stands..... $1 50 to 5 00
" " Cups..... 1 00 to 2 75

H. H. Taylor Movement in 3 oz Silver Case..... $23 00
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Avery " 2 oz " " 12 00
P. S. Bartlett " 3 oz " " 18 00
Wm. Ellery " 3 oz " " 16 50
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Ladies Gold Watches and Chains very low.

Two new swell body Cutters, one, half Port'and, one fine Phaeton Carriage, single or double (new.)

No reasonable offer will be refused, as these goods must be sold. This is a splendid chance for those looking for Holiday Presents. At

BRONSON'S
(Brick Block.) Music & Jewelry Store.
Montrose, Dec. 13, 1876.tf

ASSIGNEE'S SALE
OF REAL ESTATE.

In pursuance of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Susquehanna county, the undersigned will sell at public sale the following described real estate on the premises at 1 o'clock p. m., on

Wednesday, January 17,

All that certain lot of land situate in the township of Harmony, County of Susquehanna and State of Pennsylvania, bounded on the north by land of L. D. Seelick on the east by lands formerly of Bennet & Webster, on the south by lands formerly of Bennett & Webster, Charles Cook, and Squire H. Cook and on the west by lands of Stephen Wrighter, containing 71 acres more or less with the appurtenances, house, barn and orchard, and partly improved.

ALSO—At 2 o'clock p. m. of the same day all that certain lot of land situate as aforesaid now occupied by H. M. Webster, and containing 119 acres, more or less described in deeds from the lines of —— Flynn, to J. Schlager & Co.

TERMS—$100 down on each piece at time of sale; one half the balance on final confirmation and the remainder one year from final confirmation with interest.

W. T. MOXLEY,
Assignee of H. M. Webster.
Dec. 20, 1876. 52w4

PROCLAMATION.
SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY SS.

George A. Stoddard vs. Harriet Stoddard.—In the Court of Common Pleas of Susquehanna County, No. 593, August Term, 1876.

To Harriet Stoddard: Whereas a Subpœna in Divorce was issued to August Term, 1876, which was duly returned *non est inventus*, and thereon an alias subpœna was issued in said case, returnable to November Term, 1876, upon the return of which, proof was made that the said Harriet Stoddard could not be found in my bailiwick.

This notice is therefore to require you to appear before the Judges of the said Court, on the second Monday of January next, to answer said complaint, &c.

WM. WHITE, Sheriff.
Montrose, Dec. 13, 1876.

PROCLAMATION.
SUSQUEHANNA COUNSY, SS.

William H. Low vs. Josephine E. Low. In the Court of Common Pleas of Susquehanna County, No. 638, August Term, 1876.

To Josephine E. Low: Whereas a Subpœna in Divorce was issued to August Term, 1876, which was duly returned *non est inventus*, and thereon an alias subpœna was issued in said case, returnable to November Term, 1876, upon the return of which proof was made that the said Josephine E. Low could not be found in my bailiwick.

This notice therefore is to require you to appear before the Judges of the said Court, on the second Monday of January next, to answer said complaint, &c.

WM. WHITE, Sheriff.
Montrose, Dec. 13, 1876.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons concerned in the following estates, to wit:

Estate of Erastus Corey, late of Lathrop, dec'd, A. O. Warren Administrator.
Estate of Miles W. Heath, late of Choconut, dec'd, G. B. Eldred Administrator.
Estate of Honorius J. Preston, late of Great Bend, dec'd Ira B. Preston Administrator.
Estate of John S. Williams, late of Springville, dec'd, H. B. Williams and G. B. Rogers Administrators.

That the accountants have settled their accounts in the Register's Office in and for the County of Susquehanna, and that the same will be presented to the Judges of the Orphans' Court on Thursday, the 18th day of January, 1877, for confirmation and allowance.

H. F. BEARDSLEY, Register.
Register's Office, Montrose, Dec. 13, 1876.

PROCLAMATION.
SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY SS.

Mary E. Pease by her next friend, Abram Berkalew, vs. Charles A. Pease. In Court of Common Pleas of Susquehanna County, No. 469, April Term, 1876.

To Charles A. Pease: Whereas a Subpœna in Divorce was issued to April Term, 1876, which was duly returned *non est inventus* and thereon an alias subpœna was issued returnable to November Term, 1876, upon the return of which proof was made that the said Charles A. Pease could not be found in my bailiwick.

This notice, therefore, is to require you to appear before our Judges of the said Court on the second Monday of January next to answer said complaint.

WM. WHITE, Sheriff.
Montrose, Dec. 13, 1876.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned an Auditor appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Susquehanna County, to distribute the funds in the hands of the Sheriff arising from the sale of the real estate of David Strong and R. Morse, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Montrose, on Friday, January 5th, 1877, at 1 o'clock p. m., at which time all persons interested are required to appear and present their claims or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

A. W. BERTHOLF, Auditor.
Dec. 13, 1876. 51w4

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the assignment of J. H. McCain for the benefit of creditors.

Notice is hereby given that E. L. Weeks, assignee of said McCain, will apply for his discharge from said trust, and all liability thereunder, as by order of the Court of Common Pleas of Susquehanna County made December 2 1876.

Said application will be made in open court on Monday, Jan. 15, 1877, at 2 o'clock p. m.

DAVID SUMMERS, Prothonotary.
Montrose, Dec. 27, 1876.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the assignment of S. F. Lane for the benefit of creditors.

Notice is hereby given that J. D. Goodwin, assignee of said Lane will apply for his discharge from said trust, and all liability thereunder, as by order of the Court of Common Pleas of Susquehanna County made Nov. 27, 1876.

Said application will be made in open Court on Monday, Jan. 15, 1877, at 2 o'clock p. m.

DAVID SUMMERS, Prothonotary.
Montrose, Dec. 27, 1876.

ALL KINDS OF BLANKS AT THIS OFFICE.