Bellefonte, Pa., April 27, 1906.

CORRESPONDENTS .- No communications pub ished unless accompanied by the real name of he writer.

THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY ty soldiers' monument and Curtin mem-

--- Ice an inch thick was frozen in this place Monday night.

orial on Friday, June 8th.

among other things, he said :

detained on business in Philadelphia. He

sent a letter of regret, however, in which

I am simply delighted with the beauty of

for \$100. I sincerely hope you will be able to dedicate the monument without a deficit.

tion of Hammon Sechler, chairman, and

D. F. Fortney Esq., the following com-

Committee on Finance .-- Col. J. L. Spangler,

chairman ; Charles M. McCurdy, John P. Harris

John M. Shugert, Hammon Sechler, John Blanch

Committee on Decorations .-- S. H. Williams

chairman ; J. Will Conley, J. L. Montgomery,

Hard P. Harris, John D. Meyer, Robert F. Hur

ter, Ed. Eckenroth, George R. Meek and Henry

Committee on Public Exercises and Program

-Gen. James A. Beaver, chairman : (to select

Committee on Invitations .- Gen. John I. Cur

Committee on Reception .-- Hon. William C

Committee on Transportation .- (Not yet made

Following the appointment of the com

mittees brief speeches were made by D. F.

Fortney, W. C. Heinle and ex-Judge John

G. Love, in which all urged the people of

Bellefonte and Centre county to bestir

themselves and make the dedication of the

soldiers' monument one of the biggest days

It was stated that Governor Penny packer

had already signified his intention to be

present with his staff and most of the State

officials. Adjutant General Thomas J.

Stewart has accepted the invitation to be

present and make the dedicatory address

for the soldiers' monument and Col. A. K.

McClure, of Philadelphia, has accepted the

invitation to be present and make the ad-

dress for the Curtin memorial. There will

also be present the State department com-

mander of the G. A. R., his staff and many

other prominent members. It is also very

likely that Major General J. P. S. Gobin

and staff of the National Gnard will attend

and it is the intention to have the Fifth

regiment and Sheidan troop present and,

in Centre county, as well as some in ad-

ever witnessed in Bellefonte.

tin, chairman ; (to select his own associates.)

mittees were appointed :

ard and Col. W. Fred Reynolds.

Lowery.

up.)

The meeting was organized by the elec-

-The question now is did Monday night's frost and freeze kill or injure the Spangler was unable to be there as he was singing. fruit.

-Mrs. Thomas Rishel underwent an operation in the Bellefonte hospital last Friday.

-John McGipley has been confined to the house the past week with a bad attack of rhenmatism

-L. A. Schaeffer was confined to his house a couple days this week suffering with a bad cold

-The Academy boys have fixed up the base ball diamond on the glass works W. H. Musser, secretary. On motion of right." At Garman's May 2nd. meadow grounds.

---- It now looks as if Bellefonte might be represented with a base ball team on the diamond this year.

-Mrs. Martin Cooney has been confined to her bed the past week with a severe attack of pleurisy.

-Mrs. Henry Flack was taken suddenly ill last week and taken to the Hayes sanitorium for treatment.

-A second daughter arrived at the his own associates.) home of Dr. and Mrs. George D. Green, in Lock Haven, on Tuesday night.

-Mr. and Mrs. John J. Bower have welcomed the fourth child to their home a daughter who arrived Monday night.

-Edward Richards has begun work on digging the foundation for his new house on east Linn street, just east of Robert F. Hunter's.

-The new drop signal system has finally been properly adjusted at the Pennsylvania railroad depot in this place and was put in service last Thursday.

----G. Dorsey Hunter accompanied his brother Robert F., on an automobile trip to Millheim Sunday afternoon. They got back at 9:55 o'clock the same night.

-A collection will be taken up in all the Bellefonte churches on Sunday for the benefit of the San Francisco sufferers. The response should be a very liberal one.

-The Bellefonte merchant's association must have died a natural death. Since its organization last summer it has held but a few meetings and none of iate

-Ten days or so ago H. B. Pontius ran a thorn in his arm and as a result that member became quite sore so that he was compelled to carry it in a sling for several dave.

---- The shooting gallery, cigar and con fectionery store of T. Clayton Brown, in the McClain block, has been newly painted and papered and now presents a very inviting appearance.

FOR THE DEDICATION OF THE SOLDIERS' ----For the twenty-third day of April was Monday cool enough for you ? meeting was held in the court house at 8 ---- The trout fishermen are not reporto'clock Tuesday evening for the purpose of

ing any exceedingly large catches these starting the movement to get things in davs. shape for the dedication of the Centre coun----- The first regular meeting for men

A good sized crowd was present though on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A lot tires of watching the thousands of adult General Beaver was absent as he is still of new hymn books have been received trout in the large ponds. confined to his house with illness and Col. and a selected male choir will lead the

---- A newspaper received from Frank Curtin, who is located about sixty miles south of Los Angeles, in Lower California, I am simply delighted with the beauty of the design and the excellent purpose it serves in perpetuating the memory of so many gallant fellows who enjoyed the honor of serving their country. I want to be num-bered among those who are willing to aid and assist in the rearing of this exquisite work of art, and herewith enclose my check (or \$100 L scienced here are the second here) and the second here are there are the second here are the second

ecords for large business in more than twothirds of the theaters played in the past ten years, this mostly in return dates. This should be a guarantee that the show is "all

-Early last week Charles Lehr, of Philipsburg, left home to go fishing and when he failed to turn up Friday the story was circulated that he was either lost or had been foully dealt with. Lehr returned on Saturday and his friends then learned that he had been at his uncles up Bald Eagle instead of fishing on Cold stream.

---Prof. Surface bas announced that the 17 year locusts are to visit Centre county during this year and has called to the support of his prediction Wm. P. Fisher Jr., the Unionville orchardist. According Heinle, chairman ; (to select his own associates.) to a record kept by the latter's father and himself the locusts appeared in Bald Eagle out the grounds as soon as they are receivvalley in 1821, 1838, 1855, 1872, 1889 and are due this year.

now a force of men at work painting the court house white. Plasterers have patched up all the unsightly holes in the plastering along the foundation and when the painting is completed the building will doubtless present a spotless appearance for a time, at least. Some very good improvements have also been made in the toilet rooms.

-Arrangements have practically been completed for the annual reunion of the survivors of Company H, 148th Penna. Vole., which will be held at Port Matilda next Thursday, May 3rd, in commemoration of the forty-third anniversary of the battle of Chambersburg. Quite a number of the old comrades still live in Centre county and the forthcoming meeting promises to be a very successful one.

-From the Atlantic City Daily Pres we notice that George S. Lenhart, who a perhaps, a battery of artillery. The Sol- number of years ago published the Wildiers' Orphans' Sixteeners will attend as liamsport Breakfast Table and later was eman organization and all the G. A. R. posts ployed as a corporation clerk in Harrisburg, is now a resident of the city by the

AT THE FISH HATCHERY .--- The Bellefonte fish batchery is an interesting place for sight-seers these nice days. The ma-

jority of the millions of trout fry batched there the past season have been shipped and deposited in the various streams throughout the State, but there are many will be held in the new Y. M. C. A. hall other things of interest to see, when one

for the epicurean to sharpen up his teeth in

places for growing. The propagation of pike will also be a

feature of the Bellefonte hatchery and already several ponds have been prepared for the reception of a consignment of fall grown pike which is expected most any day. During the past two years the fact has developed that there is ample water obtainable in the vicinity of the batchery

for all needful purposes. The limited appropriations of the past two years has retarded the work of beautifying the grounds but an effort in this direction will be made this summer. Drives through the grounds have already been

staked off and will be graded and graveled as fast as possible with the force of men at command. On last Arbor day, April 6th, several hundred maple and other shade trees were planted and as many more have

been ordered and will be planted throughed. When the plans in view shall all have

will be one of the best and most beautifully Harry I. Griffith and D. W. Houser, of the hatchery force, left last Saturday for

collection of shad's eggs on the Delaware BRIEF SESSION OF COURT .--- The regular

vened on Monday with Judge Orvis on the bench. In the absence Gilbert S. Burrows W. H. Farris was present at the

The list of constables and justices of the beir returns received

taken up in the court hearing and dispos-

ing of the usual batch of petitions presented by the various attorneys. Just before court adjourned at the noon

telephone message that his daughter. Miss joining counties will be here. So it will sea and last Saturday evening, as a graduate Anne, who is attending school in Philadelbe seen that the day is to be made a big of Bucknell University and a member of phia, was seriously ill and threatened with one and the crowd it is intended to have in Delta chapter, helped to organize the At. diphtheria, and asking him to come at

inasmuch as the witnesses in all Common-

The grand jury was in session until

A VETERAN MERCHANT RETIRES.-

News Parely Personal.

-G. H. Walker, the broker, spent Sunday at his home in Wilkinsburg.

-Lawrence Hoover came home to spend the Sunday with his mother in this place -Mrs. Emma A. Fisher, widow of the late Dr. Fisher, of Boalsburg, spent Tuesday in Belle-

-I. G. Burkett, the hustling Stormstown mer-

chant, served the county as a grand juror this week.

-Mrs. D. H. Hastings and daughter Sara have returned from their visit with the Bickok's in Harrisburg. -John Olewine and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jen kins went to Scranton on monday, returning

Tuesday evening. -Edward C. Beezer, of Philipsburg, spent Monday night in Bellefonte in the interest of the

Philipsburg brewery. -Mrs. William Bible and daughter, Miss Elsie, spent Sunday with Mrs. S. R. Kamp and daugh-

ter, Miss Edna, in Lock Haven. -Rev. William Laurie, D. D. LL.D., has returned from a two weeks visit with his daughter, Mrs. Samuel Eldredge, at Cape May, N. J.

-Mrs. John M. Shugert left for Downingtown, on Wednesday morning, where she will spend a few'days with her aunt, Mrs. M. C. Breese,

-After a pleasant week's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Garman Miss Minnie (Friday eft last Saturday for her home in Philipsburg.

-C. L. Gramley, of Rebersburg, was one of the traverse jurors this week who came up from Pennsvalley on one train and went back home n the next.

-Miss Jennie Irvin, head operator in the Penn ylvania telephone company's exchange in this e, spent several days this week visiting friends in Altoona.

-James Furst left last Thursday for Philadelere he joined his brother, William S. Furst on a trip south, their objective point being a sojourn in Florida.

-John E. Fryberger, one of Philipsburg's rising young bankers, with his wife and two children spent Sunday in Bellefonte the guests of W. R. Brachbill and family.

-H. C. Baney and his nephew James, son o Alvin Baney, of Atlantic City, spent several days in Belletonte the past week on account of the death of Harvey H. Benner.

-Mrs. Chauncey F. York was one of the guests at the Phi Sigma Chi dance at State College last Friday evening, spending the Sunday with her father and family in this place and returning to her home in Warriorsmark on Monday.

T-Joe Katz came over from Lewistown Sunday morning to spend the day in Bellefonte returning on Tuesday. The same train which carried Joe brought Marcus A. Landsy, of the firm of Antrim & Landsy, Philadelphia, to Bellefonte.

-Dr. H. W. Tate has grown to be somewhat of a business man these days. Though he just returned from a two weeks trip the beginning of last week he left again on Monday on a business trip to Philadelphia, expecting to return today.

-Among the Philipsburgers who were in Belleonte in attendance at court this week were Capt. Harry Simler, C. W. Millard, detective, and James Black who, since he has gone out of the wholesale liquor business, has opened a butcher hop.

-John Williams, of Martha Furnace, was in town during the fore part of the week acting as a g rand juror. If John's aim at things illegal is as nerring as it is when he is watching a deer crossing on the Alleghenies, we want to tell you that this grand jury did all that it was sur

-W. F. Beck, of Lock Haven, spent Monday night in Bellefonte and was one of the WATCH-MAN's very bright and early callers Tuesday morning. Mr. Beck at one time lived in Belle-

-Miss Emily Natt left on Monday for a visi with friends in Baltimor

-Isaac Mitchell is now enjoying the balmy cean breezes at Atlantic City

-Dr. D. K. Musser spent part of the past week on a business trip to Philadelphia.

-Hon. James Schofield was in Canton, Pa., this week attending a meeting of Odd Fellows

-Miss Carrie Harper returned home on Monday from her Easter sojourn in Atlantic City.

-Frank B. Stover, formerly of this place but ow of Altoona, spent a couple days this week visiting old friends hereabouts.

-- Miss Nan McClain, of Spangler, was a Sunay guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Nora Me-Clain, on north Allegheny street.

-Mrs. Tom Welsh with her three children are over from Clearfield, to spend 'wo weeks with friends in Bellefonte and at Snow Shoe Inters tion

-Mrs. Henry Musser went to Philadelphia Thursday of last week, called there by the illness of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dale Musser, of Jenkintown.

-Mrs. Issac Maitland and children, of William.sport, were arrivals in Bellefonte on Wednesday for a visit at the home of her father, Mr. Daniel Garman.

-James Taylor, a cadet at West Point, came ome Wednesday morning to attend the wedding of his sister Elizabeth, leaving again for the military school at one o'clock.

-F. D. Ray, late landlord of the Altamonte hotel in Altoona, arrived in Bellefonte on Wednesday from Chicago and is now stopping with his son, H. S. Ray, at the Brockerhoff house.

-Mrs. Joseph Stevenson and daughter, Miss Trude, William Throssell, Frank Hariman, James Treaster and Merrill Miller, all of Millheim, have gone to West Virginia to spend the summer.

-A. S. Garman was a Bellefonte visitor on Tuesday, having come up from Atlantic City for a few days stay here and at Tyrone. He conemplates spending most of the summer in the city by the sea.

-Geo. H. Emerick, of Potter township, was in Bellefonte on Wednesday and after attending to the business that brought him to town he dropped into the WATCHMAN office and to make himself perfectly solid shoved the tag on his paper away up to the latter part of 1907. It is such men who make the editor feel that his efforts at running a newspaper are not unappreciated and we only wish there were more George Emericks in the county.

DISTRICT FIREMEN'S CONVENTION .-Bellefonte firemen are starting to make preparations to entertain the Central Pennsylvania District Firemen's convention which will be held here Wednesday and Thursday, August 22nd and 23rd. The district is composed of some five or six counties and the convention generally brings together upwards of a thousand firemen. The only definite arrangement made so far is the selection of Capt. H. S. Taylor to be chief marshall during the big parade, which is always a leading feature of the convention.

A CREDITABLE DRAWING .- A remark. ably clever as well as creditable piece of free-hand drawing is now on exhibition in the window of the Irdex stationery store. It is the Pennsylvania coat of arms in colors and is the work of Clair Seibert, the fifteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Seibert, and a member of the Junior class in the Bellefonte High school. Not only is the drawing very correct in every way but the selection of colors used is very barmonious

been carried out the Bellefonte fish hatchery --- The County Commissioners have located in the State. Torresdale to assist W. H. Safford in the river.

April term of quarter sessions court con-

stenographer's desk. eace throughout the county was called and

The list of grand jurors was called, sworn in and given the customary instructions by the court, Alexander McCoy, of Potter township, being appointed foreman. The balance of the morning session was

hour Judge Orvis received a long-distance

The new frog pond has been completed and two consigments of frogs eggs have been received and placed therein. While to a certain extent frog culture will be made a specialty it would not be advisable

anticipation of a feast on frogs legs, as they will be raised principally for feed for she trout breeders and to be shipped to other

The ladies of the Reformed church line should be the biggest one of all the big realized about thirty dollars as the result crowds Bellefonte ever entertained. of Mrs. Wiggs' cabbage social held at the

last Friday evening.

secure their seats early.

---- A good play with a good strong plot and an unusual amount of rich comedy interpreted by a clever lot of people is what will be seen when "The Missouri Girl" appears at Garman's, May 2nd.

-Postmaster W. W. Montgomery and family are moving from the house they occupied on the corner of Allegheny and Lamb streets to the old Montgomery homestead on Allegheny street.

----Sunday morning the Bellefonte lodge I. O. O. F. as well as the lodge of Rebekahs will go in a body to the Lutheran church to hear their annual sermon preached by Rev. W. M. Rearick. All members are requested to meet at the lodge rooms not later than 10 o'clock. Services at the charch will begin at 10:30.

his automobile, last Thursday evening. John Olewine failed to make the turn up Alle- dollars towards the balance yet to be raised. gheny street quick enough with the result If this is returned favorably it will leave that he ran into John Meese's buggy, turning it over on the side. The damage done the vehicle was very slight while the machine was not hurt in the least.

made quite s hit in the neighboring towns comes. The Haupt brothers began, Tues by their rendition of Edwin Darnley's three day morning, digging the foundations for act farce comedy, "Facing the Music," the concrete pavement to be put down They will be at Garman's opera house tonight and should be greeted by a large work as fast as possible. It will not be on the lot formerly owned by the late Oscar house. Remember the play will be given long now until the name plates will be all Adams, deceased. The building will be for the benefit of the Bellefonte hospital.

-The Coleville band made its first appearance of the season on the streets Tuesday evening and sounded as though it would play some pretty nifty music by the place. time the summer concerts begin. Those three new trombones add much and by the time the boys get the valves working nicely and their lips hardened up a little Bellefonters may expect even better work than they heard last season.

-On Monday Judge Ellis L. Orvis was compelled to adjourn court and with the most ludicrous situations ever seen in Mrs. Orvis, go to Philadelphia in response to a message informing them that their Sadie Raymond is the pick of the profesdaughter, Miss Anna Orvis, who is attending a select school in the suburbs of the oity, was quite ill and threatened with diphtheria. Since that it has been learned that her illness is not of so serious a nature. and consists principally of an attack of tonsilitis, to which she has been subject for at work this week finishing the marble players who will play the game for the some time.

But to do all this will require some monhome of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Jenkins ey, and no little amount at that. It is es-

timated that it will require from \$1,200 to -The chart for reserved seats at the \$1,500 to defray the expenses of dedication Thespian entertainment this evening, is day and as this is the last time the old solnow open at Parrish's drug store and those diess will ever come before the people of who wish to save the rush for tickets should the county asking anything, there should be no trouble in raising the amount. But

it should not be left to Bellefonte alone to raise the fund. The monument is as much one part of the county's as it is another. and the dedication of it should be made a

universal event, to be participated in by everybody and the expense should therefore be borne by all. So when you are asked to contribute your share, whether you live in Bellefonte, Philipsburg or any other town, or even in the country districts, don't be at all backward about doing your

part. James Harris read the financial statement of the monument committee which shows that it will require about six thousand dollars yet to defray all the expense of completing the monument. A petition signed by close to two hundred citizens of the county was presented to the grand ---- In coming down Bishop street iv jury on Wednesday urging them to have the county donate another five thousand but a small amount to be made up, which ought to be done without any trouble. The county commissioners have started

in to fix up the surroundings so as to be --- The Thespians of State College have ready when the day for the dedication around the monument and will push the cast and here and then it will not take two stories, size 40x43, and constructed of long to finish everything up. But no time must be wasted, as it will be only six weeks the Williams Grove Brick Co. J. D. Snoke from today that the dedication will take & Son, of Clearfield, are the contractors. It

> THE MISSOURI GIRL.-"The Missouri Girl" contains all the elements that go to town. make up an enjoyable evening's entertainment. A good strong plot with intensely interesting dramatic situations, novel specialties, peculiar dances, the very best scenic and mechanical stage effects, and one play. The company headed by Miss sion : no "sticks" to bore you, but every one an artist in his line. This attraction

ing, May 2od. -----Expert marble polishers have been

altar in the Catholic church here.

will be seen at Garman's, Wednesday even-

lantic City Phi Gamma Delta club.

-This is the night the Thespians o traverse jurors drawn for the week, gave State College will appear at Garman's, in this place, in their three act farce-comedy, "Facing the Music." The Thespians gave their first rendition of this play at the College last Friday evening and were procourt until next Monday morning. nounced very good by those who saw them. As their entertainment here tonight is under the auspices of the D. A. R., and for the benefit of the Bellefonte hospital, a large audience should be present.

-Next year's session of the Central Pennsylvania Methodist Episcopal conference will again be held in Tyrone, the five presiding elders at a recent sitting having decided unanimously to accept the invitation of the First church of that place which entertained the conference this year Tyrone Methodists will thus break all records as conference hosts as never before in all its history has the Central Pennsylvania conference been entertained two years in succession in the same church and place.

-In a well played game the Bellefonte Academy base ball team defeated the Williamsport High school team, on the glass works meadow grounds, last Friday afternoon, by the score of 5 to 2. The same afternoon State College defeated Lebauon Valley college on Beaver field by the score of 19 to 5, and on Saturday went to Johnstown where they were defeated by the Johnstown Tri-State team by the score of 4 to 2. Today they will go to Ithaca, N. Y., where they will play Cornell tomorrow.

-John E. Fryberger, cashier of the First National bank of Philipsburg, has broken ground for the erection of a new solid brick dwelling on South Centre street, the handsome buff brick manufactured by will contain all the modern conveniences

and will undoubtedly be one of the best fonte, and Philip D. Foster, State College. and prettiest homes in that little mountain

-The meeting which was to have been held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Tuesday evening, for the purpose of organizing a pase ball club for Bellefonte was not held owing to the meeting in the court house in the interest of the dedication of the soldier's monument. It is the intention of the enthusiasts, however, to hold a meeting soon and it is hoped that every person in Bellefonte who is interested in the national game and would like to see a team here will attend. It is not the intention to get

sport there is in it.

citizens and most prominent merchants, has disposed of his business and will retire. Mr. Griest will be 70 years old in January and he has evidently decided to speud the rest of his days in leisure. His store at

charge.

Unionville has long been known as one of the best country stores to be found any. where and through all the years of his success there he has won and retained the confidence of that entire community. J. C. Stere, who is at present conducting

a small store in Unionville, is to be the purchaser of the Griest store.

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES. - Centre county Republicans will hold their primaries Saturday, May 5th, and the full list of candidates registered and announced is as follows. For Congress, John G. Love, Bellefonte. State Senator, H. C. Quigley, Bellefonte; P. E. Womelsdorf, Philipsburg. Legislature, C. T. Fryberger, Philipsburg; John A. Daley, Curtin township. Jury Commissioners, Clem H. Gramley, Rebersburg; Theophilas Pletcher, Howard. Delegates to State convention, S. H. Wigton and J. W. Dunwiddie, Philipsburg; John P. Harris and Edward R. Chambers, Belle-

PECULIARLY AFFLICTED. -- Jonas Bible, a well known farmer near Potters Mills, is

at present peculiarly afflicted. He has what is technically known as trichophytosis barbae, or sycosis. It is a parasite or larvae which works on the bearded portion of a man's face. Several months ago Mr. Bible first discovered the appearance of the dis- Hewitt, Wyncote; H. R. Decker, Eiteairn; McIlie the lower portion of his face is completely covered with it, rendering his condition quite serions.

up a paid team, but merely a team of local ter township, has gone to Detroit, Mich., where he anticipated securing employment with the Pittsburg plate glass company.

n over n all of Centre coun once. As he was compelled to leave on y as a dealer in planos and a first-class tuner, a the 1:25 p. m. train he discharged the usiness he still follows in Lock Haven.

-Major W. J. Singer, well known to all Centre ountians, who has been in Bellefonte the past instructions that the grand jury was to hree months on legal business, completed his stay in session until it completed its work, work on Tuesday and Wednesday left for Brooklyn, N. Y., which he now terms his home; and we'll wager within a fortnight he'll be pining wealth cases were present, then adjourned in just one more of those delightful walks he e njoyed so much while here.

-Among the Philipsburgers who were in town Wednesday afternoon when it completed attending court during the week were merchan its work and the foreman will return to Wm. Burchfield, Will Reed and C. H. Houck, the Bellefonte next Monday and make the dairyman. They didn't get to stay long, however, as the adjournment of court at noon on proper return of their findings to the court. Monday because of the serious illness of the During the grand jury's sessions Monday Judge's daughter sent all the juror's for the week afternoon, Tuesday and Wednesday Dishome; leaving only the grand jurors in session. trict Attorney W. G. Runkle was in sole

-Hon. Robert M. Foster, of State College, ransacted business in Bellefonte on Tuesday. Since the College has become such a growing place Bob is becoming one of the leading busi-After thirty-eight years in the general ness men and as such is one of the busiest of mercantile business in Unionville A. J. them all. If he is making money as fast correspondingly he will wake up one of these fine Griest, one of Centre county's best known nornings to find himself booming along toward the millionaire point.

> -Col. John A. Daley, of Curtin township, was in Bellefonte on Monday and now since he has been announced as a candidate for the legislative nomination he is in such favor with the local politicians that they perforce compelled him to stay in town over night. In speaking of politicians we might also mention that "Little Phil" Womelsdorf, of Philipsburg, the man who already sees the senatorial nomination dangling at his belt, was likewise in town on Monday.

-On Monday the WATHCMAN had one of those experiences that happen every once in a while and just frequently enough to encourage faith in the honesty of man and prove the statement that that particular virtue is found more frequently in the cottage than in the castle, John A. Fortney, of Boalsburg, stepped into the office and paid an old, old account of his father's that had been standing for years. He made the payment cheerfully and voluntarily saying that "while father was poor and I am poor" yet I want to se t hat his debts are paid as far as I am able to d it. We could not help contracting the chan acter of that man with that of some people in ou midst who doubtless think they are so much more. We have in mind those people who tak advantage of the statute of limitation in order t a void payment of what they know and are read to acknowledge-is a just debt. Some of ther do it from pure crookedness, others because their I awyers advise them to do so, yet most of them think themselves models that honest John Fort ney would do well in emulating. We know the wo, however, and know that John Fortney is the more deserving of the respect and confidence of honorable persons. This is not what we start-ed out to say though. We intended to thank the following for their remittances of the week: J. L. Rote, Mrs. A. Hibler, W.A. Ishler, J. P. Lonsbury, D. W. Geiss and J. H. Potter, Belle fo nte; Jacob Shaffer, Zion; Mrs. Jerry Snavely, S pring Mills; Mrs. S. L. Fisher, Milesburg; Geo. ease after shaving and it has spread until M. Kunes, Allentown; Geo. T. Brew, Ronceverte, W. Va.; Mrs. Casper Sents, Williamsport; John K. Miller, Tyrone; Mrs Sophia Motter, Lykens; J. P. Shope, State College; J. F. Holt, Fleming; J. A. Fortney, Boalsburg; N. H. Ray, Axe Mann; H. T. McDowell, Howard; W. F. Beck, Lock -Dr. James K. Hosterman, of Pot- Haven; Mrs. Martha Gardner, Tyrone; Dr. J. H. Hust on, Clintondale; Dr. Geo. B. Hennigh, Sykes ville; Geo. H. Emerick, Mrs. M. Harper, Centre Hall; Mrs. J. H. Eberhart, Bellefonte ; Jenni Noonan, Los Angeles.

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING-The Bellefonte borough council met in special session Monday evening for the purpose of electing a collector of water taxes for the ensuing year. A couple candidates were put in nomination and after a full discussion ex-sheriff W. A. Ishler was elected.

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER .--- Prof. Geo. P. Bible, of Philadelphia, an old Centre county boy, has been selected to deliver the commencement address to the graduating class of the Bellefonte High school, in Petriken hall, Thursday evening, June 7th.

-W. A. Lyon, the butcher, lost a valuable borse, by death, the latter part of last week.

FOR RENT .- The Dental offices now occupied by Dr. Ward, in the stone building, corner of High and Allegheny streets, also one store room in the Exchange building. Apply to F. W. Crider.

## Philadelphia Markets.

The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening.

Wheat-Red		86@863
-No. 2		8268823
Corn -Yellow		56@56%
		536653
Oats		201/12/2
riour- winter, Per	SP I	3.00
-Penns, Roller		3.35@3.50
-Favorite Bran	ds	4.40@4.50
Rye Flour PerBr'l		3,55(03,6)
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e	New wheat	81
0	Rye, per bushel	6
	Corn, shelled, per bushel	54
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h	Barley, per bushel	41
e	Ground Plaster, per ton 8 50 to 9	
0	Buckwheat, per bushel	51
1000	Cloverseed, per bushel	0
y	Timothy seed per bushel	.2

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