'98. M. A. Taylor has secured a position as Chemist with the Shenango Valley Steel Co. Address: Newcastle, Pa.

'98. F. T. Beers, Assistant in the Chemical Laboratory for the past year, has accepted a position as Chemist with the Bellefonte Furnace Co.

Among the Alumni who visited the College during Commencement we note the following:

J. I. Potter, '62; Cyrus Gordon '66; John Hamilton, '71; Wm. H. Thompson, '74; C. F. York, '76; E. L. Orvis, '76; W. K. Foster, '79; D. O. Etters and E. R. Chambers of '81; J. M. Dale and I. P. McCreary of '82; W. E. Gray, '83; A. A. Patterson and John S. Weller of '89; Geo. S. Demming, Geo. R. Meek, H. W. Mitchell, and I. C. M. Ellenberger of '90; C. E. Aull, Willis McKee, E. K. Meek, H. K. Rumberger, and John F. Shields of '92; W. A. Silliman, '94; R. B. Greer, J. F. Rodgers, H. L. Wishart, W. J. Moore, and D. L. Patterson of '95; B. J. Bowen and R. A. McCrea of '96; and J. A. Boyer and E. F. Hill of '97.

We print below part of a letter received from an Alumni. This is just what we like. Who will write the next one?

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, June 2, 1899.

Editor FREE LANCE:

In the last issue of the LANCE you asked for news and movements of the Alumni.

Perhaps some of your readers may be interested in the work some of State's recent graduates are doing out here in the Mississippi Valley.

The writer was the first man from Penn'a State to commence work for the Illinois Central Railroad under their Track Apprentice System (which was fully outlined in an issue of the LANCE last year by Mr. Mallory), he was followed by R. S. Moore, '97, and when the Class of '98 graduated, Espenshade, Keenan, Kennedy, Morgan and Moser started in.

After various periods spent at labor on the tracks the men were promoted to better positions in the Engineering Department, and at the present time hold positions as follows:

Morgan and Espenshade are connected with the Eng. Dept., with headquarters at Chicago.

Kennedy, Keenan and Moser are with the Construction Corps of the Fort Dodge and Omaho R. R., the new line the