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THURSDAY, JUNE 3, 1897.
Republican County Ticket.
FOR JURY COMMISSIONER.
A. O. EBERHART.
OUR STATE SENATE.
As you well controlled our State Senate is not a very creditable institution to our State. To try to gain a little financial advantage the controlling element, headed by that chief ringer, W. H. Andrews, the discredited Senator from Crawford county, at the last session of the Legislature forced a resolution through to "Lexow" Philadelphia affairs.

WASHINGTON.
On Wednesday last week, the President appointed ex-Senator James S. Fruit, of Sharon, Mercer county, collector of internal revenue for the Twenty-third district to succeed E. A. Tigler, of Clearfield, whose term expires on June 6. Although this is one of the executive offices in Western Pennsylvania, there were but few active candidates for the place. It seemed to be conceded ever since last winter that Mr. Fruit would carry off the plum, and consequently many of the members of the Legislature are disappointed. The office pays \$4,000 per year. If the civil service regulations are continued in force Mr. Fruit will have but one appointment to make, that of deputy collector, at \$2,000 per year.

HARRISBURG.
On Thursday quite a number of revenue bills passed the House including one taxing foreign beer one cent a gallon, and one taxing domestic beer a half-cent a gallon. A bill was also passed authorizing the State Treasurer to issue brewer's licenses at \$1,000 each.

COMMENCEMENT week took to be the proudest of the year for the people of Butler. Our public schools are a credit to this town, and would be any town on Earth. Some of the efforts made by the graduates this week show a genius, and a strength of memory seldom excelled.

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SHERIFF'S SALES.
Friday, the 4th day of June.
By virtue of sundry writs of Ven. E. P. Pa. Lev. Pa. &c. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Butler county, Pa., and by me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Butler, Pa., on Friday, the 4th day of June, 1897, the following:

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