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Friday, June 17, 1904.

As to the length of the term for which the officers chosen at the election of last week are to serve is not known to many the Sentinel will give the time for which each will hold office. Congressman Binger Hermann holds his position for two years, while Supreme Judge F. A. Moore will continue to serve for another six-year term and State Food and Dairy Commissioner J. W. Bailey serves for four years. Representatives W. I. Vawter, H. Von der Hellen and D. H. Jackson each serve for two years. Circuit Judges H. K. Hanna and H. L. Benson have six-year terms and District Attorney A. E. Reames has a four-year term. County Judge Geo. W. Dunn, Commissioner Geo. Brown, School Superintendent P. H. Daily and Assessor Peter Applegate have each four-year terms, while Clerk John S. Orth, Sheriff J. M. Rader, Recorder R. B. Dow, Treasurer D. H. Miller, Surveyor Carl T. Jones and Coroner Dr. W. L. Cameron have only two-year terms. At the election two years hence there will be to elect successors to Governor Chamberlain, Supreme Judge Wolverton, Secretary of State Dunbar, State Treasurer Moore, State School Superintendent Ackerman, State Printer Whitney, Congressman Hermann and Williamson. For this county there will be to elect a successor to State Senator Carter, Representatives Vawter, Von der Hellen and Jackson, Clerk Orth, Sheriff Rader, Recorder Dow, Treasurer Miller, Surveyor Jones, Coroner Cameron and Commissioner Patterson.

The official returns of Josephine county shows that Congressman Hermann had a plurality of 170, Supreme Judge F. A. Moore, 281, Food Commissioner J. W. Bailey 248. For joint senator R. A. Booth, republican got 124 plurality. For circuit judge the plurality of Judge H. L. Benson was 288 and that of Judge H. K. Hanna 230. District Attorney A. E. Reames had 48 plurality. On the county ticket the pluralities were as follows: Representatives, R. G. Smith, D. 151; sheriff, G. W. Lewis, R, 413; clerk S. F. Cheshire, R. 25; treasurer, J. T. Taylor, D. 416; assessor, W. H. Fallon, R, 266; supt. Lincoln Savage, R, 388; coroner, W. H. Flanagan, D, 92; commissioner, J. T. Logan, R, 99; surveyor, B. D. McCulloch, R, 144. The local option law carried by 34, and the direct primary law by 723, and the state printer amendment by 587 majority. The hog law was carried by 150. The country vote was largely against shutting up the hogs but Grants Pass gave so heavy a vote for the law that it was passed.

Commencement at St. Mary's Academy.

Monday evening the U. S. hall was well filled with an audience that greatly enjoyed the excellent program that was presented by the students of St. Mary's Academy. The entertainment was gotten up for the purpose of raising funds to defray the expenses incident to com-

mencement week to the Academy and a handsome sum was realized.

The leading feature of the evening was an operetta entitled "The Golden Slipper" and it was presented in a manner that was highly creditable to those taking part and to their instructors, the Sisters of the Academy. The audience showed their appreciation of the many pretty features of the play by hearty applause. Those taking part in the operetta were Edith Dewey, Irene Plotner, Esther Murphy, Bessie Clough, Ambrosine Murphy, Delia Reuter, Anna Kasshafer, Emma Neidermeyer, Ida Howard, Viola Dunford, Dorland Robinson, Marion Neil, Maud Newbury, Laura Neuber, Sadie McCarvel, Viola Kasshafer, Ada Loosely, Clara Newman, Anna Huber, Hattie Newman, Esther Kasshafer, Flossie Dunford, Katie Murphy and Josephine Bonnaz. Preceding and following the operetta a number of pleasing musical selections were given. "Sleepy Chorns" sung by the little folks was well done and a piano trio by Maud Newbury, Laura Neuber and Amelia Ullman was given in perfect time and execution. Lean Hanna added more proof that he has rare musical talent and that he will one day become a violinist whose name will have a high standing in the musical world. His rendition of "The Mocking Bird" would have done credit to many a person who has had years of training in the great schools of music, and in the valse, "Caprice" he showed an equal delicacy of touch and smoothness of tone and correctness of time that was so apparent in his first selection. A pantomime, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" was given in a most artistic and pleasing manner by Irene Plotner, Dorland Robinson, Marion Neil, Laura Neuber, Helen Zwright and Maud Newbury. This closed the program for the evening.

Wednesday evening U. S. hall was again filled even to standing room with friends of the students and faculty of St. Mary's Academy to witness the exercises which closed the school year for that popular school.

As the guest of honor and the principal speaker the Academy had Governor George L. Chamberlain and in a measure the presence of the Governor was a surprise to all present for not until a few hours preceding the event was it known even to Rev. Father J. D. Murphy that Gov. Chamberlain would be able to attend. Father Murphy had invited the Governor some time since but previous engagements made it appear to be quite impossible to visit Jacksonville on the date of the commencement, for Tuesday the Governor was to deliver an address at the commencement of the State University in Eugene, Wednesday afternoon at Ashland he was to give an address for the Southern Oregon State Normal and Friday he was due in Drain to take part in the closing exercises of the Central Oregon Normal School. By going to Ashland Wednesday Father Murphy induced the Governor to come to Jacksonville, he and Father Murphy arrived here on the early evening train. After a fine repast at the Taylor House the Governor was taken for a carriage ride, Father Murphy, Judge Prim and Charles Meserve accompanying him, and he was shown the attractions about historic Jacksonville. During the drive Gov. Chamberlain was taken to the top of the hill back of the town where a magnificent view of Rogue River Valley is had, and the Governor declared that that view alone was worth a trip to Southern Oregon.

At 8:15 Governor Chamberlain was escorted to the hall and as he proceeded to his seat he was given a hearty ovation. The stage was prettily decorated with the class colors, blue and white and with flowers and evergreens, and a nearby table was covered with beautiful bouquets of friends to the graduate Miss Ambrosine Cecilia Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Murphy of this place.

The program opened with a song well sung by a number of girls, which was followed by a piano duet by Mrs. Newbury and Miss Reuter that was given a warm encore. A pantomime by 16 girls a very pretty effect. Lean Hanna in a violin solo with Miss Donegan as accompanist on the piano each won high credit by their artistic playing. In "The Farewell" the pathetic features were most effectively brought out by Miss Murphy, Miss Reuter and Miss Clough. In a piano solo Mrs. Newbury showed that she possessed marked musical ability. A class song and a pleasing piano duet, the latter by Miss Clough and Miss Robinson closed the first part of the program.

The next feature was the reading of the class poem by Miss Ambrosine C. Murphy, which she gave in a clear voice and with fine effect. Rev. Father Murphy then gave the diplomas to the graduates Miss Murphy and the students finish-

ing the grammar grade, and the special awards for penmanship. Father Murphy then gave a brief, but finely worded and wholesome talk to the graduating class in which he complimented them and the Academy for the excellent work they had accomplished, closing with an admonition to the parents and friends that the education of the school room was not to be decried, but that the moral and physical natures of the young must be developed that true citizens and devoted Christians should be had.

Father Murphy then introduced Governor Chamberlain who on coming to the platform was most heartily applauded. The Governor put the audience in the best of humor by his happy allusions to Jacksonville pioneers whom he had known and honored, and by reference to the enjoyable time and many pleasing attractions he had seen while a guest of the town. He gave a strong endorsement to the cause of education and to its value in the life of today and commended the school advantages, both public and private that was to be had by the youth of the land. His address while brief was replete with sound thoughts and at its close he was given a flattering ovation which was followed by a general reception during which the Governor made the personal acquaintance of many of those present. At the close of the meeting Governor Chamberlain was taken to Medford in a carriage, Judge Prim, C. L. Reames and George Neuber accompanied him and he left on the early morning train for Drain, where he was to deliver an address Thursday at the commencement.

Prof. and Mrs. E. E. Washburn departed Thursday from Jacksonville, but just where they will make their future home they have not decided. The professor has a number of good school positions offered him but as yet he has made no choice. He and Mrs. Washburn will spend a week in Ashland with Prof. Washburn's parents, after which they will go north and visit relatives and friends in Lebanon and other Valley towns. The last of the month they will be in Portland to attend the State Teachers Association, before which Prof. Washburn is to deliver an address. Prof. and Mrs. Washburn will be greatly missed from Jacksonville as they have been prominent in literary, musical and religious circles and their helpful influence has been greatly appreciated and their many friends here wish them success and happiness in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hull went to Talent Thursday to attend the funeral of Miss Bessie E. Hurley, a former schoolmate of Mrs. Hull's. Miss Hurley was 19 years of age and she was of marked intelligence and lovable character, beloved by all her acquaintances. At the time of her death she was residing in Ashland, to which place her parents moved some time ago that their children might have better school advantages. While attending school she was taken with typhoid fever which was the cause of her death. At the funeral which was held in Talent six of her schoolmates acted as pallbearers. There was a large attendance of friends and the flower tokens of remembrance were many and beautiful.

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Jesse Applegate arrived home Wednesday from Corvallis where he has been a student in the State Agricultural College. He is taking the course in civil engineering and he has made fine progress in his studies and is greatly pleased with the College. George Von der Hellen and his sister, Miss Von der Hellen also returned from the Agricultural College Wednesday. Maud Roberts of Medford and F. L. Carter of Ashland, the two other Jackson county students at the Agricultural College returned Thursday to their homes.

Dr. W. L. Cameron of Medford, corner elect, was in Jacksonville Friday to file his acceptance at the county clerks office.

A large invoice of high grade millinery goods has been received by Miss Chapman at the Jacksonville millinery store. Ladies call and see the latest in designs just from Chicago.

A strong, healthy baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Oglesby Friday evening of this week.

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