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Our Vice Presidents.

Through the serious illness of President Wilson, the probability of Vice-President Marshall being called upon to act for the president becomes nearer certain as the president's recovery is delayed. Should it be necessary to call Vice-President Marshall to the presidential chair either permanently by reason of the death of the president or to act out the term, because of the mental condition of the president, an interesting situation will at once develop with the great question: Can the vice-president measure up to the requirements of chief executive of this great nation?

Unfortunately at the great national conventions, the vice-presidential candidate is not selected so much for his ability and fitness for the office, but rather from a standpoint of controlling the vote of some doubtful state. The conventions seem to lose sight of the fact that in choosing a vice-presidential candidate they may be choosing a president at the same time, as was the case with Johnson, Arthur and Roosevelt. Now as to whether these three vice-presidents made good is not the question at this time. It is the present policy of selecting the vice-presidential candidate that should be destroyed at these conventions.

It is true that as vice-president, Mr. Marshall has had no opportunity to show his mental or ability, in fact the vice-president of the United States is one of our most inconspicuous officers, something like a constable of one of our large cities, yet this insignificant officer is in line to become the highest officer of the nation, through an act of Providence. The least that should be accorded a vice-president of this nation should be a seat in the cabinet with the same rank and authority as other members of the body so that when an emergency arises he is well versed in the affairs of state and can in a more intelligent way and without embarrassment to either the nation or himself give dignity and intelligent service in this high office.

WHY? AND WHY NOT?

The paying teller of a wrecked Philadelphia bank when arraigned on charges of embezzlement said: "Well, I've flown high. I've had a pretty good time." He had in his possession checks for \$365,000.

A Chicago woman, whose husband had been arrested on the charge of being a "masher," said she did not blame her husband, and indignantly exclaimed: "It's the fault of the short skirts. They make the men flirt."

Representative Mason of Illinois demands that American troops be withdrawn from Siberia, claiming that they are kept there as "a collection agency to enforce payment on some ancient Russian bonds held in this country."

While the telephone systems were under Government control, a repair man went into a broker's office in New York to repair a telephone. He finished in fifteen minutes and then stood watching the ticket for two hours at Government expense.

Representative Carl W. Riddick, speaking in Congress "as a plain farmer from the far Western State of Montana," said: "The biggest contribution to high living costs has been the waste and extravagance of public administration."

Only 141,132 immigrants entered the United States in the year ending June 30, 1919. In the five years following June 30, 1914, the total immigrants was 1,172,679. Compared with 5,174,741 in the five years preceding the outbreak of the war—a decrease of more than 4,000,000.

At the recent session of the Retail Credit Men's National Association, a movement was started to improve the national bankruptcy law so as to make it more difficult for an individual to live beyond his means and then to clear the slate by going into voluntary bankruptcy.

The highest class decoration in gold of the recently inaugurated "Gratitude of France" order has been bestowed upon Mrs. Frederick C. Penfield, wife of the American Ambassador to Vienna, in recognition of her generosity toward French prisoners throughout Austria.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Tonight at 8 o'clock, Minute Men's meeting. The Rev. F. M. Freeman will be the speaker. Every person who made a speech during the Centenary campaign is invited to be present and receive a cap that the pastor brought from Columbus, Ohio, for the occasion.

The Friday catechism class meets at 4:30.

The Boy Scouts will meet at 6:30, and Dr. Burgis will give first aid instruction to Troops Nos. 18 and 36 at 7 o'clock.

The Rev. John G. Snelling will preach at 8 o'clock. After the service the Fourth Quarterly Conference for the year 1919 will convene.

Sunday, October 19, the Rev. J. C. Rousseaux will begin a series of meetings. Everyone is invited to attend. Brother Rousseaux has recently returned from France, where he served as chaplain for Uncle Sam's boys.

SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The class of Miss Thelma Cayard was organized last week at a meeting of the class. The officers elected were: Gennie Scott, president; Françoise Simon, vice president; Marion Edgecombe, secretary; Ella May Kirkpatrick, treasurer, and several other committees were appointed. The name of the class is to be decided at the next meeting.

Last Sunday morning the superintendent was in Alexandria, the guest of Mr. C. J. Thayer, at the Louisiana College.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

The Union meeting was held Tuesday at the Felicity Street Church, and nine of the Algiers Leaguers were present. After the meeting games were played and the evening was well spent.

Next Sunday, in league, the Mission Study Class will be organized. We will begin promptly at 7:15. This is a little earlier, but the meeting is going to be very good. All leaguers are expected to be present.

PERSONALS.

October 8, 1919, there was a pretty home wedding when Rev. C. C. Wier united in marriage Mr. Albert E. Langford, Jr., and Miss Dorothy Labit. Both the young people reside in Algiers, where they have a host of friends and relatives. There were numerous presents. After refreshments and cutting the bride's cake the happy young couple left for Biloxi. The young couple have the hearty good wishes of the congregation.

October 9, 1919, Gussie, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Deutsche, 915 Opelousas avenue, was baptized, Rev. C. C. Wier officiating. Sponsors, Mr. Arvin Foster and Mrs. Lee Junca.

Holy Name Society. The regular meeting of this society was held last Thursday. The main business transacted was that of nom-

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SCENE FROM THE BOOMERANG, TULANE WEEK COM. SUN., OCT. 19

inating officers for the coming rally in November. Mr. Zeringue has been chosen as parish marshal. He will select his aides as soon as possible and send their names in to headquarters. Mr. Riley and Eugene Lize have been chosen as aides to Grand Marshal L. W. Peterson. There will be a retreat before the rally. The dates, hours and the preachers to be announced in the next issue of this paper. The rally this year is to be on a grander scale than ever. New Orleans will have to exert itself to come up to the results of other cities. Last week in Providence, R. I., 2,800 out of one parish alone participated in the procession. The whole parade contained more than 30,000 men of all ages and stations of life. Algiers alone ought to turn out at least 500, and thus do its share in making this rally the largest ever held.

St. Margaret's Daughters will take up a special collection at all the masses next Sunday for the purpose of helping to pay for the home they have bought at Bay St. Louis. This will be a summer home for working girls and all other ladies in need of rest. All people of good moral character will be gladly admitted.

Services.

Daily masses, 6, 6:30 and 7. Wednesday, 6, 6:45 and 8:30. Sunday, 5, 6:30, 7:30, 9 and 10:30 Low Mass.

During October, Rosary devotions every evening at 7 o'clock.

Baptisms, Sunday, 3-4 p. m.

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George Joseph, son of John L. Begue and Sarah A. Gonzales. Sponsors, George and Lillian Boelke. Odessa Bernadette, daughter of Elijah Mitchell and Edna Usin. Sponsors, Alvin Arceneaux and Carmen Maurice. Herbert Joseph, son of Gillis Foncha and Evelyn McAnespy. Sponsors, Joseph Foncha and Inez Bourgeois. Eldon John, son of John C. Durand and Lillian Harding. Sponsors, Walter R. Durand and Mrs. E. Salathe.

Fourth Degree, K. of C., at Memphis Sunday.

L. W. Peterson, master of the fourth degree of the Knights of Columbus for the Southern district, covered himself with glory at Memphis, Tenn., last Sunday. N. O. Bienville Assembly Team, under his direction, has done such superior work that it was invited to work outside of its territory by the master of Knoxville, Tenn., district. Memphis Council, 1,300 strong, presented 142 candidates for initiation in the fourth degree of the order. The work of the team was

highly appreciated. The exemplification was better than ever. This was a gala day for the Knights of Memphis. At the sumptuous banquet held in the largest and most up-to-date hotel, more than 300 people were present. It was the first time that the ladies were allowed to be present on such an occasion, but no one regretted it for they certainly enhanced the grandeur of the occasion by their beauty and styles. Gov. Roberts, of Tennessee was present, as also Col. Anderson of the U. S. Army. They were the speakers of the occasion. L. W. Peterson has every reason to be proud of his work.

Personal.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Gunn, of Natchez, was a visitor at the rectory Monday. He came to see his old friend, Rev. Fr. Larkin, S. M. It was a most interesting visit, as Fr. Larkin had seen during his vacation many relatives and friends of Bishop Gunn.

Rev. Fr. McGrath, S. M., took a few days of recreation last week and visited his brother in Alabama.

Fr. Petit, as a member of the Bienville Assembly fourth degree team, spent last Sunday in Memphis, Tenn. where the New Orleans team exemplified the fourth degree of the Order of the Knights of Columbus.

Catechism Classes.

Nos. 1 and 2 catechism classes reopened this week for the coming year. Fr. McGrath will have charge of the No. 1 boys and Fr. Hayes of the No. 1 girls.

Fr. Larkin, as usual, will have charge of the No. 2 boys and girls—that is the confirmation class. The boys and girls will assemble at the school at 7:30 and will then march to their classes at 8. Co-operation from the parents is demanded by the teachers; without that help very little can be accomplished.

Parents are requested to send their children every day at 3 p. m. to be examined by Fr. Larkin, S. M.

Mount Olivet Church

Baptism, on Sunday, October 12, Julius Benjamin Sadlek, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Sadelek. Sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bradford. Rev. S. L. Vall officiated. Marriage, Wednesday, October 8, John Jos. McEroy and Miss Carmen Louise Arata, at St. George's. Rev. S. L. Vall officiated. Tuesday was moving day for Rev. S. L. Vall and family. New address, 1022 Webster street. James Moore Vall celebrated his first anniversary on Wednesday. Services Sunday, October 19, eighth Sunday after Trinity: 9:30 a.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE Services every Sunday at 11 a. m., and Wednesday evening meetings at 8 o'clock, including free lectures on Christian Science, instructions in healing, and working mentally and scientifically. All interested are invited. CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY, 622 Audubon Building.

m. church school; 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.

Regular meeting of Ladies' Guild Tuesday, October 21, at 7:30 p. m., at the rectory. As this is a very important meeting, every member is asked to be present. The choir meets every Friday at 7 p. m.

CONCERNING DAVID BELASCO'S PRODUCTION, "THE BOOMERANG."

Rarely has such a splendid cast of players been gathered together in a single play as in "The Boomerang," the Winchell Smith and Victor Mapes comedy, which David Belasco will bring to the Tulane theatre next Sunday night for an all week engagement.

It is a well-known fact that Mr. Belasco never sends out duplicate companies in Belasco successes. In this one instance alone, this famous producer sacrificed a fortune, it is said, for "The Boomerang" has been acclaimed as the most emphatic comedy hit of the decade.

"The Boomerang" is in three acts, and its fun is of the cleverest and wittiest kind. It deals with the foolish jealousy of a lovesick youth in a manner that is said to be irresistible. For the first time, in a play at least, a physician is called in to effect a cure for lovesickness. As simple things are usually considered the most difficult, and as this physician is inexperienced though exceedingly efficient, he goes to work without delay. The patient, Budd Woodbridge, is the victim of a heartless coquette, Grace Tyler. Budd has been wooing her in the old eloquent, self-sacrificing manner, and loses weight in doing so. In fact, he is on the verge of a complete nervous breakdown when the physician takes in the situation and gets Budd's mind off the adored one and her careless cruelty by telling him that he is the victim of germs. In a month's time the physician agrees to show results, and he undertakes to accomplish his purpose by placing Budd in the charge of a beautiful nurse and playing her against Grace Tyler's jealousy as an antidote to bring Grace to time, for she really cares for Budd. Incidentally the doctor suddenly realizes that he himself has fallen in love with the nurse and the amusing incidents which follow give the comedy its title.

QUITE SO. The time, the place and the girl are seldom found together. That alludes to the hired girl, all right.

NOT MUCH. I do not like the doctor's pill, and yet it does not follow because of that the doctor's bill is easier to swallow.

ECONOMY OF LANGUAGE. Passenger (entering car)—Fine morning, conductor. Conductor: Fa'a.

WANTED TO KNOW. Pa? Yes, my son. Are an army's right and left wings what it flies with?

A PEST. He is a pest I'd like to smite. The man who says: "Well, ain't I right?"

GETS LOST. Buying on margin, a little money will go a long way in the stock market. Yet it frequently gets so far you never see it again.

TOUGH LUCK. What kind of a husband did your sister get? A lemon. He makes her economize on clothes to pay for the candy and flowers he sent her before they were married.

When You Are Chilled. Chilled hands or feet should not be put near the fire or in hot water, as this causes the blood vessels to dilate too rapidly and chills result. The chilled members may be put in tepid water and a little hot water added from time to time, but the best plan is to warm by exercise and by rubbing.

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TULANE THEATRE BEGINNING SUNDAY, OCT. 19 "THE BOOMERANG" Matinee—Wednesday and Saturday at 2 P. M.

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ATTRACTIONS AT Foto's Folly Theatre SUNDAY, Oct. 19th.—"Bill Henry," Chas. Ray. "Among Those Present," Sennett Comedy. "Pathe News." WEDNESDAY, Oct. 23rd.—"Woman's Honor," H. B. Brown. "The Great Gamble," Chas. King. "Pathe Review." THURSDAY, Oct. 24th.—"Tracks," Wm. S. Hart. "Lloyd Comedy," "Pathe News." FRIDAY, Oct. 24th.—"Paid in Advance," Dorothy Phillips. "Mutt and Jeff." SATURDAY, Oct. 25th.—"Pathe Patrol," Special. "Shanghai." Chas. Chaplin.

H. N. G. C. On Friday, October 17th, the attractions will be "The Lyons Mail," a Tri-angle classic, featuring H. B. Irving, Jr., with an all-star cast, also the second episode of "The Perils of Thunder Mountain," continuing that gripping serial of adventure and danger, featuring Antonio Moreno and Carol Holloway. On Sunday, October 19th, there will be Mary Miles Minter in "The Intrusion of Isabella," a five-reel Pathe drama; "Good Night, Ladies," a Lyons and Moran one-reel comedy, and the Latest International News and also a one-reel Nestor comedy. On Tuesday, October 21st, Jane and Katherine Lee, those wonderful kiddies, in one of their latest productions, "Swat the Spy." Fatty Arbuckle in "Never Again." Also Pictorial Life. Alleviate Earache. If earache does not occur often, it is a sign of a serious condition. Suffering, which is always accompanied by pain, while it lasts, brings out the ear. The remedy brings quick relief. Or use a small piece of cotton, saturated with sweet oil or laudanum and place carefully in the ear. This is particularly efficacious if the trouble is caused by the hardening of the wax. Husband Alleges Deception. A California man testifies in a divorce suit that when he was married his wife she always met him at the front door with a kitchen apron and leading him to believe she was domestic in her taste, and after he had learned his dismay that she had never even learned how to boil water and that she gave him the satisfaction of boarding or clearing out—Tom Thumb. Charles Sherwood Stratton (Tom Thumb) was born at Bridgeport, Conn., in 1838. He was exhibited by P. T. Barnum in various parts of the world. He married in 1862 Mary Ann Bump (Lavinia Warren) who was only about two years younger than he. He was only about two years taller than she. He died at Middleborough, Mass., in 1883.