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The vice president of the United States will speak in Decatur Monday afternoon at three o'clock.

Thomas R. Marshall, vice president of the United States, will be the principal speaker for the big meeting here Monday afternoon. Be sure to hear him.

The vice president will be here Monday afternoon. It is an important occasion not only as a political event, but because of the fact that the second highest official of these United States will be our guest. He will bring a message worth hearing and every citizen of the county and district who possibly can should be here for the event, opening the democratic campaign in this section.

Governor Glynn says the last issue of the republicans who have so frequently "changed their hues and like the huma bird kept on the wing" is the Maine election. Then he proceeds to show that the democrats made a gain of thirty-two per cent which would, if the average is kept up, carry Indiana by 46,000, New York by 250,000, and sweep Wilson into victory in New Jersey, Massachusetts, Ohio, Wisconsin and the entire west.

The statement that Henry Ford has been a "lifelong republican" is something of a joke. Only a few months ago this distinguished gentleman stated in a public interview that he knew nothing of politics, took no interest in politics, and had never voted but twice in his life. And on one occasion when he did vote he voted for Bryan. As a lifelong republican Mr. Ford is a peach. —Fort Wayne News.

But even so, he hasn't had anything on a very distinguished gentleman who is just now asking the people to elect him president who heads the republican ticket and who admits that he hasn't voted for seven years and failed to register this year, thus disfranchising himself, though a candidate for the greatest office in the world.

Governor Glynn, formerly of New York, but now of the United States, as he was introduced by J. A. M. Adair, as chairman of the committee, notified Thomas R. Marshall of his nomination as a candidate to succeed himself. It was one of the remarkable occasions in the state of Indiana, with a two-hour parade, an enthusiastic crowd and the Glynn speech was one of the most wonderful delivered in the state. Mr.

Marshall's acceptance was likewise good and the event leads the Indianapolis Star to say editorially this morning:

"Perhaps the most imperative obligation of honest criticism in connection with the Marshall notification meeting is to recognize that the democrats made a really impressive showing. They had a big crowd, their speeches were adroit and effective, they had immense numbers of young men, they manifested enthusiasm and confidence. Vast numbers continue to look upon the president as a brave and sincere man, humanly imperfect, perhaps, but in full sympathy with the progressive reforms of the hour, passionately devoted to the cause of democracy and liberty, zealous for peace, firmly set against greed and oppression in high places. Some of these numbers must be won over or the battle is lost."

### DOINGS IN SOCIETY

#### WEEK'S SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Saturday.

Tri Kappas Pastry Sale—Gas office.

Monday.

Pythian Sisters—Important meeting.

Tuesday.

Pythian Needle Club—Mesdames Charles Elzey, O. L. Burgener and James Fristoe at K. of P. Home.

For May, to whose laudation there are shown

So many sonnets, with such wasted wit.

Is, after all, no more than the cocoon From which who knows what butterfly may fit

May is a blossom growing by a fence—

September is a garden, sweet, immense,

The whole reward of every traveler, its spur;

May is the doubtful promise of the day,

Loved only as fulfillment's harbinger.

September is a sweeter month than May."

The Pythian Needle Club will be entertained Tuesday afternoon at the K. of P. home by Mesdames Charles Elzey, O. L. Burgener and James Fristoe.

After the Pocahontas lodge meeting last evening, the Minnehaha Needle Club was entertained in a very delightful way by Mesdames Reuben Lord, John Christon and Charles Cooper. A number of games were played, charades given and a fine program enjoyed. Misses Maud Cooper and Urice Dull sang; Mrs. Fred Gall gave piano solos; and Mrs. Fred Snyder of Fort Wayne, read. Mrs. James Fristoe played for the games. The luncheon, of buttered rolls, meat loaf, potato salad, cookies and coffee was very appetizing. Forty plates or more were served, and the hostesses were assisted by Misses Naomi Lord, Maud Cooper, Betrice Bacon and Mr. Reuben Lord. Besides the husbands of a number of the members, several guests present were Mrs. Fred Snyder, Ft. Wayne; Mrs. Fred Bacon, Mrs. Fred Gall, Fanalone and Jesse Magley.

The "Willing Workers" class of the Cavalry Sunday school held their regular monthly business meeting last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bertha Cappaert promptly at two o'clock the meeting was called to order by the class president, Miss Vera Mitch. The meeting was opened by the singing of the class song followed by scripture reading and prayer. A short business period preceded the social hour after which a

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program was given consisting of recitations, singing and the story of the life of Esther given by Miss Gertrude Shiffler. A number of questions prepared for the round table talk and in which all present took an active part, proved very interesting as well as helpful. After the appointment of the program committee for the next session the meeting was closed by prayer and the class benediction in unison. Last but not least a tempting luncheon was served. Class dues amounted to \$1.25. Miss Myrtle Drake a former member of the class extended an invitation to the "Willing Workers" to meet at her home on North Third street for their next meeting which will be October 5th.

With the coming of cooler weather renewed activity in the Mite society of the Methodist church was manifest at the excellent meeting held at the home of Mrs. Walt Johnson on Sixth street yesterday afternoon, when the section of which Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. F. A. Peoples and Mrs. Fred Blosser are chairmen, entertained. Forty-five were in attendance and the collection was \$8.65. Plans for the annual Old Peoples Day, when dinner is served the old people at the church, were made. The annual New England dinner, Thursday, October 19 was also discussed. Favors given with the refreshments were fall roses, and the plates with the ice cream banana split and wafers, looked as pretty as tooth-some.

The first annual reunion of the Acker family will be held tomorrow in the Almond Schafer grove near Rivarre. All members of the family are cordially invited to come.

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