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"YOURS IS THE VICTORY." — "FOR WHEN THE ONE GREAT SCORER COMES TO WRITE AGAINST YOUR NAME, HE WRITES NOT THAT YOU WON OR LOST, BUT HOW YOU PLAYED THE GAME." — ANONYMOUS.

LABOR DAY THEN AND NOW

Labor day in recent years has become one of our most important holidays, due in part, to the fact that it comes always on Monday, and this gives an opportunity for what many choose to call a double holiday. When a holiday comes on Saturday, as is often the case, three days may be devoted to running around.

This year and last, a different light has been thrown on Labor Day, by industrial conditions in this country, which have not been cleared away despite all the promises and predictions to the contrary.

In the past thousands have taken this day as an opportunity to travel to some distant point and view the landscape, while others jumped in the old car, which was new then, and made their way to their favorite spot in city park or country wayside.

Princeton has been the center of Labor Day celebrations for some years, with occasional exceptions, one this year, when the labor hosts of Gibson and Pike counties will spend the day at Washington, Ind., in a big parade followed by an all-day celebration at the park, with speeches and entertainment.

While these occasions are entered into by members of many labor organizations, particularly the United Mine Workers, it is anything but a day of rest for those who tramp through a parade, listen to supposed oratory, then wend their way home at a late hour. However, they seem to take an interest in doing this, and receive much encouragement from those who stand on the side-lines and watch the parade go by. You know, a parade would not be worth giving if there were no one on the side lines to take a look.

This is the 45th annual Labor Day in this country. The occasion was recognized by a law in Colorado. Its observance has become so general throughout the United States that it is noted as a legal holiday, whether there is statute for it or not.

In most cities, throughout the United States the parades have been abandoned, mainly because there is much more enjoyment in riding in an automobile, and the speeches can be read at home, by those who care to learn what the orators have to say.

In years past, busy America could not think of devoting this day to what its name implies, but there is a different view being taken of the day—TODAY.

Most of us are taking an invoice of how we wasted, not only this day, but many other Labor Days, in the past, which, if they had been preserved would now be serving us in days of industrial stagnation. No one, who has an opportunity to work today, will likely pass it up for fear of not having it tomorrow.

NOT A FREE GIFT PLAN

The executive secretary of the Indiana Building & Loan League, speaking of the home loan bank possibilities at the meeting held in French Lick, last week, said "the home loan bank will not be an unmixed blessing, and anyone who thinks it is going to help them and who is out of a job and can't pay, is mistaken."

The main difficulty of these movements is that the people are borrowing from themselves, in a measure. The government is furnishing the borrowing power, bonds are being sold to secure the necessary money and interest on these bonds must be paid the holders. By the time the money reaches the individual it has doubled in interest. By these plans of borrowing the people are not improving conditions, but going deeper in debt.

To the building and loan institutions who may borrow money to make them more liquid, that is a different proposition, providing the interest rate is not increased to those who are in danger of having their mortgages foreclosed. It merely gives more time to the borrower.

Many Princeton people will regret that they can not attend the Labor Day celebration at Washington, today, but someone must remain at home to feed the...



Finals Of State Pushmobile Contest To be Held At The Indiana State Fair



This year the Indiana State Fair is staging the finals of the Official Indiana State Pushmobile Race under the sponsorship of the Indiana Pushmobile Contest Association. All cars entered must be equipped with pneumatic tires, mechanical steering gears, and all metal bodies. About ten cars are expected to qualify. Each entry includes a driver, two pitmen and five pushers. The race will be on a 200 yard track marked off in front of the grandstand and will be for forty laps. Qualifications will be made at the fairgrounds between five and six-thirty P. M., Friday, September 2 and the race will be run Tuesday Evening, September 6 at 7:30. For information write to W. C. Peacock, 1737 Howard Street, Indianapolis. Prizes will be cups for the first three places and lap prizes of merchandise.

DEMOCRAT TICKET ELECTION NOV 8TH

The official Democrat ticket, nominated at the primary election and certified by members of the Gibson county election commission will be as follows:

Representative in Congress, 7th, Congressional Dist. ARTHUR H. GREENWOOD

State Representative WILLIAM H. LEE

Judge 66th, Judicial District Gibson County, Ind. A. DALE EBY

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