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The kids should make a great week of it. Next Monday the school teacher will sound the work call.

The "Great and Only" is now in full blast. The sun is on duty, the grounds in the pink of condition and everybody and everything on hand to round out a wonderful week of the Gibson county fair.

Thomas A. Edison, a man of genius and rare discernment, predicts the election of Herbert Hoover. He says: "In my opinion Hoover will be elected. Smith is too much loaded with associations which people do not like."

Herbert Hoover says "the greatest government experiment in human history was universal free education at public expense—and it has been successful." The Republican nominee is an outstanding example of the results of this policy.

One of the interesting features of the campaign is reading Senator Robinson's speeches in which he is attempting to temper Governor Smith's stand on prohibition and farm relief

ning-mate has a delicate task, and he is doing some floundering, too.

**LABOR DAY CELEBRATION BIG SUCCESS**  
 Congratulations are due to all who in any way contributed to the success of yesterday's Labor Day celebration in Princeton. The great parade and all the other features of the program outclassed the celebrations of other years. The managers planned well and the support given to them in carrying out the proceedings of the day was whole hearted and gratifying. The day was a big success and a credit to Labor and to Princeton.

**AGRICULTURE AND DEMOCRACY**  
 Indianapolis Star:

Claude G. Bowers, in his address notifying Senator Robinson at Hot Springs, Ark., declared that agriculture has been abused and neglected in the last five years. He told of the lack of constructive effort on the part of the Republican administration. "It was bad enough to make no move to solve the problem of the tillers of the soil," he said; "it was downright wicked to manifest no sympathy with the farmer's plight." His appeal was made to impress the farmers that they are not only in a bad way, but may expect much improvement if the Democrats are elected.

Mr. Bowers gave estimates of the billions of dollars shrinkage in the value of lands and equipment in the last five years, which were only estimates, but probably fairly accurate. In spite of his gloomy talk, the South, where he was speaking, had 5,805,671 automobiles at the end of 1926, according to the Manufacturers Record of Baltimore. That was the last year for which complete statistics were available. The same states had only 2,168,681 at the end of 1921, showing a gain of 3,636,990 in four years of Republican indifference and misrule. In four years the South, which is agricultural and whose prosperity is largely dependent on agriculture, more than doubled the number of its motor cars while the tillers of the soil were being crushed by Republican incompetence.

The farmers of the South have not such short memories that they can not remember what happened under a Democratic administration. Fourteen years ago, after the Democrats had been in office a year and before the outbreak of the world war changed the situation, President Wilson was one of the prominent subscribers to the "buy-a-bale" movement

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