

# THE HOSTS OF LABOR ARE HERE TO CELEBRATE LABOR'S BIG DAY

## Program Includes Big Parade, With Speaking and Amusements at the Fair Grounds Afternoon and Night—Vincennes Sends a Banner Delegation of Nearly 1,000.

The Labor day celebration which is being held in the city doubtless towers above anything of the kind ever attempted in Princeton. Thousands of laboring men are gathered here to do honor to the national day and to celebrate it with good fellowship and merrymaking. The spirit of the occasion is manifest and the sons of toil have marked the day in local labor circles as being paramount to all others in this line.

Big delegations are here from Vincennes, Hazleton, Fort Branch, Owensville and a number of other points. The Vincennes delegation, about 1,000 strong, arrived in the city at 9 o'clock this morning on a special train over the E. & T. H.. The First Regiment band and Hunter's band accompanied the delegation in which a number of trade unions were represented.

Delegations from Mt. Carmel, Francisco, Oakland City and Ayreshire will arrive on the afternoon trains over the Southern.

The Clarion-News goes to press at the noon hour and is therefore unable to give the entire details of the day. According to the program the big parade will be given at 2 o'clock this afternoon. It will be one of the biggest ever seen in the city.

At the fair grounds this afternoon, speaking will be the feature. The speakers are Hon. J. W. Purcell, of Terre-Haute, and W. H. Raney, of this city. Short addresses will also be given by Mayor C. W. White, and Mayor-elect A. P. Twineham. Music will be given by the various bands.

Dancing and fire works display will be the features at the grounds tonight.

### The Banner Delegation.

The banner delegation of the day came from Vincennes. The visitors from that city are estimated at 1,000. They came down on a special train and were met at the E. & T. H. station by a local delegation. A line of march was formed and the crowd marched to the public square and then to the site of the Masonic building, where the laying of the cornerstone took place. In the march from the E. & T. H. station the delegation was headed by William Van Stone, local marshal of the day, and John Mallett,

The association expects to break the records by an increase of 15,000 people during the week and the present indications are certainly favorable.

### Crowds Come Early.

The early trains this morning brought in big delegations from the north and south and the cars on the traction line were filled to overflowing. By ten o'clock the streets were crowded with people and the majority of them not visiting the fair grounds until the afternoon.

Although the crowds came early Princeton people were ready to receive them as was manifested by the many beautiful decorations. The bunting and flags reminded one of a Fourth of July celebration and proved that the business men of the city were alive to the interests of the day.

### Public Works Closed.

It was a special holiday for laboring men and there were few of them that did not take advantage of it. All public works were closed down and the employes turned out in a body to do honor to the big event. On no other occasion was there such a common interest among laboring men and they certainly did their part nobly.

# A MEMORABLE DAY

## WAS SUNDAY FOR THE PEOPLE OF HAUBSTADT AND VICINITY.

### Magnificent Parochial School Building Dedicated With Imposing Ceremonies at 2 O'clock.

Sunday was a banner day in the history of Haubstadt and vicinity. The magnificent new parochial school building was dedicated with imposing ceremonies, marking a new era in the educational advancement of the community.

The ceremonies took place Sunday afternoon at the main entrance of the new structure. Rev. Father Ewers conducted the rites, assisted by Fathers Lennert, of St. James; Quate, of Snake Run; Shaus, of Poseyville;

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## EIGHT THOUSAND KILLED WOUNDED IN THE ASSAULT

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### Russians Able to Withstand Attacks and Their Loss is Only Three Thousand Men.

CHE FOO, Sept. 5.—The fighting at Port Arthur from August 27 to 31 was of the fiercest character and bullets from the Japanese rifles often fell with in the town.

The fighting ended with the Japanese retiring everywhere, except at Palunsha, which was retained. Itshan was several times assaulted, but the attack was finally abandoned.

On September 2 the Japanese attacked the Russian left flank, but the assault was without result.

The Japanese officers now fear that another two months will be necessary before they will be able to take the town. Their losses in recent engagements were eight thousand killed and wounded. The Russian losses were three thousand killed and wounded.

The above is authentic and the first authentic statement of the result of the assault since it was made.

## THE BATTLE OF LIAO YANG ENDS; BLOODIEST IN HISTORY.

TOKIO, Sept. 5.—The flag of Japan flies over Liao Yang.

Field Marshal Oyama, by dint of incessant fighting, in which his men were spared neither because of casualties nor because of hardships, holds sway over Liao Yang and Gen. Kuropatkin through whom Russia believed its arms would be served, is in full retreat northward, while one of the chief aides, Gen. Stakelburg, with his command, the First Siberian army corps, numbering 25,000 men, is cut off to the westward of Liao Yang.

The Russians are concentrating at Yentai, but the dispatches thus far give no intimation as to whether they will make a stand there, or even whether the Japanese are pursuing their foe in their flight.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 5.—The battle of Liao Yang, which began with the Japanese advance on August 24, the day of the christening of the Czar-ivitch, and concluded Saturday, September 3, with the retreat of Kuropatkin, is believed to have been the longest and bloodiest in history.

Numerous incidents in the fighting upset the theory evolved by the experiences in the Boer war that a modern battle must necessarily be fought at long range. Both sides repeatedly met in hand-to-hand encounters in bayonet charges and the men of both sides were often so near each other that

## A Grand Week Promise History Will Resurrect the Most

The weather man is contrary to the Gibson county fair. A week ushered in with bright prospects for delightful weather, the question of weather is always a serious matter which slightest failure for a big week.

For six days Princeton crowded with hosts and expect will have another demonstration model county fair. Although will be crowds, the best of prevail and no one need fear primary dangers which general in hand with immense gain.

The first day of the fair day and no pains have been the local unions to make it one of great interest. The comes in the afternoon, with at the fair grounds. In there will be an amusement at the grounds.

The fair program for Tuesday includes the boys' and girls' race, show of match horses. Tuesday will be Sunday Children's day.

Secretary McGinnis and ants have been buried in today, and the indications a big display halls will be filled.

### Big Sunday Crowd

In reality the big week day. There were at least at the fair grounds Sunday to see what was going on were exceedingly lively than of rest. The merry-go-round operation and received a age. Ninety stands were up and ready for business and sauntered around just for like they did last year at it.

The crowd at the grounds-prise and the management to be a good omen for the

### Stock Exhibits.

Many of the live stock exhibited Saturday night and

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E. & T. H. station the delegation was headed by William Van Stone, local marshal of the day, and John Mallett, marshal of the Vincennes delegation.

**The Vincennes Crowd.**

Passenger train No. 3, of the E. & T. H., was run in two sections from Vincennes this morning. The first section arrived here about 9 o'clock and carried a delegation of about 800 Vincennes people. The second section was run as the regular train and brought in a delegation about 200 strong, as the first section of the train was unable to accommodate all.

Following is a list of the unions represented in the Vincennes delegation:

**First Division.**

- Grand Marshal, John Mallett.
- Platoon of police.
- First Regiment band.
- Plumbers union, No. 425.
- Typographical union, No. 395.
- Carpenters' union, No. 658.
- Brewery Workers, No. 52.
- Iron Workers, No. 3.
- Plasterers' Union, No. 114.

**Second Division.**

- Hunters' band.
- John De Cratos, assistant marshal.
- Painters' Union, No. 378.
- Team Owners' Union.
- Teamsters' Union.
- Carpenters' Union, No. 812.
- Electrical Workers' Union, No. 243.
- Iron Moulders' Union, No. 400.
- Hod Carriers' Union, No. 59.
- Bartenders' Union.

**"Brite and Fair."**

A fairer, prettier day for the labor demonstration could not have been selected. The early morning was cool and pleasant and gave the people living in the surrounding country an excellent opportunity to come to the city without being burdened by the heat and dust. The recent rain was worth much to the fair association.

Prospects for a big week were never brighter, for the opening day has been full of ginger and enthusiasm.

conducted the rites, assisted by Fathers Lennert, of St. James; Quate, of Snake Run; Shaus, of Poseyville; Leuhkerman, of Mt. Vernon.

Following the ceremonies a big dinner was served in the new building and the feasting and general mingling lasted until late in the evening.

The uniformed Catholic Knights, of Evansville, attended the dedication, marching from the station to the building headed by a band.

The new parochial building is a handsome and commodious structure, built with the view of having facilities for future growth in the size of the school. There are several large recitation rooms, together with living rooms for the sisters. The building is of brick and the construction shows good workmanship throughout. N. Jost, of Mt. Vernon, was the contractor. The cost was \$12,000.

The dedication was attended by people from all over this section of the state and was one of the biggest dedication events ever witnessed in southern Indiana.

**PREDICTS VICTORY.**

Washington Post Correspondent Here and Says Eagle will Scream.

Mr. James Hines, staff correspondent of the Washington Post, one of the widest known papers in the country, is in Princeton today. Mr. Hines is tiring Indiana getting the drift of political sentiment in the Hoosier state.

Mr. Hines says Roosevelt and Fairbanks will be elected by a record-breaking majority. He finds the sentiment generally to be for the Republican candidates, with a general weakening of Parker's strength. He has found in his Indiana tour that National Chairman's Taggart's blow about carrying Indiana for Parker is just another one of Taggart's boom talks, for which that genial gentleman is famous.

met in hand-to-hand encounters in bayonet charges and the men of both sides were often so near each other that they could distinguish the features and hear the words of command. In one instance they were separated only by the width of the railroad and actually threw stones at each other. The mad heroism of the Japanese and stubborn tenacity of the Russian have seldom if ever been paralleled.

The work of the Red Cross, which throughout the war has been most devoted on both sides, proved almost as dangerous to the nurses and doctors as has the work of the combatants. Many bearers and their assistants have been killed or wounded in attending to the injured under fire. A Sister of Mercy was killed and a surgeon wounded in the final assault on Liao Yang.

Telegraph operators and correspondents have been shot, and one has been decorated for bravery. During the ten days' fighting the condition of the soldiers of both armies was most pitiable. Many Japanese prisoners were starving and almost naked when captured, which speaks volumes for Japanese endurance. It is wonderful that the commissary departments made it possible to continue to supply the men during such a continuous struggle. The Russians were better fed, being nearer their own base, but the terrible strain of the continuous fighting caused some of them to fall asleep in the midst of the cannonade and even on the firing line.

**For Remembrance's Sake.**

Binks—The Easterlys have queer ideas. Why, do you suppose they named their twins Echo and Signal.

Jinks—Well, you see, they're great whist fiends, and they thought it would help them to remember not to overlook those plays.

The sharper a man is the more likely is he to stick into something and get broken off short.

**SPLendid SERMON BY  
Freed TO LABORER**

Christ as an Example to the  
Man—Special Music Accompanies the Service.

"The Dignity of Labor" was the subject of the sermon delivered at the Christian church Sunday evening by Rev. Freed, the pastor. It was a most appropriate subject for the labor service and better fitted to be heard it to appreciate the nature of the labor day.

A large number of laborers were in attendance, representing all of the trade unions in the city, and to them the sermon was of special interest.

Rev. Freed took for his text the chapter of Ecclesiastes, 12:1. "The sleep of the laboring man is sweet, whether he eat little or much, but the abundance of the rich suffer him to sleep." In his sermon the minister contrasted the condition of the poor, the man who works hard and who did not, and he brought out many interesting phases in connection with the text.

The minister proceeded to show that the truest sense of labor—activity of heart, mind and body—He took God as an example. He was a representative of the man, having worked at the coal trade, Christ entered into the common walks of life and was at

**Clear Skin**  
blood pure and rich,  
the skin, reddens the