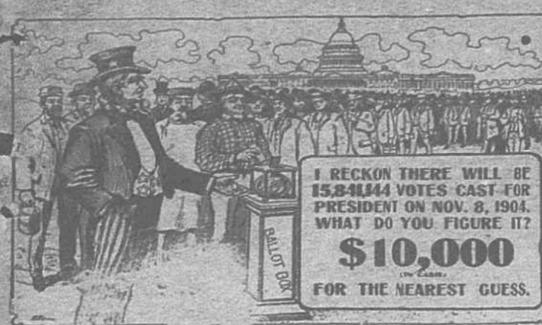


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I RECKON THERE WILL BE 15,844,444 VOTES CAST FOR PRESIDENT ON NOV. 8, 1904. WHAT DO YOU FIGURE IT? **\$10,000** FOR THE NEAREST GUESS.

\$25,000.

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8 Special Prizes of \$500 Each for Early Subscriptions

Every subscriber to The Daily or Weekly Telegram has an opportunity to share in these cash prizes. The subject matter of the interesting contest in which these large prizes will be paid is the Total Popular Vote to be cast for the office of President of the United States on the 8th day of November, 1904. Every man, woman or child in the United States should be interested in the Greatest Election the country has ever had.

Conditions of this Great Contest.

There are two plans by which you may participate in this great contest:
FIRST—By every paid in advance subscription to the Daily or Weekly Telegram. For every dollar paid in advance you are entitled to one fifty cent estimate.
SECOND—Estimates will be sold direct from this office at the rate of 40 cents each or three for one dollar. These certificates will insure to him any prizes which his estimates will entitle him to claim. When you send us your subscription also send us your estimate of the Total Vote to be cast on November 8th, 1904, for the office of President. In making your estimates consult the figures below showing the total vote for President from Lincoln to McKinley. Write your name, address and estimates of the vote in the Subscription Blank below and mail the blank with your subscription to The Daily or Weekly Telegram. The paper will be sent to you regularly and we will mail to you certificates containing the figures of the estimates which you send us. These certificates will guarantee to you any prize which your estimate entitles you to. Keep these certificates until the prizes are awarded, so that you can compare your figures with the official figures at the close of the contest. The contest will close at midnight, November 7th, 1904, and estimates received after that hour will be allowed. The official figures of the government showing the total vote cast for the office of President will determine who are entitled to the prizes and will be determined by a disinterested committee of prominent judges just as soon as the official figures can be ascertained. When the prizes are given every subscriber who holds a certificate in the Contest will receive a printed list of the names. In addition to the large general prizes there are Eight Special Prizes of \$500.00 each for Early Subscriptions.
 Act at once. It may mean a fortune to you. The money with which to pay the prizes has been deposited by the Press Publishing Association, in the Central Savings Bank, Detroit, Mich. and can be used for no other purpose. In case of a tie for any individual prize such prize will be equally divided between the contestants.

Participation in this contest is not confined to our readers, as the contest is being advertised in a number of other publications, the subscribers to all of which have an equal opportunity to share in the distribution of the prizes.

Here is the List of Prizes

For the nearest correct estimate.....	\$10,000.00	For the 42 next nearest correct estimates, \$15 each.....	630.00
For the second nearest correct estimate.....	5,000.00	For the 100 next nearest correct estimates, \$10 each.....	1,000.00
For the third nearest correct estimate.....	1,000.00	For the 314 next nearest correct estimates, \$5 each.....	1,570.00
For the fourth nearest correct estimate.....	500.00	492 prizes amounting to.....	\$21,000.00
In addition to the foregoing prizes the following SPECIAL PRIZES FOR EARLY ESTIMATES will be paid:		mate received on or after July 15 and before Aug. 1.....	500.00
For the nearest correct estimate received before July 15.....	500.00	For the nearest correct estimate received on or after Aug. 1 and before Aug. 15.....	500.00
For the nearest correct estimate received on or after July 1st and before July 15.....	500.00	For the nearest correct estimate received on or after Aug. 15 and before Sep. 1.....	500.00
For the nearest correct estimate.....		For the nearest correct estimate.....	
		Total 500 prizes amounting to.....	\$25,000.00

Valuable Information

To aid in forming your estimates, we furnish the following figures: The total popular vote in the year

1864 was	4,024,792	
1868 was	5,724,686	an increase of 42.23 per cent
1872 was	6,466,165	an increase of 12.94 per cent
1876 was	8,412,733	an increase of 30.10 per cent
1880 was	9,209,406	an increase of 9.47 per cent
1884 was	10,044,085	an increase of 9.07 per cent
1888 was	11,380,860	an increase of 13.30 per cent
1892 was	12,059,351	an increase of 5.96 per cent
1896 was	13,923,102	an increase of 15.45 per cent
1900 was	13,959,653	an increase of .26 per cent
1904	What will it be?	

Figure it out and send in your subscription. It may mean a fortune to you. Be careful to write your name, figures and P. O. plainly. Don't fail to take advantage of the Special Prizes.

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 Telegram to the addresses below for..... months.
 Send me one fifty cent estimate for each dollar paid on the above subscription.

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 Street..... State.....
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DEDICATION OF CHURCH

Rebuilt United Brethren Church at Adamston Will Be Dedicated Next Sunday by Rev. C. H. Cox, of St. Marys.

The United Brethren church, at Adamston, which has just been remodelled and refurnished and practically rebuilt into a handsome edifice, will be dedicated next Sunday. The dedicatory services will be conducted by the Rev. C. H. Cox, of St. Marys, W. Va. All friends of the church are cordially invited to join with the members of the congregation in the services. The services will commence at 10:30 o'clock in the morning.

The new church building presents a handsome appearance and it is much more convenient and to the needs of the growing congregation. The church under the pastorate of Rev. S. A. Saanabarger has been brought to an excellent condition. He is an untiring worker well qualified to fill his ministerial duties and has won a warm place in the hearts of his congregation. It was through his efforts it was made possible to remodel and refurnish the church.

Sour Stomach.
 When the quantity of food taken is too large or the quality too rich, sour stomach is likely to follow, and especially so if the digestion has been weakened by constipation. Eat slowly and not too freely of easily digested food. Masticate the food thoroughly. Let five hours elapse between meals, and when you feel a fullness and weight in the region of the stomach after eating take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and the sour stomach may be avoided. For sale by Stone & Mercer.

Greatly Reduced One-Way Colonist Fares to the West via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.
 Commencing Sept. 24 and continuing daily to and including Oct. 14, 1904, the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will place on sale daily, from all stations, ONE-WAY COLONIST TICKETS to principal points in California, Arizona, British Columbia, Colorado, Montana, New Mexico, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington, Wyoming, etc., at greatly reduced rates.

For tickets and full information, call on or address Ticket Agents, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad. 12sep14

The Stomach is the Man.
 A weak stomach weakens the man, because it cannot transform the food he eats into nourishment. Health and strength can not be restored to any sick man or woman without first restoring health and strength to the stomach. A stomach cannot digest enough food to feed the tissues and revive the tired and run down limbs and organs of the body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat, cleanses and strengthens the glands and membranes of the stomach, and cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach trouble. Sold by Stone & Mercer.

Only \$2.25 to Cumberland and Return via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad. Sunday, September 18.
 Special train leaves Clarksburg at 6:30 a. m. Beautiful scenery en route. Most delightful season in the mountains. 12sep14

Of Interest to Many.
 It is not generally known that more than one third of the deaths are from kidney diseases. Watch your kidneys as you can not live without them and they cannot be replaced. Foley's Kidney Cure will cure any case of kidney disease that is not beyond the reach of medicine. It will make you well. Sold by Stone & Mercer, Wells & Haymaker and R. J. Criss.

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.
 Cheap excursions to the St. Louis World's Fair every Wednesday in August, September and October. Only \$12 round trip, from Clarksburg.

Tickets will be good going in coaches only on specified trains.

Returning tickets will be good in coaches only on all regular trains, leaving St. Louis not later than ten days including date of sale.

Call on ticket agent for time of train and full information.

Will Cure Consumption.
 A. A. Herren, of Finch, Ark., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar is the best preparation for coughs, colds and lung trouble. I know that it has cured consumption in the first stages." It stops the cough, soothes and heals the inflamed membranes in the throat and lungs and prevents serious lung trouble. It is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases. Refuse substitutes. For sale by Stone & Mercer, Wells & Haymaker and R. J. Criss.

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Various forms of excursion tickets to St. Louis via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad now on sale from Clarksburg as follows:
 Season Tickets, good to return until December 15, 1904, to be sold daily at rate of \$26.00 round trip.
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Various Route Excursion Tickets, either season or sixty day, will be sold going via one direct route and returning via another direct route, full information concerning which can be obtained from Ticket Agent.

Stop-overs not exceeding ten days at each point will be allowed at Washington, Deek Park, Mountain Lake Park, Oakland, Mitchell, Ind. (for French Lick and West Baden Springs), Cincinnati and Chicago within return limit, upon notice of conductor and deposit of ticket with Depot Agent immediately upon arrival.

Stop-overs not exceeding ten days will be allowed at St. Louis on all one-way (except colonist) tickets to the Pacific coast and round-trip tickets reading to points beyond St. Louis, upon deposit of ticket with Validating Agent and payment of fee of \$1.00.

Three solid vestibuled trains are run daily from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington via Parkersburg and Cincinnati to St. Louis.

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For illustrated folder, time table and full information, call at Ticket Office, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic.
 There is not a woman in this land but at some time in her life would have been the better for the use of this tonic. For diseases peculiar to women a better medicine was never made. It is composed of the ingredients from which the system has been deprived by disease, overwork or dissipation. It enters at once into the circulation, building up the tissues that have been wasted, making pure rich blood in the most direct way. For weak, nervous, and unsteady people, plainly, pale or fleshless people it will make strong steady nerves and give the complexion that wholesome look that indicates health, producing good solid flesh at the rate of one to three pounds per week. Druggists sell it for 75c per box, or three boxes for \$2. It should be taken after meals, one or two tablets each time. Stone & Mercer.

Fortunes in Truck Farms.
 If you are interested in this favorite branch of agriculture, and desire some interesting reading matter showing how fortunes are actually made along the line of the Illinois Central R. R. by northern farmers who are now located for FREE handsomely illustrated pamphlets and full particulars, call on E. A. RICHTER, T.P.A., III. Cent. R. R., 512 PARK BUILDING, PITTSBURG, PA. jan29wt1

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 Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Charles J. Goff and Harry T. Wilson under the firm name and style of H. T. Wilson & Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All indebtedness due to the firm will be collected by H. T. Wilson and all monies owing by the firm will be paid and discharged by him. Witness our hands this 25th day of August, 1904.
 CHARLES J. GOFF,
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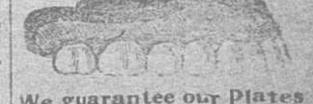
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