

# \$50,000.00

## CASH GIVEN AWAY to Users of LION COFFEE

In Addition to the Regular Free Premiums

How  
Would  
You  
Like  
a Check Like This?



We Have Awarded \$20,000.00 Cash to Lion Coffee users in our Great World's Fair Contest—2139 people get checks, 2139 more will get them in the

### Presidential Vote Contest

Five Lion-Heads cut from Lion Coffee Packages and a 2-cent stamp entitle you (in addition to the regular free premiums) to one vote. The 2-cent stamp covers our acknowledgment to you that your estimate is recorded. You can send as many estimates as desired.



What will be the total popular vote cast for President (votes for all candidates combined) at the election November 8, 1904? In 1900 election, 13,953,653 people voted for President. For nearest correct estimates received in Woolson Spice Company's office, Toledo, O., on or before November 5, 1904, we will give first prize for the nearest correct estimate, second prize to the next nearest, etc., as follows:

1 First Prize	\$25,000.00
1 Second Prize	1,000.00
2 Prizes—\$500.00 each	1,000.00
5 Prizes—200.00	1,000.00
10 Prizes—100.00	1,000.00
20 Prizes—50.00	1,000.00
50 Prizes—20.00	1,000.00
250 Prizes—10.00	2,500.00
1500 Prizes—5.00	7,500.00
<b>2139 PRIZES.</b>	<b>TOTAL—\$20,000.00</b>

**Grand First Prize of \$5,000.00**  
will be awarded to the one who is nearest correct on both our World's Fair and Presidential Vote Contests.  
We also offer \$5,000.00 Special Cash Prizes to Grocers' Clerks. (Particulars in each case of Lion Coffee.)

How Would Your Name Look on One of These Checks?  
Everybody uses coffee. If you will use LION COFFEE long enough to get acquainted with it, you will be suited and convinced there is no other such value for the money. Then you will take no other—and that's why we advertise. And we are using our advertising money so that both of us—you as well as we—will get a benefit. Hence for your Lion Heads

**WE GIVE BOTH FREE PREMIUMS AND CASH PRIZES**  
Complete Detailed Particulars in Every Package of

# LION COFFEE

WOOLSON SPICE CO., (CONTEST DEPT.) TOLEDO, OH.

Dr. Barnes will examine your eyes August 18 and 19. 292

A holder of a \$5.00 meal ticket will be entitled to the special dinner Sunday at the Chicago House.

Dr. Barnes will make his last visit for the summer, Thursday and Friday, August 18 and 19 at the Donohoe hotel. School teachers and school children should have their eyes examined at this time.

A. A. Adams took possession of the Chicago House Monday and expects to conduct a first class hotel. He has had many years experience in hotel life in New York and comes to our city to make his future home. Mr. Adams has been fortunate in securing on his staff of help as clerk the services of Mr. Aughe, a gentleman recently from Chicago who has manifested a courteous friendliness which guarantees his success, and G. S. Stark chef, who demonstrates perfection in his line. We join with other good people of the town in wishing Mr. Adams success.

### Excursion Rates to San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Via the North-western Line, will be in effect from all stations August 15 to September 10 inclusive, with favorable return limits, an account of K. T. Conclave and meeting of I. O. O. F. Sovereign Grand Lodge at San Francisco. Special trains, personally conducted, leave Chicago August 18 and 26 on itineraries that provide stop-overs and interesting side trips. Two solid fast trains through to California daily. "The Overland Limited" (electric lighted throughout) less than three days enroute. Another fast daily train is the "California Express" with drawing room and tourist sleeping cars. For itineraries and full information apply to agents Chicago & North-western R'y. 296

### Penbrook Quills.

The Porcupine once more on deck.

B. L. Graddy went to town Monday.

Richard Owens went to Valentine Monday.

Grooms brothers were cutting wheat at Penbrook last week.

Mr. Thompson, of Norden, passed this way one day last week.

Mr. Bakewell, from farther down the river, went to town Monday.

Miss Letty and Theo. Tillson went to town Monday and returned the same day.

The Misses Tillson came home from the Normal the last of the week and returned Monday.

Miss Stetter and a crowd of young friends from Valentine were callers at Mr. Swain's recently.

Frank Grooms returned home Tuesday from Hot Springs, S. D., where he had been working on the North-western.

Well, news are as scarce as hen's teeth, but the Porcupine will say this much: that the girl that happens to get a kiss and runs and tells her mother, ought to live 100 years and never get another.

### PORCUPINE.

### The Best Opportunity This Year for an Eastern Trip.

The Nebraska "Grand Army Special." Through tourist sleepers and free chair cars. Solid train—no change—Omaha to Boston, via "The Northwestern Line," August 18th, 8 p. m. Tickets less than half fare. Liberal limits. Stopovers returning at Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Detroit, Chicago, or THE ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION. This splendid service is available to the general public. For information, illustrated booklet, etc., address nearest railroad agent, or J. A. KUHN, A.&F. & P.A., C. & N.W. R'y., Omaha, Neb.

### Big Valley.

Geo. Greenough went to town last Thursday.

Haying is in full blast as usual at this time of year.

J. W. Groves got 19c a pound for his wool this year.

Maggie Biers was visiting Mrs. Taft a few days last week.

Wm. Taft is stacking hay for Paul Kennicott by the ton.

Miss Blanche Herron was horseback riding one day last week.

Blackleg has been appearing in the B S J herd of yearling heifers.

The hay flats are over run with fleas, gnats and flies this summer.

Clarence Groves was hurt last week by a double-tree breaking and striking him on the leg.

David Groves looks as solemn as a methodist minister. I wonder what has happened to him.

Separators and homesteads are all the go now-a-days. The separator may be all right but we prefer the homestead.

Big strike, high beef, low prices for cows is what you hear some men say. Wonder if ever they stopped and thought what was the cause.

J. W. Groves has gone into the chicken business along with the sheep. He purchased a 110 egg incubator last spring and has had fair luck.

There are several men up for president: Parker, Watson, Debs and Roosevelt, but the Wizzard is not going to vote for any of them as he is not gray headed enough.

The Wizzard has been looking for a cook all spring and summer and consequently did not have time to write any news, but he is still single and will be for some time to come.

BIG VALLEY WIZZARD.

W. B. FORD.

HERBERT BREUKLANDER.

## FORD & BREUKLANDER,

(Successors to E. Breuklander.)

General Blacksmithing and Wood Work.  
Horse Shoeing a Specialty.

### Low Rates to Boston, Mass.

Via the North-western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold August 11, 12 and 13, limited by extension to return until September 30, inclusive, on account of G. A. R. Encampment. Apply to agents Chicago & North-western R'y. 274

Good fresh Meat and Lard at Stetters Meat Market. 26

### Rates to St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Via the North-western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold August 6 to 11 inclusive, limited by extension to return until September 15 inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-western R'y.

### Low Rates to Louisville, Ky.

Via the North-western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold August 12, 13, 14 and 15, limited by extension to return until September 15, inclusive, account of K. P. Encampment. Apply to agents Chicago & North-western R'y. 292

If you want to see the latest in pictures and picture molding, call on the Red Front Merc. Co. They have just received a new lot of the above and are now able to make any kind of frame you wish. 29

### World's Fair Coach Excursions.

Via the North-western Line. Very low rates to St. Louis will be in effect on 7 dates, August 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25 and 30, for coach excursions to St. Louis via the Chicago & North-western R'y.

Only \$16.00 round trip from Valentine, Nebr., return limit 7 days. A great opportunity to visit the World's Fair at minimum of expense. Other favorable round trip rates are in effect daily, with liberal return limits, stop-over privileges, etc. Full information as to train schedules, checking baggage and other matters of interest to the intending traveler on application to ticket agents of the Chicago & North-western R'y. 294

### INAUGURATION OF PARLOR CAR SERVICE.

Between Chicago, Council Bluffs and Omaha.

In addition to its already remarkably complete train service between Chicago and the Missouri river, the management of The North-Western Line announces that between Chicago and Omaha there will hereafter be included a service of Parlor Cars, through without charge, on day train leaving Chicago daily at 10:15 a. m. This is in addition to the service already in existence of through Buffet Smoking and Library cars, which are at the disposal of Parlor and Pullman car passengers without charge. The Parlor Car service on the Chicago & North-Western R'y is already famous, all of those little details which go so far towards perfecting the comfort of patrons being looked after with scrupulous care. The equipment is of the highest type, and the inauguration of this service between Chicago and Omaha, over the only double track railway between Chicago and the Missouri River, marks another stepping-stone in the upward progress of transportation development as exemplified on The North-Western Line.

The Parlor Car leaves Chicago daily at 10:15 a. m., reaching Omaha 11:40 p. m. Eastbound, train No. 12, carrying similar equipment leaves Omaha 7:10 a. m., reaching Chicago 8:00 p. m. It will be noted that the schedules are fast ones. There are four trains daily in each direction between Chicago and Omaha, with direct connections for Colorado, Utah, Yellowstone Park and the Pacific Coast.

## BLACK-DRAUGHT STOCK and POULTRY MEDICINE

Stock and poultry have few troubles which are not bowel and liver irregularities. Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine is a bowel and liver remedy for stock. It puts the organs of digestion in a perfect condition. Prominent American breeders and farmers keep their herds and flocks healthy by giving them an occasional dose of Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine in their food. Any stock raiser may buy a 25-cent half-pound air-tight can of this medicine from his dealer and keep his stock in vigorous health for weeks. Dealers generally keep Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine. If yours does not, send 25 cents for a sample can to the manufacturers, The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

ROCHELLE, GA., Jan. 20, 1902.  
Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine is the best I ever tried. Our stock was looking bad when you sent me the medicine and now they are getting so fine. They are looking 20 per cent better.  
S. P. BROCKINGTON.

## J. L. ASHBURN,

Contractor and Builder in Brick or Stone Work.

Valentine, - Nebr.

### Business Notices.

Notices under this heading 5 cents per line each insertion. Among reading matter, 10 cents per line each insertion.

All kinds of heavy hardware and wagon wood stock at E. Breuklander's. 29-1f

If you want the best, self generating gasoline stove made, buy a "Reliable." Sold by Red Front Merc. Co. 29

High grade Galloway Bulls, 2 to 5 years old, for sale. Also two Thoroughbreds. For further information inquire at this office. 13

WANTED—Girl to help wait table for board during normal and school year.  
DONOHOE HOTEL.

LOST—A red sweater at Thacher's grove on July 4th. Finder please return to Laurentia Haley.

If you are wanting a first class shot gun, a hunting coat or ammunition of any kind, call on the Red Front Merc. Co. 29

### Horses For Sale.

Some good work horses, saddle horses and some good young mares. Terms to suit purchaser. Inquire at Bishop's livery barn. 23 W. T. BISHOP.

### For Sale

500 bushels of corn at 40 cents per bushel. At John Ormesher's place on the Schlagel. 26

Selling out Hardware and Furniture on account of going out of hardware business in 90 days. Call for cash bargains. 14 GEO. H. HORNBY.

Pianos and Organs with a ten year guarantee from reliable factories, sold for cash or payments. J. O. BEATTY, 13 (At G. H. Hornby's store.)

Buy "Eldorado Castor Machine Oil." For sale by Red Front Merc. Co. 29

## Professional Cards.

The Loup Valley Hereford Ranch, Brownlee, Nebr.  
Prince Royal-dell 131603 and Curly Coat 112361 at head of herd. The blood of Fowler, Anxley, Lord Wilton and Sir Gladstone predominates in my herd.  
I can fill orders for bulls of all ages at any time. Ranch four miles north-west of Brownlee, Nebr.  
C. H. FAULHABER.

### MILL PRICES FOR FEED.

Bran, bulk	75 per cwt	\$14.00 ton
Shorts bulk	85 per cwt	\$16.00 ton
Screenings	70c "	\$13.00 "
Chop Feed	1.05 "	\$20.00 "
Corn	1.95 "	\$18.00 "
Chop corn	1.00 "	\$19.00 "
Oats	1.20 "	\$23.00 "

## Genevieve Adams Hewitt, Teacher of Singing.

Scientifically correct method of chest development, deep breathing, articulation and tone poising, correction of defects in singing and speaking voice  
Chicago House.

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Valentine, Nebraska.

## H. M. CRAMER, City Deliveryman.

Trunks, valises and packages hauled to and from the depot and all parts of the City.

## H. DAILEY, Dentist.

Office over the grocery department of T. C. Hornby's store. Will be in Rosebud agency July 3rd, Oct. 2nd and Jan. 1, 1904.

## A. N. COMPTON

Physician and Surgeon  
Office at Quigley & Chapman's Drug Store. Nights—The Donohoe residence, Cherry Street.

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County Surveyor  
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GENERAL WORK PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

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Physician and Surgeon.  
All calls promptly attended to day or night. Drugs and Pharmaceuticals furnished.

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Reige, Nebr.  
Tubular wells and windmills.

## M. WILSON, Proprietor of Valentine Dray.

Will do all kinds of draying, express and freight work. Special attention given to fine furniture.

## C. M. SAGESER Barber

First-class Shop in Every Respect  
Eau de Quinine Hair Tonic, Golden Star Hair Tonic, Herpicide and Coke's Dandruff Cure.  
Try Pompeian Face Massage Cream

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## THE KANGAROO RESTAURANT

First class meals at all hours, day and night. Oysters in season. Pies, cakes, doughnuts always on hand.

## E. D. Cohota, Prop.

## Get your Clothes

cleaned and pressed and make them look like new. Careful attention given to both ladies' and gent's clothing.

## R. H. Robertson, The Tailor.

One door north old City Hotel.