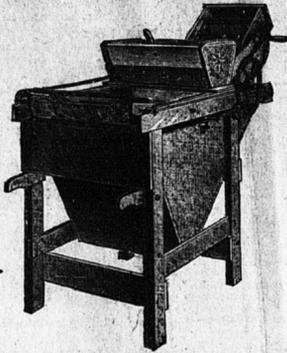


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MAYVILLE



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The above cut represents the **Mayville Smut Mill.**

It is a fortune to the **FARMERS** and **ALL** who are interested in good clean grain, and more of it to the acre.

Wheat treated in this manner, ripens earlier, more evenly, and yields from **3 to 5** bushels more to the acre.

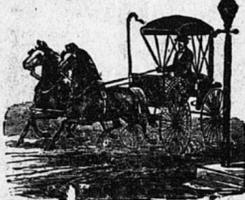
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GEO. A. LUCE.

The Pioneer.

THURSDAY, March 22, 1900.

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First class in every way. Good horses and carriages with careful driver's furnished at a moment's notice. Single and double rigs and good saddle horses ready for use. Terms reasonable. We are always ready to buy or sell a good horse. Come and see us.

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INSURANCE in force, and nearly Three Hundred Million Dollars cash assets, which belong exclusively to its policy-holders. It has already paid to policy-holders over Five Hundred Million Dollars.

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Your orders solicited.

Drop Into **JOHN TOMLINSON'S**
BILLIARD and
POOL ROOM.
CIGARS and SOFT DRINKS.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, The famous little pills.

For the latest news read The Pioneer.

PICK-UPS.

Jack Harris has returned for summer work.

C. G. Merriell will blow in about the first of the month.
May flax is worth below \$1.64 and Sept. \$1.14.

If you have any flax to sell better sell now at \$1.56.

Been having genuine March weather for the past week.

Farmers, see the Mayville Smut Mill at Geo. A. Luce's.

Knud Thompson, the big Finley merchant, will establish a store at Jessie, in Griggs county.

Hon. E. D. and Mrs. Wallace returned home Monday, after spending the winter in St. Paul.

LADIES:—We would be pleased to show you our new line of Chenillo, Tapestry and Rope Portieres. Prices from \$2.50 to \$5.00 per pair.

Kranbel, Johnson & Co.

The average farmer is rapidly preparing for spring work and two or three weeks ought to find 'em in the fields.

SCRAP IRON: Bring in your old iron and get your cash. Will continue to buy all you have until April 1. Office at Hope House.

F. R. Rugg is moving his warehouse over on Steele avenue, where he will handle the famous Milwaukee binder.

New patterns, new designs, new colors, in silver and glassware, at the Pioneer Hardware Store.

Ed Fuller has the big Lambert gaso line engine of Rugg's out at the farm sawing wood. He may buy it.

The Peterson Imperial Pulverizer Clod Crusher Roller and Leveler, is the latest thing out and every farmer should call and learn all about it. It is just what you want. Geo. A. Luce.

Last word from Hon. Thos. Baker, jr, tells of his enjoyable visit in Rome and other European cities.

Dr. Featherston's next visit to Hope will be Thursday, March 22, 23 and all day Sunday, the 25. Office at Hope House.

You will need a hat this spring. Don't forget that you can get a perfect hat in a Lanpher at reasonable cost.

OILING:—Does the old harness need a coat of oil? If it does, bring it in, and let us fix you up for spring work.

F. E. Mayes.

Everybody rejoices with Auditor and Mrs. Hunt—it is a girl and both daughter and mother are doing nicely under Dr. Philip's care. Sherbrooke is booming.

The Laundry basket will go next trips March 5 and 19, and April 2, 16 and 30. Agency at the barber shop.

M. C. PRZESLRY.

PARTIES wishing to rent any of the Pickert land in Easton township for the season of 1900, should apply at once to Richard C. Kittel, Casselton, N. D.

Write us for Real Estate Loans, if you have good security to offer. M. B. Cassell & Co., Sherbrooke, N. D.

If your hat looks well, your own looks are materially improved. The Lanpher hat, manufactured by Lanpher, Finch & Skinner, St. Paul, looks well because it always fits well.

When you want something to heal a burn, or a sore, or a cut, why not try Banner Salve, which is guaranteed the most healing ointment in the world. J. A. Elner.

For some reason Rev. Roderick J. Mooney, of Fargo, could not be here last Monday, but will occupy the Congregational pulpit next Monday evening.

Wm. Orr, Newark, O., says: "We never feel safe without One Minute Cough Cure in the house. It saved my little boy's life when he had the pneumonia. We think it is the best medicine made." It cures coughs and all lung diseases. Pleasant to take, harmless and gives immediate results. Wamberg & Jacobson.

L. O. Finn and Miss Kittie Williams drove to Cooperstown yesterday enroute to McHenry to visit friends.

"I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in my family with wonderful results. It gives immediate relief, is pleasant to take and is truly the dyspeptic's best friend," says E. Hartgerink, Overisel, Mich. Digests what you eat. Cannot fail to cure Wamberg & Jacobson.

A farmer stepped into a printing office and said to the editor: "I'd like to take your paper, but I'm too poor." "Go home," said the editor, "and pick out a hen, call her mine, sell or save the eggs from her for me and if she wants to set, let her and next fall bring her and the produce from that hen, I'll send the paper." When fall came he found he was paying the price of two papers. After that he was never too poor to take a paper. Besides, when he wanted to borrow a neighbor's paper he was always reading it, so he had to wait until the news was old or take it second-hand. There is nothing like taking one of your own and get the news from first hands. Try it.—Ex.

Mrs. Calvin Zimmerman, Milesburg, Pa., says: "As a speedy cure for coughs, colds, croup and sore throat, One Minute Cough Cure is unequalled. It is pleasant for children to take. I heartily recommend it to mothers." It is the only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. It cures bronchitis, pneumonia, grippe and throat and lung troubles. It will prevent consumption. Wamberg & Jacobson.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve Cures Piles, Scalds, Burns.

Seed Wheat for Sale.
I have fine "Haine's Pedigree" Bluestem, for cash or on time, with approved security.
49-52 J. K. Joslyn.

B. C. Shaw was laid up last week with neuralgia.

Owen Standley came home Friday from his visit in Missouri.

The rink is closed, and closed forever. Mr. Loney tells us he will tear it down.

The Lanpher hat leads everywhere because it fits best, looks best and wears best.

The Stars and Rebekahs are hustling through several new candidates just now.

Farmers Take Notice: I will buy old iron until April 1. My office is at the Hope House. Come in and see me. A. Meyer.

Well, well, who can fix a well? Come early, because we want it done at once. Inquire at The Pioneer office.

Hi there! Does your harness need repairing before spring work? If so, drop in and get your supplies early. Complete outfits at the Pioneer Hardware Store.

The meat markets are supplied with nice fresh vegetable which makes spring appear near at hand. We thank Mr. Hazlett for a nice mess of lettuce.

Well, have you seen the latest, our 5 and 10 cent counter? Big returns for small investments, at the Pioneer Hardware Store.

A handsome 10½ pound boy was born to Dr. and Mrs. Philip yesterday morning and all their friends are rejoicing with them and all is well.

OLD IRON: Bring cash, until April 1. Come in and see me any time at the Hope House. A. Meyer.

Rob't and Mrs. Anderson, northwest of town, are happy over the arrival of a new boy, on Monday, and Rob't straight way came to town on Tuesday and subscribed for The Pioneer in honor of the event. All is well, and we are well.

YES! YES! And wait a minute, Mr. Farmer, I have the best and only Minneapolis Grain Cleaner, and you will miss it if you don't drop in and see it. None like it; none so good. G. A. Luce.

J. A. Gilmore and son Edgar arrived yesterday from North Fork, Mo., and will hereafter make Steele county their home. The family will come up later.

The Mayville Smut Mill is a fortune for farmers and all who are interested in good, clean grain, and more of it to the acre. To see it, learn of it, buy it, you have only to step into Geo. A. Luce's machinery office. He sells it and can explain all of its good points.

J. C. Ruch near Colgate, is building a large barn.

Just give your eyes a little thought and if they are bothering you in the least, come in and consult Dr. Tudor, at my store March 21, 22 and 23. J. A. Elner.

Mike Hanley and wife came home yesterday from Wisconsin.

If you wish to get a loan on your farm, call on A. T. Ward.

Chas. Nicholas returned Monday from his Hoosier trip and is now ready for work again. This year he will go it alone, and is fully prepared to figure with you on carpenter work of any description. He is an expert workman and a nice boy. Give him a trial.

If you want your eye glasses adjusted or eyes examined, by the very best optician in the country, call at my store March 21, 22 and 23. Satisfaction guaranteed. J. A. Elner.

M. B. Smith, Butternut, Mich., says: "DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the very best pills ever used for constiveness, liver and bowel troubles." Wamberg & Jacobson.

The Morgan vs Olson rent case was tried before Judge Pressly last Friday, and Morgan got judgment for \$36. The case will be appealed. It appears that since the Wheeler and Morgan trouble Sven has been between two fires, not knowing to whom to pay the rent, so the case will have to be settled in higher courts.

To secure the original witch hazel salve, ask for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, well known as a certain cure for piles and skin diseases. Beware of worthless counterfeits. They are dangerous. Wamberg & Jacobson.

A story is going the rounds that a man in a country not far from here decided to inculcate in his son the habit of early rising. The boy had a habit of answering "Yes sir" and going to sleep again. On one occasion last week, the man, to make no mistake, called the boy, and then slipped up stairs, turned down the covers and proceeded to administer a good sound spanking. It happened that on that night the hired girl had been given the boy's room and it took the old man several hours of earnest talk to explain that he had made a mistake.

Lewis Ackerman, Goshen, Ind., says: "DeWitt's Little Early Risers always bring certain relief, cure my headaches and never gripe." They gently cleanse and invigorate the bowels and liver. Wamberg & Jacobson.

We have Money on hand to loan on Real Estate, at low rate of interest. M. B. Cassell & Co., Sherbrooke, N. D.

Mrs. Harriet Evans, Hinsdale, Ill., writes: "I never fail to relieve my children from croup at once by using One Minute Cough Cure. I would not feel safe without it." Quickly cures coughs, colds, grippe and all throat and lung diseases. Wamberg & Jacobson.

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AUCTION SALE!

AT THE **HOPE HOUSE,** Saturday, March 31, '00

I will sell my entire lot of furniture and household goods, consisting of all stoves, beds, bedding, dishes, &c., &c., to the highest bidder, on date above mentioned.

DAN NELSON.

FOR SALE!

Sitting of following varieties of **EGGS**

Barred Plymouth Rocks, 13 for \$1.00.

Buff Cochins, 13 for \$1.00.

Black Langshans, 13 for \$1.25.

Brown Leghorns, 13 for \$1.00.

Pea Comb Barred Plymouth Rocks, 13 for \$1.25.

Also a few settings of Toulouse Geese Eggs and some Guinea Eggs.

L. A. RONEY.

Wild geese are reported on hand.

Wanted:—Poultry and game, also nice young mutton, at the Hope House.

Bring in your poultry, game and mutton, to A. Meyer, at the Hope House.

Dr. Scanlan was up from Page yesterday on professional business.

F. R. Rugg is having an 8-room dwelling arranged of his feed mill.

For Sale:—Fall blood Buff Cochins chickens. Inquire at this office.

Too many people lose valuable time in experimenting with cough and cold cures. They should take Foley's Honey and Tar before it is too late. J. A. Elner.

There is the ordinary hat and the Lanpher hat. The difference is marked. Always ask for the Lanpher. 51-2

The farmers are holding forth at the town hall today but the attendance is not as large as might be desired, however the meetings are a fine thing for the farmers and President Worst's talk last night was highly spoken of.

Here is something else new for the farmer, Campbell's Sub-Surface Packer, that will bear close inspection. I am always looking out for the very best and latest farm implements. Come in and let me explain all about it. G. A. Luce.

Some pencil pusher that knows, has this to say: A child is born; the doctor in attendance gets \$25, the editor makes a nice mention of the fact and gets 0. It is christened and the minister gets \$5; and the editor again gives another local and gets 0.00. When it gets married the minister gets \$10, a piece of cake, and the editor gets 0.00. In the course of time it dies; the doctor gets from \$5 to \$200; the undertaker from \$25 to \$100; the editor prints a long notice of death and obituary and gets 0.00. Then a card of thanks, lodge and society resolutions, including poetry etc., and gets 0.0000. Is it any wonder that the editor gets rich?

(It is only the darn fool editors that do such tricks; The Pioneer charges a reasonable fee for the most of such work and only one in 100 kicks on paying. Just imagine the man or society, that does make a kick.—Ed.)

The report is going the rounds that Plummer, of Hillsboro, is figuring on establishing another bank in Hope. Of course we want all the business houses we can get, but the Steele County Bank is fully able to care for our money—but don't let this item scare you out, Mr. Plummer. It may be Hope needs another postoffice, but we don't think so. Like some other things (?) one good bank is better than two poor ones.

Rev. W. E. Sitzer, W. Canton, N. Y., writes: "I had dyspepsia over twenty years, and tried doctors and medicines without benefit. I was persuaded to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it helped me from the start. I believe it to be a panacea for all forms of indigestion." It digests what you eat. Wamberg & Jacobson.

REPAIRING:—This is the season of the year when the wise farmer overhauls his harnesses and has all repairs made, so that everything is ready for spring work. We will attend to you on short notice. F. E. Mayes.

A boy can sit on a sled six inches square tied to a sleigh moving eight miles an hour, but he can't sit on a sofa five minutes, for a dollar; says a printer man who was once a boy himself. A man will sit on an inch board and talk politics three hours, but put him in church forty minutes and he gets nervous, twists and turns and goes to sleep. Man will punch his cheeks with tobacco, juice running down his chin feels good, but a hair in the butter kills him. He stays out all night, wife doesn't know where he is, comes home when he pleases, but if a meal is not just ready on time, pouts, frowns and says pretty things.

A man named E. Presson, of Pressonville, Kans., wrote a letter the other day saying the opinion of everybody in his town who has used Foley's Honey and Tar is, that it is the very best medicine for a gripe, colds, coughs, &c. J. A. Elner.

Now Is the Time, AND The Big Store Is the Place

To buy your Spring Shirt Waists. We are showing all the New Styles in Percales Dimites, India Linons and Piques. They are all nicely trimmed with insertion or all over lace, and the styles are new and exclusive.

36 Different styles to choose from.

Prices ranging from 50c to \$2.75. Buy now when you can get any styles, any materials and any price you want.

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F. R. RUGG, HOPE, N. Dak.

Carpets!

MY new Carpet Samples have arrived. The most complete assortment ever shown in Hope, including Wilton Velvets, Body and Tapestry Brussels, Moquettes. Also a large assortment of Ingrains. Am prepared to meet any and all competition in prices. Come in and see them. No harm to look them over. Yours for business,

E. D. WASHBURN, Hope, N. D.

BRIGHT'S KIDNEY PILLS

Are not recommended for everything, but they will positively cure a series of diseases arising from disordered kidneys such as backache, weak back, diabetes, inflammation of the bladder and all urinary troubles. Regular size 25c. Sample free; also pamphlet telling all about kidney troubles. Address C. W. Beggs, Sons & Co., Chicago, Ill.

Notice to Assessors.

Notice is hereby given that the assessors of each township within Steele county, North Dakota, will meet at the county auditor's office, in Sherbrooke, N. D., on Saturday, March 31, 1900, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of receiving their assessment books and blanks, and for conference with the county auditor in reference to the performance of their duties.

The bonds of each assessor must be filed with the county auditor before receiving such assessment books and blanks.

Dated at Sherbrooke, N. D., March 17, 1900.

T. S. HUNT, County Auditor.

Going Down Hill.

People suffering from kidney diseases feel a gradual but steady loss of vitality. They should lose no time in trying Foley's Kidney Cure. It is guaranteed. J. A. Elner.

If you have any kind of cattle to sell call on A. T. Ward. He will pay the price, and spot cash.

Ferry's SEEDS

grow paying crops because they're fresh and always the best. For sale everywhere. Before substituting, stick to Ferry's Seeds and prosper. 1800 Seed Annual free. Write for it. D. M. FERRY & CO., Detroit, Mich.

If you want to buy good wild land, call on A. T. Ward.

BROADLAWN

Will McKinnie has a good job selling machinery for G. A. Luce. The right man in the right place.

The entertainment Friday night at No. 1 school house was very good. Don't think anyone went home feeling sorry they attended.

Sam Detrich has bought a farm six and a half miles southwest of Hope. Sam has stock, machinery and a farm now, all he needs is a—housekeeper and who thinks he will be in need long? Not 17

Ed Patten brought home a fine lot of fish.

Mrs. Fred Pope and children are on the sick list, so Fred has a chance to try his hand at cooking.

John Dorrance and family have moved on the Davidson farm in the northern part of Colgate township.

Miss Alta Fuller has been visiting Miss Clara Pope for the past two weeks.

Several flocks of wild geese have been seen around the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Turnbull, of Fargo, are the guests of S. C. Fuller and family.

Frank Keith has bought the Rows farm and will try his luck farming in North Dakota.

VIDA.

A Little Known Fact.

That the majority of serious diseases originate in disorder of the kidneys. Foley's Kidney Cure is guaranteed. Try it today if you're not feeling well. J. A. Elner.

WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS FOR DISTRICT Office Managers in this state to represent me in their own and surrounding counties. Willing to pay yearly \$600, payable weekly. Desirable employment with unusual opportunities. References exchanged. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. S. A. FARR, 1220 CANTON BUILDING, CHICAGO.

AGENTS WANTED For "the life and achievements of Admiral Dewey," the world's greatest naval hero. By Murat Halstead, the lifelong friend and admirer of the nation's idol. Biggest and best book; over 200 pages, 8x10 inches; weekly sale everywhere. Before substituting, stick to Ferry's Seeds and prosper. Only \$1.25. Enormous demand. Big commissions. Outlet for a lifetime. Write quick. The Dominion Company, 3rd Floor Canton Bldg., Chicago.

A Free Trip to Paris!

Available persons of a mechanical or inventive mind desiring a trip to the Paris Exposition, with good salary and expenses paid, should write to the Editor of THE PIONEER, Hope, N. D.