

HAMILTON DEPARTMENT

The Town of Hamilton is located geographically in the center of Pembina County, on the Great Northern Railway. It is surrounded by the most fertile agricultural lands to be found in the famous Red River Valley. There never was known to be a crop failure, although the yields vary according to seasons. The farmers are industrious, prosperous, loyal and intelligent. The people of the town are wide-awake and ready to meet legitimate competition. Besides the Pembina County Fair being located here we have three grain elevators, with a storage capacity of 250,000 bushels, \$20,000 Town Hall and Opera House, besides every business enterprise being represented. Hamilton welcomes you.

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Hamilton

Trade at home.
Mrs. Duncan Kippen was on the sick list last week.
Mr. and Mrs. James Dyer entertained Mr. and Mrs. R. Kippen, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fennell and Rev. Mr. Shallcross to dinner last Wednesday evening.
Mrs. L. Svoboda entertained the Embroidery Club last Friday.
W. Ray of Glasston was a business caller in town last Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pope visited in Neche last Thursday.
The banquet given by the men of the town to the lady members of the Civic Club and families was a great success. The men served a splendid dinner, which was followed by a program.
Feed Grinding.—If in need of feed grinding please remember that I am prepared to do all kinds of grinding every day.
GODFRED ZIFFLER,
Hamilton, N. D.
Messrs C. W. Argue and F. C. Thacker were passengers to Grand Forks on Tuesday to take in the elevator and mill show which was staged there Tuesday evening.
Jos. Paxman and Ross Page came over from Cavalier Tuesday.
H. G. Chambers and Happy Geige drove over from Cavalier Monday and spent a few hours in the city.
Mrs. Lila McGinness met with a very painful accident Tuesday morning by getting her hand caught in an electric wringer. Her hand was quite badly torn and bruised and will be very painful for some days to come.
Geo. Foss of Bathgate was a pleasant caller in our city last Saturday. Mr. Foss is now on the road selling a fire extinguisher.
Wm. Hood was in from the Glasston district last Saturday and while in the city renewed his subscription to the Pioneer Express.
Alf. Harris, who has been spending several months visiting with relatives and friends at Ripley, Ont., returned home last Saturday and said that he was surprised to see that all the snow was gone in North Dakota. He reported a pleasant time while at the old home in Ontario.
Fred Ziffler returned from California last Saturday. All the boys are home now with the exception of W. A. (Bud) Erhardt, who decided to

remain in the Golden West for some time yet. At the present time he is working with a roofing company out there and doing very nicely.
Mr. Ziffer said that they all enjoyed the trip overland and counted it a splendid experience but that the west is no place to go in search of evening.
For Sale.—300 bushels of oats at 40c per bushel. See NEAL D. MARTIN, Hamilton.
R. J. Dickie was in from the south Carlisle district last Saturday and reported that he made the trip with a Ford and found the roads in fairly good condition for this time of year.
Geo. Page is once more back on the farm and at the present time is quite busy getting things in shape for the spring work. He said that he would have to take in a few more sales in order to get some more machinery and horses to start farming with.
Wm. Ball, formerly of St. Thomas, but now of Minneapolis, was a caller in our city last Friday. Mr. Ball informed the writer that last winter he and his family spent the winter at Dallas, Texas, making the trip all the way by auto and that they enjoyed the trip very much and spent a very pleasant winter. A few years ago Mr. Ball was considered one of the best checker experts in this part of the state, but says that at the present time he is a little out of practice.
E. K. Everson returned from St. Paul last Friday after disposing of a couple of loads of stock on the St. Paul market.
At this writing Mrs. Christina Young is quite ill with the flu and under the care of Dr. Hamilton.
J. M. Erhardt, our rural route carrier, is ill with the flu, and the route is at the present time being supplied by his daughter, Miss Rena Erhardt.
J. H. Ross returned from Cavalier last Thursday and reports things moving along fine at the county seat.
We are informed that Robert McLennan was fortunate enough to capture the "loving cup" at the whist meet last week. This cup is said to be quite unique and in a class by itself, and has been much sought after by the rival factions for some time.
Steve Nevin of Bathgate was a caller in the city last Thursday.
Albert Simmons of Pembina was a business caller here last Thursday.
Chas. Ardies, who is spending the

winter in the Carlisle district, was a caller in our city last Friday.
Wm. Page returned from Fargo last week where he had been with Mrs. Page who remained down there for treatment at one of the hospitals. Mr. Page said that he did not know whether Mrs. Page would have to undergo an operation or not, but that it was more than likely that she would.
For Sale.—One John Deere triple plow. A. J. McLELLAN, Hamilton, N. D., 35-6.
Sutton Bros. report that they have several contracts for painting on hand this spring and that they are ready to figure with all those who contemplate having any painting done, at prices that are right.
The auction sale held by R. J. Krak was well attended and stock and machinery brought good prices. The bidding was quite lively in some places. I. J. Foster was auctioneer.
Mrs. L. M. Gillis spent the week end visiting at home in south Carlisle.
N. Norgard of Glasston was in the city between trains Monday and reported things running along very nicely in that section of the county.
Mrs. Belle Johnston, who has been visiting at the home of her son, Murray Johnston of this place, for the past two years, left for the Canadian northwest on Monday.
Mrs. Johnston's home is at Weyburn, Saskatchewan. During her stay here she has made a host of friends who will wish her a pleasant trip and that time will deal gently with her in the years to come.
We are informed that the wool pool this year will pay those who have gone into it much better than by selling to local buyers. The price realized this year will be 20c per lb. and checks in payment for wool shipped are now being issued. We have always said that the place to get your money is where you lost it. This rule holds good in a great many cases.
Chas. Trotsky of Neche was in the city Monday on business in connection with the Everson garage of this place.
Chas. Ault of Cavalier was in the city Sunday for a short time.
A Case auto engine used for stationary work on the Carl farm blew up one day last week and plastered the woods full of cast iron for several rods around. It seems that the engine was a little dry and was hard to start and that considerable gas found its way into the crank case; this was fired in some manner and the explosion followed. Fortunately no one was injured by the blow up.
Miss Roberta McGinness, who has been employed at the Bradshaw Bros. store in Minneapolis for some time past, returned home on Monday.
D. T. Park returned from Grafton Monday. He recently submitted to an operation at the hospital there and is feeling quite well once more.
C. A. Dickie made a trip to Bathgate Monday and reports the roads in very good condition.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vandewater entertained at a six o'clock dinner last Thursday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kippen, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Everson, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Purdy and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fennell.
Godfred Ziffer has moved a grainery up on some of his lots and put in a large sized chopper and a 20 horse power engine and is now in much better shape to do custom grinding. Mr. Ziffer says "bring on your grain and I will do the rest."
PUT NAME AND ADDRESS ON ALL YOUR PARCELS.
The attention of all is called to the order from the Post Office Department at Washington, which says: "A parcel of fourth-class matter shall not be accepted for mailing unless it bears (on the outside) the name and address of the sender. Many postmasters fail to observe the requirement."
This causes much inconvenience and annoyance, since persons and concerns receiving parcels which do not bear the sender's name and address are often unable to ascertain who sent them and give the sender proper credit, or, if the parcels are undeliverable, their return can not be effected.
In order to facilitate the handling of parcels of fourth-class and prevent confusion and delay, it is important that the sender's name and address be placed on parcels in a uniform manner, and to this end the sender's return card should be placed in the upper left hand corner of the inside of the envelope, label, or tag, bearing the addressee's name and address.
It is also highly desirable that these be enclosed in every parcel of fourth-class matter a card or label

bearing the written or printed names and addresses of the sender and the addressee, so in case such names and addresses appearing on the outside of the parcel should be destroyed or lost the delivery of the parcel or its return to the sender may nevertheless be effected. A little care in this matter would in a large number of cases cut out the loss of fourth-class matter. Prepare your fourth-class mail matter in this manner: wrap securely and address plainly, and the losses of this class of matter will be reduced.
CHURCH NOTES.
Preaching in the Baptist church next Sunday at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 12 noon. All are cordially invited.—B. F. Stump, Pastor.
M. E. Church: Sunday School at 2 p. m. Services at 3:00. Subject, "The Two Voices." An invitation is extended to the public.—C. W. Baucman, Minister.
Service in the Presbyterian church next Sunday at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Parting of the Ways." Sunday School at 11 a. m.—Frank Shallcross, Pastor.
C. E. every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Presbyterian church.
Mrs. C. Rowe entertained the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church for last Thursday. A good crowd was out. Mrs. Rowe served a delicious lunch. The Aid will meet with Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Gleason on Wednesday, March 22, at the home of Mrs. Gleason.
Rev. Frank Shallcross went to Bathgate last Thursday to attend the annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church.

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MARTIN FARMS
Hamilton, N. Dak.

ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING
The citizens of the Township of Hamilton in the County of Pembina and State of North Dakota, who are qualified to vote at General Election are hereby notified that the Annual Township Meeting for said Township will be held at Township Hall in said Township, on Tuesday, the 21st day of March next, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, for the following purposes:
To elect one Supervisor for the term of three years, one Township Clerk, one Treasurer, one Assessor, one Justice of the Peace, one Constable for the term of two years.
Given under my hand this 9th day of March, A. D. 1922.
JOHN ROCK,
Township Clerk.

A. D. Warner came in from Frazer, Minn., Tuesday via Joliette.
Mrs. Daniel Kippen visited at Neche on Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vandewater entertained at a six o'clock dinner on Monday evening. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gleason, Mr. and Mrs. James Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Willson and daughter Erden.
Mrs. D. H. Kippen visited at Bathgate between trains Tuesday.
At a caucus held for the nomination of village officers Tuesday evening, the following were nominated: Ward No. 1, trustee, E. A. Purdy; Ed. Collins; Ward No. 2, trustee, D. R. Beggs, C. J. Rowe; Ward No. 3, Sam Keena, Geo. Pope; Clerk, H. H. Fennell; Treasurer, Daniel Kippen; Assessor, John Rock; Marshal, C. A. Dickie; Justice of the Peace, A. K. Parker. The caucus was a veritable love feast from start to finish and in order to give the voters a chance to vote for their choice, two names were placed in nomination in each of the three wards.
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kippen was the scene of a very pleasant gathering on Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. Kippen was hostess to a number of lady friends, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. During the afternoon hour games of various kinds furnished much amusement to the guests and Mrs. Hollis Page, Mrs. Geo. Pop and Mrs. L. Svoboda were awarded prizes in the various contests. Mrs. Kippen was then presented with a number of very useful as well as sentimental gifts as a token of the high esteem in which she is held by the members of the Embroidery Club. A delicious two course dinner was served to which the guests did full justice. The color scheme in the dining room was carried out in pink, there being four pink streamers extended from the chandelier to the ends of the table and the favor

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OSHKOSH B'GOSH
UNION OVERALLS
For Sale by C. W. Argue.

were also pink. After wishing the hostess many happy returns of the day the guests repaired to their various homes, having spent a very pleasant afternoon.
ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING.
THE CITIZENS of the Township of Joliette in the County of Pembina and State of North Dakota, who are qualified to vote at General Elections, are hereby notified that the Annual Township Meeting for said Township will be held at Joliette Township Hall, in said Township, on Tuesday, the 21st day of March next between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, for the following purposes:
To elect one Supervisor for the term of three years, one Township Clerk, one Treasurer, one Assessor, one Justice of the Peace, one Constable, and one Overseer of Highways for each Road District in said Township, and to do any other business proper to be done at said meeting when convened.
Given under my hand this 11th day of March, A. D. 1922.
H. A. WOOD,
Township Clerk.

Joliette
Mrs. H. Gense visited at the home of her mother in Bowesmont one day last week.
The local basket ball team will meet the Bowesmont tossers at the local hall in the near future. Watch out for a strong game.
When it comes to a "moral bunch" of young men you'll have to hand it to those of Joliette. The "Smokeless Club" I believe they call themselves. For they have completely abandoned the poisonous weed, and they are to be congratulated on being able to do so. But the most of us still believe in the old adage, "It is better to smoke here than hereafter."
Nurse Lillian Swanson of Grand Forks, who has been attending Grandama Hart, returned to her home last week.
Homer Youmans of Pembina spent several days last week with friend and relatives here.
Cvrii Asselstine, who was confined to his home with a gripe during the past week, is again around.
Mrs. A. A. Krause returned from Humboldt on Monday, where she spent the week-end at the home of her parents.
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wood and daughter spent "Sunday" at the Joliette Wood home at Forest River.
A deal was made Monday whereby Jas. Murphy became the owner of

the corner lot adjoining the Hart and Asselstine property, formerly owned by John Goodyear.
Spring must be here; we noticed a pair of roller skates going down the sidewalk today.
Alphons Cornelle left for Mariopolis, Man., last week where he will be employed during the coming season.
Farm for rent. See J. H. MURPHY, Box 25, Joliette, N. D. 26tf

Fleece
Mrs. E. C. Duncklee was a caller at the Paul Lefebvre home Monday.
Mesdames Larson and Olenger were visitors at the Sheffland home last Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Duncklee and family were callers at the Halcrow home last Saturday evening.
Mr. D. Cameron was calling on friends here last Thursday.
Quite a number from here went down to Bowesmont last Friday evening to attend the annual meeting of the community hall members and all interested in the same. After the business part of the meeting was completed there was a basket ball game between Bowesmont and St. Thomas, the latter winning 24 to 13. After the game was over a luncheon was served, followed by dancing. All reported this as being a very enjoyable evening.
J. L. Pariseau was a caller at the Paul Lefebvre home on Monday.
A number of the high school girls and boys passed through here on their way to Bowesmont where they were to play the high school teams of that town that afternoon, one between the girls team and the other between the boys teams.
Most of those who have been laid up during the last week with colds are able to be around again and we hope this is the last epidemic of the season.
Among those who visited Bowesmont on business the last few days were Mr. and Mrs. John Olenger, Mrs. A. Larson, John Howe and A. Shannon.
Room to let, and board if wanted. Apply to MRS. W. J. MOULDS. 19
NOTICE!
Stock trespassing on NE 10-161-51; SW 7. SW 30-162-51 or SE 12-162-52, will be prosecuted.
E. A. RUNNELS,
Owner.