

JAMESTOWN

POPULATION 3,500

Jamestown, the metropolis and trade center of the upper James River Valley, is the county seat of Stutsman county. It is equidistant from Fargo and Bismarck, about one hundred miles from each, and is located on the most beautiful site along the line of the Northern Pacific Railroad, between the bluffs and the banks of the James River. The machine and repair shops and headquarters of the Dakota division of the Northern Pacific, and of the Jamestown & Northern railroads are located here and it is the shipping and distributing point for the vast scope of country to the northwest reached by the latter railroad.

Jamestown has a graded public school, including a high school course, occupying two large school buildings and employing eleven teachers. It contains six handsome churches, and its population, numbering 3,500, is made up from the best and most enterprising classes of the northeastern and northwestern states. It is surrounded for fifty miles in every direction by the world-famed wheat lands of the James River Valley, which furnish an immense and inexhaustible supply to every department of industry and commerce. Its hotel accommodations, business blocks, mercantile and commercial enterprises are not surpassed by any city in the territory.

CITY AND COUNTY

CITY NEWS.

Duluth wheat market yesterday as reported by telegraph:

Cash opened \$3, closed \$3.
May opened \$3, closed \$3.
May highest \$3.75, lowest \$3.75.
Cash wheat 61 cents here.

Henry Doolittle was up from Sanborn Sunday.

Fresh oysters at Bob's restaurant, in the Nickies Block.

The freight trains to Sykeston run for the present on Mondays and Thursdays.

The Holstein herd at the Wade farm has been increased by twenty-three calves this spring.

For stationery and blank books go to C. R. Meredith & Co., Parlor Drug Store.

No. 32-1f

Mrs. Captain Bennett, of Fort Totten, with her daughter, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. Archibald, at the asylum.

Niemeyer's force of painters and decorators have been improving the looks of Wonnegberg & Avis' postoffice annex.

C. R. Meredith & Co., carry a full line of patent medicines and fine toilet articles.

John Ryan, an old Alert weekly subscriber, sent in for the favorite paper to still go to his address at New Rockford. 'Tis well.

The preliminary trial of Jackson accused by Will Dennison of burglary, was postponed today by Judge Hamilton for additional evidence.

Don't buy paints, oils, turpentine, varnish and paper, until you get prices at the Parlor Drug Store.

No. 32-1f

The Fester County Commissioners at their last meeting allowed the Stutsman county bill of court expenses for the April term. The amount was \$316.60.

G. Spangler and Lou Anderson are going to Sykeston to open a hotel, saloon and blacksmith shop. Success to their enterprises.

A. O. Elder a prominent farmer on the Jamestown & Northern left for Illinois last night, to purchase a lot of horses for the farm.

You will find a pure stock of drugs at C. R. Meredith & Co., Parlor Drug Store.

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A. Lindsey, a well known resident of Eldridge, has entirely recovered from a severe attack of lung fever, under the care of Dr. DePuy.

A two and a quarter ton safe has arrived for the Asylum, and Vennum's dray men placed it safely in the institution today.

Particular attention is given to filling prescriptions with medicines of absolute purity and assayed strength at C. R. Meredith & Co., Parlor Drug Store.

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The genial sheriff of LaMoure county, J. W. Stoddard, was in the city yesterday bringing a patient to the asylum. She is the wife of a well known German farmer near LaMoure.

In the article descriptive of the Gettysburg Stock Farm, in yesterday's Alert, the size of the cattle sheds was given as 70x40. It should have been 70x145. Considerably longer.

We are closing out our entire stock of slaughtering prices. M. Eppinger & Co. Grand Central block.

No. 32-1f

Will Dennison a well known farmer living near the city has had a man named Jackson arrested on charges of burglary. The accused claims to have been an insurance agent.

F. G. Valien and family, left Saturday night for Duluth. Mr. Valien was attended to the train by a large number of friends and acquaintances, who will miss his labors in the church and its society here.

The party who borrowed a pair of inch and a quarter tons, and a pipe wrench from J. T. Eger, will oblige by returning the same at once.

No. 32-1f

The enterprising proprietor of the Capital House, G. W. Ingraham is building a large stable on Sixth avenue, to be used as a feed and sale barn, and run in connection with his popular hotel.

Frank Anderson has put in a wooden drain on Second street and Sixth avenue, for the purpose of running the water towards the river. This is one of the wise street improvements being done by the city.

Ed. Bowman has had made to order a very elegant cashier's desk which corresponds in every way to the handsome interior of the store. It is all hand work, made of oak and black walnut and was done by A. Ritterbach a skillful carpenter and cabinet maker of this city.

The team belonging to Dr. James Davison ran away this afternoon with his little son Clarence. He stuck gamely to the reins, and after making a circuit of 4th and 5th avenues, finally pulled them to a standstill. The little fellow showed great pluck and nerve.

Eight coaches filled with passengers and emigrants, passed west this morning on the delayed overland train. Many strangers were ticketed for this point, and the crowd at the depot was like in boom days.

Conductor Irvin, is now on board of a Jamestown & Northern passenger, and being a very good looking, and popular conductor, Charlie Skelton a ditto traveling man, presented him with a new silver plated lantern, with "regards."

Mrs. Fannie M. Gardner, of Tarbell, who owns and manages successfully a bonanza farm, better than most men, called at the Alert office, renewed the Weekly, and gave the business manager some valuable pointers.

A farmer's team, frightened at two dogs fighting under the wagon, ran off this afternoon from Shoenberger's to the James River Lumber Company's yard, and back through the Winslow yard until they were stopped by Mr. Blood, without damage.

To loan on Improved Farms: \$350; \$700; \$1,000; \$1,500. Low Rates. No delays. North Dakota Loan and Trust Co. Offices on ground floor of James River National Bank building, Jamestown, D. T.

The Gasal's Brewery will be ready for business again soon. The beer stored in the cellar during the fire has largely proved uninjured and before it is entirely consumed, the product from the new brewery will be on tap.

W. M. Jones, proprietor of the Empire Farm, some twenty miles from the city, states that his collection of flowering plants have lived all winter without damage in the farm house, in the next room to a fire, and his large Calla lily has bloomed there continuously.

The regular meeting of the G. A. R. was in charge of Senior Vice Commander Wade last evening. Major Miller being absent at Watertown. Several applications from new members were received showing that old soldiers are coming into the country all the time.

C. N. Valentine and family are expected in from Benton Harbor, Michigan, tomorrow. They are old friends of Frank Webster, of the well known firm of Churchill & Webster, and will start a drug and grocery business at LaMoure.

Dave Goodman and his army of assistants are clearing the decks for the reception of the \$35,000 stock of goods which are beginning to arrive. Blood has been noticed on the moon for several nights past and this is said to be the cause of the phenomenon.

Elmer Merrill is re-papering and repainting his popular south barber shop for the benefit of his many customers, who can now stretch themselves in the luxurious chairs and gaze at the beautiful designs on the walls and ceilings.

Niemeyer is doing the work.

The firemen at their meeting last night decided to move the headquarters of the department to the third story of the James River National block, where two rooms have been secured. They will fit them up handsomely for the social and business use of the company. Matters relating to the coming tournament were also discussed.

Bismarck Tribune: Miss Fannie Halifax, of Jamestown, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jewell for a few days. Miss Halifax formerly lived in Chicago, but like hundreds of other young ladies of grit and good sense came to Dakota and took a claim, which she is now industriously holding down. She has relatives in Jamestown.

Harry Lentz, one of the proprietors of the Gettysburg farm, returned this morning from Pennsylvania where he has spent the winter. He has been busy all day renewing the acquaintance of his many friends here, who are glad to see the genial bonanza farmer in Dakota again. Mr. Lentz will build a house for his private use at the farm, and contemplate other improvements during the season.

Rev. M. H. Mott, of Leesburg, Indiana, an old friend of Rev. W. F. Cook, has been visiting in the city for several weeks. The wonderful climate and advantages of Dakota have so favorably impressed themselves on Mr. Mott that he has decided to purchase a farm near the city and make Jamestown his future home.

Nellie Frances, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Surdick, after a short and severe attack of brain fever and whooping cough, died Saturday afternoon, aged two and a half years. The funeral occurred this morning at the residence of the parents. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery, Rev. Father Cassidy officiating. The sorrow stricken parents have the sympathy of all in their great affliction.

Lisbon Star: The lecture delivered at the Baptist church Tuesday evening by Rev. J. H. Hartman, of Jamestown, was largely attended and was very interesting. The church was filled and all were pleased. The subject, "Ramblings in Italy," was ably handled and the lecturer held the attention of the audience for nearly an hour and three-quarters. The church fund was increased to the amount of forty-five dollars.

Fargo Argus: It will be remembered that some months ago Mr. and Mrs. Settle, hailing somewhere from New York state, were in the Red River Valley with a daughter—Mrs. William Johnson—and it was reported a divorce suit was about to be, or had been, instituted by the daughter. The parties went from here to Chicago, and gained some notoriety through The Times, and then seemed to have been "lost in the shuffle," but now comes the Canjoharie, New York, Courier, of March 9, which says that Mr. William Johnson, of New York city, is in Canjoharie and effected a settlement of the troubles for several months existing between the former, his wife and her parents. "We understand all things are to be as they were before, and this news will be gratifying to the friends of all parties concerned." Mr. Settle the father of Mrs. J.,—and possibly of the trouble—is quoted as "failing rapidly," by the same paper.

It is said the "Banker's Daughter" at Bismarck last night, drew the largest audience ever seen at a theatrical entertainment in the city. The company will be in Fargo, Tuesday, and Jamestown, Wednesday nights, next. Their appearance here will be the signal for a fashionable outpouring of Jamestown's society.

The Alert has just turned out a piece of job work of which it is very proud. It is a certificate of membership for the Dakota and Montana Division of the American Train Dispatchers' Association, of which F. E. Michaels of this city is Secretary.

Messrs. Ringer and Lane arrived from Washington Territory on Saturday night with two carloads of young horses and mares. One carload was taken to Aberdeen this morning and the other is for sale at Chan. Bassett's stable.

The officers of the bank of Cooperstown, whose suspension is announced in today's Alert, are, Julius Stevens, president; H. G. Pickett, cashier. Mr. Pickett is well known in this city and the many friends of him and the institution hope to see them resume business again soon.

Edward Hanna, of Carrington, has some fine stock at Chan. Bassett's stable. They have been lately brought from Ohio. Among them is a magnificent Percheron stallion that weighs 1,700 lbs. He is coal black, and is a half brother of the famous "Brilliant" now at the head of Dunham's stud. Mr. Hanna intends to make a horse farm of his place near Carrington.

F. G. Valen was packing up his stock of boots and shoes today preparatory to leaving for Duluth to engage in the business there. His reasons for going, are, the high rent required here. He leaves his property undisturbed, however, and thinks he may some day return to the city in which he has done so well, made money, and quits for an uncertainty.

The shadow social at the Baptist church last evening was one of the most successful church entertainments given this winter. Several ladies who sat behind the screen were subjects of animated bidding, by gentlemen who desired to accompany them to supper. One lady sold for \$10, and another for \$5. The net proceeds were between \$35 and \$40.

P. A. Campbell an old resident of the city and long member of the mercantile firm of Campbell & Hirschfeld died this afternoon at St. Paul, where he and his accomplished family shortly since removed. Mr. Campbell was a gentleman of education and integrity but his failing health for a long time rendered close attention to business impossible.

M. Kinney, the Michigan attorney who has interested himself in the Byers boys, of Ellendale, returned last night from Bismarck with his client John Byers who was taken there on charge of stealing Wyoming horses from Chapman. He was released on writ of habeas corpus and returned to Ellendale this morning. Cummings, his alleged partner was taken on, to Wyoming for trial. Chapman who remained at Bismarck with the Byers prisoners suddenly left after the judge issued the writ.

St. Paul Globe: Judge West, Gen. Allen and Postmaster Tyler of Fargo, arrived last night and departed for Watertown. They were joined by Col. Clements, of Fargo, and Sam. Mathews, of Jamestown. The members of the quietest are members of the Grand Army of the Republic and they were on their way to attend a territorial reunion at Watertown today. They expected that gathering would be well attended.

Jacob Laux, one of the heavy machinery dealers in the city is getting ready for an increased trade this spring. He has rented the entire building owned by Wm. Lloyd, Jr., and formerly occupied by Jacobs & Steele, on Fifth avenue for a machinery warehouse, together with a vacant lot adjoining. Mr. Laux will occupy the second story as a dwelling, and keep agricultural supplies that every farmer in the county will require.

Bad Lands Cow Boy: Sitting Bull is now at his camp near Standing Rock and it is thought that he has not long to live. His voice is no longer the chief voice of the Sioux. He is now old and feeble and younger braves are taking to themselves the power the old man formerly possessed alone. The state of affairs is an encouraging one for those who have been fearful that the Indians would again give trouble. Sitting Bull is too old and powerless to ever again combine the Sioux nation and lead the Indians to war, and there is no young chief who can ever secure the power once held by Sitting Bull. The backbone of the great Sioux nation will be broken when he dies.

M. E. Foley left for an extended trip west this morning, intending to visit Helena, Spokane Falls, Portland, and other points before returning. Mr. Foley is said to be looking for a hotel location and may visit the new towns that are to be on the line of the Montana Central, of which there has been considerable wild talk lately. It is hoped so good man and citizen will not leave Jamestown but return to some business here.

Sam Mathews leaves tomorrow for Watertown, Dak., as one of the delegates to the Grand Encampment of the G. A. R. to be held there the 24th and 25th of this month. The other delegates, Major Miller and E. L. Wells, will go Sunday. They expect to be joined by Capt. Hicks, who is now in Canada, and who has been telegraphed to meet them en route. The Jamestown delegation will use every effort to get the next encampment in the city, and if the railroads and citizens here are alive to its importance it will be done.

W. H. Dixon, and Frank Ross, of the Milwaukee, and Walter Wyard, of the Michigan Central, spent the night at the Klaus, and left for Portland on the overland train this morning. Mr. Dixon scored another dramatic success, and did some effective missionary work on the side for the road. Like the three witches in Macbeth these gentlemen appeared and vanished as bubbles, but the pot that boiled made trouble for no one but the Italian brigand, who cast too many bones in for a charm which didn't work some how.

LATE CITY NEWS.

Duluth wheat market today as reported by telegraph.

Cash opened \$4, closed \$3.75.
May opened \$8, closed \$7.75.
May highest \$8, lowest \$7.75.
Cash price here 61 cents.

Assessor Boynton is going to build a new farm house out on his bonanza.

WANTED—A woman to do general house work on a farm twenty miles north of Jamestown, from April 1st to Oct. 1st. Address J. H. W., Alert office.

Rev. Peter Cook, brother of Rev. W. F. Cook, it is said, will locate in the city, and preach to a circuit of churches in this vicinity that have no regular pastor. He will bring his family.

William Jackson charged with petit larceny of property belonging to Will Dennison, on consent of Attorney Nicklaus & Baldwin, plead guilty and was sent up for thirty days by Judge Hamilton yesterday.

Cash Carr, who has been absent for several months in Iowa, returned today from Charles City, bringing twenty head of horses for his sale stables. They are magnificent animals in splendid condition.

To REAR—Three choice farms adjoining Pingree. Good buildings on each farm, and land ready for seeding.

ALDEN & WATERS, Jamestown, D. T.

Mayor Flint returned from Bismarck last night. The United States petit jury has finished its work and has been discharged. He was foreman of the jury that tried the man Wood for murder. Wood receives his sentence today.

The special telegram in today's Alert shows that the delegation of the W. H. Seward Post has been doing good work for Jamestown, and has captured the next annual encampment of the G. A. R. Messrs. Wells, Miller, Mathews and Hicks deserve all credit.

Friday evening, March 26, at the court house the Grand Rapids home talent company will present the beautiful comedy drama "Under the Laurels," with the following ladies and gentlemen in the cast. Mrs. A. E. Franks, Miss Anna Ryder, Miss Anna Loring, Miss Clara Struble, S. C. Aiken, W. E. Winston, Geo. B. Crum, C. I. Hutson, Joe M. Chapple, Dr. H. G. Anderson. The proceeds of the entertainment will be devoted to charity. The play will be under the management of E. M. Whitman.

The Alert keeps a large stock of legal blanks for use of attorneys, justices, real estate men, farmers, merchants and everybody. Outside orders are given prompt attention always. Special forms printed. All the new blanks in stock. The Alert blanks are, and will continue to be, the latest and most correct forms. They are printed on good paper, and sold at a reasonable price, with the usual discounts. Correspondence and trial orders solicited.

ENGINEER E. H. McHenry well known in this city, passed through on the overland train this morning in charge of a party of five surveyors, who were following the Alexander party that went through yesterday to survey the new Northern Pacific branch to Ten Mile Creek. Engineer Fildes is in Montana with a corps of surveyors running President Hill's line towards Great Falls and Fort Benton. The promised railroad building in Montana seems to have commenced, Dakota's turn will come next.

In response to the democratic call published for several days in the city papers, a large number of citizens attended at the court house last night, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for mayor, police magistrate and treasurer. The next morning, however, the great statesman appeared at the breakfast table, in a gloomy, irritable mood. The doors and windows were all shut, the temperature of the house was kept at the lowest, and servants were scolded because, "knowing the condition of his lungs, they permitted draughts to enter."

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About the Endorsed Drafts.

A sharp swindler is reported in the person of one who went by the name of R. S. Chapin, who has passed East, perhaps under many aliases. He claimed to be a large Kansas land owner, seeking stock for his ranch, and one of his "drives" was to claim to have fallen in love with the little Jerseys.

He would accept a draft on a Western bank, larger than the purchase, he getting the difference in money. It is not business-like to give a balance in cash on a draft to a man you do not know or who is not known to the community of your neighborhood. It is not business-like even to accept a draft in payment of property, until by telegraph to the bank you find it good.—Farm Field and Stockman.

Saskatchewan Wheat: I have 2000 bushels fine Saskatchewan wheat grown from Brundages seed which yielded 37 1/2 bushels per acre and for which I paid \$1.50 cash per bushel. To avoid storage and to give farmers generally a chance to get this choice seed I will exchange one bushel of Saskatchewan for one and one half bushels of common No. 1 hard. Only in round lots of 50 or 100 bushels and for thirty days. Call and examine sample.

E. P. WELLS.

Seed Flax.

The attention of James River Valley farmers is called to the advertisement in the Alert of Hamore, Hall & Co., of Chicago, represented in Lisbon, D. T., by their enterprising agent, C. R. Wisner, who manages the Dakota business of this large firm. Mr. Wisner was in the city yesterday and stated that over fifty thousand bushels of flax were grown in Ransom and Sargent counties alone last year, and that it was the most profitable crop raised. His firm purchased of this amount, 25,000 bushels, at an average price of ninety-two cents. It can be sown as late as June 10th, and, on new breaking will produce from twelve to fourteen bushels. The quality grown in North Dakota is pronounced the best in the market. A half bushel to the acre is the usual quantity sown. The agents of the Northern Pacific Elevator Company at the various points named are supplied with the seed for sale. Mr. Wisner will contract to take the entire crop at highest market price in the fall. A number of prominent farmers in this and other counties have raised a crop or two, and they are unanimous in saying it was very profitable. It is at least worth a trial.

Unclaimed Letters. List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Jamestown, Dakota, postoffice for the week ending Monday, March 22, 1886: Anderson, Benj. A. Kelley, E. R. Brown, Mrs. H. Miller, Frank Barnett, M. B. Shelling, Mr. Cassey, B. L. Shiermer, Anna Denison, Miss N. Wilder, George Elstrice, August Weis, Theresa Fansar, D. F. Weis, Theresa Graves, Durand C. Waters, J. M. Hawthorn, E. J. Willis, Will B.

Anyone calling for any of the above letters will please say "advertised," and give the date.

A. W. KELLEY, Postmaster.

One Bushel Secures the Crop.

Safe insurance—no deduction for planting or harvesting—no membership fees—no policy fee—no deduction for poor crops or low prices—no scaling down for unpaid assessments—prompt adjustments—full pay for full loss—able home management—insurance at cost is what the farmer wants. He can get all this and more too, by placing his crop insurance with the Dakota Mutual Insurance Company. Do not be deceived by rustlers for other companies, but learn the full particulars by writing to Augustine Davis, Secretary, Huron, Dakota, or applying to JACOB LAUX, Agent.

FANCIED AILMENTS.

Imaginary Diseases of Unoccupied Women and Mouldy Men.

A well-known physician several years ago was spending his summer vacation at the country-seat of a leader in public affairs, a man noted for his moral courage and powerful intellect. He was shocked on the evening of his arrival to see his host turn pale, stagger to a sofa, and gasp loudly for breath. The wife of the fainting man, a worn, little woman, quickly brought a glass of water, and stood by him until he recovered.

He rose presently. "It is my heart, doctor. Agonizing pains! I am confident that it is angina pectoris. My end will be a sudden one."

"Does your physician?"—began his guest, shocked and sympathetic.

"No. But I know. The pain is simply intolerable."

Professional etiquette kept the visitor silent, though he shrewdly suspected the pain was referable to flatulency. His host presently recovered his spirits, and the evening passed pleasantly. The next morning, however, the great statesman appeared at the breakfast table, in a gloomy, irritable mood. The doors and windows were all shut, the temperature of the house was kept at the lowest, and servants were scolded because, "knowing the condition of his lungs, they permitted draughts to enter."

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Choice Seed Wheat.

Genuine Wellman Saskatchewan flax, from new ground; extra cleaned, ready for seeding. My seed in 1884 was procured direct from Mr. Wellman at the rate of \$3.30 per bushel for sixty bushels, and care has been taken to preserve purity. The originator's price this season is \$1.75 to \$2.00 per bushel. In order to sell my wheat promptly the price is reduced for a short time to \$1.00 per bushel, cash. Parties desiring some of this famous variety of No. 1 Hard Wheat at the low price named, apply soon.

W. C. HUMPHREY, 38-1f Sec. 17-141-63, Jamestown.

NOTICE.

Rowlett's Independent Automatic WEATHER STRIP.

(Patented April 30, 1884.) Never Quit—Has no Springs, Triggers or Circle Irons. Positive Action. Cannot Get out of Order. Fits Any Door.

The agency for this celebrated weather strip has been transferred from William Jones to JACOBS & STEELE.

FOR SEED FLAX.

Apply to agent of the Northern Pacific Elevator Company at

Grand Rapids, La Moure, Jamestown, OR Valley City.

Will contract for crop in the fall at the

HIGHEST MARKET PRICE

For further information address

Hanford Hall & Co. C. B. WISNER, Mgr., LISBON, DAKOTA.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Fargo, D. T., March 22, 1886. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and secure final entry thereof viz:

WILL A. REED, H. E. No. 8190 for the N. E. 1/4 of sec. 28, T. 142 N., R. 64 W., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: T. J. Jones, Ove Johnson, James Gram, and William Bennett, all of Jamestown, Stutsman County, D. T.

The testimony to be taken before Hon. Wm. H. Francis, Judge of the District Court, in case of his absence, before Charles T. Hills, clerk of said court at Jamestown, Stutsman County, D. T., on the 28th day of May, A. D. 1886, at his office.

RODGER ROSE, Attorney. First publication March 25th, 1886.

NOTICE.

U. S. Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Feb. 10, 1886. NOTICE is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof:

JOHN J. NIERLING, H. E. No. 9420 for the N. E. 1/4 of section 34, Twp. 140 North, Range 66 West, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: O. A. Bennett, Henry W. Smith, George H. Smith, and all the owners of the land, all of Jamestown, P. O. Stutsman County, D. T.

The testimony to be taken before Hon. Wm. H. Francis, Judge of the District Court, in case of his absence, before Charles T. Hills, clerk of said court at Jamestown, Stutsman County, D. T., on the 30th day of May, A. D. 1886, at his office.

RODGER ROSE, Attorney. First publication March 11.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE.

Having been made in the conditions of a Mortgage, dated April 5, 1886, executed by a Violent & Shove mortgage to Edwin M. Clark, mortgagee, upon which I now declare there to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice the entire sum of two thousand, three hundred, forty-six and 10/100 dollars; and said mortgage having been duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Stutsman County, D. T., on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1886, at 5 o'clock p. m., in book "B" of mortgages, deed on page 236, which said mortgage contains the property lying and being in the northwest quarter (nw 1/4) of the section 34, Twp. 140 North, Range 66 West, (33 1/2) north township one hundred and thirty-nine (39) north and range sixty-three west, (63 W.), containing two hundred and forty acres (240 acres), more or less according to the government survey thereof.

Now therefore, in accordance with the power of the above described premises will be sold at public auction on Wednesday, February 27, A. D. 1886, at eleven o'clock a. m., by the sheriff of Stutsman County, D. T., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage together with the costs and expenses of said judgment and decree, and to satisfy said debt and two hundred dollars attorney's fees provided for therein.

Dated at Jamestown, D. T. December 20th, 1885. EDWIN M. CLARK, Mortgagee.

Notice is hereby given that an adjournment of the sale of the above described property has been made, to take place on Saturday, February 27, at 10 o'clock