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LOCAL NEWS

Malta Markets.

Furnished by Agent Chas. Christie
(Corrected every Thursday noon.)

No. 1 Wheat	8.25
No. 2 " "	8.00
No. 3 " "	7.75
No. 4 " "	7.50
No. 5 " "	7.25
No. 6 " "	7.00
No. 7 " "	6.75
No. 8 " "	6.50
No. 9 " "	6.25
No. 10 " "	6.00
No. 11 " "	5.75
No. 12 " "	5.50
No. 13 " "	5.25
No. 14 " "	5.00
No. 15 " "	4.75
No. 16 " "	4.50
No. 17 " "	4.25
No. 18 " "	4.00
No. 19 " "	3.75
No. 20 " "	3.50
No. 21 " "	3.25
No. 22 " "	3.00
No. 23 " "	2.75
No. 24 " "	2.50
No. 25 " "	2.25

Buy your Xmas suits at Facey's.

Brass Beds, satin finish, large posts, each \$16.00. Trafton Dorr Co.

A nice Xmas present—a case pipe. You will find the best at Facey's.

Have you seen those water-sets at McCreary's? They are selling for only \$1.25.

Chas. and Ralph Dunnigan went to Dakota the latter part of last week to spend the holidays under the parental roof.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will meet next Thursday afternoon at the parsonage and a good attendance is desired.

Just received, a new line of gent's watches. Come in and see what we have. It will not cost you anything to look, but it is money in your pocket if you buy. H. J. McCreary.

J. W. Richardson, M. D. V. VETERINARY SURGEON

All Calls answered day or night.
POWELL LIVERY BARN, MALTA

The depot is now remodeled and completed and does not look near as bad as one might think it would. A little changing in building and the covering up of the old barn-red paint has added much to the appearance of this building.

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General Blacksmithing and Machine Shop.

Pumps, Windmills, and Gasoline Engines.

All kinds of Repair Work and Horseshoeing

Choic Town Lots

In my newly-platted addition to the town of Malta I have some of the **Best and Choicest Town Lots** that can be had. Close in to the school-house and just far enough from the business portion of the town to be quiet. They are on the proposed water-works and sewerage system and in the best portion of the city. They will be sold out for

Cash or on the Instalment Plan.

See this new addition and make your selections early as they will not last long at the price at which I am offering.

HARRY COSNER.

For real estate loans see Brockway.

For a long or short time farm loan see Lyman Barnes.

Good oats for sale at the St. Anthony & Dakota elevators.

Mrs. Cora Watson came from Lundon yesterday for a visit with friends.

Mrs. Ed White returned the first of the week from a month's visit with relatives in the east.

Attorney Kirton was at Dodson the first of the week attending to business of a legal nature.

Miss Mabel Bocan has been in from her claim the past week spending her holidays with friends of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Taylor are the parents of a little daughter that put in her appearance at their home Saturday.

Rev. Cookingham spent several days this week at Saco attending to business and looking after church matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Russell of Lovejoy were in the city over Christmas. The guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Simonson.

Today is the time to start making new resolutions, and if you are not very careful they will be broken before night.

If you want a special bargain in valley land that is now paying better than 20 per cent on the investment, see Brockway.

BUY Men's Clothing at a men's store. EDWARDS & McLELLAN

We have a choice lot of posts, poles and building logs on hand; also full car of plaster and cement. Thompson Lumber Co.

Marvin Eifer and family arrived yesterday from a visit at their old home in Missouri and leave today for the mountains where they have resided for some time past.

C. L. Smith was at the county seat the latter part of last week in connection with the cases of Elen and Yarnor who are charged with shooting up his house. Their trial will come before Justice Brockway Saturday afternoon.

George Dyrholm and wife have the cure of a baby that had one of its fingers badly hurt in a washing machine last week. The lot was brought to town and Dr. Clay fixed up the wounded member and at present it is getting along nicely.

Best Majors, familiarly known as "Tex," was very sick the latter part of last week and the first of this and for a time it was thought that he was going to cross the great divide. He is much improved at present however and has been able to be out and around.

Mrs. Harry Cosner, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Lyman Barnes, Assistant Worthy Matron; Mrs. E. E. Turpin, Conduress and Mrs. W. McLellan, Assistant Conduress, were installed at the last meeting of the Eastern Star in December as officers for the coming year.

The California Rodeo at the Orpheum Monday and Tuesday night drew large crowds and everyone enjoyed the evening. The picture was very plain for a roundup picture. Manager Bishell is booking in some very good attractions for his Malta patrons.

Little Henry Seerest wanted to go skating Sunday afternoon and after lengthy argument with his mother as to the right and wrong of Sunday skating he informed the good lady that he was of the opinion that God had taken Jesus skating Sunday when he was a small boy. Henry appeared on the ice that afternoon.

Sigurd Hanson of Lovejoy competed in the ski-jumping contest at Fergus Falls, Minn., last week and carried off the honors, having jumped 141 feet, tying the record of this country. He goes to Wisconsin to compete for the championship of the world in this popular sport. Malta and Valley county is gaining a reputation in the sporting world as well as in other lines.

The Christmas exercises held at the M. E. church last Wednesday evening was well attended and the little folks who took part did exceptionally well. The church was filled to the door, many not being able to secure seats. The Congregational and Episcopal Sunday schools held their exercises together in the Eagles hall on Friday night and were greeted with a large crowd and everyone there enjoyed a good time.

The Enterprise force has been very busy this week getting out the telephone directory for the Moore Telephone company and completed the job yesterday, and the books are now in the hands of the company. It is much larger than the one published last summer and instead of the names appearing on the pages in double column they are single column and much easier to read. After today parties using the phones will be required to give the number of the phone wanted instead of the name. It will make it much better for the operator and will save considerable time.

A full line of musical instruments at Facey's.

Did you write it 1914 the first time this morning?

All kinds of farm machinery at actual cost at Cosner & Co.'s.

Miss Grace Tucker is home from Great Falls to spend the vacation with her parents.

Sheriff Nacey was in the city Tuesday attending to business matters connected with his office.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thomas were down from Wagner last night in attendance at the Eagles ball.

C. W. Powell and family returned last night from a visit of several days with relatives in South Dakota.

U. S. Commissioner A. P. McArthur was in Monday making final proof before Commissioner Brockway.

Why do you not take that old pin or cuff button to McCreary's and have it made into something you can wear?

Chas. Whitecomb was in the city a few hours Monday from Helena enroute to his mining property in the mountains.

Henry Platt returned the first of the week from a few days at the springs where he took a boil out for the rheumatism.

A housewarming party will be given by Miss Lila Daniels in their new home this evening to which a number of the young people of the city are invited.

Miss Ella Neumann, who has been spending several months in Malta at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Parsons, left for Melrose, Minn., Thursday evening.

Joe Oleson was in the city the first of the week from his ranch up north. He has just returned from an extended thrashing trip in Canada and reports the crops of that place as being fair.

Miss Marie Bocan returned the latter part of last week from the springs where she has been taking treatment for rheumatism. She comes back much improved, which will be good news to her numerous friends.

The hole dug by the Moore Telephone Co. on their lots on Water street remain open and is liable to cause someone untold trouble. A place of this kind is dangerous and the proper officials should look into the matter and see that it is fenced.

Mrs. Alice C. Best, a sister of the late Frank Lampman, has come to Malta and it is her intention to make this place her future home, and through the columns of this paper she wishes to thank those who assisted her in her late bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Caselberg and daughter Helen departed Thursday night for California where they will spend some time on the coast in hopes that Mr. Caselberg will regain his health. They have nothing but the best wishes of their numerous Malta friends who hope the trip will be all and more than expected.

THE OVERLAND

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Electric Lights and Electric Starter.

A. T. LeVesconte

Satisfactory Repair Work North Side Garage

The remains of Frank Lampman were brought to this city Saturday from Helena and the funeral services were conducted from the Methodist church at two o'clock that afternoon and burial made in the Malta cemetery. A large number of the friends of the deceased did not learn of the funeral arrangements until it was too late to attend the services.

The ordinance regulating the closing of the saloons from twelve o'clock Saturday night until Monday morning became a law at the last meeting of the city council and will become effective the latter part of this month. Mayor Caselberg neither approved or disapproved the last ordinance drawn and Malta will have the distinction of being the first town in the state with a Sunday lid.

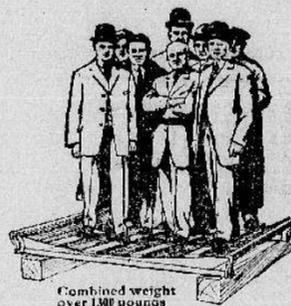
In his annual report Postmaster General Burleson favors government ownership of the telegraph and telephone lines of the country. He calls attention to the fact that the first telegraph line in this country was controlled and operated by the postoffice department. The successful operation of the parcel post, he argues, has demonstrated the capacity of the government to profitably conduct private utilities. For the first time since 1883 the postoffice earnings show an excess over expenditures.

Clarence Brockway had the misfortune to break the bone in his fore arm Saturday morning while attempting to crank their auto. He was trying to make a hurry-up trip to the country. The machine being cold refused to crank, and kicked backwards, the crank hitting his arm with sufficient force to break the bone. Dr. Clay was called to reduce the fracture and at present the arm is doing as well as could be expected, but it will be a long time before he will have the full use of the injured member.

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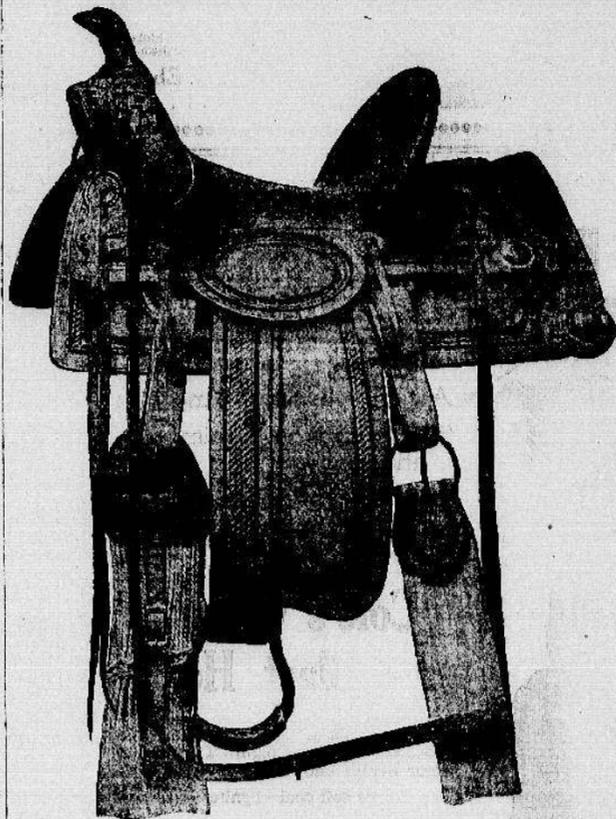
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