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## Why we Advertise!

### REDUCE the Cost of Groceries.

We are paying for this space for the sole purpose of impressing upon your mind the FACT that there is not another store in this section that can give you better values for your money than we do. We doubt if any can do as well.

We must depend upon many sales, because our profits are small—so small, in fact, that without a great volume of business we could not possibly make them.

Every dollar spent in this store helps to keep prices in this community down. It's to your own interest to trade with us. You get your money's worth.

WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS, and are making the prices to get it.

**CLANTON & BRANDON** Phone 6  
5th Av. Grocers

## This Bank

SOLICITS YOUR BANKING BUSINESS OFFERS TO DEPOSITORS ABSOLUTE SECURITY, PROMPT AND CAREFUL ATTENTION, and the most liberal treatment consistent with Safe and Profitable Banking.

We are in a position to extend banking accommodations that any safe and conservative bank could extend.

WE INVITE YOUR ACCOUNT.

**THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
MALTA, MONTANA

## A Wise Bird

Said Shiftless Sam: "There is no chance for a poor man these days. The guys with money gobble up all the good things and its no use for a poor man to try."

Then the wise old bird handed him this one: "Nine out of every ten rich men started poor. They worked hard. They saved, and kept their savings in a reliable bank. They have by skill, industry and economy earned a right to some of the good things of this world. If you want to succeed, get busy and follow the example of successful men and quit your 'knocking.'" And the owl was right.

**THE FIRST STATE BANK**  
Capital - - - \$50,000.00

## AUTO LIVERY Malta and Zortman

Car will leave North Side livery MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY for Zortman, returning same day.  
Fare to Zortman—one way, \$7.50; round trip, \$14.00.  
C. W. POWELL, Proprietor.

### Republicans Make Big Gains.

The latest returns from the election held Tuesday shows the Republicans making big gains in almost every state, and in some of the eastern states they have sweeping victories. New York is in the Republican column, along with several others who went out in the Bull Moose and Democratic landslide two years ago. In Missouri, North Dakota and Iowa, Woman Suffrage was turned down, while in this state the result is yet unknown, both sides claiming a victory by a small majority. Following is what the Montana Daily Record of this morning has to say in regard to the state election:

With between 20,000 and 25,000 votes accounted for and tabulated on the state ticket in Montana, representing nearly all of the larger cities in the state and about 40 per cent of the precincts, Evans and Stout are leading for congress, Boyle for railroad commissioner, and Holloway for associate justice of the supreme court. These are the figures as tabulated at the Republican state headquarters up to 2 o'clock today:

Evans	14,180
Stout	13,079
McCormick	11,648
Maddox	11,233
Boyle	11,440
McCormick	10,446
Holloway	14,025
Clements	10,589

These returns include the greater part of Silver Bow, Deer Lodge, Lewis and Clark, and precincts from the large counties. Under the showing, McCormick, for congress, is 2,131 behind Stout, who is running behind Evans. Boyle has a lead of 995 over McCormick for railroad commissioner and Holloway has a lead of 4,033 over Clements.

Chairman Selway of the Republican state committee said this afternoon that the precincts which were expected to give good Republican pluralities had not been heard from and that therefore he would not concede the election of both the Democratic congressmen. As to the railroad commissioner, he said the returns showed that Boyle was elected and that Holloway was elected associate justice. On the legislature, Mr. Selway said the returns indicated that the Republicans would in all probability control both houses.

Chairman Thomas Arthur of the Democratic state central committee, stated this afternoon: "With about two-thirds of the total vote cast practically accounted for, we claim the re-election of Congressman Stout and Evans by pluralities ranging from 7,500 to 10,000; the election of J. E. McCormick as railroad commissioner by pluralities of from 900 to 1,100. We also claim the control of the senate and house of the legislature this winter."

The Democratic committee has figures accounting for about 50,000 votes.

Word was received by that committee today that Senator Mully was re-elected in Broadwater county by from three to eight votes over his Republican opponent.

The fate of the woman suffrage amendment, the referendum measure and the initiative measures has not been decided, the returns on these being less complete than on the state ticket. Miss Jeannette Rankin, state chairman of the suffragists, states suffrage carried by a "safe majority," but the returns so far as received in Helena do not substantiate this claim. The figures so far received would indicate that the Kiley boxing law will remain in the statute books, and that the compensation, farm loan increase of taxation measures are defeated. The figures on consolidation of the state schools are so meager that it is impossible to say whether it has carried or been defeated.

The county election was a Republican victory, and with the exception of two, the entire ticket was elected. Dr. Clay, Republican candidate for state senator received more votes than both Cookingham, Progressive, and Dignan, Democrat, and will represent Valley county in the senate this winter. The Doctor polled one of the largest votes ever polled in the county.

Rundle, Republican, was elected to the house by a good majority, as well as Minnick from Saco. These two run pretty well together and received the solid support from the west end of the county. John Willis, of Glasgow will be the third representative from Valley county, and is of the democratic faith. From the way the returns came in it is very evident that

if Mr. Sampson, the other Republican candidate for representative, had made any effort he could have been elected easily. As it is, Valley county will be well represented at Helena this winter.

West, Sargent and Anderson were elected county commissioners over their opponents with a good majority and it is doubtful if three men could be found who will work for the interest of the county more faithfully than these three.

Shoemaker was elected over his opponents with a good majority and considering the fact that both the progressive and democratic candidates made a strong campaign, his election from a republican standpoint is very satisfactory. Mr. Shoemaker is not a new man in the courthouse and in this office and will be able to step in and take possession without any delay. He is one of the best men in the county for the office and will give universal satisfaction to the taxpayers, and at a saving of several thousand dollars a year. The republicans are proud of their choice for this office.

The people of this end of the county are as well pleased as they could be over the election of "Puck" Powell for sheriff. There was one of the strongest fights waged against Mr. Powell because he lived in the west end of the county, and it is expected and hoped that some day this end will be cut off from old Valley. Mr. Powell goes into the sheriff's office with a majority of about two hundred over his democratic opponent. "Puck" is one of Valley county favorites and has friends everywhere in the county, and the way they rallied to his support show his popularity throughout the county. He will make one of the best men in office that Valley county has ever had. The only thing to be regretted is that Malta will lose one of her best citizens. The surprise of the day was the

**Bruce McRae**  
IN THE FAMOUS POLITICAL ROMANCE  
**The Ring and the Man**  
AT THE  
**ONE NIGHT ONLY ORPHEUM FRIDAY, November 6**  
In Four Reels of Motion Pictures  
Having made a special effort to present this distinguished dramatic actor before the patrons of the Orpheum our prices will be—  
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way the returns rolled in for George Ruffcorn, democratic candidate over his opponent, John Slattery, progressive. It was expected and conceded by many that Mr. Ruffcorn would be elected, but his heartiest supporters had never dreamed of so magnificent a majority. It either shows that Mr. Ruffcorn is one of the popular young attorneys of the county or that Mr. Slattery is very unpopular. That Ruffcorn will make a good state attorney goes without saying, and the democrats and republicans alike are proud of their man and the victory he won. He will be one of the youngest and best county attorneys in the state.

Truman Patten won an easy victory over his opponents and went into the treasurers' office with a handsome majority and will make one of the best treasurers Valley county has

ever had, and there is no man to be found in the county who is more deserving of the office than Mr. Patten. The county's finances are safe in the hands of Mr. Patten. Ben Cottrell in a field of five, won the office of assessor, and he is one of the deserving men on the republican ticket and the majority he received is very gratifying to his friends, and Ben will make a good official.

Miss McGregor of Hinsdale won a victory over her Republican opponent for superintendent of schools by a majority of a hundred or such a matter. Miss McGregor proved to be one of the popular candidates and has the qualifications to make Valley county a good superintendent, and there is no doubt but that the schools of the county will make marked progress under her leadership.

W. H. Mann was one of the lucky  
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## Remarkable Sale

OF

# COATS

Beginning SATURDAY, Nov. 8, and throughout the entire month, we offer all of our

### STYLISH SEASONABLE COATS

For Women, Misses' and Children at Substantial reductions from former prices.

Why do we do this? Simply because we have too large stocks on hand, and we're going to reduce them by lowering prices. The coats involved in this sale should have been sold earlier—that they were not is due to a somewhat backward season.

These coats are now at the height of their desirability for YOU, but not for us. Our action in offering them at these low prices affords you almost unlimited opportunities to save money.

Qualities are perfect. Only coats from our regular stocks are involved. Styles are absolutely correct, and the reductions we have made from regular prices speak for themselves.

**Remember! Saturday, Nov. 1 IS OPENING DAY.**

Be here early for best choice.

Women's \$17 to \$20 Coats, now \$14.50  
Women's \$12 to \$15 Coats now \$10.50  
Men's \$9 to \$12 Coats now \$7.50  
Men's \$6.50 to \$8.50 Coats now \$5 to \$6.50

All Children's coats included in this sale. One lot regular \$5.00 to \$10.00 values now only \$3.50  
25 per cent. off on all Wool Dress suits. 25 per cent. off on all Trimmed Hats.

**F. W. St. Hill**


