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A Dozen Cases of Smallpox and as Many Cases of Scarlet Fever—Hudson Bay People Interested in Irrigation—Miss Dorothy Injured—Exercises at M. E. Church.

Milton, Dec. 15.—Howard Evans sold a lot to Mrs. Coverdale last week who will begin the erection of a dwelling at once.

J. S. Vinson, who has served as Milton's most vigilant marshal for the past four years, has purchased a full set of grubbing tools and will become a grubber and farmer.

The second lot of hunters to leave from here during November for a hunt in the mountains, returned the latter part of last week without any success.

Mrs. I. W. Berry and Mrs. James Roman, who were registered fluently ill last week, are much improved at this writing.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Griffin, December 7, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. James Kirk, December 8, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Richey, December 9, a boy.

Through the carelessness of some hunters, Marion Dorothy and Dr. Thomas each mourn the loss of a valuable horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvine King, of Helix, visited Mrs. King's parents in this city last week. They left Thursday for Spokane, Riverville and Yakima for a visit among relatives.

What the outcome of last Tuesday's election will be in regard to Milton's joint or club house, is yet undecided; both sides are determined and will fight to the bitter end.

With more than a dozen cases of smallpox and as many cases of scarlet fever within a radius of three miles from the depot, Milton's health officer says that all children should have their family physician to vaccinate them and all such places strictly quarantined. That's a good idea, but it's almost too late now. There's none left.

Rev. A. J. Adams, who has been assisting in the protracted meeting at Adams, returned home last Wednesday. He says that the meeting still continues with much success.

The people of the upper part of the Hudson Bay country are alive so much to the interest of irrigation, that they met and elected W. T. Shaw, D. J. Kirk and W. C. Gallagher as delegates to the Pendleton convention.

Harry Hogue, manager of the Elam Hardware Company, who has been visiting his parents and friends in Albany, for the past two weeks, returned last week.

Lura Dorothy, while on her way to Columbia College last Friday

morning, met with what might have been a serious accident. The river road at present is very muddy, full of ruts and rocks. During Thursday night the snow fell to a depth of five or six inches, covering up everything so a person could not tell where the track was. While driving along at a trot, her buggy ran into a rut and struck a rock, breaking the king bolt and coupling, jerking the front wheels from under the bed, letting it drop to the ground, throwing Miss Dorothy forward on the dash board and against the horses' heels, bruising her face and cutting quite a gash in her upper lip. The horse trotted on down the road, not knowing but what its driver and buggy was following, until caught by George Fulton, who returned with it to the scene of the accident, where Miss Dorothy mounted it and returned home.

Professor Gormerly lectured on "Fools and Fads" last Wednesday evening here, in the opera house, to an appreciative audience, but said that he didn't know now whether he was the "fool" or the "fad," since his arrival. When he stepped from the train at the depot, instead of getting on the bus, as he should, he asked a Freewater man where the hotel was. It was pointed out to him and he walked down to Freewater, where he found out that he was a mile from Milton and afoot.

Asa Moore will leave next Tuesday for a month's visit among relatives and friends in Missouri.

Since Saturday noon this section has been wrapped in a freezing fog, and everything is covered over with a sheet of ice; the limbs on the trees are bending to the ground under its weight. Should it continue 24 hours longer much damage will be done to the fruit trees.

The exercises given under the auspices of the M. E. church at the opera house Saturday evening, were something above the average on such occasions. C. E. Simonds on whom modern surgery was practiced last week after his Christian Science failed to cure, gave a recitation entitled "Modern Surgery vs. Christian Science," which brought down the house.

Under the auspices of the Columbia College, Thursday evening, December 18, 1902 at the opera house, there will be rendered an interesting program of recitations, readings, duets, vocal and instrumental solos, also an exhibition of art tableaux or statue posing as given by the Boston Conservatory. The college people promise all who attend a rare treat and a good time.

E. L. Smalley has concluded not to sell his city drug store in Milton, and on the strength of this, J. N. Stone has had the floor lowered, the room enlarged, papered and remodeled throughout, which makes it one of the finest business rooms in Milton.

Mrs. Harris, whose home is south of Milton about five miles, on Couze Creek, died in town Saturday afternoon at the residence of her daughter's, of blood poisoning. She has

been ailing for some time with erysipelas, and was improving when blood poison set in, which the doctors could not stop. Interment will take place today.

EUGENE V. DEBS.

"A Man Without Fear and Without Reproach"—The Magnetic Hoosier Speaker.

And there's Gene Debs, a man 'at stands. And just holds out in his two hands As warm a heart as ever beat.

Between here and the judgment seat—James Whitcomb Riley.

Civilization stood at the bar last night while a tall, gaunt man with ever-lifted inditing forefinger strode up and down the platform chronicling her crimes, her assassination of souls. He was a brilliant special pleader, and drove home his charges with the vigor that comes from what he believes to be long-endured wrongs. It is for those who heard him to say whether he was right in his assertions, whether the world is as black as he painted it, whether what he called the vassals of capital are worse conditioned than seats of feudalism, but none can say that he did not utter some fearsome truths and bring to attention some usually unrealized curses of existence.

The man was Eugene V. Debs, who from being a clerk in a grocery store and a fireman on a locomotive, has risen to the position of a reform leader. President Garfield once uttered the epigram that there is no dynamic force in the world comparable to the power of an idea.

Mr. Debs has the idea and knows how to bring out its dynamism, for last evening he had and held an audience which was far from being made up of long-haired men and short-haired women.

The gathering which filled Hazard's pavilion from stage to roof was composed distinctively of the middle classes. There were of course some notables in finance and the professions, and there was also a sprinkling of the men and women whose stubby and grimy finger tips showed that they were toilers with the shovel, the washboard or the hod or the hoe, but the greater portion were people of evidently moderate means, or fairly comfortable place in the world, and they cheered and applauded every sentiment.—Los Angeles Herald

"THE LITTLE OUTCAST."

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insight, its honor and its fidelity to truth. As a vivid, convincing and dramatic picture of modern city life, it outranks all other plays of the hour.

"Peck's Bad Boy."

"Peck's Bad Boy," which will be at the Frazer theater on Friday, Dec. 19th, has not only met with great success, but the piece has actually deserved it. One very noticeable feature throughout the entire performance is the absence of any scene, incident or dialogue that could in any way offend the most fastidious person.

Tennessee Labor Men Meet.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 15.—What promises to be the most important convention in the history of the Tennessee State Federation of Labor began in this city today with delegates present from local and district labor organizations throughout the state. It is the sixth annual convention of the federation and the rapid strides which organized labor has made in the state since the formation of the federation is evidenced by the large and representative attendance. The sessions of the convention will last through the week. The federation will formulate some measures to be presented to the next session of the legislature, one of the most important being a measure aimed to suppress the competition of convict-made goods with free labor. At the opening session of the convention today there were addresses of welcome on behalf of the city and the local labor bodies, after which the convention went into executive session.

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Work will begin on the structure for the basement and foundation immediately, and the building is ready for occupancy by March.

"Modern Problems"

Will be the subject of a lecture by EUGENE V. DEBS

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 17

AT THE FRAZER OPERA HOUSE

All the world loves a man who is sincere, and who has the courage of his convictions. No more certain proof of the truth of an assertion was ever given than in the esteem in which Eugene V. Debs is held today. Even those who have frankly differed with his economic issues respect him for his honesty, admire him for his courage, and point to him as the ideal of the French proverb, "A man without fear and without reproach." The all-absorbing topics of times are those bearing upon economic subjects, and the ardent desire of the public to look upon all sides of the questions is evidence that the old era of prejudice has passed away, and a broad minded spirit has come in its stead.

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