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NEWS OF MILTON

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Milton Opera House Company Will Give Another Grand Ball the 16th—Columbia College Opens—High Water Does Much Damage.

Milton, Jan. 7.—The first six days of the new year the bees flew and tried to make honey.

The doctors are getting the dough, and the citizens are getting the small-pox, varioloid, scarlet fever and staying at home.

Mrs. Walden and family have returned home from Helix and Juniper, where they have spent the last two weeks visiting relatives.

Miss Edith Perry, who is attending school at the Pendleton Academy and has been spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. S. A. Christensen in Freewater, returned to Pendleton last Monday evening to resume her studies.

Mr. George Davis, a brother of J. N. Davis of Milton, after spending three months in this county, left Tuesday evening for his home in Indiana. Mr. Davis is about 65 years old, but expressed a desire that he would like to live in Oregon, and did not know but what he would, after the St. Louis exposition.

The melting of the snow in the foothills and mountains, caused the Walla Walla river to rise quite rapidly last Saturday and Sunday, causing quite a lot of damage in the way of washing out irrigation drains, and some wood that was lying in the bottoms too close to the channel.

The Columbia college, after two weeks' vacation, started up again last Monday. Several new students have dropped in, and but a few of the old ones are absent.

Barbed wire telephone lines run in all directions now from Milton. The latest is out to F. Stun's ranch on Dry creek, and another from Elam's Hardware store to Olinger's saw mill, 20 miles up in the mountains; another from Mosgrove & Co.'s store to Athena and Helix, and one from here to Walla Walla.

The Milton Opera House Company had such a flattering crowd and pleasant time on New Year's eve that they have concluded to give another grand ball on Friday, the 16th, inst. They promise something special, but have not announced yet what it will be. Tickets, \$1.

The Christmas morning shooting affair in the Miller saloon, in Freewater, still remains unsolved and affords gossip for the town. Just how a dozen or more shots could be fired in the presence of a score of men an no one know where they came from, is a wonder of the twentieth century.

The fact is that a score of men know who did it, but as the city ordinance makes it a penalty to carry or use firearms within the city limits, no one wants to reveal the secret. Nevertheless, the stove is fatally shot and the city authorities are lying low.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Events as Seen by Our McKay Creek Correspondent.

McKay, Or., Jan. 8.—Good resolutions hold out? Don't date it 1902.

Smallpox in this neighborhood. Now is the time to put work on roads.

The interesting little squirrel is out.

If your currant bushes show signs of worms give 'em Hell—ebore.

A benevolent brother from this region visited in a merciful capacity, a stricken family in town and through some unaccountable cause got a double head, with full mourning put on him.

Our people who failed to finish their seeding last fall on account of the rains, are taking advantage of "the thaw" to get in their seed.

Mr. Lisle, an old and respected pioneer and "Bottom" farmer of near Echo, was on our streets on Tuesday. Mr. Lisle was farming here when Pendleton was in its swaddling clothes.

Charles Kidder, who was reported in my last, as being on the sick list.

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"SHORE ACRES."

Good Audience Grets This Most Successful Performance.

Manager James B. Welch is to be congratulated upon securing the first-class attraction which appeared before a large audience at Frazer's last night. It is very seldom that Pendleton theater-goers find fault with plays or players, but there have been some interior attractions booked under the most favorable recommendations. The inferiority of "Peck's Bad Boy," however, has been forgotten and forgiven in the last two attractions appearing in Pendleton—"Richard Carvel" and "Shore Acres."

The production of "Shore Acres" was one of the very best performances that has been given in this city. It appealed to all classes of people; it left a clear moral tone in the atmosphere, and was strictly and eminently free from all the usual unnatural and exaggerated stage effect. It was just plain every day life and emotion and sentiment portrayed on the stage instead of in the home and on the street. If this company comes to the coast again, Pendleton will certainly look upon its visit to this city as a rare treat.

"ZAZA" FRIDAY NIGHT.

Promises to Excel Any Former Attraction Seen in This City.

"Zaza" with the gifted Florence Roberts in the title role, is the fascinating attraction to be offered at the Frazer Friday, January 9. "Zaza" has created more talk and comment and aroused more criticism than any dramatic production that has been put forth in this generation. In this play, David Belasco has masterfully dealt with the strongest, the highest, the tenderest and the lowest of human emotions. In the girl of the boule-

vard he has put forth a character eminently suited to the emotional talents, dramatic ability and artistic conception of Florence Roberts who possesses the faculty of going at once to the hearts and sympathies of her audiences. Attended by the allure-



ments which magnificent stage settings, elaborate scenery and elegant costumes give to such productions as well as being supported by a clever and capable company, her rendition of "Zaza" will be a superb attraction and one that appeals to the interest of every theatergoer. Seats on sale at Frazer's book store.

has developed into a case of small-pox, with all its extra and repulsive fixings. Charley at this writing is reported better with a good chance of recovery. He is at the residence of the Hill brothers. All who have come in contact with him have been promptly vaccinated.

The city and county, as I understand it, are putting some good work on the "boulevard"—the road between Walter's mill and the hill at Kidder's ranch. I understand the city has agreed to pave with small rock one mile of the road, is this is so good; the old hill beyond don't need. That loamy old point is well-paved with large rock, to the annoyance and grief of all travelers.

Messrs. Meeker & Rogers are good road workers, but why not do some blasting on the "blasted old hill" below?

Little Walter Goom is down with the measles at the home of his grandfather, J. S. Wheeler.

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OPPOSE RANGE LIMIT.

Stock Inspector of Baker County Says It Would Kill Sheep Industry.

Jonathan Parker, stock inspector of Baker county, is opposed to the proposed range limit law, that is now being agitated throughout Eastern Oregon, and in his annual report says:

"First and foremost, we have enough sheep now in this county belonging to citizens who pay taxes on the same in Baker county, to graze the whole range lying within the boundaries of the county, and this being the case, it must inevitably happen, and that at once, that our grazing range will be eaten down too closely, and finally permanently damaged, if more stock is allowed to graze thereon than is to be found within the confines of the county belonging to citizens of the same.

"It is my opinion that what is known as the 'two mile limit' scheme is not only impracticable, and a law compelling sheep owners to keep their sheep not less than two miles away from any agricultural ranch other than that of the owner of the flock, must necessarily result in the practical extinction of the sheep industry in our county. On the other hand, I am told by lawyers of ability who have given the matter attention and study, that such a law would not stand the test of either our state or the federal constitution, on account of its application being to a special class of property. Mr. Parker's report shows that Baker county has 161,115 head of sheep, divided among 65 owners.

The largest individual owner is W. G. Ayre, of Durkee, who owns 15,000 head.

Wantanno—What queered De Wruyter and Miss Rocks?

Duzno—In writing an ode to her he used the expression "dainty, shell-like ears," and the printers became mystified over De Wruyter's horrible chirography and made it "dirty, shawl-like ears."—Baltimore American.



HAD TO SALUTE HER.

Mrs.—It isn't necessary to raise your hat to the housemaid.
Mr.—Well, I can wink at her, if you prefer it.