

NEWS NOTES OF PENDLETON

McKay Creek Roaring.
McKay creek is roaring at flood tide, according to John Wynn, prominent rancher of the upper McKay, who was down from his home yesterday.

Held to Grand Jury.
W. V. McKenzie, charged with a statutory offense, was held to the grand jury this morning by Justice of the Peace Parkes and his bonds were placed at \$500. Dollie Manning, charged jointly with him, was held under \$100 bonds. Testimony showed they had rented a room as man and wife.

Midnight Matinee New Years Eve.
The Alta theatre management announced as a special feature, the first time tried outside the larger cities, a special "Let 'er Buck" midnight matinee New Years eve. The program will start at 10:45 and everything will be thrown wide open. Whistles, tin pans, horns and serpentine will be furnished the audience by the management and everybody will be permitted to enjoy themselves. Old time music will be played by a special orchestra of twelve pieces and old-

time songs will be sung by the audience. There will be fireworks from roof of theatre at 12 o'clock.

Walla Walla Is High.
The Walla Walla river is running bank full, according to William Anderson, who is down from Milton today. The warm rains have caused every gully to bring down flood waters, he states. He is rather fearful that the mild weather will bring the fruit trees along to a stage where they can be damaged by freezing weather.

All Out For The Guard.
Members of the Pendleton Reserve, Spanish War Veterans and others wishing to join the Umatilla county guard are requested to meet tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock in the gymnasium back of the Commercial association for the formal organization and enlistment. The guns are here for arming the company and everything is in readiness for the beginning of drill. The Silver Grays, whose members are over the military age, will retain a separate organization and will have the use of the guns and other equipment.

License Is Issued.
A marriage license was issued yesterday to James H. McLean, 28, of Adams county, Washington, and Edna C. Ross, 25, of Freewater.

Divorce Is Granted.
Irene Kelley has been granted a divorce from Barney Kelley, has been given back her maiden name, Taylor, and title to land in her name.

Adenoids Removed.
Mary, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hamilton, underwent an operation for the removal of tonsils and adenoids yesterday.

Royal Neighbors Meet.
At the meeting of the Royal Neighbors last evening in the Moose Hall the following officers were elected: Past Oracle, Ida Elder; oracle, Myrtle Lester; vice oracle, Hattie Ferguson; chancellor, Irene Cook; recorder, Marietta Jones; receiver, Anna Eckert; marshal, Sadie Hude. Inside committee, Fern Parry; outside committee, Jennie Braunwell; manager, Nellie Horton one year, Ellen Draper three years, Fannie Kearney three years; musician Fannie Kearney.

Irwin G. Brooks Ill.
Dr. P. M. Brooks left Friday for San Antonio, Tex., where he was called to see his son, Irwin G. Brooks, who is Sergeant-Major of 245th Aero Squadron. Sergeant-Major Brooks is ill in the army hospital from an attack of measles which resulted in pneumonia and middle ear trouble. His squadron was to have left for France some time ago, but an epidemic of measles affecting nearly the entire squadron detained them.—Oregonian.

Praises Y. M. C. A.
Nat Kimball, Pendleton boy who is in the naval training station at Philadelphia, has high commendation for the work of the Y. M. C. A. there in a letter to Brooks' Dickson. He doesn't like the ways of the cast-aways at all, declaring they are all after the dollar, but "the Y. M. C. A. certainly looks after the fellows," he states. Kimball enlisted in the motorboat department of the school at Columbia is full and he is required to remain at Philadelphia until his turn comes. His principal duties now, she says, are "to sling hash" though occasionally he gets a chance to do a little longshoreman work.

Trunk of Liquor Seized.
Sheriff T. D. Taylor this afternoon seized a trunk loaded with whiskey and which was in the baggage room at the O-W depot. He arrested a man giving the name of Jeffries in connection with the unlawful transportation of liquor. The liquor was shipped from Missoula, Montana, and came in on the morning N. P. mixed train. It was transferred to the O-W depot and checked to La Grande where Jeffries states his home is. It is said there was a combination trunk loaded with the same class of goods. Jeffries is being held at the county jail pending an investigation.

WIFE SHOTS RICH GERMAN.
Trouble Grows Out of Her Purchase of Liberty Bonds.
Y. OF ANGELES, Dec. 28.—William Kastle, said to be a wealthy German was taken to a hospital today with a bullet wound in his shoulder after

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an altercation with his American-born wife, which she told the police grew out of her purchase of Liberty loan bonds.

The police made no arrest. They said they believed Mrs. Kastle's statement that she shot in self-defense.

FIFTEEN KILLED AT FORT WORTH

Davidson Meets Death in Attempt at Spiral Descent.
FORT WORTH, Dec. 29.—Cadet A. Davidson, an American aviator, was killed at Hicks field this afternoon when he fell 700 feet while making his first attempt at a spiral descent.



Mr. and Mrs. Harbo left today for their home in Tillamook attending the holiday week with Mrs. Carl's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Raymond and daughter Miss Helen Raymond and son, Raphael, have returned from a weeks visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. G. Reed at her new home near Helix.

Victor Hansen arrived from Portland this morning and will remain to be a guest at the Butterfield-Wilcox wedding on New Years day.

Eagle-Woodman hall will be the scene of a pretty dancing party tonight, the Boys' and Girls' Ice-cream Club of the high school being hosts and hostesses for the affair.

A charming little dancing party was held at the L. L. Rogers home last evening, the active members of the Phoenix club being hostesses. Bright Christmas emblems formed the pretty decorations while a clever little favor dance was an enjoyable feature. Only members of the club and their escorts were present.

John Arkell was in yesterday from his home at Nollin.

Mrs. Daniel I. Hopkins of Helix is in the city today.

William P. Hirst of Freewater made Pendleton a visit yesterday.

Charles Abpach of Helix was a Pendleton visitor overnight.

D. L. Reid of Weston spent last evening in the county seat.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Westgate were in last evening from Pilot Rock.

Carl Power is up from his home near Portland visiting his parents.

Mrs. F. A. Brunson and daughter of Hermiston are registered at the St. George.

Le Roy Blanchard and J. L. Blanchard of Gibbon are registered at the Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Lake of Pilot Rock were among the out of town folk in the city last evening.

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NEW CHURCH WILL BE DEDICATED ON SIXTH OF JANUARY

At a cost of \$21,000 a new church building has been completed by the First Christian church of Milton and will be dedicated on Sunday, January 6.

The building is a beautiful red brick trimmed in white pressed brick. It is 42 feet by 82 feet. It is modern in every respect. There are 27 rooms to be used for Bible school purposes. Opening into the auditorium are six parlors 18 by 25 feet, each. The auditorium is arranged in amphitheater style, all rooms on the second and third floors opening into it from the back. It has a total seating capacity of 1200. In the basement is a kitchen 25 feet by 25 feet. Dining hall seating 200 and an audience room or social hall seating 500 people. It is heated with a Giant Twin fan furnace.

It is to be dedicated January 6th, 1918, with Rev. Geo. L. Sulvely of Lewistown, Ill., as master of ceremonies. Services will be held at Bible school, 9:20 a. m.; dedicatory services, 2:30 p. m.; evening, 7:30. A large orchestra and chorus will furnish music.

Rev. Floyd A. Ross and his members have left nothing undone to make the building one of the finest buildings in the state.

NO RECOURSE THROUGH ARMY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Regulations issued today by the war department deny to creditors of officers of the national army and national guard recourse to the military establishment in seeking adjustment of their claims. All military authorities are directed to disregard any obligation, transaction, domestic or personal controversy relating to such officers before they entered the service, and divisional commanders are instructed that only such matters involving these officers as fall within the provisions of the articles of war are to be considered by them. All other controversies or transactions must be left to settlement by civil process.

LET'ER BUCK ALTA THEATRE

MIDNIGHT MATINEE

Monday Night, December 31st
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