

Defense Session Held at Aloha On Tuesday

ALOHA-HUBER. Miss Anne Huber, state representative of the American Red Cross of the Red Cross State headquarters in Portland, gave a talk crowded with practical suggestions to Red Cross and civilian defense workers at the emergency meeting in the Aloha Grange hall Tuesday evening. She answered many questions propounded by her interested audience.

Keith Wilcox, member of the fire department and chief air-raid warden at Hillsboro, demonstrated by blackboard drawings the different types of bombs and what we can do to mitigate their dangers. He told what to do and what not to do during a bombing attack, and particularly what to do with incendiary bombs, and to neutralize the deadly effects of gas bombs.

Oscar Hagg of Reedville gave an inspiring talk on morale, pointing out the calmness and resolution displayed by the English people caught unprepared as we were when suddenly and unexpectedly attacked. Notwithstanding the storming of the weather, the attendance was about half filled. Mrs. J. P. Martyn, local air raid warden, showed the need of more men volunteers to give two hours per week at the observation station located at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bosley of Aloha spent the Christmas holiday week-end at Seapooose with Mr. and Mrs. James Knorr.

Local Weather Data Curtailed

Owing to a ruling of the United States weather bureau at the request of military authorities, the Argus will be unable to publish weekly weather data which have been compiled in the past through the co-operation of A. W. Moore, local weather observer.

A communication from Edward L. Wells, government meteorologist in Portland, stated, however, that "the weather bureau will resume regular service in whole or in part, when such resumption may be accomplished without detriment to the national defense."

Moore, who has been keeping local weather reports for the past 12 years, will continue making recordings for the government. The Argus reports, which have included daily minimum and maximum temperatures and precipitation, have been used to some extent by several county industries.

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New Minister



Rev. C. N. Trout In Pulpit Here

Rev. Clifford N. Trout succeeds Rev. R. L. Putnam in the local Christian church pulpit.

Rev. Trout comes to Hillsboro from the Watsburg First Christian church, near Walla Walla, where he served for five years. Previous to that time, he was minister at the Christian church in Enterprise from 1932 through 1933.

Rev. Trout is a 1932 graduate of Northwest Christian college of Eugene and has lived in Oregon most of his life. He was born in Portland and attended high school in Oregon City, where his mother now resides.

The new Christian church minister has moved with his wife and family to Hillsboro. They have two daughters, Martha Marie, age 8, and Barbara Ellen, age 3.

J. W. Barney Explains Defense Organization

Work being done in organizing civilian defense locally was described to local Lions club members at their Wednesday noon luncheon by J. W. Barney, city manager and police captain of local civilian defense.

Bicycle Owners Must Register

Registration of all bicycles in Hillsboro will start on Monday at the city hall, according to Chief of Police W. W. Weaver, and all bicycles which do not comply with the order will later be impounded.

Following a policy adopted last year, certificates of registration and operator's licenses are to be given bicycle owners. It was emphasized that vehicles must be able to pass inspection.

Weaver has listed the following requirements for registration of bicycles:

1. Must have good brakes.
2. Headlight must be in working order and permanently attached and properly focused.
3. Tail light or red reflector not less than the size of a silver dollar are required.
4. Must have a horn or bell which is in good working order.

Bicycle owners are requested to present 1941 registration cards and operator's cards when they appear. It was emphasized by city police that no riding of bicycles on sidewalks and riding double will be permitted.

Rationing of Tires And Tubes Planned

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ment emergency order has been issued banning sale, delivery or lease of all new cars and light trucks until a rationing system is started on January 15. Manufacturing of passenger cars will cease at the end of this month, according to J. O. P. M. plans.

Nine local automobile dealers have been hit by the order which has "frozen" a number of new cars in their display rooms. They have generally indicated plans to continue in business.

It has been pointed out that the average motorist will not be able to buy any new tires or tubes until the rubber situation improves enough to allow relaxation of present regulations. Motorists unable to qualify for the rationing certificates issued by rationing boards, who do not have good used casings available for recapping, may be faced with the necessity of storing their vehicles for the duration of the emergency.

The general public must realize that there will be no tires available for private passenger or pleasure cars under the new regulations, and that there will be very few vehicles which can qualify under the act as eligible for new rubber, according to Chairman Johnson.

Categories Listed

The following preferred categories have been listed:

- A. Vehicles operated by physicians, surgeons, visiting nurses or veterinarians which are "used principally for professional services."
- B. Ambulances.
- C. Fire fighting equipment, police cars, vehicles used in the enforcement of laws relating specifically to the protection of public health and safety, vehicles used in garbage disposal and other sanitary services, and vehicles used in mail services.
- D. Buses of a capacity of 10 or more passengers used in the transportation of passengers as part of a regular transportation system, or teachers and students to and from school, or employees to and from industrial, mining or construction projects when public transportation facilities are not readily available.

Trucks Classified

E. Trucks operated exclusively for the transportation of ice or fuel, or material for the construction and maintenance of public roads, public utilities or production facilities, trucks essential to roofing, plumbing, heating and electrical repair services, trucks operated by regularly established common carriers, trucks operated

Master Cupid's Business Here Increases . . . Divorces Also Up

A certain guy named Mr. Cupid did bigger business locally in 1941 than during the previous year, according to records in County Clerk W. A. Tupper's office, reflecting the fact that jobs have become more and more lucrative.

A total of 171 marriage licenses were listed for 1941 as compared to 156 for the previous year, a gain of 15. However, Mr. Cupid lost ground during the year as 137 divorce suits were filed in '41 as compared with only 91 for the previous year.

Last year's gain in the number of divorce suits filed was 46, and records reveal that most of these were granted.

Crime About Same

There was very little gain in criminal activity in Washington county during the past year, records reveal. A total of 63 criminal actions—including indictments and informations—were filed in 1941 as compared to 70 in 1940. The first six months of 1941 were worst of the period with 42 criminal actions filed.

Best six months of the last two years was for the period ending December 31, 1941, when only 28 actions were filed. Only ten were filed in July, August, and September.

A decided decrease for 1941 over 1940 was also registered in the number of law and equity actions filed in circuit court. A total of 51 equity actions, other than divorces, were filed in 1940 as compared to 44 for 1941, according to records compiled by Mrs. Z. R. Hatt, deputy county clerk. Ten each were listed for the last three quarters of 1941.

A total of 132 law actions were filed in circuit court in 1940 and that figure dropped to 96 during the previous year, a loss of 36.

Luncheon Planned By Hazeldale Group

HAZELDALE—Sunday school attendance was 59 with three birthday anniversaries celebrated: June Jack, Doris Johnston and Thelma Broad. An attendance goal of 75 has been set for the month of January. A fellowship luncheon will be held next Sunday with opening of the church banks. Every one is invited.

Mrs. Anthony Semich and infant son have returned home from a Portland hospital.

Wanda Hesterley spent several days last week as a guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Lewis, at Forest Grove.

Richard Carey was home for the holidays from Seattle, Wash., where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mercer and children of Grand Coulee, Wash., were holiday visitors here and in Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller have purchased the Al Richards' farm and moved in. Mr. Miller is employed at the shipyards.

Opal Lewis left last week for Twisp, Wash., after spending the holidays with relatives here.

Mrs. Inah Hines has returned home from the hospital to recuperate from a recent operation.

Merle Hoskins of Portland spent several days last week at the home of Mrs. Sylvia Salee.

Mrs. Jack Hodges, Happy Hour club met last Friday at the home of Mrs. Edythe Jack. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Dick Kelly January 15.

H. Stann recently fenced his 20-acre Stann with a heavy wire fence for sheep.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. J. Openlander and Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. L. Fisk and Mr. and Mrs. N. Schmidt and Frances Mrs. Openlander and Mr. Fisk won the high honors and Mrs. Fisk and Frances Schmidt consolations.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Meyer, Alta and Vernon returned Sunday morning from a trip to California.

The Meyer family, with their son Melvin, Walter Ruecker and Albert Muhl, enjoyed their Christmas dinner together at the home of Mr. Meyer's sister, Mrs. Dethleff. The local boys are staying together there and working in an airplane factory. On their way home they stopped at Camp Roberts, Cal. Friday afternoon and visited Corporal Edwin Kiekaefer. Corporal Kiekaefer was the Lutheran school teacher here and became quite well known for his interest in choral music. They report a pleasant trip but are glad to be back in Oregon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ruecker entertained Friday evening with three tables of "500". Guests were

Egger Rites at Helvetia Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Thelma Egger, 76, of route 5 Hillsboro, who died Monday following an illness of one year, will be held this afternoon (Thursday) at 2 p. m. at Helvetia church. Interment will be at Helvetia cemetery.

Mrs. Egger was born November 10, 1865, in Austria, and came to this country in 1902. She had been a resident at route 5 Hillsboro since 1905. Mr. Egger died in 1937. Surviving are four sons, Ernest, Emil, Herman, and Fritz, all of this vicinity.

Cooper Mountain

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Griffith and daughter Susan of Klamath Falls are visitors at the J. Reusser home. Mrs. Griffith will be remembered as Florence Reusser, a former resident here.

Mrs. Susy Reusser spent the week-end with friends in Portland.

Rev. Heard of Mitchell is a visitor at the Reusser home here.

Oscar Berkeland of Houston, Minn., is visiting at the home of his cousin, Carl Cassen.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Wold, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Ravis, Ed and Henry Jacobson and sister Vera Jacobson attended a New Year's eve party given at the Laurence Davis home at Garden Home.

Oral Gardner of Mountaineer spent several days at the George Morrell home.

Attendance was 30 at Sunday school. C. L. Clayton, a new member, has been chosen as teacher of the adult class. Mr. McMinn, Sunday school superintendent and former adult teacher, has taken charge of the intermediate class of boys and girls combined.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Gindhart have returned home after spending the holidays at the home of Mr. Gindhart's brother at Peoria, and his son's home at Lebanon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ravans of Los Angeles, Cal., have recently purchased the late Charles C. Barron property on Huber avenue. Mrs. Ravans is a former resident here, being the daughter of Mrs. John Johnson of Cooper Mountain. Mr. Ravans has secured employment at the Portland shipyards.

Miss Amber Hattie of Huber, principal at Witch Hazel school, spent her vacation at the Fritz Gindhart home here with her nieces, Misses Edna and May Gindhart, while their parents were away.

Mrs. Elwood Bachelor and daughter Margaret of Hillsboro, Mrs. Ruth DeHaan and daughter Margie and son Donald of Aloha were New Year's day dinner party guests at the Albert Erickson home.

Mrs. Paul Leopold and daughter Dorothy spent the week-end in Portland with her daughter, Mrs. C. McCarl.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sipe entertained with a family reunion at their home here. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. F. Stock and Billy and Steve Benham, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sipe and son Montie, Mr. and Mrs. George Sipe and son Jesse.

School was resumed here Monday. June Staines, Lucile Carroll

and Billy Bye are absent because of illness.

Euster Goblehouse of Portland was a week-end visitor at the Adolph Shell home.

Mrs. Marian Howard spent her vacation at Eugene at the home of her son, H. Sterling Howard.

Birthday Celebrated

Mrs. Frank Lyle entertained with a birthday party for Donnie Lee Carroll Saturday afternoon, it being her fourth birthday anniversary. The party was held at the home of Donnie Lee's grandmother, Mrs. Beard. Present were

Robbie Bye, Bruce Lyle, Neta Beard, Jean Thomas, Montie Sipe, and Donnie Lee Carroll.

Alfred and Meda Morrell of Forest Grove, spent several days last week at the George Morrell home.

Sewing Quarters Open

Red Cross Sewing headquarters at the city hall will be open every day except Sunday from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. Workers will be notified as soon as the new quota arrives.



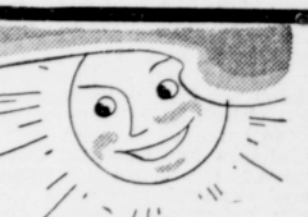
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THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK			
of Hillsboro, Oregon			
Statement of Condition at the close of business December 31st, 1941			
Resources			
Cash on hand and due from banks	\$864,682.73		
U. S. Government and Guaranteed Bonds	201,250.00		
(Market value \$204,834.00)			
Municipal and Other Bonds	376,630.25		
(Market value \$384,308.79)			
Oregon Municipal Warrants	70,004.39		
Stock in the Federal Reserve Bank	6,750.00		
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	80,621.29		
Other Real Estate	2.00		
Loans and Discounts	1,431,195.41		
Total	\$3,031,136.07		
Liabilities			
Capital	\$100,000.00		
Surplus	137,500.00		
Undivided Profits and Reserves	5,828.53		
Deposits	2,787,807.54		
Total	\$3,031,136.07		
Comparative Statements			
	Deposits	Resources	Capital & Surplus
December 31, 1933	\$ 826,940.06	\$1,007,382.95	\$ 90,000.00
December 31, 1935	1,349,960.83	1,459,076.74	92,500.00
December 31, 1937	1,727,445.01	1,870,541.60	120,000.00
December 31, 1939	1,898,298.56	2,100,293.26	165,000.00
December 31, 1941	2,787,807.54	3,031,136.07	237,500.00