

# Hillsboro Argus

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## Mrs. Engelen to Head Infantile Paralysis Drive

CORNELIUS—Mrs. Donald Engelen has been appointed chairman of the infantile paralysis drive in Cornelius, which starts January 14 through January 31. Boxes will be placed in stores and business houses for donations of which may be given to Mrs. Engelen. Fifty per cent of the money received will be kept in Washington county and the balance will go for research work.

## Woodcraft to Meet

Neighbors of Woodcraft will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Schultz Saturday, Mrs. Thomas Lee will be the hostess.

## Harry Buckley of Lewiston, Mont., Visited at the Joe Finegan Home Sunday

The baby clinic was held at the city hall Tuesday. Dr. F. T. Burke of Hillsboro was absent due to illness so Miss Corinne Pennington and Miss Margaret Graham gave immunizations for diphtheria and whooping cough.

## Cornelius Civic Club Slates Meet January 20

CORNELIUS—The Cornelius Civic club will hold its next meeting January 20 in the city hall.

## Mrs. Hubert Shaver has received word that her husband has been transferred from Fort Lewis to Texarkana, Texas, and is training for an automobile mechanic in the ordnance department.

## Robert Price Transferred

Word has been received from Pvt. Robert (Bud) Price that he has been sent to Camp Shelby, Miss. He is in the infantry.

## Brother Accident Victim

Alfred and Rudolph Bothum left last Wednesday to attend the funeral of their father, Peter Bothum, of Siletton, S. D., who died as the result of an automobile accident which occurred December 11, when he and his wife and son Charles were all injured in this accident. They have all been confined in a hospital there ever since.

## Delmar Matteson Promoted

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Matteson have received word from their son Delmar, who is "somewhere in the South Pacific" that he had a promotion from MM 2c to MM 2c to MM 1c. He said that his Christmas presents came through fine and also received many of them and also letters and Christmas cards. He mentions he has been in the area where some of the home boys are, but has not been fortunate enough to run across any of them. Incidentally he crossed the international date line on August 7 which happened to be his father's and mother's thirty-first wedding anniversary. He has sent his certificate home for his parents to take care of. He enlisted January, 1942.

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DIES AT 91—Mrs. Cartha Edson, who died Tuesday at her home in Cornelius, aged 91 years.

## Cornelius Woman Dies on Tuesday

CORNELIUS—Mrs. Martha Ann Edson, 91, died at her home in Cornelius Tuesday after a long illness. Funeral arrangements have not been completed but will be conducted at the Donelson & Sewell chapel in Hillsboro.

Mrs. Edson was born in Iowa, July 7, 1852, and had been a resident of Cornelius for the past 20 years.

She is survived by a son, Guy M. Edson of San Diego, three daughters, Mrs. Ernest Kroner of Portland, Mrs. Imogene Bellinger of Forest Grove, Mrs. Edna V. Russell of Cornelius; three grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

## Lutheran Aid Meets Jan. 13

CORNELIUS—The Lutheran Missionary Aid will meet Thursday afternoon, January 13, at the home of Mrs. Harry Thelin, Mrs. Tanner will read the topic.

Mr. and Mrs. Findley Garrison and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Levi Garrison all went to Vancouver, Wash., Sunday to visit Mrs. Levi Garrison's brother and wife and family. Mrs. Garrison will remain there for a week's visit.

## Birthday Celebrated

Joan Bothum celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary Sunday afternoon at her home with 11 of her little friends coming in. The afternoon was spent in playing games.

Mrs. Frank Johnson returned to her home Saturday after spending a week at the Smith hospital in Hillsboro with the flu. She is better, but very weak.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Henthorne have received word that their son Martin's little daughter Carol of Oregon City, who has been very ill with double pneumonia in Portland and in the Doernbecher hospital, has recovered enough so she could be taken home.

Bonam Wiley is now employed at the Albina shipyard in Portland. Mary Lou Sharp is ill at her home with the flu.

Mrs. John Jensen of Gales Creek is working at the H. R. Wilson home.

Moves to Hillsboro  
Mrs. Wayne Geertgens, who has been living in an apartment in the Percy Hill home, has moved to Hillsboro. Mrs. Geertgens is employed in the Safeway store there.

Janice Wilson, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Wilson, who was ill in the Jones hospital with pneumonia, returned to her home Wednesday and started to school Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Clites of Seaside spent from Wednesday until Saturday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Nora Clites, and they also visited Mrs. Willard Clites' sister, Mrs. Frank Bogue of South Cornelius and family.

T. Sgt. Ernest Smith of Camp Adair spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sharp, who is in the marine corps, is a Sunday afternoon caller at the J. L. Sharp home. He will return to San Francisco, Cal., January 6.

Mrs. Ernest Wehner of Portland spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Paul Landauer, who is ill.

Rudolph Seidler of Portland spent Sunday with his brother, Herman Seidler, and wife, Herman's mother, Mrs. L. S. Seidler.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Buehler went to McMinville to attend a house warming and an Iowa pot-luck dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hall on Christmas day. Nineteen guests were present and they all were former residents of Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Bothum entertained on Christmas day with a pot-luck dinner for 31 of their friends and relatives from Siletton, S. D. The afternoon was spent in playing cards and games. Names were drawn and gifts exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Greig received an announcement from their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Greig of Hoskins of the arrival of a boy December 23. He has been named Weldon Douglas. This is their second son.

## Mural LaFollette Writes

The Methodist church has received a letter from Mural A. LaFollette Jr., from somewhere in the Pacific, expressing his thanks for its remembrance of him. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mural LaFollette of South Cornelius. He likes the Pacific's enchantment, but will be glad to be home again.

Children, relatives and friends of Mrs. Lillian Mann made her holidays very happy by gifts and calls. Best of all was the greeting and gift from her son, Sgt. Loyd Mann, who is "somewhere in England." On Christmas Eve her family gathered at her home for a luncheon. She spent the week-end with her son-in-law and daughter, and grand Mrs. Lester Mooberry, in Hillsboro. Mrs. J. C.

## John Amacher Rites Conducted Today

Private funeral services for John Amacher, 31, of Hillsboro, who died at Salem Sunday, will be conducted at the Donelson & Sewell chapel here this afternoon (Thursday) with Rev. J. F. Gibson officiating. Interment will be at the Hillsboro cemetery.

Mr. Amacher had been in Salem only five days before his death. He was born in Switzerland, October 8, 1862, and came to the United States 60 years ago. He had been a Hillsboro resident for 41 years.

He is survived by three brothers, Casper C. Amacher of Willamina, Ulrich and Melcher Amacher, both of Portland.

## Beattie Promoted

Robert J. Beattie Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Beattie of Hillsboro, was promoted to the grade of corporal and given his silver winner's wings when he completed the flexible gunnery course for radio men at the Yuma Army Air field last week. Cpl. Beattie graduated from the radio operator and mechanic's school at Fort Lewis, Wash. He graduated from Hillsboro union high school in 1941.

Hare of Portland and Mrs. Henrietta Morgan were also their guests Christmas Day, a dinner was held at the Mooberry home for relatives and prizes. Sgt. Mann called his wife.

Mrs. Luken Mann, Christmas and in the Doernbecher hospital, has received from his relatives a cable from him on Monday. Relatives of Sgt. Mann hear often and he writes very enthusiastically to his people here. His mail finally caught up with him and he received 32 letters one mail. He considers himself lucky to have had no sickness during his year in Uncle Sam's service and to be privileged to see many parts of the world.

Mrs. Lila Henderson and Mrs. A. L. Russell have been ill the past week at their home with the flu.

Mrs. Nora Clites assists Mrs. Carmen Huson in cooking hot lunches at the school on Tuesdays and Thursdays and Mrs. W. A. Willis assists on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Foster and son Marvin of Hillsboro and Mrs. Mae Cassidy of Forest Grove and relatives here attended a New Year's dinner party at the A. E. Frye home.

Sermon subject for January 9 at the Methodist church is "The Winning Power of a United Minority." The choir is preparing special music at Wednesday evening rehearsal. The church board meets at 7:30 p. m.

## Mrs. Huber Honored

Monday evening ten of Mrs. Philip Huber's relatives gathered at their home honoring her with a surprise party on her birthday.

## Huber Resident Dies at Home

James Marshall Churchley, 66, retired Huber farmer, died at his home Monday. Time for the funeral has been tentatively set for 2 p. m. Saturday at the Donelson & Sewell chapel here pending word from his son, Homer Churchley, with the U. S. Army. Interment will be at Fir Lawn cemetery.

Mr. Churchley, who had been a resident of this county for the past 40 years, was born in England, August 10, 1878. He came to the United States 50 years ago.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jessie Churchley of Huber; five sons, Howard and Clarence Churchley of Reedville, James Churchley of Huber, and Homer Churchley with the U. S. Army; a daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Schappert of Huber; four sisters, Mrs. Helen Cecil, Mrs. Bertha King, Mrs. Helen Anderson and Mrs. Amy Eastman, all of Portland; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

## Red Cross Sewing at Gnos Home January 11

FIRDALE-IOWA HILL—An all day Red Cross sewing is planned for the home of Mrs. M. Gnos with a pot-luck dinner Tuesday, January 11.

Gerhart Bendix and brother were home over the holidays on a furlough. They visited at the Henry Eastman home.

Twenty guests were present at the Christmas Sunshine party at the home of Mrs. Martha Haase. New names were drawn for the coming year. After the opening of gifts several guessing games with prizes were played. Mrs. M. Gnos guessed the mystery box, so she will bring the mystery box to the next meeting February 2 at the home of Mrs. Mary Waibel.

## Mother Dies While on Visit to Son Here

Mrs. Augusta Danielson, 83, died at the home of her son, Fred W. Danielson, December 29. She came here three weeks ago to visit her son and family. The remains were forwarded to Burley, Idaho, by Young's Funeral Home for burial.

## Son of Former Local Folk Reported Missing

Lt. Richard J. Delsman, whose parents were former Hillsboro residents, is reported missing in action over France, according to word received by his mother, Mrs. J. B. Delsman of Portland. His

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father was the late Joe Delsman, cousin of Ray Delsman of Hillsboro, and the mother is the former Wilda Wiley of Hillsboro, a niece of Mrs. Carl Larson.

Lt. Delsman, a bombardier with the U. S. Army air forces, went overseas in September. Before entering the service in June, 1942, his home was in Marshfield. His wife is living with her parents in Smith River, Cal.

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CONDENSED STATEMENT  
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### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$1,145,272.24
Bonds and Warrants	4,450,625.60
Federal Reserve Stock	9,000.00
Banking House	58,400.00
Furniture and Fixtures	26,058.06
Other Resources	1.00
Cash and Due from Banks	1,461,034.22
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7,150,391.12</b>

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 125,000.00
Surplus	175,000.00
Undivided Profits	27,754.70
Total Deposits	6,822,636.42
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7,150,391.12</b>

## A Happy

### TOTAL RESOURCES

December 31, 1933	\$1,007,382.95
December 31, 1934	1,288,580.44
Dec. 31, 1935	1,459,076.74
December 31, 1936	1,720,204.62
December 31, 1937	1,870,541.60
December 31, 1938	1,992,681.71
December 31, 1939	2,104,293.96
December 31, 1940	2,449,872.04
December 31, 1941	3,040,136.07
December 31, 1942	5,133,097.98
<b>December 31, 1943</b>	<b>\$7,150,391.12</b>

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