

BASIN BRIEFS

Ill - Mr. and Mrs. Everett North, John Day, spent the weekend with Mrs. Charles E. Drew...

Flying Home - Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Morgan, 1228 Division, are driving to Medford today to pick up their daughter Linda, 5, who is flying there from Salem...

Sun Valley - Al Schmeck is returning this week from a two weeks vacation trip to Sun Valley.

Anniversary - Mr. and Mrs. James A. Sewell, 1818 Crescent, are inviting friends to an open house Saturday, February 20, for both afternoon and evening...

Ganma Phi Beta - Mary Egan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Egan, Route 3, Box 232H, has pledged Ganma Phi Beta...

FBI Sigma Kappa - David E. Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Ross, 1018 Washington, pledged Phi Sigma Kappa...

Meeting - The Oregon State Employees Association, Chapter No. 12, will hold a meeting, Thursday, February 18, 8 p.m. at the K.C. Hall...

Mayflower Circle - of the Congregational Church will meet Friday, February 19, at the home of Mary Eckstein, 2234 Garden Street...

Fairview PTA - study group tonight, 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Thomas Lawrence, Mrs. Erma Barker of the Klamath County Welfare Office will speak.

Shasta - Homedale Home Extension Unit, meets 10:30 a.m. Friday, February 19 at the exhibit room of the high school for a project lesson on "What to do until the Doctor Comes..."

Improving - Mrs. Sally Larson, Tulalake, has returned home following recent surgery at Klamath Valley Hospital.

Ill - Mrs. Harry Land who has just returned from a vacation trip to Florida and Cuba left Tuesday for Salt Lake City...

Visiting - Lulu Brown, Los Angeles, registered nurse is the houseguest of Mrs. Fay Durbin, 824 High Street...

Winema Welfare - Society Tulalake will hold its last benefit card party of the year, Saturday, February 20, 8 p.m. in the Winema school.

To Portland - Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Putnam, 2420 Garden, are in Portland with their young son, Richard, who has been hospitalized with a circulatory ailment.

Accident - friends in Klamath Falls were saddened to learn of the death of Don Forbes, Medford, in an auto accident Saturday evening, near Gold Hill...

Returns Home - Carl Clawson, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Clawson, 2827 Summers Lane, is scheduled to return here in February...

Thank You - Mrs. Stella Graybael, Merrill, wishes to thank all her friends for the lovely plants and flowers she has received while in the Hillside Hospital for medical care.

To Portland - Don Spiering, Merrill, who has been ill for some time was taken to Portland last week, and is now at Good Samaritan Hospital.

Southern Trip - Mr. and Mrs. Herb Graybael and family and Mrs. Jud Graybael returned recently from a trip South where they attended a funeral and visited friends and relatives.

CIVIL WAR

MANILA (AP) - President Ramon Magasaysay conferred with top military leaders in the field Wednesday near the site of negotiations aimed at settling the 7-year-old civil war with Communist-led Huk outlaws.

Former POW Has Second Wedding

TOKYO (AP) - Opl. Claude Batchelor, war prisoner who left the Communists for the love of a Japanese girl, looked at the leaden skies and misting rain in Tokyo today and exclaimed: "What a hell of a day to get married!"

Then he got married—for the second time—to Kyoko Araki, the Japanese he has considered his wife since July 1946.

It was a swift ceremony—a sort of swearing in process—at the American Embassy here. They hope to go to the United States together next month, to his home at Kermitt, Tex.

He is 32 and she is 28. They were married five years ago in a Shinto ceremony in Tokyo. The Japanese marriage never was recorded. He was captured by the Reds the next year.

He was among a group of 22 pro-Communist American prisoners who refused repatriation. But early New Year's Day, he slipped out of his prison compound in the Korean neutral zone and told an Indian guard he wanted to go home.

He later credited letters from his Japanese wife as playing an important part in this decision. She was all smiles today.

She wore a black and white striped suit, a green sweater, black shoes and new fur coat. He wore his uniform and overseas cap.

The short ceremony took place in the office of Erich W. A. Hoffmann, of Milwaukee, a vice consul.

Outside in the rain, Batchelor suddenly remembered something. "Lord, I forgot to ask the hospital for an overnight pass for tonight," he said.

"Can you get?" his wife asked. "I think I can," he said. "Let's go to the hospital and see."

Tokyo Army Hospital gave him a pass until 8 a.m. tomorrow.

Big Four Talks End In Stalemate

BERLIN (AP) - Faced with a conference stalemate, the Western members of the Big Four foreign ministers resigned themselves today to seeing Europe split for years to come by a police-controlled frontier bisecting Germany and Austria.

One after another, in public or in private, Secretary of State Dulles, Britain's Anthony Eden and France's Georges Bidault reported nothing of importance would be settled at the conference, due to wind up tomorrow.

Two more meetings were set today with Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov. The first, a secret session, was for another try at getting together on plans for bringing peace to Asia.

This afternoon, in a regular plenary session, more talk was scheduled on Germany and Molotov's proposed European security pact, talk which the West now considers pointless.

The final session tomorrow at the old Allied Control Authority Building in the U. S. Sector will be given over to further discussion of the stalemated Austrian independence treaty.

Molotov tried yesterday to make more palatable his demand that if an independence pact were signed, occupation troops remain in Austria until a German peace treaty is concluded. He proposed that the Big Four "reconsider" the question of troop withdrawals before the end of next year.

As they had with his original proposal, the Western Powers and the Austrian government turned down the amendment as another Soviet "fraud."

Dulles plans to head for Washington tomorrow night. He will stop at Bonn en route for an hour's talk with West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer. Molotov was reported planning to leave for Moscow Friday.

The Soviet foreign minister is giving a parting dinner tonight for the three Western diplomats and selected members of their staffs. Except for possible last-minute developments, which nobody expected to amount to much, this first Big Four foreign ministers conference in five years could claim few gains.

Talk that Molotov might come up with a sparkling proposal on Austria in the final meeting tomorrow was dampened down at a Russian press party in East Berlin last night.

Prospects of an Indochina war settlement were similarly dim. On his arrival in Berlin nearly four weeks ago, Molotov suggested vaguely to Bidault at a dinner party that Russia, with proper inducement might use her good offices to help end the French Union-Vietnam war that has been draining France of military manpower and money since 1946.

Hope that Molotov might renew the offer faded yesterday when he lauded the French foreign minister as representing a country whose independence had been partly lost to the United States through the establishment of U. S. military bases inside French borders.

Bidault almost snarled his denial: "France is 100 per cent sovereign." Demonstrating Berliners threatened to take some headlines away from the ministers' final session. Rival labor leaders of the East and West sectors called for mass demonstrations late tomorrow.

Whistle Tester Turned Down

BALTIMORE (AP) - When the Maryland state civil defense agency ordered 50,000 whistles last November, officials wondered if there would be enough volunteers to blow them.

The agency made an announcement to that effect in an effort to recruit more personnel. A national magazine picked up the story but mistakenly said volunteers were needed to test the whistles.

Yesterday an application for tester was received from Edgar Maywood of Jonesboro, Ark. The agency regretfully turned him down.

Almost Frantic from DRY SKIN ITCH?

First applications of Zemo—a doctor's soothing antiseptic—relieve itch of surface skin and scalp irritations. Zemo stops scratching and so aids healing.

Funds Asked For Western Projects

WASHINGTON (AP) - Rep. Holmes (R-Wash.) asked a House appropriations subcommittee Wednesday for a \$4,900,000 increase in appropriations recommended for the Columbia Basin and Kennebec division of the Yakima reclamation projects.

In a statement prepared for submission to the subcommittee, Holmes said the \$3,818,000 program proposed in the budget for the Columbia Basin in the year beginning July 1 "is not enough money to keep up an efficiently planned program of the construction of lateral canals."

He said it would take a minimum of four million more "to keep this program properly under way... to maintain an efficient and well-planned rate of irrigation development."

Of the Kennebec division, Holmes told the subcommittee the budget's recommendation of \$3,100,000 is sufficient only to service existing construction contracts and to permit award of one or two new contracts for canals and facilities on the north side of the Yakima River.

"Unfortunately the limited amount requested will not permit the award of contracts for the construction of any irrigation canals and laterals on the south side of the river which are necessary before the irrigation function of this project can be placed into production," Holmes said.

"It is my sincere hope that this committee will not only award the amount requested, but will see fit to increase the item by at least \$900,000 so as to permit this project to go forward at a rate which will complete its facilities in the most economical time."

Check Artist Worked K. F.

A 57-year-old ex-convict minister apprehended by the FBI in Chicago, according to an A.P. story appearing in Tuesday's Herald and News under a Chicago dateline, made a brief and profitable visit in Klamath Falls on December 18, according to city police records.

Alexander G. Patterson, representing himself as a Baptist minister from Dorris, presented a \$72 check to the local Montgomery Ward store on that date, stating he desired to purchase Christmas presents.

After checking his credentials, which appeared to be in order, the check, on a Cleveland Ohio bank and signed Hough Avenue Baptist Church, by Fred S. Patterson, treasurer, was cashed.

Later becoming suspicious a call

to Dorris failed to disclose such a minister there and the case was reported to city police, but the man had apparently left town. According to the Chicago story, Patterson had cashed about \$75,000 in worthless checks over a period of 20 years.

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There is No Substitute For DORMIN SLEEPING CAPSULES. NEW YORK (AP) - Life insurance companies paid \$15,118,000 in death claims in Oregon last year, the Institute of Life Insurance reported Tuesday. That was \$1,753,000 more than paid out in the state the previous year. The 1953 payments were made to 6,796 families—210 more than in 1952.

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