

BASIN BRIEFS

New Pine Creek—Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Newman moved from New Pine Creek to Lakeview last week.

Recovering—Word was received by Mrs. Cora Cook of New Pine Creek last Saturday that her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Ann Waterhouse of Klamath Falls, is now recuperating at home following an illness where she was confined to Klamath Valley Hospital.

Convalescing—Donald Faris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Faris, New Pine Creek, is convalescing at home following an emergency appendectomy at Lakeview Hospital last week.

New Home—Mr. and Mrs. Glen Smith are planning to build a new home on their ranch near New Pine Creek. Claude Noble began drilling a well on the site last week.

To Texas—Mrs. Alpha Hartzog, New Pine Creek, left recently for Welch, Texas, for an extended visit with her son, James McGrew, and family. McGrew left New Pine Creek about 15 years ago and is now cotton farming in Texas.

Oklahoma—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fisher of New Pine Creek are visiting for two weeks in Broken Bow, Oklahoma, with their daughter, Mrs. Anna Mae Dibble, and family.

Officers' Meeting—Francis Flowers, master of the Klamath County Pomona Grange, urges all officers to be present at an officers' meeting to be held Monday evening, January 26, at 8 o'clock at the Lost River Grange Hall in Olene.

Alturas—Marjorie K. Hickerson, Alturas, ex-assessor of Modoc County, is now employed in the office of the county surveyor.

Moderator—Karol Woodward, Alturas, is the new moderator of the Alturas Federated Church. He was elected at the annual dinner meeting of the church Sunday night, January 18.

Fort Bidwell—Master of the Fort Bidwell Masonic Lodge is Walter Lowell.

Gospel Meetings—A series of gospel meetings, conducted by Miss K. Hutchings and Miss Agda Sterling, are to be held in the

Firemen Seek Explanation

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP)—Officers sought today to determine who nailed a board across the door of an apartment in which three Negro children died in a fire Thursday.

The two-room abode of the parents, Robert and Geneva Holt, was destroyed. The dead were Janice, 1, Marie, 2, and Joyce, 3. Firemen had to remove a board nailed across the only door leading into the dwelling unit.

Asst. Fire Marshal W. H. Dixon said the parents and the landlord, A. W. Wright, couldn't explain how the door was nailed shut. Wright said he took the mother to work at a laundry early in the day. The father was at work at a steel company.

FROTHY CLEANER
MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP)—When the children spilled a big container of bubble bath powder all over the floor, Mrs. Vernon Reed came along with her vacuum cleaner to clean it up.
Her cleaner is one of those that filters everything through a tank of water. Although it has been cleaned out three times since then the machine still whips up a frightful froth everytime it's turned on.

Masonic Hall in Chiloquin. The first meeting will be Sunday, January 25, at 3 p.m. and will continue each Sunday afternoon through February. Good music. Everyone is invited.

Promoted—Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maxwell and sons, formerly of Merrill now living at Hood River, are now planning a move to Condon where Maxwell has been assigned as manager of the Condon First National Bank. Until August, Maxwell had been assistant manager at the Merrill branch of the First National Bank.

Officers—of the Order of Eastern Star recently installed at Fort Bidwell include Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pochop of Willow Ranch as worthy patron and matron; Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Cundiff of New Pine Creek as associate patron and matron; Elsie Kober, secretary, and Henry Kober, treasurer, both of Fort Bidwell.

Mall—Parents and Patrons will not hold a meeting in January, according to the president, Mrs. Frank Payge Jr. Members are helping with the school carnival which will be held Saturday, January 24, in the high school gym. Announcement will be made of plans for the regular February meeting.

Visitors—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Campbell of Langell Valley are their daughter, Miriam Potucek, and Mrs. Campbell's sister, Mrs. Nora Hensley, both of Portland. W. D. Campbell is recovering from a recent illness.

Bonanza—Mrs. Ivan Hodges of Dallas, Oregon, is in Bonanza called by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Jim Stewart, who is a patient at Klamath Valley Hospital.

Meeting—The Bonanza Parents and Patrons Club will meet at the school auditorium Wednesday, January 28, at 8 o'clock. First grade students will give the entertainment, under the direction of their teacher, Mrs. Erma Partidge. President Howey Roberts invites all interested adults to attend.

Ill—Mrs. Minerva Brown is a patient at Hillside Hospital after becoming ill Monday at her home in Bonanza.

Moved—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams and three children have moved from Battle Ground, Washington, to Bonanza to make their home.

Home—Mr. and Mrs. Bob Colwell returned to Langell Valley January 19 after attending funeral services for Mrs. Colwell's mother, Mrs. Mary Howell, in Baker, Oregon. Mrs. Howell celebrated her 79th birthday on January 7.

Ill—Bill Sparks of Bonanza is a patient in Hillside Hospital.

Navy—David Duarte, former student at Bonanza High School, is at the U.S. Navy training center at San Diego.

In Hospital—Claude Bechtolt of Bonanza is in Hillside Hospital receiving medical care.

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INCOMING EXCHANGE CLUB president Bill Cooley, right, accepts the congratulations of past president Noel Flynn at the club's installation ceremony and party held at the Winema on January 16. 58 members and guests attended. In addition to the installation ceremony, the club initiated new members.

Budget Chief Tells Ike Aims

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP)—Budget Director Maurice H. Stans said today the Eisenhower administration wants to meet all essential needs of the people, but only as revenues permit.
"For the present," Stans said, "we will go as far as we can."
In a speech prepared for the Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce, he said that he believes in meeting all the essential needs of our people. We will meet them when we can do so without a budget deficit.
The budget which President Eisenhower sent to Congress Monday envisions a surplus of 70 million dollars and spending of just over 77 billions.
Stans said a Republican congressman, unnamed, remarked several weeks ago that if Eisenhower balances the budget, "it would be the neatest hat trick of

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U.S. Encounters Problems In Defense Negotiations

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States has run into difficulties with Pakistan and Iran in negotiating special defense agreements aimed at bolstering them against outside attack.
Both Iran and Pakistan are reported insisting on stronger defense assurances than the United States is ready to extend at this time.

A third country, Turkey, is understood to be satisfied, however, with the draft of an agreement proposed in talks in Ankara.
Diplomatic authorities who disclosed the backstage argument Friday said there seems little chance the agreements will be signed, as had been hoped, at a Baghdad Pact meeting beginning Monday in Karachi, Pakistan.

The United States is negotiating the agreements within the Baghdad Pact framework in keeping with a pledge Secretary of State Dulles made in London July 23, that followed the internal revolt in Iraq, one of the original members of the pact.

Dulles said then that the United States would "promptly enter into agreements with nations in the alliance to give them added security in defense guarantees." He proposed doing this under authority already granted by Congress without the need for normal treaties. Such a course would avoid possibly dangerous delays while the U.S. Senate considered and approved new treaties.

The agreements proposed by the State Department would be a restatement of existing mutual security agreements already signed with them plus some words noting the Middle East resolution approved by Congress March 8, 1957. This resolution gave President Eisenhower authority to use armed force, as well as economic aid, to assist Middle East countries whose independence was threatened by outside attack or subversion.

leaders have criticized the proposed wording of the agreements as far too weak.
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