ALPINE ECHO

ALPINE, CALIFORNIA THURSDAY, May 12, 1960

Date Book

THURSDAY, May 12th YW-Wives, Youth Center, 1 P.M. Kiwanis, Fuller Hall, 7 P. M. FRIDAY, May 13th Alpine Acacia Club, Fuller Hall, 6:30 PM El Capitan band & choir concert, 7:30 PM Movie, Alpine Woman's Club, 7:30 PM V.F.W. meeting, at Hall, 8 PM Jr. High dance, Alpine School aud. SATURDAY, May 14th Bonita Field Day (4-H) VFW game night, at Hall, 8 PM SUNDAY, May 15th Alpine Ballfiend Dedication and Barbecue at Alpine Youth Center, noon on. MONDAY, May 16th Alcoholics Anonymous, Fuller Hall, 8 PM WEDNESDAY, May 17th Alpine Community Church Guild, Fuller Hall 9 A. M. THURSDAY, May 18th YW-Wives, Youth Center, 1 PM Kiwanis, Fuller Hall 7 PM FRIDAY, May 19th WEDNESDAY, May 18th Alpine Community Church Guild, Fuller Hall 9 AM THURSDAY, May 19th YW-Wives, Youth Center, 1 PM Kiwanis, Fuller Hall, 7 PM FRIDAY, May 20th Alpine Community Church family night

dinner, Fuller Hall, 7 PM Movie, Alpine Woman's Club, 7:30 PM V.F.W. Auxiliary, at Hall, 8 PM SATURDAY, May 21st Bake Sale, Bailey's Cafe, 10 AM Rummage Sale, Perkin's Store. VFW game night, at Hall, 8 PM

John Reynolds, of Victoria Drive, flew East to attend the annual convention of the National School Board Association. He went on to Detroit where he received delivery of his new Dodge at the factory and drove through twelve states returning to Alpine. Stopping to visit relatives and friends on the way back he was gone 15 days.

Alpine kindergarten enrollments for the 1960-61 school year will be accepted immediately. Enrollees will be accepted in the same order as applications are received and recorded in the District Superintendent's office, at Alpine School. This of course includes the children for the new Harbison Canyon School too. Section 5254 of the California Education Code provides that the child shall be four years nine months of age on or before September 1, 1960. Also, Section 10504 provides that the parent or guardion shall present proof of the child's age by submitting a certificate of birth, a baptism certificate, a passport, or an affidavit.

Only sixty kindergarten children can be accommodated and they will be accepted on a "first come. first served" basis.

Exchange Visits

Last week the Harbison Canyon Fire Department men visited the meeting of the Alpine Fire Department. The previous Tuesday the Alpine men had visited the Harbison Canyon group. They exchanged ideas and discussed mutual problems.

Birthdays Honored

Last week at the Alpine Community Church Guild the following ladies were feted because their birthdays fall in May: Muriel Bowlus, Fern Latham, and Mamie Scott.

JR. HIGH DANCE Tomorrow evening, Friday, there will be a junior high dance in the Alpine School Auditorium. Bring your favorite records. The seventh and eighth graders may each invite an outside guest. The Alpine P. T. A. is sponsoring the dance.

Miss Suzanne Fisch spent the Mother's Day weekend with her mother, Mrs. Donald J. Kenevan, of Alpine.

Mrs. Jim Bartley is in the hospital recovering from surgery. Vera is a cook at Bailey's Cafe in Alpine.

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KINDERGARTEN

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NEW A.S.B. OFFICERS

The newly-elected officers for the El Capitan High School Associated Student Body are: president, Ron Damschen; vicepresident, Kathy Metty; secretary, Carin Hinkle; and attorney general, Don Royal Commissioners are: finance, Barry Carr: sales, Mike Hill; school service, Donna Smith; publicity, Susan Harmsen; athletics, Brian Ross; and cultural affairs, Sheri Anderson.

The new officers will attend a student government conference at Palomar the weekend of May 20 and 21. This will be El Capitan's second annual conference. Several other students interested in student government will also attend.

Alpine P.T.A.

The Madrigal Singers of El Capitan High School entertained at the Alpine P. T. A. last Tuesday evening. Miss Gloria Harris, Alpine fourth grade teacher, presented two vocal solos.

Boy Scouts of Alpine Troop 105 led the the Pledge of Allegiance and gave the Inspirational Thought.

The new P.T.A. officers were installed by Elizabeth Setser, first grade teacher.



Student art, from the classrooms of elementary, secondary schools and junior colleges throughout the county will be exhibited May 15 - June 12 at the Fine Arts Gallery, Balboa Park, San Diego.

Alpine students whose art work will be displayed are: Carlo Wallenborn, pastels of Mr. Strohte's seventh grade class; and Pat Dalton and Richard Harris, watercolors, of Mrs. Crawford's fourth grade class.

A reception from 3:00 to 5:00 P. M. on May 15, with student hosts and demonstrators will open this outstanding exhibit. Planned jointly by the Department of Education, San Diego County, and the Fine Arts Gallery, the exhibit will be a dramatic portrayal of art development at various levels.



..... Photo by John Gilroy

Preparing for Sunday's Alpine ballfield dedication barbecue from left to right are Basil Spears, Richard Harris, Gene Wilcox, Larry Wilcox and in the pit is Jack Blankenship.



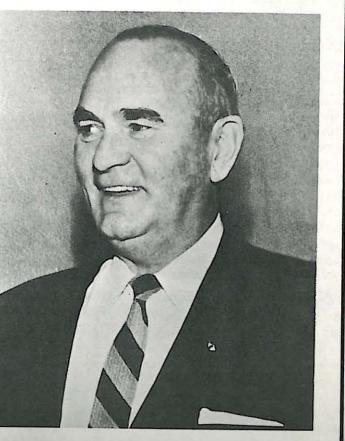
BASE BALL BARBECUE

The Alpine Junior Baseball Dedication Barbecue is to be held this Sunday, May 15, at the Alpine Youth Center in conjunction with the launching of the regular season play with all ten teams taking part. Several guest personalities will also be on hand. All proceeds raised from this event will go toward helping to defray the cost of operating the assiciation this season. Tickets may still be bought on the day of the barbecue.

The barbecue will be handled by the V.F.W. Post of Alpine under the direction of Doug Fordyce and Virgil Wake. This post and its men deserve a vote of thanks for donating their time for such a worthwhile cause.

Here is everyone's chance to come out and see this new ball field built by a handful of men who have spent almost every weekend for over a year building for the youth of this community a field second to none in the county.

So let's all get out and show our appreciation and also help out a worthwhile cause. See you all there. Festivities begin promptly at 12 noon.



David Bird, County Supervisor, Second District, today begins his campaign for the sixth time. June 7, 1960, is the election date. "I might be a couple of years older, but I never felt better, " said Bird as he began the rounds of businessmen and old acquaintances.

Bird, who started in politics as a National City Council member in 1924, has been a devoted public servant and successful businessman in his district since 1920. After four terms as a National City Council member, during which Bird served six years as Mayor, he conducted a successful bid for Supervisor in 1940.

In previous campaigns, Bird has had little difficulty in facing reelection. In fact, two terms he ran unopposed and he has served as Chairman of the Board of Supervisors in San Diego County six times. In serving his district for 19 years, Dave Bird has earned a county-wide reputation for his work in developing an early county administration program, his advocation of a public works department, his fights for modern sanitation, roads, parks and recreation areas, and his support of sound economic expenditures.

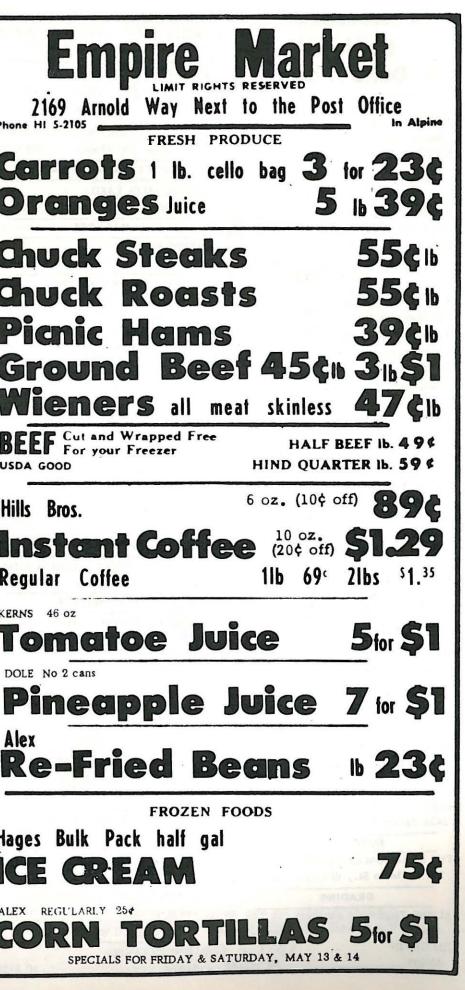
Bird's state wide and national fame is reflected by his recent election as vicepresident and chairman of the Board of National Association of County Officials. Bird lives at 945 N Avenue, National City, with his wife, Margaret. His married son and two daughters and seven sons all live in San Diego County. Bird, a former Navy Service Man, is active in veteran circles.

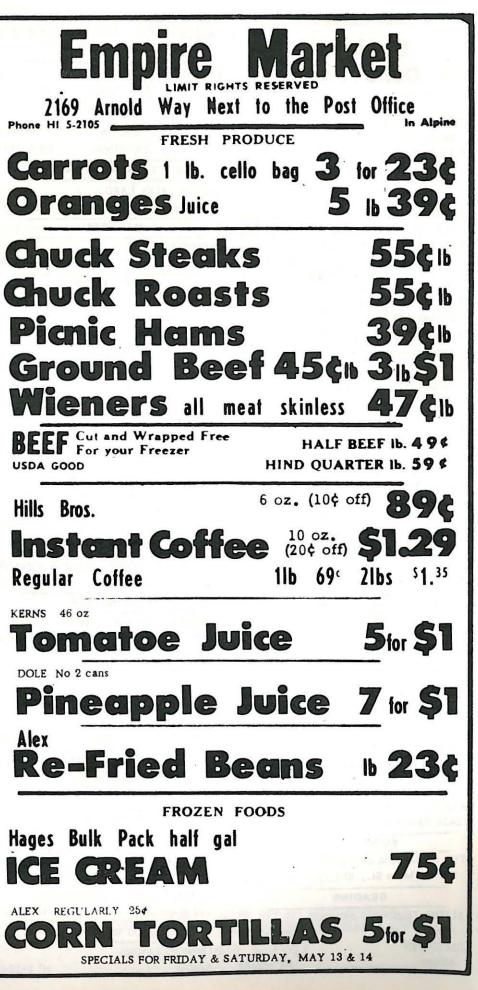
4-H CLUB MEMBERS HONORED

Last night a county-wide dinner was given honoring the gold star-all star 4-H members. These awards are based or projects, community work and participation in regular club work. The all stars were guest speakers. George and Louis Landt are all stars and James White is a gold star. BONITA FIELD DAY

Members of the Alpine Champion 4-H Club will enter their projects in the Bonita Field Day this Saturday, May 14, starting at 9 A. M.

Mike Robertson and Paula Templeton will exhibit sheep; James, Richard, and Mary White will show goats; Calvin Jerney, rabbits; and Fred Manning, turkeys. Other members will leave at 8 A. M. from Landt's store to attend this all-day affair.





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| L. V. SCOTT 2649 Hwy. 80, Alpine HI 5-2025 | luck dinner starting at 6:30 P. M. |
| | SPAGHETTI DINNER |
| STOCK BROKER | Monday, May 23, there will be |
| 127 E. Lexington, El Cajon HI 2-5557 | spaghetti dinner given by the Ladi |
| | Guild of the St. Philomena's Church |
| TRUCKING SERVICE | Al's Snack Bar at Flinn Springs. |
| ALPINE TRUCKING SERVICE Alpine HI 5-2188 | The ladies will serve the benefit dinn |
| | from noon until 8 P. M., \$1.00 a plat. The public is invited. |
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CAMPO NEWS

by Fay Farris

Lake Morena Woman's Club held its annual birthday party at the lovely home of Norma Molchan Tuesday evening, May 3, celebrating the birthday of each member. There was an exchange of gifts and the rest of the evening was spent playing cards. Delicious refreshments were served buffet style, and the food was open face sandwiches, date nut sandwiches, stuffed eggs, cake, coffee and tea. A beautiful birthday cake was made by Gertrude Haskell, and the other hostesses were Marie Martin, Flora Skonberg and Daisy McCoy Prizes were won by Ava Moreland, Bee Boyd and Fay Farris. Also present were Charlotte Northington, Bobbie Hasenmaier, Mollie Wilson, Dell Nielsen, Ardell Croft and Norma Molchan.

The Mexican Canasta Club met at the home of Ardell Craft on Wednesday, May 4, and the following were present: Marie Martin, Jane Ham, Dell Nielsen, Phoebe Thompson, Gertrude Haskell, Charlotte Nothington, Fay Farris and the hostess. Prizes were won by Ardell Craft and Jane Ham.

The Homemakers planned a cookout breakfast on Thursday morning, May 5, in the Painted Desert, but had to call it off on account of the weather. It will probably be held the following week.

Alice Liggett gave a birthday party for Fay Farris Thursday evening at her home in Morena Village, and the following were present; Helen Cooper, Helen Pate and her mother Katherine Wortman, Bee Boyd, and her mother Millie Wilson and the hostess's mother Pearl Deines. The evening was spent playing canasta and prizes were won by Pearl Deines, Helen Cooper and Helen Pate. The honored guest received many lovely gifts, and was totally surprises when a beautifully decorated cake was brought in and she was informed that her husband had sent it to the party. The Mountain Empire Republican Women, Federated, met at the Stone House in Campo for potluck luncheon on Friday, May 6. Guest speakers were Mrs. Horace C. Laird and Assemblyman Jack

Schrade. Mrs. Laird is vice-president of

the Coronado Republican Woman's Club and is a candidate for Republican County

Central Committee. She is also campaign

manager for the Federation for other can-

didates in the next election. About 21

members were present, and they all en-

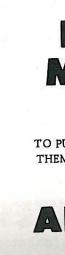
Honors Road Employees

Two County employees were honored at a buffet held in Dave Bird's home, 945 "N" Avenue, on Friday, May 6. According to Bird, Sam Hansen, Alpine, and George Rice, El Cajon, were recognized for serving the County Road Department for 25 years at the retirement party attended by eighty-five people.

After the buffet Bird presented Hansen and Rice with 25 year County Service certificates. The two County Road Department employees also received new watches from Dave Speer, County Road Commissioner and County Engineer.

joyed the delicious food and the speeches very much. Mrs. Straub from El Centre and Mrs. Griswold and Mrs. Eagen from San Diego were among the members present.

present the talent show. of the school term.



On Saturday night, May 14, at 6:30 P.M. the Campo Boy Scout Troop 372 and the Campo P. T. A. will have a taco dinner at the Mt. Empire High School Cafeteria, after which there will be a talent show-adults, 75¢; children under 12, 50¢. The Scouts are sponsoring the dinner and the P.T.A. will have a dessert booth and

A Little League Baseball team has been formed for boys at the Campo Elementary School===2nd grade through 6th grade. The first game will be played today, Thursday, May 12, at 3:00 P. M. Soft drinks and candy will be sold. Everyone is asked to support this project so they can play through the summer, otherwise it will have to discontinue after the close

PAGE 5, ALPINE ECHO May 12, 1960 ALPINE MOVIE 7:30 p.m. Friday 35° FRANCIS The talking mule

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PAGE 6, ALPINE ECHO May 12, 1960 CUB SCOUTS PRESENT COLORS Cub Scouts of Alpine Pack 350 presented the flag ceremony at the Grossmont Dis-

trict Scout Roundtable last Thursday at the Lemon Avenue School in La Mesa. Boys participating were Robert Clinton, Richard Harris. Timothy Kramer, George Kochel and Edgar Well

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Gardener's Checklist

1. Don't try for long stems on your first roses by cutting back too far when picking early blooms. Develop the plant by leaving as much of the leaf surface as possible.

2. Spring flowering decidous shrubs such as Spirae, Philadelphus (Syringa,) Weigelia and Forsythia make a better show if they're pruned when finished flowering.

3. When transplanting annuals from nursery flats, let them get a good start --then pinch out the tops to encourage branching and added bloom. Exceptions to this rule are column stocks and asters, now available at your C. A. N. nursery.

4. There is still time to plant dahlias and gladiolus bulbs. Ask about dusting bulbs to protect them from insects, fungus; and about soil additions which can promote bigger and better blooms.

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ALPINE UNION SCHOOL

In a regular monthly meeting Monday night the Governing Board of the Alpine Union School District spend a major portion of the time "winding up" several contractual details relating to the new Harbison Canyon School Building. Some discussion centered around the applications received to date for custodial services at the new school. No candidate was chosen and applications are still being accepted. In other action the Board:

Approved a contract with the County to continue the mobile shop program. Considered several individuals for graduation speaker and

Discussed various traffic hazards existing on the school bus routes such as sharp curves, road conditions, blind corners, and over-hanging tree limbs and brush.

WE ARE ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR CUSTODIAL WORK AT HARBISON CANYON SCHOOL.

REDWOOD SIGNS

Have you noticed the new redwood sign' at the Alpine Youth Center? You, too, can have one made for your home. Profits of the sale of the signs goes to the Alpine Youth Center. Larry Wilcox and Ton Nichols are the signmakers.

WATERING

A Word To The Wise About Watering When May comes to California, the gardener can count on one thing: he won't get much help from nature in the way of watering. In fact, there's ninety-nine chances in a hundred he won't get much rain for several months.

This often comes as a shock to gardeners newly arrived from lands of summer showers. For while our Chamber of Commerce brochures boast of sunny skies, they don't mention the consequences when it comes to gardening. Native Californians, however, have learned that our yearround gardening climate more than compensates for the need to apply water this extra time.

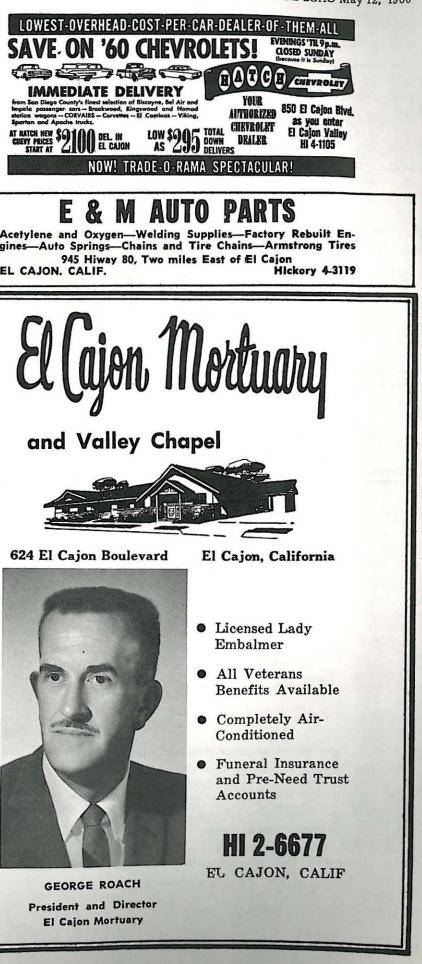
Most common among the many mistakes gardeners make in watering is not soaking deep enough. This, says the California Association of Nurserymen, forces roots to seek moisture near the surface where, at the slightest drying out, they are often hard pressed to survive. Deep watering forces them down, where they can stand drought of several days with no ill effects.

The amount of moisture a given soil will hold and the length of time it will hold it is directly proportionate to the soil texture. Sandy soils need water frequently. Clay and adobe soils, less frequently.

There are some fine-rooted shrubs that naturally grow near the surface, and no amount of watering will force them down very far. You can include the likes of azaleas, camellias, rhodedenrons, and fuchsias among these. Keep them moist at all times. A good two or three inch mulch of peat or steer manure will help to preserve moisture around these shrubs and extend the interval of watering. Most susceptible of all to drought are exposed clay pots and hanging baskets. Though climate conditions may vary, daily watering is a must for these. Proper watering is really a matter of common sense. Just don't kid yourself into thinking plants can go longer without water than your common sense dictates.

There will be no charge for the concert to be presented this evening at the El Capitan High School, 7:30 P. M. The school band and choir will present "An Evening of Music, " according to Arthur C. Schwuchow, music instructor. Everyone is welcome.





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