



VOL. 6, No. 5, (123) ALPINE, CALIF., FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1957 PRICE 10¢

BUREAUCRATIC CONTROL RESTRICTS FREEDOM, PROGRESS!**STANDENS BUY COPPER HOUSE**

New residents at 1942 Tavern road are the Robt. F. Standens with young son Jerry who bought Winona Copper's artistic home which she purchased from the late Geo. Millener. The Standens are long time residents here, having lived on Alpine Heights Road.

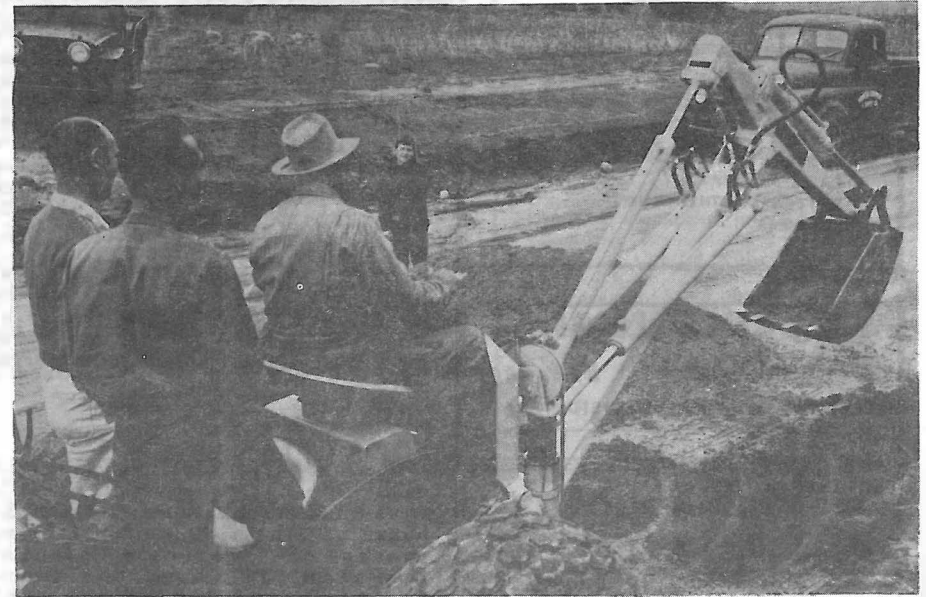
Mrs. Copper, a artist with Viejas Jewelry, is off on a brief vacation visiting her mother in Carlsbad, will continue to live in Alpine.

SMALL DISTRICTS BEING DISCRIMINATED AGAINST

By Clarke Irvine

A lot of people around here are up in arms!

There is a definite grumbling against state school laws on building. Recently Alpine was given a federal grant of \$30,825. for new classrooms, with no strings attached, except what the great state of California legislates!

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FRED RUSHING TRYING OUT NEW TRENCHER WITH LEN WEAVER AND TONY MARTIN. FROM S. D. FIRM SHOWING HIM WORKINGS OF POWERFUL HYDRAULIC MECHANISM.

IMPORTANT SCHOOL SESSION

The public is urged to attend the Tuesday night meeting of Alpine's school board, 8 p.m. in the auditorium when several important matters will be aired. Chief item is consideration of the new salary schedule as recommended by the teachers.

The Sun understands that the proposal varies between \$4,000. and \$6,500 a year. Increase runs approximately \$800 yearly. A lively discussion is anticipated.

BEWARE PEEKHOLE DRIVING!

Drivers who scrape holes in ice or frost on windshields, then drive on public roads are asking for trouble, says the CHP Captain Gautsche, of the S.D. area. 'Clear all front, side and the rear windows before starting'

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Editorial...



TEMPEST IN STATION WAGON!

Because one officer got technical and cited a station wagon owner for hauling his chest of drawers in Vista, a regular tempest in a teapot, or station wagon, got underway.

The papers gave wide publicity and editorials and letters-to-the editor were written about this horrible \$14. license for a commercial vehicle.

Capt. Gautsche of the CHP told the Sun yesterday that in a whole year only 35 had been cited for this, and justifiably. If a wagon is used in business, carries a sign on it, weighs over 3,000 pounds, it is assessed like a truck. He pointed out that owners sign an affidavit not to use the wagon commercially, but that buyers of used ones might not know it, so do get enmeshed.

Our old Democratic friend, Assemblyman Sheridan Hegland says he will support a bill exempting wagon owners from commercial plate requirements if the car is used exclusively for owner's personal use.

Roy Wear, sales manager at Hatch Chevrolet in E.C. told the Sun their wagon license for commercial runs only \$13. extra, but that buyers who use the vehicle only for home use need have no fear of getting a ticket and that 'station wagons are still very popular in El Cajon valley and the Mountain Empire'.

Which makes us think that we'd certainly like to have one of those spiffy new Chevrolet wagons to haul the kids, a bale of hay, our camera, or a load of leaf mold for our organic garden.

PTA TO HEAR DR. LOWE

On Thursday, Mar. 21, Alpine PTA will have as its special guest the noted Dr. Frank Lowe, of the S.D. board of education who will be main speaker on 'America's Unfinished Business'. It is in the school auditorium at 8 p.m. The public is invited.

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LA FORCE STORY PUBLISHED

Mrs. Beatrice La Force is happy over a nice check from Curtis Publishing Co., for a story appearing in the March issue of Jack and Jill, now on the stands. She has landed quite a few noteworthy pieces of late, does all her own photographic illustrations.

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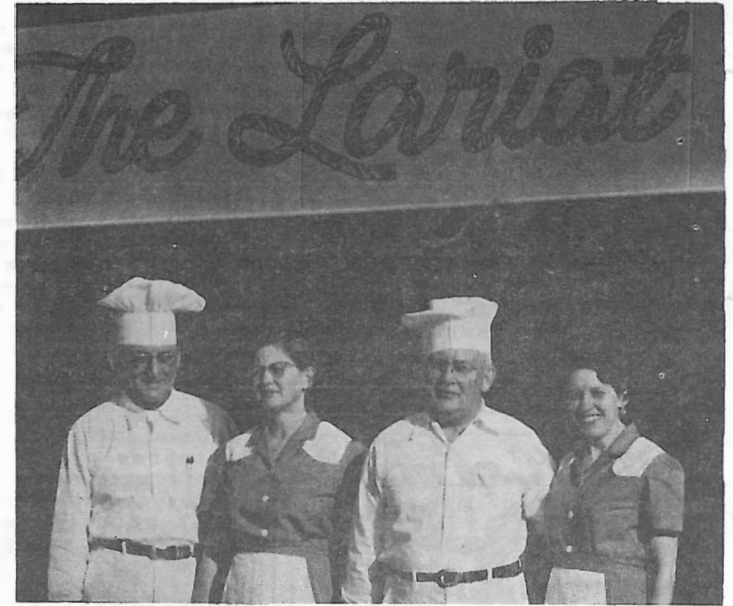
In the recent suit against Mrs. Mildred Smith, owner of Smith's Cottages, Olivewood Lane, Judge Wm. Glen, in superior court, after a special survey, decided in her favor. Two neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Spear had accused her of setting up wrong boundaries. They had erected a fence which put the Smith garage on their side, claiming it was on their land. The Spears were in the wrong, according to James Abbey, the Smith attorney.

Note- For many years there has been similar trouble around Alpine, due, say surveyors, to an original mistake in setting up section points. If the error involves only a few feet of land, it is wiser to agree on present boundaries rather than get involved in court and costs. We have a line that has been twice surveyed recently and two engineers disagree on less than a foot. It was too small to bother over. We forgot it. But before you buy, it is best to have a survey. -CI

SPAULDING TO HOSPITAL

A small operation necessitated by slow healing of the break in his heel when he fell at the school last year, put J.J. Spaulding, one of the custodians, into the hospital yesterday. He will be unable to return to work this season. Spaulding is well known in this area having operated the Qualitee milk route. He is a talented amateur artist

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M.K.
FARMER
AND MRS.
FARMER.
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PHOTO).



WALKER HOME IS SOLD ON 80 ENROLLMENT IS UP AGAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Broni, from Detroit, have just purchased the fine 2-bedroom home, guest house, garages and 36 acres, at 3220 Hiway 80, from Mrs. Hilda Walker, owner, who has lived there many years with her mother, Mrs. Antoinette K. Kramer, who is now in a nursing home at Lakeside. Mrs. Walker is removing to the beach for a time. Broni is a semi-retired tool and diemaker, will make his home here permanently.

The school office reports that today's attendance is 549, slightly up over last month, although it goes up and down as folks move in or leave this area.

Mrs. Mildred Smith, of Smith's Cottages, is back from a brief visit with her sister in Phoenix.

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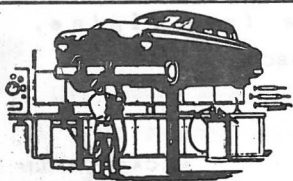
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NEW BUICK HOME IS FINEST
 Next Friday, the 15th, Andrew L. Ballantyne, one of the oldest Buick dealers in the country, holds the grand opening for his fabulous new showroom, shops and offices at 300 El Cajon Blvd. in El Cajon.

Since 1932 he has watched this town grow to its huge size today, kept pace with new showrooms and services for Buick and Chevrolet, which he gave up last year and was taken over by Hatch. The Mountain Empire knows and trusts 'Andy' Ballantyne, a genial native of Scotland, where he first received his mechanical training.

The beautiful new quarters, designed by Paderewski, Mitchell & Dean, built by Kenneth A. Wylie, occupies a 1-3/4 acre site with ample parking, blacktop areas and covered service shops, and 25,000 feet of buildings for display, offices and equipment. The showroom is easily the finest and most modern in Southern California with magnificent native stonework, glass and wood to show off the beautiful new Buick. One feature is a revolving jewel-like case for the new cars, specially astonishing at night when fully lighted.

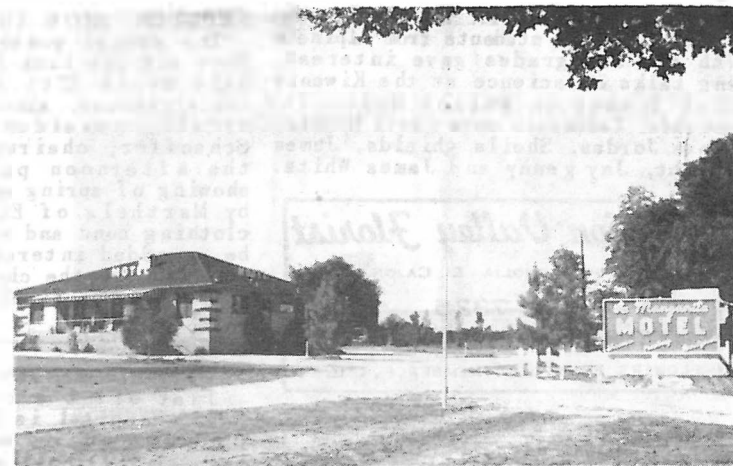
The public is invited to visit the lovely new structure for three days, Fri. thru Sun, Mar. 15-17, says Don Barron, salesmanager.

BANKERS VISIT THIS AREA

The Sun office had the pleasure of welcoming Manager A.R. Wold, Bank of America in E.C. on Monday, accompanied by J.J. Reutter, district appraiser of the S.D. main office. They were interested in Alpine's progress, advertising in this paper, prospects for water, and the map now being compiled by Editor Irvine. They believe this community with its present population of 2517, has a promising future.

Al Little has bought a 5-acre Ranch on Dehesa Road below Harbison Canyon, will build onto the adobe house, plans to sell his Olivewood Lane home here soon.

THE RUSS
 JOHNSONS
 WHO
 OPERATE
 LA MANZANITA
 MOTEL,
 HAVE MADE
 IT
 POPULAR
 WITH
 MOTORISTS
 WHO
 TRAVEL
 THIS WAY.



LIBRARY IMPROVED, ENLARGED

Mrs. Lillian M. Oliver, in charge of Alpine's public library reports that she has just completed a number of changes including the acquisition of 800 new volumes. Among them is a quantity of new books for juveniles, a department that she has worked up in the last few months. There are several large new cases and others have been changed around, also the desk and the reading table, making it more handy and with better light. The oil stove was replaced with an electric heater. Hours are from 1 to 5 Tuesday and Thursday, Saturday 10 to 2.

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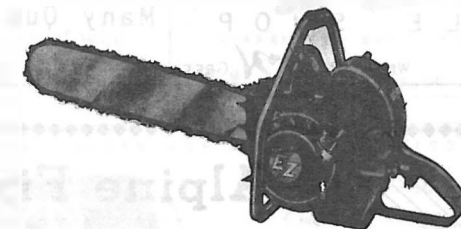
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PUPILS ENTERTAIN KIWANIS

Last week six students from Alpine's 7th and 8th grades gave interesting talks on science at the Kiwanis Club dinner in Fuller Hall. The youthful lecturers were Carin Hinkle, Steve Jordan, Sheila Shields, James Wright, Jay Kenny and James White.

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FASHION SHOW TUESDAY

The annual woman's Club Fashion Show and pot luck luncheon will be held March 12th at 1 o'clock in the clubhouse, announces Mrs. Carl McCall, president. Mrs. Marcus Schaeffer, chairman and charge of the afternoon promises a lovely showing of spring and summer styles by Marthels of El Cajon. A \$25. clothing bond and other prizes will be an added interest. Local models will display the clothing.

Tickets are \$1.25 each and guests are invited.

CLIFFORD BENTON IN HOSPITAL

Just off the critical list at Naval Hospital is Clifford Benton, 2513 Hiway 80, who was given emergency help by Phil Hall and Bob Ring with the fire department's oxygen gear on Sunday Feb. 10. He has been in the hospital's iron lung, reports Mrs. Benton, is now on the way to recovery and will be home soon. He is a retired S.D. mail carrier.

FIXIT SHOP'S NEW PHONE

Frank 'Lucky' Gabel announces that he has moved Alpine Fixit Shop from down Hiway 80 to a more central location, with a new phone number, HI 5-2334, gives free pickup and delivery service which will expedite repairs. His other number remains the same, HI 5-2058.

THERE'S
WATER HERE!
SAYS MARY
ANN FOX.
HENRY FOX
AT LEFT,
FRED YALE,
RIGHT.
AT IRVINE'S
TRAILER
ESTATES.



WOMAN HAS UNIQUE HOBBY

Unusual hobby is water witching or divining, which Mrs. Mary Ann Fox has enjoyed for 25 years, starting back in her home, Torrington, Conn. With her husband Henry, she lives in E.C., but is in Alpine much of the time as Fox works with Fred Yale in well digging, etc. The Yales live in Japatul, Fred having been associated with Fox for 50 years. They knew the famous Henry Gross, of Maine, who was the subject of an interesting book 'Henry Gross and his Divining Rod', by Kenneth Roberts. If you want some fascinating reading, get this from the library.

Distraught mother to group of wild children at a birthday party: "There will be a special prize for the one who goes home first."

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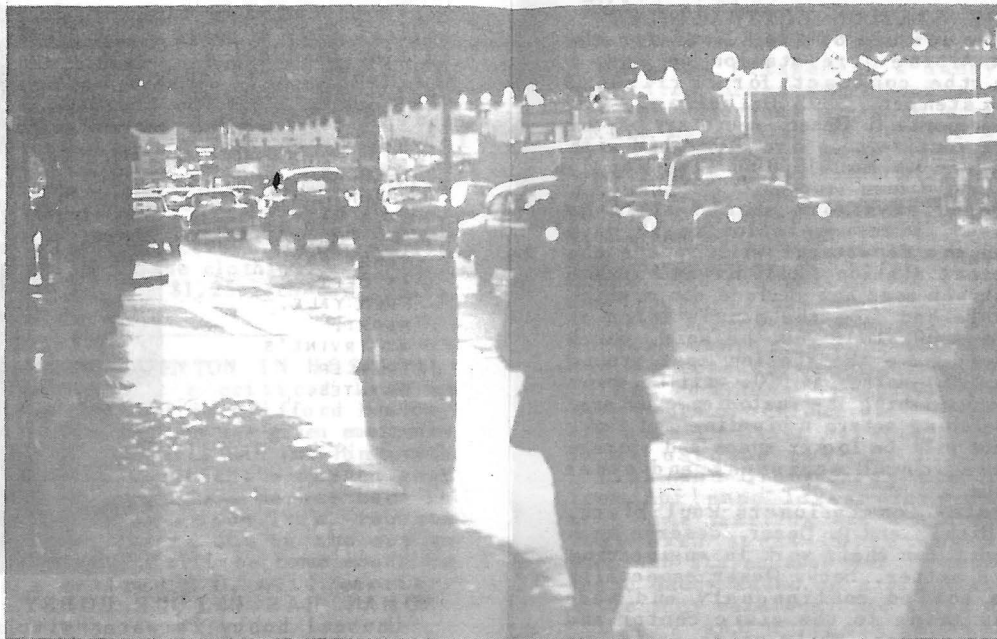
SMART SHOPS IN EL CAJON . LEMON GROVE . NATIONAL CITY . PACIFIC BEACH

TAVERN ROAD SIGNS' SLOWLY

Nearly 25% of the 35 parcel owners along Tavern Road between So. Grade and Arnold Way, have signed with Kenneth A. Conner, county right-of-way agent, to make way for the widened, straightened throughfare. About 75%, he points out, are giving the land by easement or grant deed. Progress is slow as there are only three men in this work.

If rights-of-way are all cleared this spring, work may get underway by summer and it will take two to three months to complete. Other phases of this much needed improvement are completed and awaiting the legal conclusion for the green light. If fences or pillars have to be moved back, the county will pay for it.

Mrs. Chas. A. Enslow, 88, mother of Mrs. Jas. Creson of Alpine Rock Shop, is still in bed suffering from a painful back injury sustained last Sunday week when she slipped in the bath tub.



GLISTENING SUNSET RAINSTUDY AT E.C.'S BUSY CORNER OF MAIN AND MAGNOLIA DURING RECENT DOWNPOUR. STRIKING LIGHTS AND SHADOWS CAUGHT BY IRVINE'S BUSCH-PRESSMAN CAMERA.

Roy: "Your fiancée is quite a dish. Can she keep a secret?"

Ken: "Brother, can she! We were engaged for three months before she even told me."

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SORORITY DOINGS

The Gamma Gamma girls met in the home of Joan Manuel in Blossom Valley for a Social Meeting Feb. 27. Mrs. Dorothy Frenzel gave a fascinating talk on her sojourn in Japan. Displaying her collection of statuary, dolls and garments.

The chapter is sponsoring the polio inoculation shots to be given in the Alpine School April 2, at 7:00 P.M. free to age 18, all over a minimum charge of \$1.

All who attended the Dinner given for the Youth Center by the sorority were complimentary, looking forward to the next one to be given Sunday Mar. 17 in the Y.C. at 4: P.M. to 7 P.M. This is a worthwhile cause, a benefit for the Youth Center to help finance their many needs.

START FIESTA SHOW TICKETS

Advance sale for 'The California Story', highlight of the annual Fiesta del Pacifico is now on, reports A.J. Sutherland, president. Office is at the Spanish Village, Balboa Park. Over 165,000 saw the great play last year. This season it will be bigger and have more famous names in the cast. Advance buyers will save up to 50%. Mail to Box 1606, S.D. 12 or call BE4-8561.

The W.B. Vigneaults who recently sold Sleepy Hollow Ranch, Dehesa Road, postal the Sun that they are enjoying a vacation in Mexico City for two months.

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FIRE STATION CONTRACT LET

The low bid of \$14,817.47 for the new Alpine fire station on Mar. 1 won the contract for Morrison & Christensen, 3825 Dalbergia, S.D. 13, reports R. Oeser, secretary of the fire commission. Five firms bid with figures up to \$18,000. The station will hold four trucks.

Oeser says work should start by Monday, with completion in 90 days when the department will vacate the present station, 2435 Hiway 80. The contract does not include doors which can be had from the manufacturer at from \$800. to \$1,200, he said, which should make the station cost around \$16,000. Another \$2,000. will be spent for furnishing the custodian quarters, developing water, a pipeline and tank. There will be locker space and storage rooms for CD equipment and other goods.

Note- Commissioners Paul Black, Al Hinkle and R. Oeser, deserve much credit for their work in engineering this matter. Secy. Oeser especially has toiled continuously and made many trips to the civic center and other places. While we're at it, we always have our hats off to the chaps who volunteer their services night or day to this work, also the nice couple who are custodians, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whiteman. -CI

NEW OWNER AT VALLEY STUDIO

Dwight Martin, former ace photographer at MGM Studios has taken over Paul Robert Valley Studio, 200 E. Main in E.C. He comes lately from Manhattan Beach. Associated with him is Ed Elledge of L.A., also a former film studio man. Their main feature currently is wedding portraits, including album and ten 8x10 candid photos at \$39.50 and up. They are catering to the Mountain Empire.

SMALL TALK

BY CYNTHIA IRVINE

Mary Eva Fitzgerald's daddy is home from Grossmont Hospital. He was there for one month on account of his hart which is better. Mary Eva is happy to have him home.

My family and I had a nice weeks vacation. We went to Redondo Beach to visit grandma and grandpa. We saw a lot of our cousins and aunts and uncles. We spent one day at Disneyland and got to see all the new things. It was fun.

Steve Wilcox cut his head while he was running in the house and had 3 stitches taken. They were pulled out Tuesday. At McCall's Boys Ranch a new boy came to live. his name is Steve Boyer and he is 8. He used to live in Del Mar.

Dink and Ginny Frey are home from Abilene, Texas. They had a nice time visiting Wanda's sister. They even spent Christmas with them and stayed away for 2½ months. There daddy added on a big kitchen while they were away and it is nice.

Daddy and I visited Sharon O'Neill. She was in bed. She thought she was coming down with the measles. Mr. O'Neill showed us his horses and I fed one oats.

Danny Place s little sister Debbie has the measles. She still has to wear casts on her feet to make them straight.

Christine Rose moved away from Alpine School. Pamela Axsom didn't move to San Diego yet and as far as she knows they will stay in Peutz Valley.

Sharon Sigstedt has a new baby brother. They named him Hansel.

Our Brownie Troop 1337 sold 216 cartons of cookies. We made \$6.48 for our treasury.

"Heredity," the little boy wrote, "means that if your father didn't have any children, and your grandfather didn't have any children, you won't have any children."

NEW MACHINE ON SUBDIVISION

A late model IH tractor-trencher that sells for \$9,000. has just been delivered to Alpine's construction man Fred Rushing, for initial use on the Highlands Ranch subdivision. It will be used for digging trenches for two miles of water pipes, sewer lines and other work, now starting. It was delivered Saturday from Southern Equipment & Supply, S.D., by Len Weaver and Tony Martin.

Our classified ads pay off very well.

SEPTIC TANKS

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TEENERS POSTPONE CARWASH
 Due to the rain last week the Teen Age Club will hold its carwash tomorrow at Rorie's Associated Station, 1925 Hiway 80, which is donating its garage and water for the benefit. Every 25th car gets a prize donated by O.E. McGee.

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 Dr. J.B. Askew, county health officer has again warned rural areas of itinerant cesspool pumpers operating without proper license or work cards and high-pressuring residents into having jobs done. See that truck has name on it, license and windshield sticker. Get license number and report to the health department, he advises.



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HARBISON CANYON NEWS

BY THE GIRL REPORTER

James Slavinsky, 14, had quite an eventful week. While roller skating he cut his leg, was taken to Grossmont Hospital, had 17 stitches taken to close the wound. The next day he again entered Grossmont for an appendectomy. He is home now and doing fine... Chas. Reagan entered Grossmont Feb. 26th for an appendectomy and is home now taking it easy. Lorna Ferguson is back again in the hospital and all her Canyon friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Explorer Scouts of Post 375 are still running their scrap metal drive. Anyone having any old cars or metal to donate call Hughes, HI5-2941 or MacKenzie, HI5-3077. They will be happy to pick it up. This money is used to help finance the boys' outings, paying for awards, etc., so please look around and see what you may have to give these boys a boost, they will appreciate it... The Teenage Club gave a farewell party March 1st. for Kay and Lois Koeth who have gone to Nevada. The party was at the Clyde Ward residence. Mrs. Neil Hackney and Mrs. Emma Hines have completed their nurse's aid course, received their certificates.

The Earl Daugherty's have finished leveling and landscaping their lots on Rosalee Way. The septic tank has been put in for the new Baptist Church, which will start building soon on Harbison Canyon Road... Another big improvement in the canyon was the leveling of approximately 2 lots on the MacKenzie property, 611 St. George Dr., the hill behind their home was removed and a gully filled which gives them almost double usable ground.. These projects were done by Madron & Son of Lakeside. Harbison Canyon is growing, building and improving all the time.

NEW SUBSTITUTE CARRIER

Frank 'flucky' Gabel, owner of Alpine Fixit Shop, has just passed examinations as substitute carrier on Alpine's single mail circuit, Route 1, will relieve Haakon Magnussen one day a week and during vacation. However he will still handle his repair business.

HOLLENBECK BOOSTS ALPINE

Bill Hollenbeck, owner Alpine Stables and Peacock Ranch, has launched his spring promotion campaign, emphasis on television. Every Thursday on the 'Johnny Jet Show', (Ch. 6), a ticket good for 10 hours' riding at his stables is given away.

On Saturdays, 10:30 AM on 'The Chimp and I', Tower Motor Show, (Ch. 10), Hollenbeck talks about the many features of Peacock Ranch, with a question and answer corner concerning riding and care of the horse. On the first show Sherri Hollenbeck and two tiny goats were introduced as part of the ranch gang.

FILE NOW FOR VET EXEMPTION

State law requires that claims for veteran's exemptions must be filed annually with the county assessor between the first Monday in March and the last Monday in May. Assessor John McQuilken is urging those entitled to claims, to file during March to help on the workload. Claims must be acknowledged before a notary, or deputy in E.C., 235 Highland, Mar. 11 thru 15; Pine Valley, Mar. 18 & 19 at Community Hall. Don't delay!

CEMETERY ASSOCIATION MEETS

Joe T. Foss, president of the Alpine Cemetery Association will preside at the annual meeting, 7:30 p.m., Monday, Mar. 18, in Fuller Hall. Election of officers for 1957 will be made and other business handled. Due to legal blocks and lack of funds, the proposed mausoleum project has been abandoned.

ALPINE NEEDS A BAKERY.

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SCHOOL STORY From Page 1

We have a fine, civic-minded school board and a conscientious superintendent working harmoniously to improve conditions here where we have to suffer double sessions.

Here's the rub: For several weeks they have been trying to get the green light for putting up a state approved and widely used portable or temporary building which L.A., S.D. and other places have used successfully for a quarter of a century.

Now it seems that we cannot use this type of structure because the wise lawmakers in Sacramento voted that only big centers may do that.. simply because they have more voting power than a small area like ours.

Therefore we have to build, pay 'through the nose' and suffer with lack of space and double-sessions, when these fully approved, safe and efficient classrooms might have been used.

Under this plan we get only two new rooms, as considerable must go for added restrooms, breezeways and equipment. We are in urgent need of six rooms to relieve the strain.

On Feb. 20, Supt. David B. Everett and board members, Carl Schweiss and John R. Reynolds, attended a meeting of the Doyle assembly committee in S.D., investigating charges of unreasonable delay in the state-aided school building program.

It was stated that the governing board of any school district has

been reduced to the status of a rubber stamp; cannot erect a classroom with federal, state or even its own bond money or general funds unless five or six state agencies approve.

One man asked 'What type of government is this? If we subscribe to the philosophy of representative government why does our legislature continually pass laws which restrict the elected school representatives?' ... Have we replaced local school autonomy with a vague dictatorship by a bureaucracy?

Everett spoke on behalf of Alpine's predicament; 'If our legislature would pass a bill that final authority for all matters of public education shall rest with the governing board of the local district, the problem will resolve itself... It will not only end delays in construction, it will end double sessions... It will eliminate the Field Act-- an act passed in a wave of hysteria following an earthquake-- it will solve every educational problem... place control where it rightfully belongs-- in the hands of the people'.

Schweiss asked why small districts are thus discriminated against-- 'why can S.D. do it and Alpine can't?'

Whereupon Doyle replied 'It's a discriminatory law against the small district'.

U.S. News & World Report for Mar. 1 has a fine story on year-round schools, a way to end overcrowding and cut need for new buildings. It says some educators claim year-round schools would increase classroom space by a third. That would take Alpine off of double sessions!

'San Diego has made a study of the four quarter plan' it adds 'and has it under consideration'. (I wonder how they're coming on it??)

If every parent writes, our legislators now in session at the capitol, we might get the law straightened out so that people will not feel so disgusted with unjust excessive laws, taxes and restrictions. CI.

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EVERETT SIGNS FOR 2 YEARS

At the last session of the school board David B. Everett was given a renewal of contract for two additional years. He relieved Frank S. Brown as superintendent of the district at the start of school last Sept. He is selling his home in Redesa, will move his family here in the near future.

Si Casady, publisher of E.C. Valley News, was guest speaker at Kiwanis dinner last Thursday, with his usual wit, humor and pronged remarks. Ed Bike was chairman.

THANKS FROM CANCER GROUP

H. Henry Poloff, chairman, public relations committee of the American Cancer Society, has written the Sun a thank-you letter for publicity given this work: 'appreciation for your many efforts in helping continue to bring the cancer story before an ever growing San Diego County'. The local branch has recently been granted full district status.

Aero Drivein's Al Dumont, genial manager, has just been given an honorary life membership in the Greenfield School PTA. Mr. and Mrs. Dumont have just moved from S.D. to their new home on Roselle,

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