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Frewy started Monday New Trailer Park Here

Three giant cats and 6 men thundered into rocky hillsides on the north side of Hwy 80 across from the Casino Inn Monday morning at 7 to start work on the \$6, 552, 528. freeway that will put Alpine on Interstate 8 from Willows

More on 7

As expected, the green light was given for the building of a 143-space trailer park at 2320 Hwy 80 on the former Dinosaur Park (Peacock Ranch) site. The planning commission Friday said OK to the project which did not

More on 18



"Royalty" in Alpine" From left, Queen Grace Motley, King Jim Pinkerton, and his wife, Gladys, president of the Lively Oaks which hosted the senior citizens Saturday for colorful coronation.

SENIORS' KING IS CROWNED HERE

"I'm very happy to have the crown in Alpine", Jim Pinkerton, King of the county's senior citizens, told the Sun yesterday and added "I want to express my thanks to all who helped us with the coronation Saturday".

More on 18

FWAY PAYS KIDDER \$51,000

Last week's court decision on condemnation of the Hugh Kidder property along the freeway route above town, was for an increase over the state's testimony of \$42, 000, of approximately \$9, 000, making the total around \$51, 000. Roger Sullivan, who has handled most of these cases, was in charge for his LA law firm. Appraisal was by Sam Elliott, also of LA.

The air shot blown up to 3 x 4 was made by Editor Irvine and used in the caption to graphically illustrate the topography for the jury.

Two homes are bought

Mr. & Mrs. B. T. Ondler of SD have just sold their lovely 3-bedroom home on 2½ acres at 2925 Victoria Drive, to Mr. and Mrs. Dewey S. Romine, of National City, reports Charlene Brown, of Brown Realty Co. The Romines may build another dwelling on the property later.

Mrs. Brown also made a sale to Nathan W. Zaslowky, a single man, from NY., who is with Montgomery Ward Co., of a 2-bedroom dwelling at 15972 Old Hwy 80. Sellers were Geo. J. and Nora Laphorne, of SD.

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GORDEN REALTY TO OPEN

Alpine is moving ahead for yesterday Martin Lacko leased the corner of his fine new building, which houses Mary's Apparel and Paul & Norean, Hair Stylists, 2140 Hwy 80 to Gordon Real Estate, Inc., owned by Gordon Pfau. He has offices in Fallbrook, Ramona and Pala, specializes in acreage.

Pfau phoned the Sun Tuesday to confirm the lease, said they "would be open on May 15 with Allan Carlson, formerly acreage specialist with the Hugh L. McCoy Co., in SD, as manager of the Alpine office. Later we plan on having another salesman Here."

He has sublet the rear portion to Pat Naud who is the local representative for H & R Block, Inc., tax experts, (see story elsewhere).

BUY 2 LOTS FOR HOMES

Charlene V. Brown of Brown Realty Co., reports recent sale of two nice lots where fine homes will be built shortly.

Howard W. Harrington, a building contractor, has purchased one choice site in the Highlands, SW corner of Olive View Dr., and South Grade Rd. He is building to sell, a deluxe, 3-bedroom, 2-bath, ranch style dwelling. He plans to start construction shortly.

The other lot is of ½ acre on South Grade Road, across from the Highlands, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Dean A. Hottell of SD. Buyers are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham, of Spring Valley, who plan to build soon.

DONATE TREES TO SCHOOL

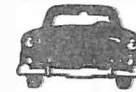
Yesterday Kiwanians presented 15 pine trees to the Alpine School which will be planted tomorrow, a project of the local club which did the same thing for the YC last season.



HERE is group from Capital Services looking over trailer park site. From left; Samuel Safino, Christopher Sickles, Alex Doig, Roger Brenes and J.V. Thompson.

The AudioVisio and hearing center held in HC Baptish Church and run by both PTA's Tuesday and Thursday was successful with children 5 and under getting checked.

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Sadistic circus features gas chamber!

Like Albert Schweitzer, I believe in not taking life. But there is an angle in capital punishment that we overlook. You run a store. A robber comes in, points a gun, demands your money or your life. Your son in the back room hears him, shoots him dead from behind.

Now suppose the robber had killed you and was sentenced to death. Just

what is the difference in punishment to that man? Only a matter of time, but the degree is still the same.

What we object to is the sadistic way in which civilization kills the killer whether it be by the noose, an ugly way, or the old guillotine, a bloody affair, by the horrible electric chair or now by the horrifying gas chamber.

And why should 58 humans want to see such a horrible nightmare in real life? When Chessman was gassed - although he killed none - Sen. Jack Schrader saw it. Last week Rep. Jim Bear was a witness, saying "What a helluva way to die", when the Negro policeman killer died at San Quentin, the state's first in four years and the first this year in the nation.

In reflecting upon this grisly event, we think a law could be made to eliminate such a horrible way to kill a man that has proved to be unworthy of living in our society.

He could be given an overdose of sleeping pills, or a shot of antibiotics - like we put a horse to sleep - then turn him over to the embalmer who would quickly see that death was permanent!

Mr. Bear now has that ugly picture in his mind from whence might come such a bill at Sacramento that could change the whole thing in this country. Or do people still want to have such a sadistic circus? I do not know, but they still want to see gore when they come upon a bloody car accident! -CI

Let your speech be always with grace, seasoned with salt, that ye may know how ye ought to answer every man. -Colossians 4:6.

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Afterwards Ronald Blue, member of Queen of Angels Catholic Church here, will talk on a recent interfaith conference he attended at the U of SD. Members of other churches and the public are invited. Talk will start about 8 p. m., in Fuller Hall.

SCHUMACHER TO GERMANY

Due to his sister needing him on some important business, John Schumacher, builder, is leaving June 1 for Germany, to be gone a couple of months. He leaves as soon as he completes a construction job he is now on.

Help thyself and God will help thee.

MOVE BLOCK TAX OFFICE

Pat Naud, who has spent two tax seasons here with H & R Block, Co., Inc., (one of their 1500 U. S. offices), at 2251 1/2 Hwy 80, has just leased for 2 1/2 years the rear portion, with separate entrance, of the office just taken by Gorden Real Estate, Inc., in the fine new Lacko Building, 2140 Hwy 80.

"We have carpenters at work already" she told the Sun Tuesday, "as the lease started yesterday and will have a partition up dividing the large room. Among many advantages of the new location is plenty of off street parking.

The phone, 445-3148 will be the same, but inactive till January, as Mrs. Naud will be working on her book keeping service at her home on Arnold Way, which also has a phone, 445-3157.

READYING FOR HORSE SHOW

Only 2 weeks from tomorrow Viejas Days will again be put on by the chamber of commerce, the sixth annual affair. It will be May 6 and 7 at the YC horse ring, starts at 9 a. m. with the Western events of 20 classes.

Sunday at 8, 26 classes will compete in the English Hunter and Jumper division. H.L. Richards of S. Laguna will judge the Westerns, while Morgan Smith of Pomona will pass on the others.

Viejas Days manager is Fred Rushing, Paul Nichols is chairman of the horse show committee.

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FREEWAY STORY From Page 1

Rd. to Interstate 5 (old 101) in SD within about 2 years.

First operation, shown in photo, was to bulldoze a road down the middle of the site so the Daflay Co. could get its men, machines, water wagons and blasting crews to the scene of operations.

In charge is Gus Jepson, superintendent, with Doug Tomlin, foreman, on the scene. Photo shows Geo. Kermott, one of the state highway engineers watching operations. Jerry

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By Cynthia Irvine

Our Pequeno Ride and barbecue last Sunday was a nice success. Most of the members came and those that couldn't make it, called and said they were so sorry but would be glad to come to the next party or ride the club has. We will announce the next event in the Sun, & have a breakfast ride in mind.

Sunday, my mare Coco cut her hoof on some barbed wire and at first I was sure it was serious. But after we washed it off and looked again, it wasn't too bad. We called Dr. Immenschuh and he said to put Wound Coat on it and to take the scarlet oil off as it would tend to blister. It is too strong for their legs and hoofs so we learned something from

that.

Monday I wanted to catch the Welch pony I have out to pasture in back of Bill McTaggart's and he refused to let me get near him so I had to call on Virgil Wake to come to my rescue and lasso him. The pasture is just too big to run him down, and he knew he had the upper hand.

The Viejas Days Horse show is only two weeks away and the Gymkhana the next week, so time is short to get your horse and gear in shape. If you plan on entering Viejas Days be sure to wear chaps and have your saddle and equipment in excellent shape as this can count off and keep you from winning a trophy. Also the gymkhana show is adhering to the rules of the association, so you will have to be on your toes to compete with outsiders. It should be lots of fun and if it is anything like last years show, it will be one to remember.

Becky Comstock is thrilled with her new Arabian colt she just got. She plans to do all of the training herself and hopes to begin right away.

Saturday and Sunday at the Ponderosa Ring in El Cajon 4H Horse Clubs are holding their annual show. Entry fee is 50¢ and JoAnn Villa is the only one going from Alpine that I know of. I heard that the trophies were huge and real nice so hope she brings one or two home with her.

Doug Fordyce was lucky and sold his mare and colt to one man and the Appaloosa mare to another party so he is without a horse for the first time in many, many years. I'll bet it won't be long and he will be out looking for more horses as they are a part of his life.

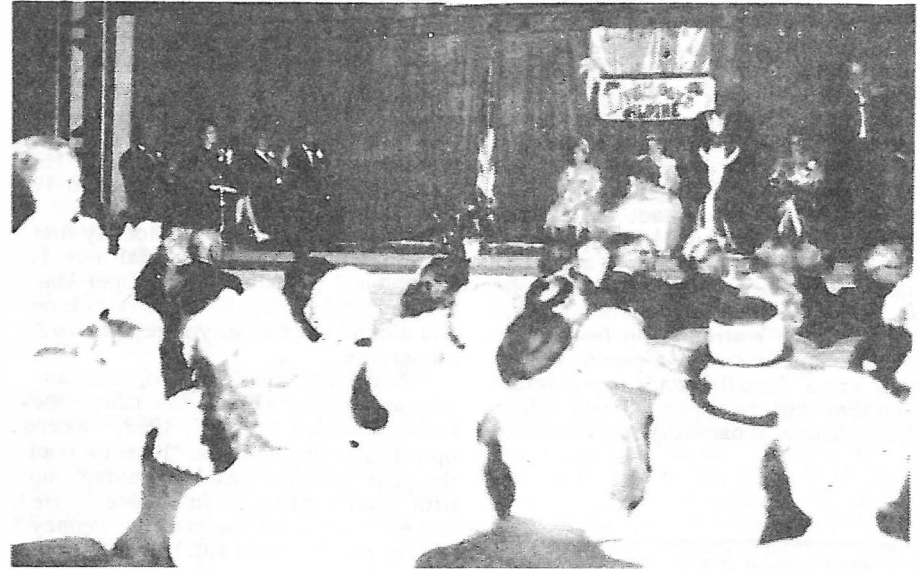
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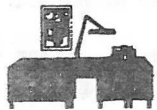
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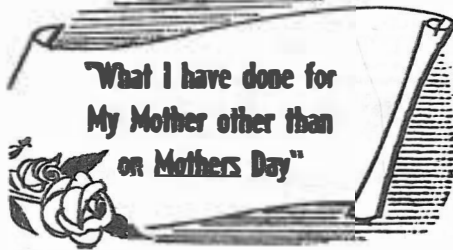
Held up till May 13, the special use permit for converting the Jas. Waddell home-machine shop building, 2040 Tavern Road, to Lutheran Church use, was acted upon Friday by the planning commission.

The Rev. Paul Hurd said that they had been unable to contact the owner of half the land, about 1½ acres and the commission did not like to allow a church on such small area, although two others here have less than that. Commissioner Warren Hoop felt that giving a church such a permit on a small area usually leads to problems when they wish to expand. Neda Hill, Alpine Realty, is handling negotiations.

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Sellman told the Sun Monday that he thinks "the growth potential here is enormous," plans to add the Opel line to the Buicks, says he "will continue and extend the Ballantyne reputation for service."

"Andy" has subscribed to, and advertised in, the Alpine Sun since the Irvines founded it in Jan. 1952. Keeps up his subscription as he "likes to read the girls' columns besides keeping up with what's going on in Alpine." He formerly was in the present Penney store on E. Main till he built the present handsome building, 350 EC Blvd. in EC.

KELLOGG ADDS 12 APARTMENTS

Work on the addition of a new building with 10 units is well under way at Alpine Apartments, Arnold Way at Olivewood Lane, reports owner Will Kellogg. He is also adding 2 units to the present building on the upper level. Rizzo Bros. are again the contractors.

KIWANIANS HEAR ETHIOPIAN

At last Thursday's dinner of the Kiwanis Club Hamza Mohamed Sheik, from Ethiopia, an exchange student now in EC where he attends El Capitan HS, was the speaker.

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Jim Chapman, 7, a 2nd grader at Alpine School, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Chapman, Japatul Road, is home from Navy Hospital after emergency treatment for heavy cuts due to a fall off of his bike into a barbed wire fence on Tuesday.

Mrs. Chapman called the operator who alerted Sheriff's Deputy Rodger S. Griessel, who rendered first aid, called an ambulance as the wounds were very bad. He had cuts on a wrist, arm, chest and legs, but bravely walked home nearly half a mile.

Chapman is a Chief Sonarman instructor at the Fleet Sonar School, Pt. Loma, has been here since November, coming up from EC with his family of 2 boys, 3 girls. They hail from Tennessee, plan on staying here when he finishes his navy cruise in a year.

CAMPBELL, RUSHING RETAINED

As prophesied only about a third of the voters cast ballots Tuesday, but they put Chas. C. Campbell and Fred Rushing back in as members of the school board. However Dr. John A. Brookes, a fairly new citizen here, polled 212, a good showing. Campbell nailed 331, and Rushing, 342. Total cast was 352. Other members are Laurence Wilcox, Paul Thorp and Dr. Robt. Burak.

In the Grossmont balloting, the bonds made it, but the tax override went under the two-thirds majority.

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NAB BAILEY BURGLARS

Two NY youths are in jail in Costa Mesa, caught by sheriffs on an Alpine patrol Wednesday night two weeks ago after they had entered Bailey's Cafe and taken the coin holder from a jukebox.

They were caught by deputies after the officers noticed two 67 Yahasas parked nearby with motors still warm. They staked out, caught one, then the other, found that the cycles had been stolen from Costa Mesa as they had no registration certificates and the lads told conflicting stories about being hikers.

Next day investigators found the coinbox in the flowerbed outside, took fingerprints and so on. The pair are Jno. Wm. Lynch, 19, of 38 N.H. St. in NYC and Jas. Needham, 20, of 82 S. Millpage Dr. in Bethpage, NY, so they claimed, reports Detective Moore of the EC sheriff's station. They are held on \$1100 bail.

Claude Bailey happening back to the cafe, thinks he flushed them out, as they left hurriedly, leaving buns and meat they evidently planned to take.

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By Cecile and Celeste Irvine

Anyone interested in giving a kitten a good home? Sunday Johnny Lutz, 11, who was spending the week-end with his dad, was out looking for a cat he had seen around the garage. When he finally found her in the trunk of an old Chevrolet, she had 5 beautiful kittens. They are all different and will be excellent pets and good hunters. If you are interested in getting one when they are weaned, call Lutz Garage and they will gladly give you one free.

The measles went around El Capitan two weeks ago and even ruined our production of Pillow Talk and now Alpine is on the list. Mark Launt came down with them this week, so suppose it will run through the school like it does most every year.

Joann Villa was kind of sad last week when her mother found her big turtle dead in the back yard. They put him out to soak up a little sunshine and forgot to bring him in. The next day it

rained and he must have taken cold and died very quickly. She still has the little one but will keep him in till it gets a lot warmer.

Mary Jo and Walter Compton are still wondering what happened to their heifer they are raising for beef. Sunday they went out to feed her and discovered a huge hole in her side. Mr. Barrett looked at it and saw where the bone had been chipped so thinks someone might have shot her. It is a wonder that she wasn't killed. They are hoping she will get well and continue growing into a nice beef cow as she is only two months old now.

Wednesday night Janice Douthit and quite a few other kids tried out for the TV Commercials Channel 8 was having. We wanted to go but had a singing engagement and couldn't make it.

Last Thursday Danny Rash found a puppy near Dr. Campbell's dental office on Hwy 80 and took it home. It was too young to be left alone. It is a little black dog with 4 white feet and a black body and is about two months old. If this little dog belongs to you or you would like to own him, call Mrs. Rash at 445-4012 and you can have him free. She can't keep him as she has a dog already.

Patricia Presley gets the big cast off of her arm this week and a smaller one will be put on to support it until the breaks heal perfectly. She broke it in two places during Easter vacation when a rope she was climbing parted and let her fall.

The 8th grade class that is graduating is looking forward to going to Disneyland for their trip in a few weeks.

The personal shower Mary Eva Fitzgerald gave Cynthia Saturday was fabulous. She had a delicious buffet luncheon for everyone and Cynthia really got some beautiful presents.

Well, Greg Anderson is another Alpiners down with the measles and his sister Paula will probably be next as she wasn't feeling very good Tuesday.

Perseverance has been defined as sticking to something you're not stuck on.

EDITOR: Alpine sun

In answer to Robert Evers letter in the Alpine Sun dated April 7th.

I think Mr. Evers is very badly informed. To begin with, the Alpine Fire Commissioners did not turn down the ambulance but are still investigating with the County Council's office as to whether such a project can be sponsored by the Fire Commissioners with tax money. Yes, I said Money. Mr. Evers would have you believe that this is a free ambulance. The only thing free is the vehicle not equipped. An estimate of equipping it is approximately \$1200. The next item of expense is insurance and State requirements. An estimate of insurance was given by the EC Ambulance Service. Their three cost from \$300 to \$500 per month and dividing this by three to get the cost for one would amount to \$100 to \$165 per month or between \$1200 and \$1980 per year. This same ambulance would have to be madded 24 hours per day which means at least two men, and unless you can find two willing to work 12 hours per day free it would cost at least another \$200 per week or \$10,400 per year. Now let's do a little common arithmetic and just take the low figures for one year. The operating cost would be \$11,600 not counting the \$1200 to outfit the vehicle. A first aid instructor is the only free thing and any group can get that from the Red Cross.

In closing I urge all Alpiners to take a good look into this free horse and remember that anything worthwhile in this world is not free.

George C. Brant
Secretary Treasurer, Fire Dept.

GINNEY PAYNE PROMOTED

Virginia Payne, daughter of Douglas and Ginney Payne of Japatul Valley, just received word that she has been promoted to Seaman. She is serving in the Waves, is stationed at Patuxent River, Md. Virginia also is writing and doing all of the art work for the Navy Base paper "The Tester".

MEXICAN DINNER BIG SUCCESS

Thursday's PTA program, complete with Mexican dinner, Tecate Dancers and play presented by Mr. Kennedy's class was an outstanding one. Barbara Peterson was in charge and all who attended were pleased with the food, entertainment and turnout.

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A 40-page and cover booklet, finely printed with color photos, is just off the press from Security First National Bank, called "Survey of Building & Real Estate Activity in the 14 Southern Counties of California". Like the title, it is voluminous with facts, figures and percentages, valuable to everyone.

M. Ross Mallette, manager of Alpine Branch, said that during 1966 permits were issued for 7459 dwellings in the county, including 3166 multiple units, 4293 singles. He adds that the booklet is free at any branch.

Breathes there a man with sole so dead, Who never to himself has said, 23456789101112131415161718192021222324252627282930313233343536373839404142434445464748495051525354555657585960616263646566676869707172737475767778798081828384858687888990919293949596979899100 As he stubbed his toe on the foot of the bed?

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By John W. Bilsky

Sec'y Br. 258 FRA, Alpine, 445-3748

Chairman W.J. Smith, vice president, Br. 80, tells me that the next visit to Camp Pendleton is the third Sunday, 21 May. He says their visit on March 19 was well represented by shipmates, their wives and friends. Plenty of fruit, cookies and candy were distributed among patients. Mrs. Black, Br. 312, has been furnishing all the floor show for these visits. Better join in the next one. Patients look for us, specially the women who visit at the bedside with the goodies.

J.P. "Dutch" Stahnke, chairman from LM BR. 139, says that in order to make the dedication on Aug. 20 of the new Stadium, dignified, complete and concise, it is hoped that as many as possible branches be represented at the joint city-county meeting Tuesday, May 2 in CPO Club, NAS, Miramar, at 1930 hours.

Some may not be completely aware of the FRA's part in the dedication Aug. 20. With the needed assistance of our good shipmate Congressman Bob Wilson we have already received the National Ensign for the Stadium with verification from the Architect of the Capitol that the Flag has been flown over the Capitol.

The Department of Defense has directed that the commander, NTC provide a Navy band and organize a joint armed forces Color Guard. We have been in contact with both Bandmaster and Drillmaster of NTC, who are charged with this responsibility.

ON HIS TENTH anniversary, a band leader who played over 2,000 dance dates was asked, "What have you had the most requests for?"

Replied the maestro, "Where's the men's room?"

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MANY FOLKS who drop in at the Antlers, above the junction of state 79, with Hwy 80, do not realize that this neat, modern resort has been there since 1850 when it was built as a station for the old Butterfield stageline. Last December Chris Wille, his wife Lucille, and their nice little family bought out Gaylord and Marion Wagar

of Descanso, handled through the La Mesa-Lemon Grove Escrow Co.

The place has a cafe, beer bar, motel, and more recently Chris, a barber by trade, opened a small shop. He also revived the once famous egg-nog pie made from an old recipe and served in the tiny stage dining room for many years.

Last Friday Mrs. Wille returned from the hospital where she had spent a week for checkups. When this photo was made she was away. From left: Mrs. Sara Buffington, her mother; daughter Peggy, 14, of Mt. Empire School, who helps in the cafe; Alice Graham, holding her son Johnnie. She is a neighbor who works there as a waitress, and Carol, 20, assistant cook and waitress. Chris, jr., 12, not home at the time, goes to Descanso School.

"We have a lot of fun running this place" says Wille, "as it is a jolly big family affair and we enjoy the work although we do get rushed at times. When you stop in, be sure to look over the old stage station below the cafe; it's a real relic".



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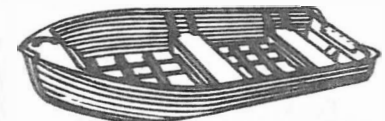
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INSTALL PTA OFFICERS

Last week Shirley Widmer was installed as president of Alpine School PTA. Vice presidents were: Lynn Lipetzky, first; Elizabeth Brookes, 2nd vice president; Marie Johnston, third; and Reenie Adams, fourth vice president; Joan McQueen, secretary; Robert Gaston, treasurer; Annette Thorpe, auditor; Doris Fletcher, historian; and Virgie Presley, parliamentarian.

The Easter breakfast staged by Alpine Kiwanis Club netted \$198, it was reported at Thursday's session.

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LIVELY OAKS DOINGS

On April 20th the Hillbilly Band will give a performance at the Pacific Beach Senior Citizens Club.

"How to live a fuller life" was the subject of the Discussion Group this week.

Welcomed back was Mary Shipp who has been absent due to illness.

Mrs. Sarah Hennings from Monte Vista, Colorado was a guest of the Barbers.

A get-together and dance will be held at the YC April 26 starting at 1. Door prizes and refreshments will be provided.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rohr (our newly-weds) are leaving today for Lockport, NY. Looks like a honeymoon at famous Niagara Falls.

Our president, Gladys Pinkerton thanked all the members for their part in making the coronation such a huge success. Jim Pinkerton was made king of all SD senior citizens Saturday. Members from clubs all over the county were present and the program was sponsored by Mrs. Nottingham of the SD Senior Citizens Exchange.

Phil Hall was welcomed into the club and is quite talented with a saw.

MARY COMPTON SURPRISED

Mary Jo Compton, her mother owns Alpine Villa, was surprised Saturday night by her friends when they met at her brother's home, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Compton, and gave her a bridal shower. Guests came from as far away as Bakersfield to help share the fun. Mary Jo is a graduate of El Cap, is employed at North Island.

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Residents within the fire district who have junk piled in the yard for pick-up or bundled papers, should call one of these: members of the C of C Beautification Committee, leave name and address for pick up tomorrow or next Saturday: Mrs. Dwight Long, 445-2883, Mrs. David Weisbach, 445-2449, Mrs. Douglas Payne, 445-2140.

BETTY JO COMPTON TO MARRY

Mrs. Christine S. Compton, owner of Alpine Villa, 1539 Tavern Road, announces the coming marriage of her daughter Betty Jo to James Edward Jacobs, jr. who hails from Alabama. He is currently in the Navy.

The wedding will take place April 29 in the Chapel of the Roses, Glen Abby, at 1 pm. Best man is Robert Compton, maid-of-honor is Claudette Statillo. The bride's niece and nephew Wendy Sue, 4, will be flower girl and Walter III, 6, will be ring bearer. They are the children of Walter and Mary Jo Compton.

The young couple plan a tour of California before James has to return to duty. Friends of Betty and James are cordially invited to the wedding.

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CORONATION STORY FROM Page 1

There were some 250 oldsters from all over the Southland in the school auditorium at 2 Saturday to see the gorgeous affair in which Pinkerton, retired realtor, was officially crowned, and Grace Morley, of Coronado, given like honors as the queen. She was crowned by Jos. Overton, Mayor of that city, who also made a short talk afterwards.

Pinkerton was crowned by Supt. Paul Clay of the Alpine School District, who later made a welcoming address, praised the Hillbilly Band, and the activities of the Lively Oaks Club.

Before the ceremony Woodie Woodall, of United Senior Citizens' Exchange in SD, presented the King's Dancers, with Hawaiian Music and dancing.

CLUB PLANS RUMMAGE SALE

According to Mrs. Katherine Black, the Woman's Club will have its annual rummage sale May 12 and 13 in the clubhouse from 9 to 5:30.

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TRAILER PARK STORY From Page 1
require rezoning as it was already R-3 and R 4, for apartments.

The only resident of Alpine present at the session was Mrs. Katherine Black, owner of Tappy's Motel, across the street. She told the Sun "I signed their petition for the park, but I merely asked the question as to how our sewer system would handle the new load". The plant is said to be overloaded, but was built to serve 5000 population, which the district does not have.

In photo from left are Samuel Safino, civil engineer with Arevalo & Deardorff, who will handle the project; Christopher D. Sickles of Capital Services, promoters of the project; Alex Doig, their man in charge; Roger Brenes, fiscal executive with the Sickles people, and J. V. Thompson, with Geo. R. Graves, the architect. They were here Monday morning going over the property so that within a short time actual work will start on the park which will be one of the Southland's finest.

"We will have an investment of around \$700,000, including cost of land" Sickles said Monday, "and we plan to save every tree in the central 10 acres of the park where we will install recreational facilities and so on."

Two of the dinosaurs will be saved also, he said, for the novelty, and the pool will be enlarged and rebuilt. In about four months the park should be ready for occupancy.

Doig has spent several days looking over the latest and largest mobil home parks in Southern California, says "we will have the best from every standpoint when this one is opened".

MRS. OESER HOSPITALIZED

Pauline Oeser, long time resident of Alpine is in EC Valley Hospital with tests being made to determine cause of illness. She is in Ward 5, Room 502, would like to have friends stop by to say hello.

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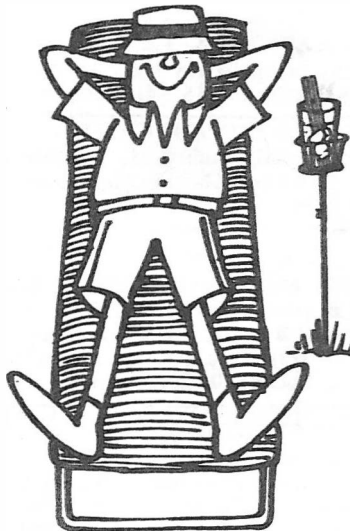
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WILL REOPEN ALPINE LODGE

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Turnage, from Jamul, have just moved into the manager's quarters at Alpine Lodge, 2616 Hwy 80, (formerly the Habit Motel), are starting work on refurbishing the place. It is owned by Arthur Headerman, M.D., of Chino.

"We hope to have four units of the eight open in four or five weeks" she told the Sun Wednesday. Turnage is a machinist with Solar in SD, and they have a small boy and a girl. They have lived in the state for a year.

Kiwanians here have donated \$50. to the El Capitan Chapter, American Field Service.

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