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## Water District To Be Redivisioned

### 170 VOTERS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR DISSOLUTION ELECTION DEC. 15

According to Mr. E. L. Freeland, manager of the Alpine Heights Municipal Water District the Alpine District will be redivisioned as soon as practicable after the recent Greater Alpine Annexation is certified by the Secretary of State. The five divisions of the Alpine Heights District,

### INTIMATE GLIMPSES...

By BEA

**OVERHEARD ON THE LIBRARY STEPS:** A successful husband is his wife's creation; a failure is his own fault.

Charlie Evernham, son of the popular director of the Museum of Man in Balboa Park is now 7, and quite able to dress himself, but they say that when he was 4 and had just learned to put his clothes on with a minimum of help, he came to breakfast one morning with a proud smile and the announcement that he had everything on just right. "All but your shoes," his mother said, "You have them on the wrong feet."

"How could that be?" Charlie demanded, "I haven't any other feet!"

While Postmaster Philip Hall and his wife, Dorothy were on vacation in Washington, D. C. last month they saw many interesting sights, but to Mr. Hall the most surprising and interesting of all was a picture of his kid brother, Frank. Quite a few local people will remember Frank, who, with Phil, came to Alpine in 1945 immediately after the brothers got out of the Service. Phil had served in the U. S. Navy, while Frank was with the Canadian Army. The British born brothers met in New York City after the war was over and hitch-hiked to Alpine where their sister, Mrs. Stotler, lived with her family. Frank stayed and worked here for a year or so before moving on to Tucson where

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### California Speaks

Significant Statements By Interesting Californians

Marie McDonald, Hollywood actress, on her latest venture into wedlock—"We've been married five months now. And they said it wouldn't last."

Henry W. Coil, Riverside—"The main reason federal aid persists and even grows is the failure of local officials to do their duty and inform the people about the deceit of free money."

Mrs. Emilio Segre, Lafayette, wife of Nobel Prize-winning physicist—"If something goes wrong at home, I usually have to call the repairman."

Dr. Boyce Van Osdel, Oakland pastor—"It's great to be good and to do good so long as you don't keep score."

John Register, U. C. student, on integration of girls into former all-male rooting section—"Now we can't take off our shirts and swear."

each with a representative director, will be realigned to include the recently annexed 8000 acres comprising Alpine proper. The boundaries of the new divisions will be determined by the Board of Directors.

At a meeting of the Alpine Heights Board of Directors held Wednesday, the Board completed all of the formal procedures accepting the annexation of Alpine proper to the Alpine Heights District. An ordinance was passed to this effect and will be forwarded to the Secretary of State for certification. A technicality necessitated a recanvassing of votes in the recent election. The final official vote was 237 in favor of annexation and 218 opposed.

The Board tendered a hearty vote of thanks to Mrs. Harold Johnson, Mrs. Byers, Mr. and Mrs. Dittmar and Mr. and Mrs. Colby who each gave their earnings, paid to them by the Office of the Registrar of Voters for working at the polls, to the Alpine Heights District to help defray expenses of the District. The amount totalled \$74. The Board stated that they wished to inform all local residents that meetings of the Directors of the Alpine District are held on the first and third Wednesday of each month at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Adams at 8 p.m. All meetings are open, and the public is

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### Alpine Vaqueros' Fun Show This Sunday

The Alpine Vaqueros' Riding Club will sponsor a Fun Show to be held at the Elm Tree Farm Tavern Rd. and South Grade Rd. in Alpine, Sunday, December 6, at 9 a.m.

The following events are scheduled:

Class No. 1—Western Horsemanship (13 and under).

Class No. 2—Western Pleasure (13 through 17).

Class No. 3—Western Horsemanship (adult).

Class No. 4—Western Pleasure (13 and under).

Class No. 5—Western Horsemanship (13 through 17).

Class No. 6—Western Pleasure (adult).

#### Lunch Break

Class No. 7—Lead Class (6 and under).

Class No. 8—Bareback (17 and under).

Class No. 9—Bareback (adult).

Class No. 10—Boot race.

Class No. 11—Dart race.

Class No. 12—Musical Hats.

Class No. 13—Flag Race.

Class No. 14—Thread the needle.

Class No. 15—Balloon bursting.

The entry fee for all classes will be 50c. There will be a trophy and five ribbons for each event, and a high point trophy for the day.

For further information call HI 5-3123.

### ECHOES OF THE PAST



The late Miss Pearl Foss in front of the house on Tule Springs, the Foss ranch, where she was born and lived all her life, and where her brother Percy still lives. Miss Foss, always an active church worker, was the first organist for Alpine's Church services which were held in the school, then the Town Hall when it was built before the first church was erected on Victoria Road. When the church purchased a piano, the original small reed organ was presented to Miss Foss who kept it in her home where she treasured it until her death about three years ago at the age of 75.

### CAMPO NEWS

By FAY FARRIS

Mrs. Dell Nielsen flew to Texas on November 22 to spend the holidays with her daughter Pat in New Braunsfels. She will also welcome a new great grandchild while there, as her granddaughter Dorothy is expecting a blessed event.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews of Rancho Boys' School in Campo went to Palomar Mountains with relatives and friends (25 in all) to spend a few days including Thanksgiving. They took their turkey and all the trimmings with them and had a wonderful dinner cooked in their cabin. They visited the Observatory while there.

Mrs. Gertrude Haskell spent four days in San Diego with Mrs. Dell Nielsen before she left for her trip.

Linda Ison was home in Rancho del Campo for the Thanksgiving holidays. She attends State College in San Diego, and this is her second year.

Phoebe Thompson will come from San Diego to attend the Mountain Empire Republican Women, Federated Christmas party and luncheon on Thursday, December 3 at the Stone House in Campo. The Thompson's own and maintain a home in Morena Village and come up weekends, but live in an apartment in San Diego during the week. Mr. Thompson is employed at Convair.

Guests at the Alden Farris home in Lake Morena for Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson of La Mesa. They have been friends for many years, and in fact Mr. and Mrs. Farris were married in their home on Christmas Eve, 1936. Mr. Thompson retired as a department head at the Qualitee Dairy in January of this year and he and Mrs. Thompson now live in a trailer at the La Mesan Trailer Court. They spent about two months in Hawaii this past spring as a gift from their many

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### Suggestions For Christmas Mailing

From Postmaster Phil Hall

Mail your packages early. Be sure that your packages are securely wrapped and tied. Packages containing breakables such as glass, china, radios, watches should all be packed in corrugated cartons with a cushioning material two inches thick around the article between the carton and the article being packed.

Always remember that even though your parcel is stamped "fragile," once it is inside a parcel post sack no one can read that "fragile" sign. Furthermore that sack with your "fragile" package might be on the bottom of sacks stacked clear to the ceiling of a mail car.

We would appreciate your separating and tying mail for states and cities. This will speed our work, and more important, speed your mail. Greeting cards for Canada and Mexico, whether sealed or not, require regular postage of 4c.

### Volunteer Firemen Serve Smoky Stew

Early Friday morning (5 a.m.) an alarm at the Log Cabin Cafe pulled our local firemen from their beds to what (happily) turned out to be a smoke rather than a fire.

Louie had his stew bubbling merrily on the stove, and at closing time someone forgot to lower the heat. The stew was served (?) out on Highway 80 at 5 a.m. while the local volunteers opened and aired out the restaurant.

Damage by smoke, light. Damage to stew, total.

### Baby Girl For Judds

Leata and Tom Judd, and their three boys, welcomed a baby girl into their family Tuesday afternoon at Grossmont Hospital. The proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roger Moore of Viejas Village, Alpine.

### ALPINE CHATTER

On December 9 the Gamma Gamma Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority will hold a model meeting at the home of Irene Cady. At this meeting the new Pledges will accept their membership and will be installed at another date.

Again this year the Gammas are selling Christmas cards. Anyone wishing to see the selection may contact Mrs. Chireen Adams.

Chances are also being sold by the sorority on a set of children's encyclopedias and on a case of liquor. The members are working as two teams, one team will sell chances on the encyclopedias and the other team will sell chances on the case of liquor.

A "Going Away Party" was held at Bailey's Cafe last week for Dorothy and Wayne Conner. Wayne is being transferred to the state of Washington. A gift of a silver tray and serving dish was presented to them by all their friends.

The Alpine Ramblers will be showing another movie this Saturday night at 8 p.m. in the Youth Center. There will be a charge of 25c per person.

The Alpine Woman's Club is going to have its annual Christmas party December 8 at 2 p.m. The program for the afternoon will include Mrs. Mary Myers, a vocalist from San Diego and her pianist, Susie B. Newman. The members will also exchange gifts costing \$1 or less.

### Changes In Schedule For 4th Grade Pupils

It has been announced by Mr. C. T. Gilley, District Superintendent, that schedule changes for 4th grade pupils will be made on December 7 and March 14.

Since it was necessary in the fall to place a part of the fourth grade children on half-day sessions, classes were assigned so that each class would be on half-day sessions two-thirds of the year and on full-day sessions one-third of the year.

Parents will be notified by Mr. D. V. Davey, Principal, concerning the changes in class and bus schedules.

Mr. Gilley reports that the new school in Harbison Canyon is progressing faster than expected, but will not be completed until next spring and not in use until next fall.



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## 18th Anniversary Of Pearl Harbor Marked As 'Civil Defense Day Is Survival Day'

Pearl Harbor Day next Monday will be commemorated in California by a dramatic demonstration to drive home the vital need for public knowledge of protection against radioactive fallout, Harold G. Robinson, Director of the California Disaster Office, announced today.

Nationally, the 18th anniversary of Pearl Harbor will be observed as "Civil Defense Day."

In California, the theme is: Civil Defense Day is Survival Day, Robinson said.

"Present-day civil defense, as shaped by the nuclear age, is totally different from civil defense as we knew it during World War II. Civil defense no longer means going somewhere to help someone else. It means finding out what we can do to help ourselves and our families.

"Every Californian therefore must learn the preparations he can make now—prior to a war-caused disaster—in order to protect himself and his family if attack should come.

"Tremendous attention must be

devoted to learning the nature of radioactive fallout—and what citizens can do to protect themselves from death or illness as a result of radiation.

"To point up this theme, the State government has scheduled an unusual demonstration at the Sacramento headquarters of the California Disaster Office.

"It will be assumed that an 'attack' has been made on six key areas in California.

"The radiological defense staff of California Disaster Office will then calculate the areas in which losses of life from radioactive fallout would occur on the basis of the actual prevailing winds at the time—if citizens were unprotected by home shelters.

"Results of the exercise will be released to the public next Monday.

"Every Californian can find out from his city or county office of civil defense the facts about radioactive fallout, and what he can do to protect himself against it."

The Disaster Office Director

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## Annual North Park Toyland Parade Sun.

The 23rd annual North Park Toyland parade will be held Sunday, December 6, with more than 2500 youngsters and other persons participating in this annual "Christmas present to the Children of San Diego County."

Led by three Aida players from the Bonham Brothers' band, the parade will start at 1:30 p.m. from 33rd Street, and move west over University Avenue to Arizona Street, thence south to Morley Field.

The parade proper will be led by the crack U. S. Naval Training Station Drum and Bugle Corps, which won first prize in the National Orange Show, and is nationally famous. Next will come the world-famous Long Beach Mounted Posse, silver mounted on matched palominos, which led the two Eisenhower inaugural parades.

Among the 35 major floats will be those representing Pacific Beach, Ocean Beach, La Mesa, El Cajon, National City, Chula Vista, Coronado, and other communities.

The 24 major bands will include the largest ever to march in a Toyland parade—the 225-piece Bonham Brothers' band, under direction of Jules Jacques.

Santa Claus, as is the custom, will ride on the last float.

World-famed trick rider and roper, Montie Montana, and his trick-rope family, will be a feature of the parade.

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## Alpine Junior Baseball Association News

"Work progressed quite nicely this past weekend on the new ball-field.

"A good turnout of block-layers and hod carriers made it possible to start on the announcer's booth and concession stand. Laying blocks were John Phelps, Alvin Cox, Ken Drennon, Cliff Woolridge. Supplying the cement were Larry Wilcox, Basil Spear, and John Gilroy. Gene Wilcox and Gordon Gilroy installed the steel frames for the doors as the blocks were being laid. The whole operation was supervised by Dave Wilcox.

"At noon a fine lunch was served by Gladys Jennings, Leona Drennon, Leona Wilcox, Grace Wilcox and Frances Gilroy.

"Work will continue next Saturday and Sunday, and we would like to see more new helpers lending a hand in the construction of this field. It would make us feel good just to see people touring the ball field and its facilities as we guarantee once you do, you will be back.

"Donations for its completion are still urgently needed, so if you can't help physically, maybe

you can help with a contribution. "Remember this is a community project and worthy of everyone's support. Let's get behind it and put it over. If there is to be baseball in Alpine this next summer, this field will have to be completed. So come on you fathers, especially you with boys playing ball, and lend a hand."

—Alpine Junior Baseball Association.

## Voters Are Eligible

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invited to attend.

According to a ruling by the San Diego County Council, registered voters in the original Alpine Heights District and those whose annexation directly to the District was complete prior to the November 17 election are eligible to vote in the Dissolution Election to be held Tuesday, December 15. There are 170 eligible voters designated. Only one precinct has been established with a single polling place at the residence of Mr. Claude Clerk on Alpine Heights Road.

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Pilgrim Fellowship (Senior) ..... 7:00 P. M.  
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Church Guild, Fuller Hall Every Wednesday ..... 9:00 A. M.

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Sunday School For All Ages ..... 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship Service ..... 10:55 A. M.

CHAPEL OF THE HILLS, Descanso. Rev. Robert Laird; HI 5-3628  
Prayer Service Wednesday Evening ..... 7:30 P. M.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY OF GOD — Rev. Eva Bailey;  
Sunday School For All Ages ..... 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship Service ..... 11:00 A. M.  
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the band leader Hall brother lives. Just three years ago this month, Frank died.

Last month, Phil on vacation, walked past a book store in Washington, D. C. where a sale was in progress. In the window he noticed a book whose title intrigued him, OPERATION SEA LION, by Peter Fleming, a well-documented account of Hitler's planned invasion of England, published 1957. Phil bought the book and that night, thumbing through it, came upon this picture that he didn't know existed, in this book he'd only just discovered. It was his kid brother Frank, in Canadian Army uniform, taken with a group of other soldiers and Home Guard in London in what is titled "a typical Sunday morning scene in the autumn of 1940." At Frank's side is his buddy who died in a prison camp overseas. Both men are smiling, no war gloom about them. Considering the picture, and life, our postmaster wonders about the nature of coincidence.

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Ruth Purkey, well-known lady

playwrite of San Diego, a recent winner in the Un play contest, says, "People who are smart enough to get out of trouble don't get into trouble in the first place."

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Occasionally the Brownie Troop is taken on a field trip which means a visit to the zoo, the park, a museum or some other place suitable for an afternoon's outing. At a recent meeting in Poway, Alice Cordtz, leader, asked the eager little misses for their choices for the next outing. Up shot an excited little hand.

"Yes, Desda?" Smiled the leader, "Where would you like to go?" "Paris!" came the ecstatic reply.

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Not long ago I found an 1850 half-dime under the velvet lining of a drawer in an old bureau. When I returned the coin to the dealer from whom I'd bought the bureau he said that coin collectors are known to haunt old furniture stores and poke in old bureaus and dressers hoping for just such a find.

## Pearl Harbor Day Observed

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emphasized that not since the war of 1812 have the shores of the United States been attacked by an invading force.

"In today's world, the battlefield would not be a far-off Pacific island, but our own front yards," he said.

"In a world which demands peace, and rightly so, it is essential that all citizens understand why a program of civil defense is essential.

"Contrary to the statements of

many well-meaning and otherwise well-informed citizens, civil defense is not warmongering. It is no more an invitation to nuclear disaster than your automobile insurance policy is an invitation to an accident.

"We will continue to bend all efforts to achieve a lasting peace.

Services of the Seventh Day Adventist Church will be held in Fuller Hall starting this Saturday, December 5. Elder Cantwell, a missionary from China, will speak this Saturday. The Sabbath School will start at 9:30 a.m. and the services at 11 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh D. Trail just returned from a very pleasant week in Los Angeles visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. M. Dillworth; grandson, Robert; and granddaughter, Hazel, and family.

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**NATIVES**

NATIVES include ground covers, annuals, perennials, trees, shrubs and miniatures. Several times we have talked about native plants in other issues but did not specify as such.

A gardener in the region of Alpine often thinks of a NATIVE as a drought-resistant evergreen, self-policing and extremely tolerant to abuse.

To other gardeners the word may have an entirely different meaning. He may think of NATIVE as a collector's item. We often overlook beautiful plants because of our lack of interest in NATIVES.

Other gardeners may think of a NATIVE as a wild plant. He may lose interest in NATIVES that are too generally available.

Another user of NATIVES is the gardener who likes to have plants about him that he has discovered while vacationing elsewhere in the West.

NATIVE plants are not particularly insect or disease resistant. Sometimes trouble will develop with NATIVES that are drought-resistant when they are placed under garden conditions. Plants in this class are often susceptible to

root and crown rot. This is the reason for warning against over-watering NATIVES.

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**Campo News**

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friends in the dairy industry.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lindermann of Campo went to Los Angeles to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Lindermann's son and family. The Lindermann's and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Martin of Morena Village went to Yuma together to spend one day a couple of weeks ago. Mr. Lindermann is in the Border Patrol and was stationed in Yuma before coming to Campo. Mr. Martin retired from the insurance business early this year. He was located in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Guiles of Lake Morena entertained Mr. and Mrs. Flagg Jordon at Thanksgiving dinner. The Jordons live in Houser Canyon near Lake Morena, and Mrs. Jordon is Mr. Guiles' sister.

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**TEEN TALK**

By JANIE

Rehearsals for the Christmas pageant, given every year by the Alpine Community Church, are coming along fine. The members of the cast will be announced next week.

Sometime in the near future the Pilgrim Fellowship group plans to go Christmas caroling after the rehearsals.

Junior High's other seventh grade teacher, Mr. Robert Fredrickson, has also just become the father of a baby boy! Gerald William was born on November 27.

It seems to be an epidemic around the school!

At the meeting of the Alpine Champions 4-H Club Tuesday night at Fuller Hall plans were made to hold a Christmas party on December 19.

**Real Estate Purchase**

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Malone of El Cajon have purchased the acre and one-half building site off Victoria Road formerly owned by Mrs. Caroline Sobel of San Gabriel, California, formerly of Alpine. The Malones plan to build a nice home in the near future. Sale was by Charlene Brown of Alpine Branch, La Mesa Realty Company.

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