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## More Seek Alpine Water District

### ALPINE CHATTER

The Alpine Echo news reporter would like to apologize for leaving Bob Conard's name out of the article concerning the Fire Dept. Mr. Conard is fire marshall for the dept. and issues all burning permits.

The Alpine Allemanders had another all night square dance last weekend.

The Alpine V.F.W. could use a little more support on money making activities. Members would like to build playground equipment at the Youth Center for the tots, but will be unable to do so without the support of the community.

Mr. A. C. Knox is visiting his daughter, Ruth Chynoweth, and her family on Olivewood Lane.

Members of the Alpine Youth Center Citizenship Club went on a jaunt to Belmont Park last Monday night, but after about 45 minutes of excitement a transformer went out which in turn caused all the electricity in Mission Beach to go off. The club then adjourned to the Twin Putt course in El Cajon to finish an evening of entertainment.

The Youth Center Athletic Club attended a Padre game last Thursday night. All transportation provided by these parents for the events is deeply appreciated by the Youth Center.

The Kiwanis Junior Baseball team had their picnic and swimming last night at Shadyrock.

The Empire Market Minor Baseball team is planning to attend the Padre game Saturday afternoon.

Marvin Chynoweth and the  
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### Correction

In the Junior Baseball Minor League Player Standings listed under "Baseball Banter" in the August 14 issue, Don Roccoforte's name was misspelled. We had it as "Rockaford." Sorry, Don.

### California Speaks

Significant Statements By Interesting Californians

Prof. Ho Ming Chung, Formosan philosopher and musician visiting S. F.—"Rock and roll must be good entertainment, but I do not think it will ever be popular in China."

Robert B. Bradford, Soc., State Director of Public Works, on freeways—"The trouble is a Californian considers his car as his castle."

Fay Spain, film, TV actress—"I'm not idealistic about Hollywood any more. I accept it for what it is—a ridiculous town."

Charles H. Brower, N. Y. ad exec. in L. A. speech—"Americans neither believe nor disbelieve in democracy today. We just never think much about it."

Mary E. Frisina, Huntington Park—"As long as the people supply government with spending money there is no such thing as an essential expenditure."



Powers model Georgia Condon will be official hostess at the first annual California-Florida Spinfishing Tournament, which will open in San Diego Sept. 13 under sponsorship of the National Spinfishing News and Fiesta del Pacifico. Anglers selected by the governors of the two states will fish off San Diego for yellowtail until Sept. 18, and then will be flown to Florida for four days of bone fishing. While here they will be honored at a series of receptions and dinners sponsored by businessmen, civic groups, the city and county.

### School Trustee Gets Extra Year In Office

As a result of a bill passed by the 1959 State Legislature, Mr. Laurence Wilcox of Alpine will receive a bonus year in the office of school trustee.

In addition to the 68 governing board members of 47 San Diego County school districts, the bill adds a year to seven appointed school trustees whose terms under previous law would have expired June 30, 1960.

This is a result of legislation being passed which will move the date of trustee elections from the third Tuesday of May each year to the third Tuesday in April on odd numbered years—making the next election in 1961.

### New Alpine Church

"The First Baptist Church Of The Willows" which is affiliated with the American Baptist Convention will hold services at 3522 Highway 80, originally the old rock shop.

Sunday School will start at 9:45 a.m., and evening church service at 7:30 p.m.

All are welcome to attend. If transportation is needed call HI 5-2485 or HI 5-2476.

### New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Farrell Stiehm of Tavern Road are the parents of a baby boy, Walter Lowell, born Sunday at Mercy Hospital.

Obie and Barbara Nelson of Pine Valley welcomed a new baby boy into the family Saturday at Grossmont Hospital. He has been named James Dean.

### Baseball Assn. Picnic At Shadyrock Ranch

The Alpine Junior Baseball Association picnic is this Saturday evening at Shadyrock Ranch.

Parents, friends, sponsors and members of the Association have been invited to attend. Awards will be presented, food provided and swimming available. At least 300 Alpiners are expected to attend the social event of the year for the Association.

Everyone will agree, Harry Jennings and volunteers have done exceptionally good job with the ball teams and building a ball park Alpine will always be proud of.

### Meningitis Reported

Two residents of Jacumba, Dixie Wheeler and Lawrence Pierce, were hospitalized in County Hospital on Sunday with a possible diagnosis of meningitis.

### Jamul Water District Boundary Readjusted

Delay has occurred in the acceptance by the San Diego County Water Authority of the Jamul and Mexican Canyon areas due to discrepancies on the East boundary lines in the Mexican Canyon and Jamacha regions.

Certain groups in these areas have expressed the desire to withdraw from the East County Water District. The new boundary lines will have to be submitted to the San Diego County Water Authority for approval at their next monthly meeting in September.

### ADDED VOLUNTARY APPLICATIONS BEING RECEIVED AND PROCESSED

Numerous additional requests from Alpine residents for applications regarding annexation have been received by the Alpine Heights Municipal Water District during the past week. In addition to the fifteen petitions now advertised, four more are being processed by the water

district. Secretary Mrs. Chireen Adams reported that several others will be processed within the next day or so.

Some applicants did not wait to obtain a formal application, but made their own facsimile forms copied from neighbors.

Mr. E. L. Freeland, manager of the Alpine Heights Water District, pointed out that all applications have been completely voluntary. He stated that although much time is now taken up by the processing of applications, his office has been busily engaged in conferences exploring all possible sources of water for the area. Mr. Freeland said that following advertising, the board would hold an immediate hearing concerning annexation approval.

A representative of the Alpine Heights Water District stated that no basis or confirmation could be found for a claim attributed to the proposed East County District that they had an allotment of water from the San Diego Water Authority. Such an allotment is ordinarily made only after the district is formed and accepted into the Water Authority.

### CAMPO NEWS

By Fay Farris

The evenings during the past week have been so cool, the swimming pool at Campo was closed. However, it was open during the day, and I am told that large crowds have enjoyed this popular spot all summer.

The Bolivia Club at Lake Morena was entertained on Wednesday, August 19 by Phoebe Thompson. The following were present: Ardelle Craft, Marie Martin, Marie Lindemann, Dell Nielsen, Louise Bassett, Jane Ham, Fay Farris and the hostess. Mrs. Thompson maintains an apartment in San Diego and a home in Lake Morena, as her husband is employed at Convair. Mrs. Nielsen also lives in San Diego, but was spending a few days in her trailer in Lake Morena.  
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### Irrigation District Sells Tax Deed Land

Another parcel of tax-deeded land consisting of 800 acres between Rancho Santa Fe and Solana Beach was sold this week for \$2,625,000. This was the largest land sale in Santa Fe Irrigation District history.

It is probable that the sale will result in the construction of a new community along Skyline Drive. A remainder of 25 acres of tax-deeded land belonging to the irrigation district will possibly be sold at the October 12 board meeting.

### Safety Committee Endorses Policy

San Diego's Inter-Governmental Traffic Safety Committee has endorsed Department Motor Vehicle Director Robert McCarthy's "get-safe" policy of drivers license suspensions. Mayor Charles C. Dail and Robert C. Dent, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors, jointly made the announcement.

The committee's statement said, "We commend the California Department of Motor Vehicles for its driver re-examination and driver improvement programs and urge it to continue to expand its program to remove from the highways, by denying him the privilege of driving, the motorist who repeatedly violates traffic laws." The committee represents the business and civic leaders in the field of traffic safety in San Diego and is coordinated by the San Diego Safety Council.

The Department of Motor Vehicles policy as administered by McCarthy, began an increased license suspension program on April 9. Under the negligent operation  
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### East County District To Hold Meeting

A public meeting has been scheduled by the committee representing the proposed East County Water District for next Monday evening, August 31, in the Alpine School auditorium.

A committee spokesman stated that an attempt would be made to present both sides of the local water issue. Mr. Beryl Phelps stated Wednesday afternoon that he did not know the names of the principal speakers for the program, but that he would attend and represent the proposed East County  
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### Hearing Postponed

A hearing on a complaint filed by Mrs. Edith M. Bishop naming the Alpine Heights Municipal Water District was not held this Thursday as scheduled.

The attorney for Mrs. Bishop requested a continuance stating that they were not prepared. The hearing was reset for next Thursday, September 3, at 9:30 a.m. in San Diego Superior Court No. 2.

### Announces Betrothal

Mrs. Frances Caldwell of Alpine, announces the engagement of her daughter, Ann, to Edward Lewis Wolfensberger, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wolfensberger of Ocean-side.

Ann attended San Diego State, where she affiliated with Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. Her fiancé was graduated from State College, where his fraternity was Kappa Sigma.

No wedding date has been set.

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## Editorial Echoes

A great many harassed pedestrians and city planners will be watching with keen interest the 45-day experiment now underway in the heart of Toledo, Ohio, where all vehicular traffic has been told to get out. In a four block area, walking has been made the only legal form of locomotion, and trees have replaced traffic lights; potted plants have superseded parking meters.

The experiment sprang from a suggestion made two years ago by Lewis Mumford, writer and city planner, who observed that "Either the motor car will drive us all out of our cities or the cities will have to drive out the motor car." Since then, a number of cities have banded the Mumford idea about, but Toledo seems to be the first of any size, at least, to do something about it.

If the project proves its value, Toledo may soon be known not only as the world's largest coal shipping port, but also as the city where the metatarsal came back into its own again as part of the human anatomy.

With questions coming from several quarters on various phases of Governor Brown's vast water program, informed Sacramento sources predict the Governor will include the subject in a special session of the Legislature in February so some of the wrinkles can be ironed out before the proposal goes on the ballot.

A factor which might hasten settlement of the steel strike is heavy competition from low-priced imported steel, which in the opinion of economic analysts could cause permanent damage to the American steel industry—including widespread unemployment—if wages and prices are boosted still further.

**THINGS TO COME**—The trend to longer, lower cars forced the tire makers to cut down wheel diameters; now it's resulted in a new, low-crowned chapeau for tall men who complained they were knocking their hats off getting in and out of cars . . . A new football stadium at a Texas college features plug-in outlets for spectators' electric blankets . . . A new toothpaste dispenser squeezes the dentifrice through a self-closing opening and

**BITS O' BUSINESS** — When an important customer calls at one New Hampshire plant, the flag of his home state is run up on the flagpole . . . Musical instrument makers says increased leisure time, more and bigger school bands and a thirst for culture should help push retail sales above \$500 million this year, up 15 percent from record 1957 . . .

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## Plans Made For VFW Dance Next Month

The dance sponsored by Alpine Post 5233, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Saturday, August 22, was a huge success. Music was furnished by Ole and the Dixieland boys from El Cajon.

Plans are already being made for the next dance to be held Sept. 19th, in the Alpine School Auditorium. The public is cordially invited. Tickets will be available Sept. 1st, at Club Alpine, Casino Inn and all V.F.W. members.

Door prizes were donated for the August dance by the following merchants from Alpine and vicinity:

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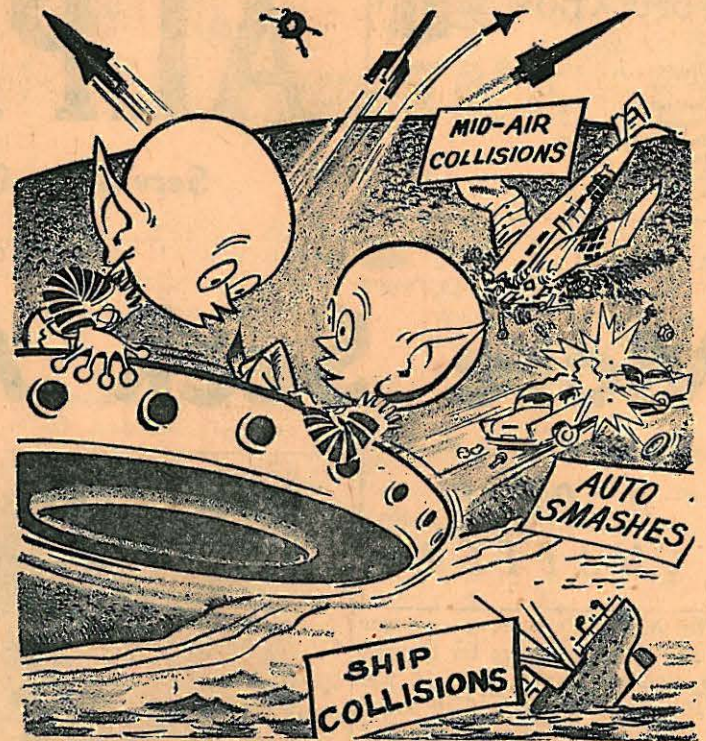
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**Campo News**

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They both belong to several clubs in this area, and make special trips to attend them, which shows how much they like it here.

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There are two houses under construction in the Oak Shores area of Lake Morena, and work is just about to start on two more. Three of the dwellings are in Unit No. 3, and they are the first buildings in this section. I understand the owners are all friends. A large number of lots have been sold this summer in Unit No. 3, and several more dwellings will probably be built in the near future.

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The wife of Ralph Kipp passed away last week. They live on Buckman Springs Road, and she had been ill for some time.

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The Combs were spending some time at their lovely dwelling in Lake Morena this past week. They are great travelers and hunters, and their home contains some beautiful specimens of mounted deer and elk heads. They drove over the Alcan Highway to Fairbanks, Alaska in 1958, and came back with priceless colored slides of their trip.

Mrs. Daisy Jones of Alpine is convalescing in Grossmont Hospital following major surgery last week.

**INDONESIAN DUTCH REFUGEES AWAIT LOCAL SPONSORSHIP**

By BEA LA FORCE

When the United Nations declared this Refugee Year, from July 1959 to July 1960, the local diocese of the Episcopal Church agreed to sponsor 200 Indonesian Dutch families. To date they have placed 48 of these displaced persons in Southern California jobs, a number of them in El Cajon and La Mesa.

According to Mrs. Reece T. Freeman of El Cajon who is in charge of the program for San Diego County, these Indonesian Dutch are fine people, honest, and hard-working, and eager for a chance to become good Americans. Mrs. Freeman says that they like this area especially because of the climate similarity to their native country. Most of the refugees are second generation Dutch colonials, but a few had been born in Holland. Some have inter-married with the natives who are Oriental in appearance but slightly more Polynesian than Chinese or Japanese.

So desperate is the situation of these people in their native Holland, due to over-population of that tiny country, that their government helps materially in getting them relocated by paying part of their passage, and sometimes all of it, to this country and Canada and Australia. Several hundred have already settled in Eastern Canada.

In June a shipload of some 800 left Rotterdam, most of whom disembarked at Montreal to be located on farms in that area with a few going into industry.

When the Communists took over their part of Indonesia, the non-Communist Dutch were shipped back to Holland with the result that the Netherlands government faced an insurmountable problem of housing and job placement for these 30,000 to 40,000 colonial citizens. As rapidly as possible the Dutch government trained the heads of families in wage earning skills, grooming them for the most part for factory jobs with an eye to placing them in the more industrial countries, and those capable of still further expansion.

Congress' passing of the Pastore-Walters Act allowed an additional 3,200 of the Dutch Indonesian families entry into our country. This number, Mrs. Freeman estimates, will bring in approximately 10,000

**District Meeting**

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District. During an interview, Mr. Clayborne LaForce, Alpine District board director, emphasized that Alpine Heights Municipal Water District was not sponsoring, in any way, the public meeting called for next Monday. Mr. LaForce stated that he had attended all board meetings and that the Alpine water group had no knowledge of the meeting and had not been invited to participate.

persons since by far the larger part of the refugees are married couples with from one to eleven children. Only a very few childless couples, and still fewer single persons, are coming in. Proof of the success of the venture, she thinks, is in the way several of the local families have accepted life here and been accepted by their new neighbors.

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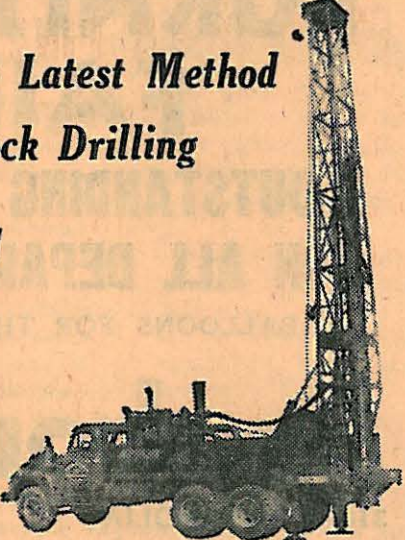
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The rhizomatous type consists of bearded, beardless and crested, the difference being primarily in the flower characteristics. All Iris that have short fuzzy hairs at the base of the falling or drooping petal are bearded Iris. The tall bearded Iris is easy to grow and practically free from all diseases. It may be used as a cut flower, blooms the year after it is planted and for several years following without replanting.

Soil for planting should have good drainage and plenty of sun. If well-drained ground is not available build soil four to six inches above the surrounding soil. Iris do not need fertilizer as this will produce beautiful foliage and very few flowers.

September when it cools is a good time to plant and replant.

Single rhizomes should be planted one foot apart just beneath the surface. Spread the roots apart for a wider and deeper feeding area. Rhizomes grow toward each other so plant the growing end in the direction you wish the plant to spread.

Iris do not require as much water as most garden flowers, but should be thoroughly soaked a month before flowering time. After the fourth year dividing is recommended for good flowering. At this time the roots are usually crowded and unable to get adequate food. Trimming foliage in summer does not harm the plant. In the fall cut back and remove all old dried up leaves and foliage.

Iris have few pests but if any occur, spray with DDT before blooming season. Rhisome rot may occur from too much water and heat. Remove badly affected plants.

Use Iris in your garden as they are colorful in and out of bloom.

**ALPINE CHATTER**

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Youth Center provided a party for their team last Tuesday afternoon at Shadyrock.

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Alpine Major All Stars were defeated by the El Cajon Recreation Dept.—7 to 6.

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The Ramblers have called off the Beatnik party originally scheduled for tonight because of so many other activities planned this month. There will not be any meeting at all this week. On Sept. 5, next Saturday night, the movie "Rebel Without A Cause" will finally be shown. Due to unfortunate circumstances the movie has been postponed three times.

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Any men 32 years or over interested in playing "16-inch Slow Pitch" baseball may contact Larry Wilcox—HI 5-2353. Last week the game was forfeited due to the lack of players from Alpine. This is not necessary as there are more than enough eligible men in this community.

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**TEEN TALK**

By JANIE

Sorry, "Beatniks," but your wild party has been postponed until further notice! Too many other social activities in busy Alpine.

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Linda Bradley, Karen Jordan, Roberta Welty and her family have just returned from a wonderful camping trip to Paso Pachacho. They hiked around the Loop Trail, up Cuyamaca mountain, and up many other small surrounding mountains!

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"Ricky Nelson" comes to town! Yes, kids, he will actually be in San Diego on September 19! "The Ricky Nelson Show," one of the main activities in the 1959 Fiesta events, will be presented at 3:30 p.m. and also 8:30 p.m. at Westgate Park. Oh boy!

Well, in exactly two weeks (as of Thursday, August 27) school begins again. We've had a long, wonderful, hot summer, but soon it will be time to get back to the old grind.

**Safety Committee**

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ator laws, drivers receiving four or more moving violation convictions in a 12 month period have had their licenses suspended.

The second phase of the "get-safe" program started July 1. After that date all persons convicted of drunk driving receive a six month license suspension. More than 25,000 California motorists have lost their privilege to drive since the inception of the program.

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