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**MAHANS BUY VINEYARD HILL**

Two choice acres of the famed old Alpine Vineyard once run by the Flegals who made choice wines and grape juice, have just been sold by George Dowdy to Jack and Pat Mahan, operators of Mountain Oil Co., present Richfield distributors for the back country.

Mahan reveals that they plan work at once on a bulk plant on the hill for wholesaling petroleum products.

'We are here to stay' declares Jack 'and will eventually build our home on a level higher than our

**WIDENS BUY HERE, MOVE IN**

Don Bates discloses that he has sold the Laurence A. McKee home, near Darnell's, to Ralph J. Widen and wife, of Mission Beach. They have already moved into the nice home on the half acre.

**KIWANIANS HOP TONIGHT**

This evening in the school auditorium Alpine Kiwanis Club is enjoying its initial annual benefit dance, 8:30 to 12:30, at which is expected a record attendance of members, friends and their ladies.



ERODED DAM COVERS CAR WITH GRAVEL AT OLD CROSS PLACE, PEUTZ VALLEY. PONTIAC BELONGS TO WM. H. BISHOP WHO LIVES THERE. HIS CAT CAN'T FIGURE WHAT HAPPENED TO CAR, WHICH IS FILLED WITH GRAVEL. WELL AND PUMP WERE ALSO COVERED. SEE PICTURE ON PAGE 14. -IRVINE PHOTO.

ALPINE WEATHER.  
FORTNIGHT TO MAR. 30:  
AVERAGE HIGH 55, LOW 46.  
EXTREME HIGH 66, LOW 29.  
RAINFALL: 7.54. SEASON 17.68

office, which will be started in the near future'.

He expects to have the plant ready by July 1, will serve the entire Mountain Empire from Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crane are feeling greatly relieved this week as their new baby Karen is recovering from a severe intestinal trouble suffered for the past fortnight.

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## EDITORIAL

### RAIN DIDN'T SOLVE PROBLEM

Alpine just enjoyed one of the finest soaking rains in several years. Old timers say creeks that were mere trickles in recent winters, flushed into singing streams as of old. Every dam is holding capacity. The Sweetwater raged gloriously down Japatul Valley till it quieted at Loveland Dam. Yes, we had a wonderful near seven-inch rain!

But that does not solve Alpine's pressing water problem. Every week someone reports deepening a well, even a deep one! Thousands are spent in courting the elusive watertable which declines each year!

Yes, we have water today, but it's costly. It's going to be more costly unless something is done. Let's make a sponge of Alpine by damming every rill and gully, or let's get water in here somehow. In three years I spent over \$4,000. on wells. But if we had had a water supply I could have connected for \$100. or less! Monthly charges would be little more than pumping, which stops every time the power fails.

Water! Yes, let's have it everywhere! - C.I.

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### THE WEATHER STORY

March yielded one of the best rain records in years, 7.68 inches which, since previous showers had soaked the earth, most of it went deep. Rills and rivers alike are still gurgling with joy! So is man!

Here is the score from the official raingage of E.W. Wright, for the month to the 30th:

Mar. 3	.09	Mar. 17	1.39
20	.33	21	1.11
22	2.07	23	.92
24	.35	25	.99
29	.38	Total . . .	7.63
		Season . . .	17.68

The Sun tried to give you pictures and data on this wonderful rainfall, so note photos elsewhere, also see editorial, Page 2, for comment on the water situation in this area.

Customer: "Do you have anything for gray hairs?"

Conscientious Druggist: "Nothing, sir, but the greatest respect."

### CHURCH HAVING FOOD SALE

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**CEMETERY HEAD ANSWERS**

A letter from the president of the Alpine Cemetery Association explains the situation mentioned in the last issue:

"Perhaps those who have been finding fault with the cemetery should be informed that there never were gates to get out of order, and the fence that is down, was taken down in order that Mr. Rushing could make the new road around the cemetery. This fence was given by a lady at a cost of \$100., and only along the front. The rest was never fenced. If those complaining will give \$100. apiece, say \$500. we can wipe out what one woman calls a shame and disgrace to Alpine. Remember it costs no effort to find fault.

Alpine Cemetery Association,

-J.T. Foss, president."

Note- We believe in having proper respect for our loved ones and neighbors who have passed on, and a cemetery, while enfolding the dead, belongs to the living, therefore we should see that our town has a respected place of repose for the departed. Why not a community working party, and a fund to erect proper fences, and so forth? To start it, we hereby donate \$2. Perhaps some civic bodies will take hold and schedule a day to work and transform the cemetery, occupying the most sightly spot in Alpine which pioneers selected over 55 years ago. - C.I.

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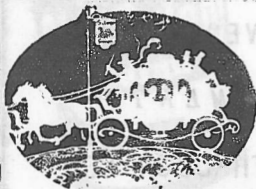
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**ISAAC FAMILY HERE TO LIVE**

Edw. Brandt's daughter, Mrs. Chuck Isaac, Mr. Isaac, and family are in town from Peoria where they sold out recently. The Brandts also are in process of disposing of their holdings there, expect to return to Alpine and complete their home soon.

The Isaacs have two kiddies, Sally, 11, Chuckie, 3. They had an exciting trip across country, bucking rain, snow and winds but made it in good time, glad to be here, where they will make their home.

**FINDS ALPINE FOLDER, WRITES**

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Battin, Fontana, writes the Sun that they found an interesting Alpine descriptive brochure (which we printed) out on the highway, so 'could you tell us or find some way for us to view real estate in Alpine?' We took care of it

**MANY AT KISTLER RECEPTION**

Last Sunday week, from 3 to 7, the former home of Dr. Ruth Hubbert, now occupied by Alpine's new medico, Dr. C.H. Kistler, Jr. and family, was the scene of a pleasant reception when many families in this area went to meet the new folk. Hostesses were Dr. Hubbert, Mrs. Frank Doerr, Mrs. Wm. Graham and Mrs. V.M. Shahan.

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## HOUSE NUMBERS IN SIGHT

As the backlog of projects in placing numbers on all property in several communities diminishes, Alpine's request for same is nearing the front, will soon be engineered, reports T.L. Yakel, county head of this work. The task will require about six days, then the mapping will take around five weeks as all houses and buildings have to be exactly plotted. This fine improvement for Alpine will be greatly appreciated by every public office, utility and resident. It is a project of the Alpine Sun, started last fall.

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## TALENT SHOW NEXT FRIDAY

Adult and student amateurs are readying their fourth annual program, April 9, at 7:45, in the school auditorium, and another record attendance is anticipated.

Awards will be given all contestants, trophies to the three division winners, and a large one will be awarded as grand prize, winner selected by the audience. A perpetual trophy will be kept at the school with the grand prize winner's name added each year.

Ruth and Larry Rooklidge are co-chairmen with Sara and Hank Magnussen, Irene and Mike Cady, Pat and Bill Doerr and Frank Brown on the Committee. Rooklidge will emcee.

A full evening has been planned with adult entertainment interspersed. Already lined up are Phil Hall and his musical saw, Mike Cady, solo, Chuck Vottruff and his western band, and Bill Suter, solo.

Audition judges will be two S.D. county music coordinators. Judges for finals will be art and music teachers from other county schools.

A poster contest will be held in conjunction. All art classes are invited to participate. An award will be given to the best advertising poster. Admission is 50¢ children 10¢.

## FINE PROGRAM AIRED BY BANK

Twice weekly on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. San Diego's Security Trust & Savings Bank is presenting a half hour of famous musical artists on "Concert Time" over KSON. Featured are "first chair" or leader artists in each orchestral group, playing some of the world's finest music. The first two offerings were well received, so note the schedule and enjoy "Concert Time", it's a real treat.

JOHNSON SINKS \$1600. IN WELL B & R Diamond Drilling Co., of E.C., has just completed deepening the C.L. Johnson well, Alpine Terrace, to 181 feet at a cost of over \$600, but it has 100' of precious water in it, can't be pumped dry, he reports.

## FORMER PUBLISHER VISITS

Bernard Ackerman, retired N.Y. publisher, who brought out many beautiful books during a number of years in that city, drove up from Ontario Friday to visit Clarke Irvine, whom he knew well in Hollywood when the Irvines were publishing Let's Live magazine. With his wife, Ackerman recently arrived from N.Y., to make his permanent home in the state. "When you get water in Alpine" he declared, "you'll go ahead; then you'll see us back here."

Have you tried Sun Classified Ads?

## ANCIENT SURVEY TAG FOUND

Samuel P. Bunch, president, Alpine Masonic club, retired carpenter and surveyor, recollects one of his interesting experiences in the wilderness out of Three Forks, Mont. back in 1904 on the C.M. & St. P. R.R. survey. In the jungle he found a cedar peg. After scraping the moss off, a tag revealed: "Set by the Lewis & Clark Expedition 1803".

Tuesday morning the Women's Prayer Circle of the Community Church met at the Bogg's home.

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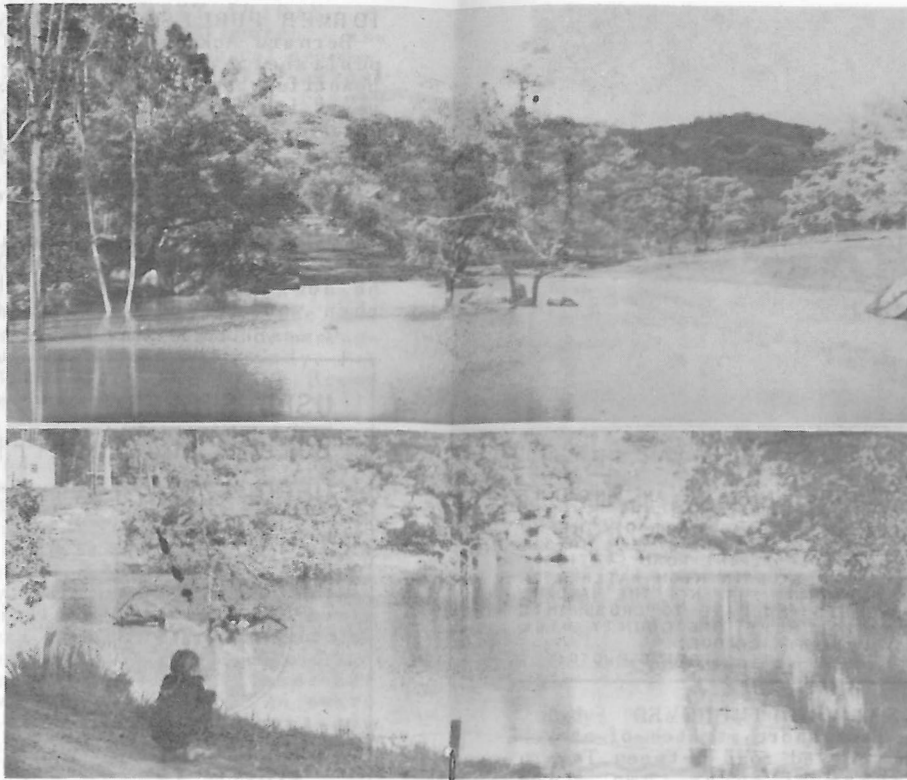
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Wife: "What a nerve this man has to charge us \$10 for towing us only half a mile!"

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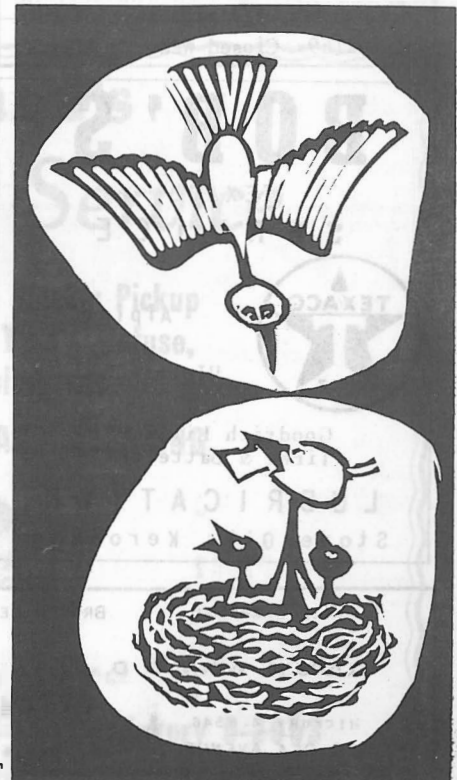
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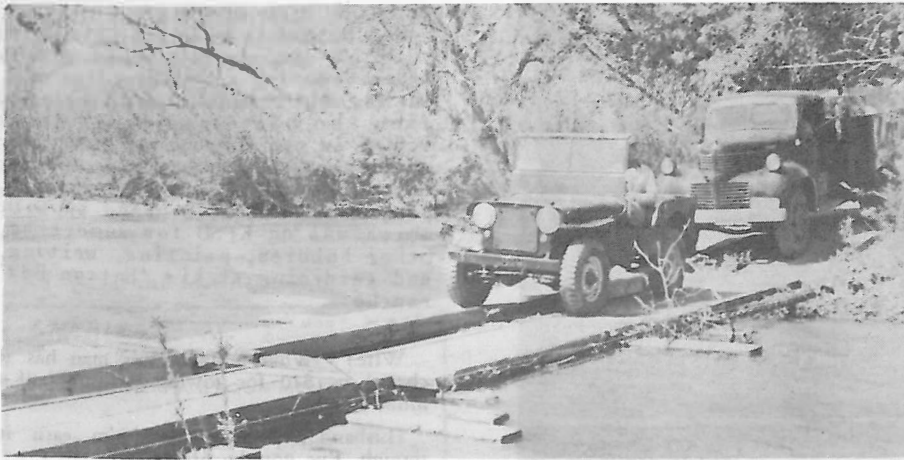
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- IRVINE PHOTO.

### DEHESA ROAD IMPROVED

The last short stretch of narrow rough, curved road between Tavern Rd. where it turns town into Dehesa Rd., is fast being straightened and graded, reports Sam Hanson, in charge of Alpine's busy county road station.

Only two bites of the mammoth shovel are required to fill one large truck. Present improvement includes modernizing this all the way to juncture of Tavern with So. Grade. The section between there and Arnold Way is expected to follow shortly after completion of this early day route over which ranchers drove cattle from the lowlands to the old Baron Long ranch.

Sunday was surprise day at the Don Bates' home when they enjoyed a long distance call from son John, now in air force training at Ft. Bliss, Tex. All had a thrill!

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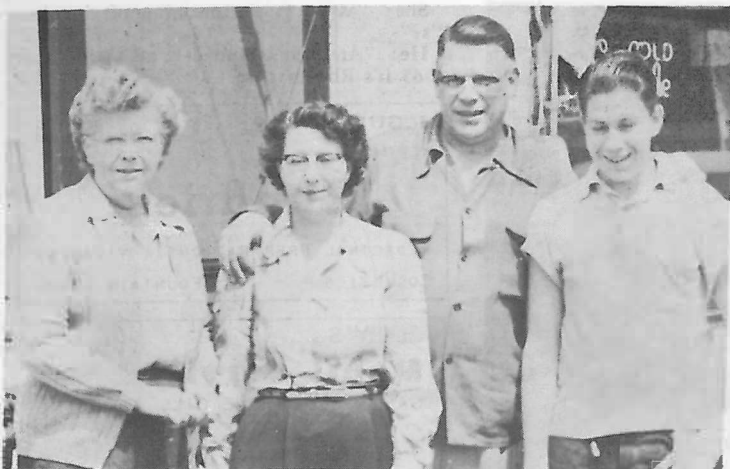
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Here is proof that it is difficult to make all happy: two readers of the Alpine Sun send remarks that make news:

'Dear Mr. Irvine: Enclosed \$2. for subscription. You are doing a swell job, sincerely, Otto H. Miller.'

And this, on a postal, from behind the 'spineless curtain', from a chap who is afraid to sign his name: A Dear Ed: The Sun is losing its interest because there are far too many ads, barely any news. When it first came on the scene you put in a lot of nice newsy bits that we all enjoyed, but now ads fill the page and squeezed in between is a little news. Sincerely, Mr. 'X'.

Note- As everyone knows 'X' stands for nothing- the unknown! We run around 50% news and 50% ads in every issue. We'll wager a flat dime that this bird has never subscribed! CI

Sanity of Mind depends upon all-round expression of a man's faculties and abilities.

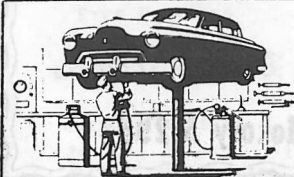
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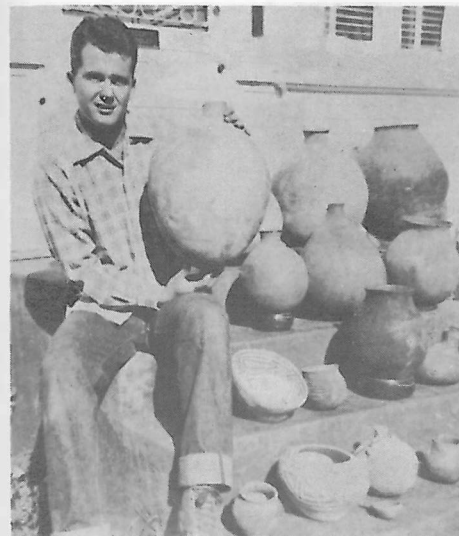
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### COORDINATOR FOR FIRE DEPT.

At a recent session of Alpine Fire commissioners, outgoing member, J.H. McKie, Jr., was named as coordinator between the local department and those representing state and federal governments. The idea is to maintain the fine spirit of cooperation between the three, which is of inestimable value to Alpine taxpayers, as it affords them the fine equipment and experience of state and national services.

A score of writers from the S.D. Women's Press club enjoyed a delightful luncheon and workshop, reading of Mss, at Ye Alpine Tavern Monday, reports Mrs. Otto Miller, who hosted the affair with Mrs. Roy Kuphaldt and Mrs. Hay McDonald.

### BATES SELLS P.V. PLACE

Johnnie Grandeur, realtor with Don Bates, reports selling the Frank Schaefer place in Pine Valley to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lochrl, of S.D., who will make it their home.

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### MANY GARDENS FOR ALPINE

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### JOHNSON BACK FOR CHECKUP

On his second series of physical exams for health, Jim Johnson is in Naval Hospital for the windup, with favorable reports so far, he declares. He reentered the 29th, hopes to be out in a few days, back at his grocery to help Wallie carry on. His main trouble has been stomach ulcers---but they have been controlled by careful diet, he says.

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