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ELECT NEW FIRE OFFICERS

At the meeting of the fire department they elected officers for 1970: D. Cracola, 1st assistant chief; B. Nelson, 2nd assistant; R. Stindt, cap-

DENVERITES LEASE, MAY BUY

Gerald Miller, with Metro Equipment Co., in SD, his wife Virginia and their three children, Randy, 11, Cindy, 10, and Gerry, 9, have made a 3-month

REMAINS OF DEAD-MAN'S CURVE!

Last week when Editor Irvine flew over Alpine making new air shots with Al Smith, they clearly saw how the freeway is progressing.

This looks east over the "remains" of Deadman's Curve, center left. At right old Hwy 80 is being covered --buried forever!

White lanes at bottom are present end of freeway, temporary detour going on what will be westbound lanes of I-8. Cuts above show new route, as present 80 winds up at top left. Morrison-Knudsen firm is well on schedule with job, to finish this year at Japatul interchange.



tain; F. Moreno, captain; D. Kuhn, secretary and P. Swenson, treasurer.

Officers for January were named: F. Kuhn, 1st Lieut.; G. Phelps, 2nd Lieut. and W. Pederson, secretary-treasurer.

lease on the Paul Clay dwelling, 2962 Viejas View Rd., and are now enjoying Alpine.

They have an option to buy, reports Betty Jasencak of Smith Realty who handled the deal. All are natives of Kansas City, Mo.

Tune Clarke Irvine, Physical Fitness, Radio 860, XEMO 3:15 & 11:15 Pm Sunday

A boy was about to purchase a seat for a movie one afternoon. The boxoffice man asked:

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of governmental affairs, area development and highways with the SD cofc, Russell W. Crane, jr., was appointed public affairs manager in the PR department of SDG&E.

Crane has aided many Alpine realtors and others in development of this area. He is married, has a son and two daughters, lives at 3344 Poe St., in Point Loma.

BEWARE OF LOOSE GRAVEL!

Last week Maj. James Early Snow, USMC, ret., who is nearly 84, while on a walk to town from his Alpine Village apartment, slipped on loose gravel on the pavement, had a nasty fall. He broke his glasses, cut his nose, wrist and leg, but was perhaps saved from broken bones by his sturdy cane.

CHAMBER APPRECIATED XMAS TOYS

In Dr. Robt. Burak's quarterly news letter-he's 1970 prexy of the chamber of commerce-he said: "The Christmas toys, offered by the men of Conservation Camp La Cima, in Julian, were distributed to needy families in the Harbison Canyon and Peutz Valley areas, as well as to our own Indians here on the reservation. We appreciate the assistance by Mrs. Halvor Hem and Mrs. Robert Newton in this pleasant task."

VISTA ALPINE GETS MORE FOLKS

Mr. & Mrs. Ira Hargrave, managers of the 151-space Vista Alpine Mobile Home Estates, report that they now have 56 beautiful homes in, with three more reservations, and some who will come in soon as they sell their houses.

"Some Illinois people who used to live in Harbison Canyon", says Hargrave, "are getting data on our park, plan to return to the area to live".

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MORE MOBILHOME PARKS ARE DUE IN AREA!

Christopher D. Sickles, an astute young man, president of Medical Growth Industries, which has zoomed to prominence in the field of development and finance, is on a good wicket, the mobilhome park trend.

In his January MGI Newsletter, he points out how the nation's housing shortage is affecting the lives of an enormous number. Last year his expanding MGI developed Vista Alpine Mobile Home Estates here, a 151-space family park which is rapidly filling with fine people.

His firm recently acquired 17 acres $\frac{1}{4}$ mile north of I-8 for building a 136-unit park to be called Los Cocheros Mobile

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Home Estates with a proposed density of eight units per acre, with green belt and youth play area, and recreation facilities. Alvarado Builders start work next month.

The Commission on Mortgage Interest Rates stated in a recent report that the price of new dwellings financed by conventional mortgages rose to an average of \$35,100 or nearly \$5,000 higher than the previous year. Homes for \$15,000 or less are no longer being built, and in many areas a \$30,000 one is equally difficult to find. Even those who buy \$70,000 houses are experiencing difficulty in procuring the required down payment due to high interest rates and tight credit.

In view of this, the mobilehome industry is arousing widespread interest among buyers and investors alike. This \$2 billion market accounts for 30 percent of all single-family homes under \$15,000. The current average price of a mobilehome is \$6,000 to \$8,500 or \$8.50 a square foot as opposed to \$18 for a conventional house. Last year 400,000 were built, 16,000 of which were purchased in California.

And on Jan. 1, California revised regulations for savings and loan associations to provide accounts for mobilhomes loans as these are expected to make up a substantial portion of the single family dwellings in this decade.

Thus high interest, taxes and lumber are aiding the trailer industry and easing the gaff on homeowners! -CI.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Manion, Tavern Road, are the proud parents of a baby boy born Saturday, their first child.

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GEORGE JUREY

Funeral was pending at presstime for George H. Jurey, 70, of Trailer Estates, who died Monday in EC Valley Hospital following a brief illness. Death was due to heart failure, a kidney infection and uremic poisoning. He had formerly worked at Lutz's Garage. He was a native of Oil City, Pa. Deputy Coroner David Stark handled the case.

Survivor: a sister, Mrs. Chas. C. Campbell, Attica, NY. He was a member of Fraternal Order of Eagles in SD.

HOLIDAY ON ICE ENDS SUNDAY

The 25th anniversary edition of Holiday on Ice opened Tuesday at the Sports Arena with an internationally acclaimed cast headed by Ronnie Robertson, with several comedy acts featured.

The show's theme is developed around a Happy Birthday, in keeping with its 25th anniversary, salutes all major holidays in production numbers.

The show will be on thru Sunday with matinees tomorrow and Sunday. Tickets at all agencies and the Arena ticket office.

EC ELKS TO HONOR NEWS MEDIA

Next Friday El Cajon Lodge 1812 BPOE, is entertaining members of the press, radio and TV at its annual salute to them in their fine lodge, 1400 E. Washington, says Grant W. Thiem, chairman. A cocktail hour, dinner and program are highlights.

BIG KIWANIS MEET TOMORROW

The 7 o'clock Saturday breakfast meeting of Kiwanians may be a bit over-crowded in the Log Cabin for it is a past-presidents' session with the Lake Murray club as guests.

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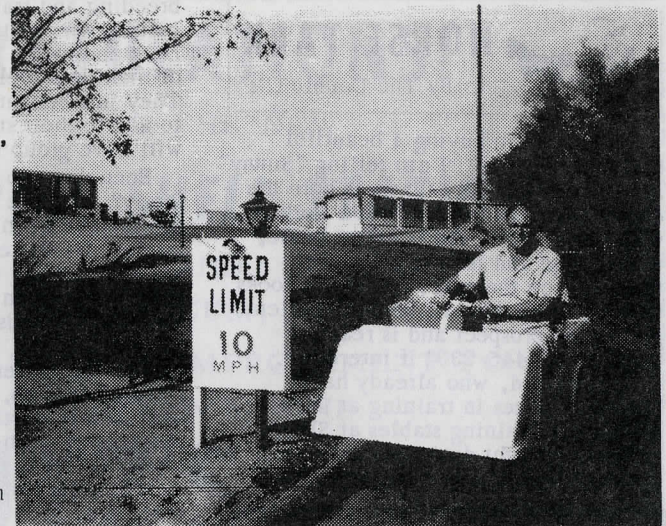
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NO SMOG FROM
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Here is John "Stan" Stanbrough, who with wife are assistants to Ira and Lydia Hargrave, park managers. Both couples live in fine big mobilhomes.

The Stanbroughs came here on Aug. 1, from Torrance. He is a retired POI from the USN, suffered a bad heart attack, so takes it easier now.

Stan is riding the little electric car which emits no smog-making chemicals. Note speed sign, which makes park safe for kiddies.



BROKER TICKET FOR MRS. HOFFMAN

Elated over passing her real estate broker exam is Mrs. Elsie Hoffman, associate with Henry McKie Realty, 2355 Alpine Blvd. Her husband, who works for the USN, is being transferred to San Francisco in April, so they will leave Alpine, where they have lived many years.



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Been down to visit Sleepy Hollow lately? You are in for a big surprise as things have been really humming there lately. DeMatteis and owner Shilts are busy putting up big professional rings so they can hold rodeos there this summer. Sounds good to us as we love them.

The big Silver Spur Rodeo in Yuma is slated for Feb. 7 and 8 with the annual parade starting at 10. We are planning on going as usual, even plan on riding in the parade, and going with us is Debbie Bruton, as she is also a rodeo fan.

Wonder who the 2 year old bay belonged to that took up residence for the night in Howard Barrett's corral? He called us to see if we had any leads on the horse but couldn't give him any information.

RAIN DELAYS CAMPUS SELECTION

Only about half of the members of a campus site selection committee toured the area Saturday due to bad weather, but will meet again tomorrow to finish the task.

The Alpine site--see last issue-- is somewhat sloping and under the 150 required acres, but it was said there is contiguous land available, so Alpine just might get the new Grossmont College campus.

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"If we don't kill DDT it will kill us" might be a slogan for the National Audubon Society's lively campaign to educate against and get it legislated out, here and nationwide.

In its Jan. bulletin, kindly sent the Sun by Librarian Elizabeth West, the society is working with Sens. Nejedly and Sherman, in Sacramento, to get a bill to help rid California of the menace.

It is well known now that this chemical is totally dangerous as it remains toxic in the environment for 10 years, spreads by wind and water around the globe, is harmful to wildlife, affects man's food supply, including fish.

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ANTICS OF THE ARTISTS

By Mary Ann Williams

Here's your last chance to see two really interesting and enlightening exhibits at Alpine Art Chalet, 1321 W. Victoria Dr., the January show.

One, our own Catherine Chene's handcraft will delight all. She is most ingenious in all she creates. Old and young are intrigued by her work.

The other is by our visiting artist, Nettie Woods, whose clever way with paints and brushes is well worth a trip to the chalet. She is also exhibiting some unusually unique collages, assemblages and a montage around the assassination of the Rev. Martin Luther King, done with photos, clippings and other illustrations. It has received much fine publicity.

She was up Sunday with her husband who is progress supervisor at Puerta la Cruz Camp, near Warner's Hot Springs.

Twice disappointed by camera jamming, the Sun's editor is going to try again with another camera to get some photos of Mrs. Woods and her unusual works.

GARDEN PESTS ARRIVE

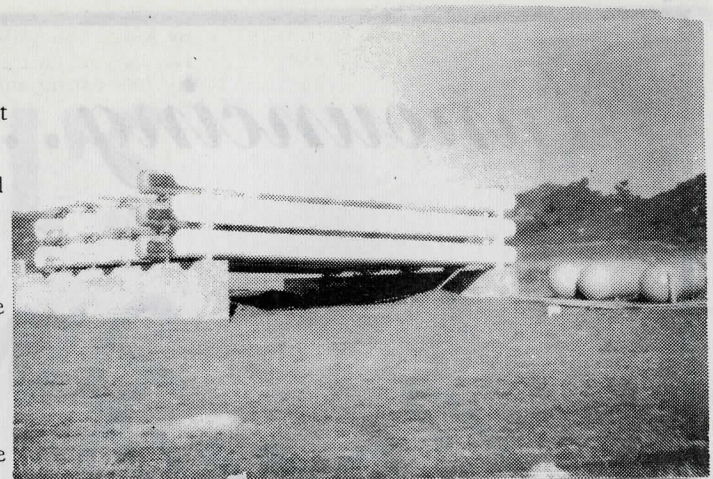
If you have citrus and evergreens on your property, better check for garden pests as they have been seen here and once the area is infested, it takes strong insecticides to rid trees of these parasites. A solution of malathion is best and may be purchased at any garden supply. Dormant fruit trees should be sprayed before the fruit sets as the red spider and other pests have been reported in Alpine.

"But, Dear," said the young newlywed to her husband, "when we decide to have children, we're taking a big chance. Statistics show that one out of every 5 babies born is Chinese

CID PUTS IN BIG GAS TANKS

This battery of 15 long steel propane tanks has just been filled with 16,000 gallons. Ron Leitch worked Saturday getting them in order so CID tank trucks could load up Monday to service Alpine and the back country.

"We will be saving 20 man-hours a week by having our storage on Dunbar Lane" says Leitch, "besides it increases our capacity for better customer service". It will also save trucking and mileage by being in Alpine vicinity.



CofC WORKS FOR LOWER TAXES

The current quarterly news letter from the chamber of commerce notes, says Pres. Dr. Robt. Burak: "A tax committee has been formed, with Louis Landt as chairman. He will be assisted by Henry McKie and Layman Lightfoot, an energetic crew, so we expect to see some fine results."

A Martian landed his saucer in downtown NY and was approached by a panhandler who asked for a dime. The Martian asked, "What's a dime?" The panhandler thought it over for a moment and said "You're right! How about a quarter?"



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Grace Palmer, new prexy, invites any and all senior citizens to come Mondays from 10-3 and enjoy fun, games and their monthly potluck.

Guest this week was Thelma Anthony, former Alpiner, here visiting from Orange, and enjoying her stay.

"I'd move heaven and earth to break a hundred," said the golf addict as he banged away in a sand trap. "Try heaven," advised his partner, "You've already moved enough earth."

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ART FOR YOUNGSTERS TOMORROW

Tomorrow in Alpine Art Chalet, Mrs. Simone Titus who operates this cultural place with her husband, is conducting another class of youngsters in primary charcoal sketching. Due to the bad weather and some having the flu, last Saturday's session was called off.

Titus, who is president of the art group, is headmaster of the darkroom, carries some photo supplies, teaches that upcoming art. He shows all angles of how a beginning lensman can get the thrill of seeing his own pictures come up in the photo lab. 445-3879 for details.

Note-The world's greatest photographers do their own lab work in order to interpret their impressions for the viewer. I have been in this work since kneepants days when I received a tiny camera, (before Brownies), with a suit of clothes. I have earned part of my living for many years with photography and it is still as fascinating as that first little old solar printing out picture that I made as a lad. This field offers great success today as shown by Alpine's own Bob Rowan, now with Community College, Battle Creek, Mich.

JOB FAIR FOR VETERANS

From 9 to 3 next Thursday in Veterans' Memorial Bldg., Park Blvd., the VA is staging a job fair so that all Vietnam veterans seeking employment in city, county, state, US, or private industry, may attend.

"Employers will be on hand to interview for various jobs, says H. M. Webster, manager of the VA SoCal office. Details from 293-5233.

NEW BEAUTY SHOP OPENS

Because of the large demand for milady's beauty needs, Marcel, a native of Zurich, Switzerland, has opened "Marcel's For Beauty, 532 E. Main St., El Cajon. The unusual shop, newly decorated, will also carry a Boutique featuring a nice line of ladies dresses and accessories.

Marcel only recently came from Washington, D.C. with his wife Anita and two children, Kurt, 8, and Kimberly, 3, where he owned and operated two salons, was also part owner of a Beauty College located in Bethesda Chevy-Chase.

Marcel says "we will be open Thursday and Friday nights for your convenience and later on from 9 to 9." His beauticians feature modern styling, facials, pedicures and all types of wig styling and cleaning.

As a get-acquainted special he is offering all beauty services at ½ price until Feb. 15th, says "come in, say hello, and make our acquaintance."

FIREMEN WERE BUSY LAST YEAR

In his annual report, Fire Chief Dale Bennett said that they had put in over 1509 hours of training, answered 144 calls for fires, false alarms, first aid, public service, smoke checks and so on.

Bennett gave a quotation in behalf of the volunteers: "The Citizen Fire-fighter".

"The citizen firefighter is often more dedicated than the professional because he puts in untold hours of training and participation in actual emergencies. He must be better trained because he must use equipment that he does not come in contact with each day. The only pay he receives is the knowledge that he has done his job well and made his community a better and safer place in which to live."

"No, you can't interest me in a vacuum cleaner. Try the lady next door. I always use hers and its absolutely terrible."

INDIAN RELICS TO BE DISPLAYED

The public is invited to hear anthropologist Florence Shipek, from the University of SD who will be guest speaker at the next quarterly meeting of the Alpine Historical and Conservation Society, at 8 p. m., Friday Feb. 13, at the Women's Club.

Mrs. Shipek will speak on "The Indians of Southern California", and a second feature of program will be the addition of localised information supplied by Chief Clarence Brown of Viejas Reservation. Chief Brown will also display items from his collection of historical utensils made by Indians of this area.

The society is anxious to add to the evening's display and anybody owning antique baskets or pottery made by local Indians, or known to have been made in Southern California, is asked to contact Vice-President Phil Hall at 445-2151, in order that cards can be made and the items properly identified and credited for exhibition.

SQUARE DANCES FOR YOUNG FOLKS

Because they were too young to engage in the dance classes at the YC, Ted Nation, 20, of Spring Valley, is starting a young adults class from 7 to 8:30 Tuesday, Jan. 27, in the YC. Price will be 35¢ a night. It will be open for new ones for three weeks. Details from 469-0234.

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DOUBLE TALK

By Cecile & Celeste Irvine

We all were shocked Saturday morning when he heard over the radio that Richard Knapp had been stabbed to death. We have known him all our lives, in fact, he was in the same grade as Cynthia, and it is just hard to believe. We learned Monday that they had apprehended the 3 motorcyclists who had been involved in the slaying and all we can hope is that they get their just reward. Raymond Rix was with him at the time but couldn't help. They got Richard on the floor and just let him have it while Raymond was trying to fight off one of the other gang members who stabbed him in the shoulder. We talked to Sharon and she told us this bit about it. Our sympathy surely goes out to Richard's family.

Debbie Bruton got the stitches out of her face and finger and the swelling is gone from her lip, now she is almost

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back to normal. She has to have her bottom teeth capped and her finger will take time to get back to normal but otherwise she is in fine shape.

Yvonne Randall is thrilled with her 7-months old pedigreed poodle she named Koko because he is chocolate covered. Bet he is a cute one.

Dave Brown is sporting around in a beautiful new fire engine red GTO. He is a civilian fireman with Naval Hospital so the color fits in perfectly.

Libby Wake wrote me with the news that Gary married Sibbie Thornton last week in a small church wedding and she was maid-of-honor. It is hard to see Gary married but maybe it will be the best thing for him.

If you missed Alpine's annual rabies clinic, all is not lost. You can take your pet down to the SV Animal Shelter any Thursday before the deadline from 2 to 4 and have your pet vaccinated for only \$1.50. The address is 8661 Jamacha Road. This is a bargain as a vet charges \$5. for each dog. It is a must before you can license your pet.

Tommy Boston got married last week. He and his family lived in the Canyon for years.

Daddy got an interesting bulletin from the SD Organic Club and in it was a note about noise pollution. We thought it was good enough to reprint. Dr. Ira Hirsh tells us that constant noise abuse of the delicate nerve cells in the inner ear causes them to degenerate and fall apart. So you may become a victim of "noise pollution", caused by radio, TV, rock bands, etc. Is something to think about.

Want a beautiful German shepherd? She is 2 years old, good with children and badly needs a country home to roam in. Call 443-4836.

Doris Scully was thrilled Tuesday morning when Frank called her from Vietnam. He is with the first Marine Division, 12 miles outside of Danang, called at 1:30 and our time was 9. The call came through North Island collect so all his mother will have to pay is the call from San Diego.

RICHARD KNAPP STABBED TO DEATH
During a fight over a pool game in the Canyon Inn, 550 Harbison Canyon Rd., at 2 a. m. Sunday, Richard Knapp,



21, of 431 Arnold Way, son of Harold and Jennie Knapp, was fatally stabbed and Raymond R. Rix, formerly of South Grade Rd., of Santee, was stabbed in the shoulder.

Graveside service was Wednesday at Alpine Cemetery for young Knapp, with Paris Mortuary in charge. Survivors: his widow, Sharron; a daughter, Tanya; the parents, and a brother, Ronald E. of Alpine.

Knapp was born in SD, would have been 22 on Sunday. He attended school here, at Brooklyn grammar, El Cap HS, and L. A. City College, worked as a plumber, was well known in the area.

Sheriffs took into custody Monday, two brothers, Tom Lester, 19, and Jas. B. Neiswonger, 20, of SV, and David E. Caudillo, 24, of SD, also Winnie A. Shipp, 40, of SD. Investigators say it is alleged that Caudillo did the stabbing and that all belong to a motorcycle club.

Homicide complaints were expected to be issued against the men, and a possible accessory to the alleged crimes for the woman, with arraignment Tuesday in EC Municipal Court, (too late for presstime).

SICKLES CREATES NEW SUBSIDIARY
The president of Medical Growth Industries, Christopher D. Sickles, who has two large investments here, the convalescent center and Vista Alpine, has just created a new subsidiary, a syndication company, to be located in MGI's central office.

It was started to assist MGI in sale of completed projects. James W. Welch is chief executive officer. He was former youngest veep in the history of Sir George's being only 30. He became acquainted with Darley/Gobar Associates, the newly acquired subsidiary of MGI which is doing such a big job in its Pop-Facts program on census results with computers.

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Grossmont BS District, which includes most of the back country, has a goal of \$25,000. This year Scouting scores 70 years' of service to the nation with a program which has trained statesmen, businessmen, even astronauts. Anyone may join and help in this great manpower work.

Old winter solstice is over a month gone and you can note the lengthening days. Today the sun rises at 6:53, sets at 5:09. Full moon is on as it was opposite the sun at 5:28 yesterday, according to the handy calendar-almanac, given out each year by Security Pacific Bank.

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BIAFRAN SPEAKS AT McCALL'S

John Maicane of Nigeria, a teacher who comes Fridays to talk on Africa to students at McCall's Ranch School, brought a colorful friend Friday. He was Sunday M. Umoh, born in Nigeria where "rebels wanted to make Biafra, but I had opposed the idea of secession from the beginning till today when it has been officially crushed", he stated.

Sunday was trained in Teachers' College as a schoolmaster, worked as a principal teacher in elementary school, also taught in HS in the U. S. He has a B.S. and M. B. A. degrees in LA, and an L.B. in LaSalle Extension University. He has been president of Nigerian Students' Union in Southern Calif., now is legal director of Nigeria's Intl. Assn. for Inter-Cultures.

Invited to hear the interesting talk were Luther Mohr, manager of Security Bank here and Editor Irvine.

Students paid close attention to the absorbing history recounted of how the whole problem started, the chicanery, publicity, and arms profits that accrued to several nations, and how the "war" was finally ended. Many asked pertinent questions, one being on the CIA, which elicited the answer that it was definitely in the game.

CITIZENS' COMMITTEE TO MEET

Monday at 8 p. m. in the auditorium members of Alpine Schools Citizens Committee will meet to discuss many important issues, one being double sessions. The public is welcome and so are new members, say the committee.

Did you hear about the Texas kindergarten who insisted his parents rush right out and buy him pistols, belt and holsters because his teacher told the class she was going to teach them to draw?

SHELL'S GRAND OPENING FRIDAY

Friday the 29th through Sunday Feb. 1, Alpine Shell Service, with Ron Niccum, dealer, will stage its grand opening. This beautiful new station, first of its type on the coast, is open 24 hours daily.

"We look for a big time" says Niccum, "as we are giving steak knives on coupons to be redeemed as many were sent out by mail". Free glasses will go with all gas sales, also S&H green stamps. "And", he adds, "Shell has the lowest priced gas in Alpine".

CID Propane is installing a service tank for trailers and campers. Ron also carries white gas, kerosene and weed killer. Another first for Shell in the area is that it now carries the largest line, hot sandwiches just being added. The gift shop is fully stocked, also.

Concludes Niccum: "We have complete automotive service, tires, batteries, everything with free pickup and delivery in Alpine, and being open all night and day, we can lube or work on your car while you sleep".

Arthur Cates of Alpine Heights Rd., is a new addition to the affable staff working with Niccum.

SWEETHEART DANCE FOR KIWANIS

A happy hour at 6:30, dinner at 7:30 and dancing from 9 till ? is on the board for Alpine Kiwanians, their wives and guests in Singing Hills Country Club Saturday, Feb. 7. Last year's party was a big success so Pres. Lee Widmer looks for an even larger attendance this year.

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The brilliance of tonight's full moon will somewhat dim the comet, making it hard to find unless you know just where to look, says the stargazer. He suggests getting as high as possible and away from lights. He recommended Alpine, in a SD Union Story.

TSK comet will be in the SW sky nearly 45 degrees from the horizon, which should place it--from here--well above Alpine Heights. By Monday it will be high over the equator, but should still be visible.

This one was named to honor three Japanese observers who found it simultaneously in November. Its tail is about 4 million miles long, a mere disappearing wisp of frosty light. So get out your binoculars, or, if you have one, your telescope, and get an astral thrill!

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THANKS, FOLKS!

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COLLEGE COMES TO ALPINE

Thursday, Feb. 5, the first class in the new Grossmont College project of giving Alpine three subjects, will meet from 7 to 9:50 p. m. in Room 8, Alpine Elementary School. Instructor is Fred Stollenwerk, B. A., M. S., of Grossmont. It will be English Essentials-3 units, says W. A. Yuhl, of the evening division. Details from 465-1700, Ext. 258. The semester is from Feb. 5 to June 18.

Saturday, Feb. 7, from 8:30 to 11:20 a. m. Oral Communication-3 units, will begin in the school auditorium with Richard Manzella, B. A., M. A., in charge. This is a valuable basic college course in speaking.

Wednesday, Feb. 11, from 7 to 9:30 p. m. in the Woman's Club, the class in Contemporary Social Problems-3 units, will begin with Mrs. Elsa Dye, A. A., B. A., M. A. It covers the gamut of contemporary American social problems.

Any HS grad or person over 18 is eligible. Attend the first meeting for application. Student fee is \$4 plus cost of books and supplies. These classes do not differ from regular day programs.

Note-This is a wonderful opportunity for Alpiners desiring knowledge in these areas. Many years ago I took an evening class in public speaking, have never failed to profit from it in many ways. See you in class! -CI

L. "Dutch" Van Dierendonck, 2237 Tavern Rd., is a new bartender in the Log Cabin Lounge, having left that work at the Bahia, says "Now I commute home in only three minutes, instead of 45".

SPEEDING ON INTERSTATE 8

Morrison Knudsen Corp., builders of the freeway from its present end west of Deadman's Curve, toward Japatul Rd., are making speed on the work, reports Res. Hwy Eng. Robt. Winterbourne.

"Earthwork through where the mountain was, is progressing on time, should be completed by the middle of April, weather permitting", he told the Sun Tuesday.

From here and the mountain by the new bridge, over 3 million yards of earth and rock will have been removed and compacted when done. The east-bound 2-lane bridge is completed, paved and guardrails going in. Two more months will be required to finish the westbound bridge.

"If weather does not slow us too much", he concludes, "the job should be done by the end of August."



Here is Evelyn Peterson, oldest employee in point of service at Alpine Branch, Security Pacific National Bank, started 7 years ago this May. She still serves customers with a big smile.

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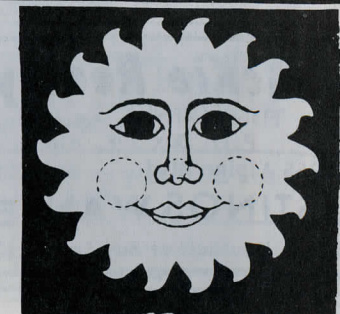
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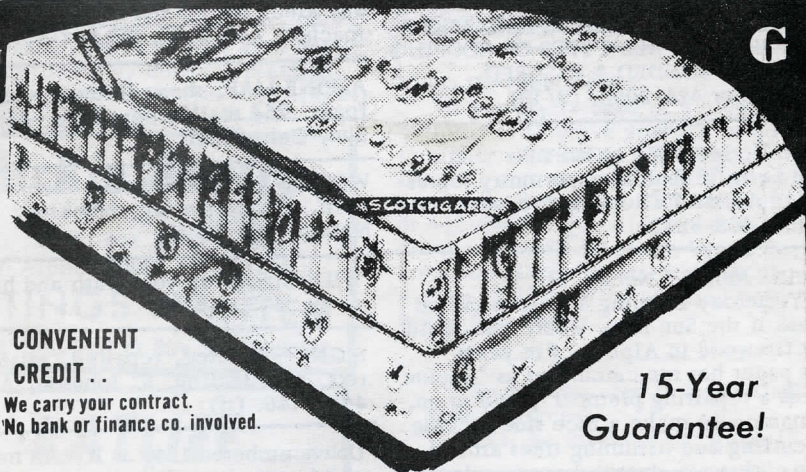
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