

New San Diego Freeway Segment to Open Oct. 1

Thursday, Oct. 1, is the date established for the Grand Opening of the new 9.5-mile segment of San Diego Freeway linking Los Angeles County and Orange County. It was announced today.

The ceremony will serve as a prelude to National Highway Week, Oct. 4-10, as well as signaling the coming together of two of the nation's fastest-growing counties via a common, major roadway.

The \$20-million project will extend the route 52 miles from its origin north of San Fernando to its southernmost point, across the San Gabriel River and into Orange County.

DIVISION OF Highways officials say the southbound lanes are to be opened for traffic first, followed by the northbound lanes a few days later.

Ribbon-cutting ceremonies, complete with civic officials, and a band, will take place at the Walnut Avenue overcrossing in Long Beach.

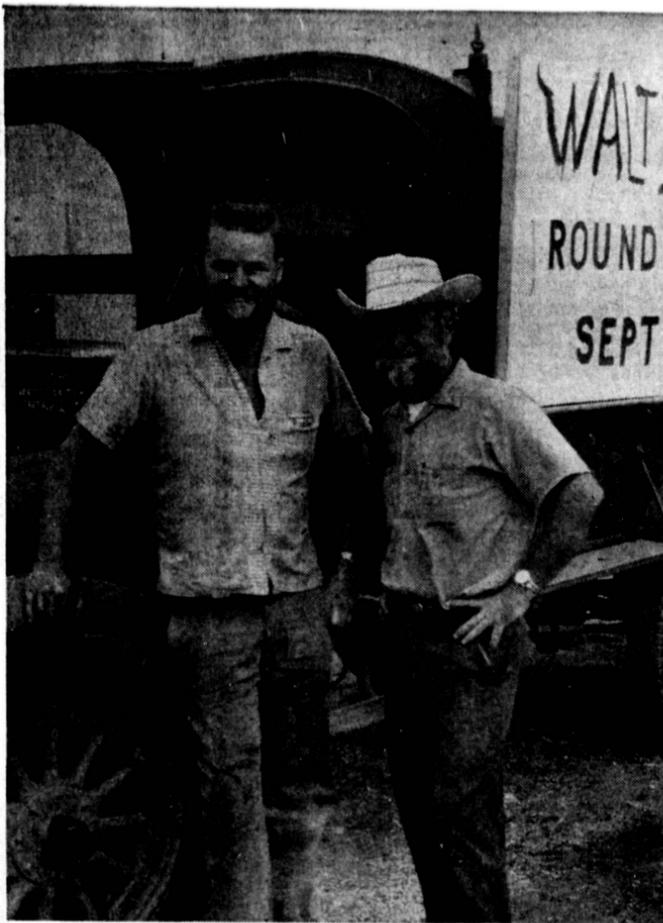
Following the dedication the principals will travel the length of the new section in automobiles to Bolsa Chica Road, its southernmost extremity, and proceed to a luncheon at the Douglas Missile and Space Systems Division Plant at Huntington Beach.

AMONG THE sponsoring organizations are the City of Long Beach, the Automobile

Club of Southern California and Chambers of Commerce of Signal Hill, Orange County, Lakewood and Long Beach. Bernie McCune, representing the Long Beach Chamber's Civic Development Committee, is chairman of the committee planning the ceremonies.

Last Rites Held for Mrs. Alter

Funeral services for Mrs. Lettie Alter, widow of the late Leslie Alter, were held yesterday at 10 a.m. in the Halverson-Leavell Mortuary Chapel. Mrs. Alter, who was 78, died Saturday at a Lomita convalescent home. She had been ill for several months. Mrs. Alter is survived by four grand-children and two great-grand-children and two great-grand-nieces and nephews. Born in Rensselaer, Ind. in 1885, Mrs. Alter had moved to Torrance in 1938. She was a member of the Rensselaer Insurance Co. of Torrance, Chapter of the Eastern Star and one daughter. Mrs. Boris and was affiliated with the Bristow, also of Torrance. She also is survived by four grand-children and two great-grand-children and two great-grand-nieces and nephews. Mrs. Alter is survived by sons, Cecil E. of Torrance, and Gerald L., president of the Alter Realty and member of the Rensselaer Insurance Co. of Torrance, Chapter of the Eastern Star and one daughter. Mrs. Boris and was affiliated with the Bristow, also of Torrance. She also is survived by four grand-children and two great-grand-children and two great-grand-nieces and nephews. Mrs. Alter is survived by sons, Cecil E. of Torrance, and Gerald L., president of the Alter Realty and member of the Rensselaer Insurance Co. of Torrance, Chapter of the Eastern Star and one daughter. Mrs. Boris and was affiliated with the Bristow, also of Torrance. She also is survived by four grand-children and two great-grand-children and two great-grand-nieces and nephews.



ROUND-UP DAYS . . . Paul Krogstad, honorary sheriff of Waleria, and Bob Pinkney, chairman of the Waleria Round-up Days, discuss final plans for the two-day celebration which begins Sept. 12. A barbeque will begin the festivities in Waleria Park. The Round-up parade will begin at noon Sept. 13, traveling a long Newton Street from Weston Road to Hawthorne Boulevard, then to Waleria Park.

Goldwater Volunteers Set Drive

Goldwater for President volunteers will again be knocking on doors this Saturday in search of unregistered Republicans. The volunteers will cover the 17th Congressional District.

"Operation Registration" headquarters will be at 17th District Goldwater headquarters, 1323 El Prado, in downtown Torrance. The district which begins at 9 a.m. Saturday. Instructions and "Operation Registration" canvassing kits will be distributed at that time.

Political Show Moves to New Time Sunday

The scheduled time for the television program, "Problem: Registration and Vote Counting," on the "Political Primer" series has been changed to 3:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 6.

The program, presented each Sunday on Channel 2 by KNXT Public Affairs in cooperation with the League of Women Voters, will probe the difficulties confronting citizens in registering to vote and the problems of government officials in qualifying voters, and conducting and reporting elections.

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This week's drive is the last of three scheduled blitz campaigns to get as many voters registered as possible before the Sept. 10 deadline. An added campaign may be conducted during Labor Day, Mrs. Rippy said. Additional information concerning the "Operation Registration" drive may be obtained from the headquarters at FA 0-1964 or FA 0-1776.

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