

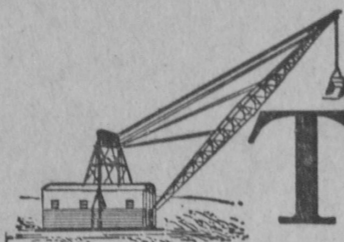
Rescued from River

A 69-year-old Oscoda Township man, whose snowmachine plunged through the ice and into the Au-Sable River, one-quarter mile south of Five Channels Dam, Wednesday at 7:00 a. m., was treated at Tawas Hospital for exposure.

Rescued from the water by three fishermen was Willard Harris, whose machine broke through four inches of ice and plunged into the river.

Donald Heath of Oscoda told investigating Iosco Sheriff's Department officers that he and two other fishermen, Richard Cook of Glennie and Kurt Bickel of Frankemuth, heard the noise of a snow-machine engine and a call for help. Using a flashlight, the trio discovered Harris in the water, holding onto the ice.

The three men found a long tree on shore and used it to rescue the man. The snowmachine was not recovered.



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No State Funds Available to Aid Dredging River Mouth

If the Tawas River is to be cleared of a sand bar blocking its normal channel entering Tawas Bay, financing for dredging will have to be provided locally.

This was the word Monday night to the city council from City Mgr. Reginald Bublitz, who met with several state agencies at Lansing last Thursday.

The city manager said that he received the same answer from each department he had contacted—the state does not allocate funds for dredging river mouths.

The only assistance offered was

an emergency permit from the submerged lands division of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources. This would allow removal of the sand.

On the brighter side of the question, the city manager said he had talked with a local contractor, Roland E. "Bud" Fahselt, who said he would open the channel at a cost of around \$1,000. The council took immediate action to accept the proposal.

The local contractor would use a crawler type dragline and bulldozer in the project, removing sand

from the normal channel and moving it to the east where land was washed away when the normal channel was diverted by sand blockage at the river mouth. The private property owner is to be contacted for permission to do this work.

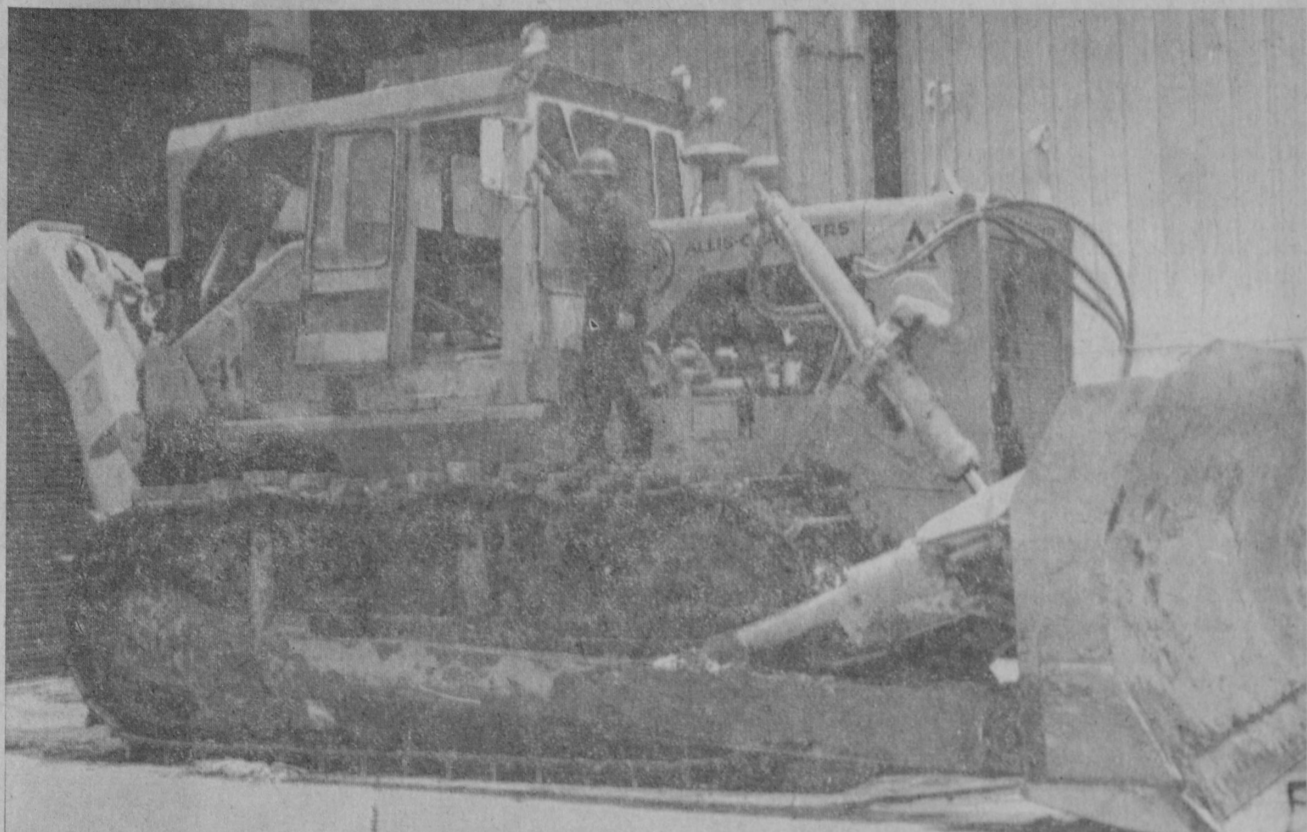
One of the problems facing any dredging operation will be possible storm action next spring. Sand exposed to wave action would eventually wash back into the channel.

Of principal concern to city officials, however, is the possibility of flooding should the channel not

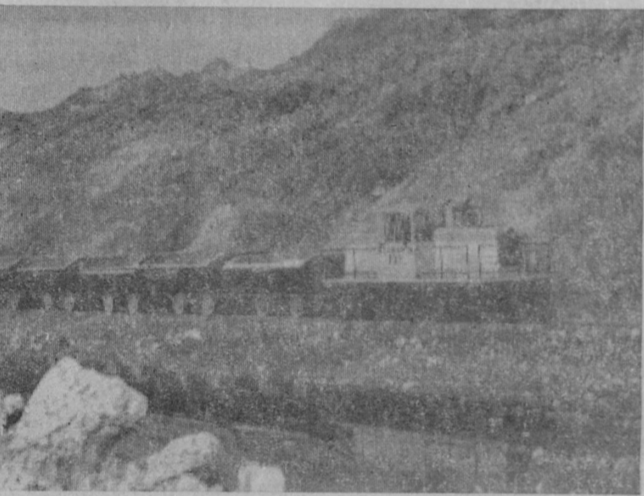
be cleared of sand before spring. An ice jam at the river mouth during the peak runoff of water could raise the Tawas River and it would overflow its banks.

The water level of Tawas Bay has been dropping during the past year, which has actually compounded the silting problem. Coho City Marina on the west side of the river mouth fought a losing battle with its dragline to keep the channel cleared of sand. Its harbor is now completely blocked.

The lake level is expected to drop at least a foot by next summer.



THIS GIANT TRACTOR is one of the important new pieces of equipment which is changing the strip mining operation at United States Gypsum Company's Alabaster quarry. Rail transportation in the quarry, pictured below, is being phased out. Turn to page 1, sec. 2, for the story.—Tawas Herald Photos.



One Killed, Four Injured in Crash

An Alpena man was killed and four persons were injured, three of them from Iosco County, in a car-truck crash Sunday afternoon in Ogemaw County.

Dead is Theodore Brooker, 27, Alpena, who was taken to Tolfree Hospital, West Branch.

Injured were Philip Ferguson, 29, 510 Sawyer Street, East Tawas; Richard Amlotte, 29, Alpena; Keith Dobson, 41, Oscoda, and his wife, Joanna Marie.

Investigating state police from West Branch said that the car driven by Ferguson was traveling east on M-55. The car went out of control on the slippery highway and skidded into the path of a pickup truck operated by Dobson, who was headed west.

Officers said that Dobson's truck was equipped with a snowplow and it struck the side of the car driven by Ferguson. Brooker was a passenger in the front seat.

Ferguson, an English instructor in Tawas Area Middle School, is reported to have undergone surgery Monday night to remove a blood clot from the brain. He has been a member of the school

faculty since the middle of the 1973-74 term. Amlotte is in serious condition at Tolfree Hospital.

Dobson sustained arm and facial injuries and his wife sustained cuts and bruises.

Rewards Could Deter Vandalism

At the suggestion of City Clerk Clyde Soper, East Tawas officials are to study the possibility of offering a reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of persons responsible for private and public vandalism in the city.

Soper told members of the city council Monday night that there had been a considerable amount of malicious damage in the city during recent weeks and believed that a reward system would be a method to "cool the situation."

He pointed out that numerous signs had been damaged, a fire in

Area Involved in US-23 Study

Chamber of commerce organizations of the Tawas and Oscoda are now forming a committee to work with the Michigan Department of State Highways in its plans for the US-23 freeway program.

City Mgr. Reginald Bublitz, who attended a meeting with highway department planners last week, reports that new federal rules and regulations for federal money, as well as inflation, could cause years of delay for the program.

The proposed US-23 freeway would commence at Standish and

the first portion would be constructed to M-65, which is presently scheduled for contract bidding in 1979 and constructed in 1980. The last section in the vicinity of Alpena would be constructed in 1983.

Bublitz reports that a public hearing on the Standish bypass is to be held in February or March of 1975.

Planning on freeway projects takes approximately four years, thereby requiring about 10 years before driving is possible on a new road.

Public hearings on the various corridors for the new freeway would be held in each area. The corridors are about one to three miles wide and the alignment consists of about 400 to 450 feet of right-of-way. Citizens' advisory groups would be involved before a final selection of the route.

Cost of construction today has increased from \$750,000 per mile to \$2,000,000 per mile. Bublitz said there are two extremes being considered, one for a freeway and the other for rebuilding the existing route with four lanes in high traffic areas.

Social and economic impact on the entire area is to be a prime factor in decisions and the environmental impact requires extended research and planning.

Bublitz said it was important for local groups and individuals to be at all meetings to be conducted for local input, starting with the hearing at Standish early next year.



SANTA CLAUS' first visit with area children is scheduled at 6:00 p. m. Wednesday (today) at the East Tawas Community Building. On Friday, 7:00 p. m., Santa will be at the Tawas City Hall. He will visit National City on Saturday, 1:00 p. m., and Whittemore at 2:00 p. m. His big sack will be loaded with candy and treats at each stop.

Commuter Service Appears Certain

Although final approval awaits action of the Upper Great Lakes Commission and the Michigan Department of State Highways, a proposed commuter air service originating at Iosco County Airport appears to have tentative approval and will commence in April.

W. D. Nunn, executive secretary of Tawas Chamber of Commerce, said that he learned at a meeting Thursday held at Lansing that Northern Michigan would be served by two commuter planes. One would originate at Iosco County Airport and the other at Marquette.

According to Nunn, schedules of the two planes would provide for changing of passengers at Cadillac. The plane originating here would continue on to Ludington and Chicago, Illinois. The plane from Marquette would continue to Lansing and Detroit.

Nunn said that several firms were interested in providing the new service. An additional hangar would probably be required at the airport. Particular interest in the proposed service was expressed by authorities from Wurtsmith Air Force Base, who said that air passenger and cargo service would be improved.

City Seeks State Authorization to Borrow On Future Taxes

The City of Tawas City is to seek authorization from the Municipal Finance Commission to issue \$18,750 in tax anticipation notes to prevent a general fund financial crisis before the end of the fiscal year next July.

An inflation factor which was built into the 1974-75 budget last April has been wiped out as cost of operation has exceeded the earlier projection. In addition, the city owes its contractor the balance on an expanded blacktopping program, along with two expenditures which were not budgeted.

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources indicated to the city last summer that it had allocated \$15,000 to assist with installing sheet steel around the city park pier. The city paid its share of the cost to the contractor, but a check has not been received as yet from the state for the balance of \$12,825.

Another unanticipated item was an expenditure of \$6,000 for purchase of the former Hatton house

on Mathews Street.

City Mgr. Reginald Bublitz said his main concern now was a possible drop in revenue from state income tax, sales tax and Act 51 highway money because of the current national economic situation.

The city manager said he would be in a better position to determine the city's finances at budget time next spring. Two years ago, the city issued tax anticipation notes in the amount of \$33,000 to help finance bridge projects and last year issued \$25,000 in tax notes to assist with financing street work.

The council authorized application to be made for tax anticipation notes at an interest rate not to exceed seven percent. The council authorized approximately two mills of taxes to guarantee payment.

Following an audit of city books by Harold J. Knight, certified public accountant of East Tawas, Bud W. Rick of that firm recom-

mended that the council discuss with the city attorney its December 1973 action raising the pay of councilmen.

Rick pointed out that Ordinance No. 182 setting the compensation for members of the city council was passed after the election but prior to the time members actually took office. He believed this was a violation of state law and the city charter.

A year ago, the council set its pay rate at \$15 per meeting attended, rather than the \$5 per meeting as provided by the charter which became effective in January 1972. During deliberations of the charter commission in 1970-71, the pay of councilmen was established at \$5 per meeting attended, rather than the \$10 rate which was then being received. When this error was noted, the charter commission assumed that the council could adopt a resolution establishing its own salary.

That assumption was incorrect, however, as when the council at-

tempted to set the pay rate at \$10 per meeting in the summer of 1973, the city attorney pointed out that the pay of elected officials may not be increased during the term of office.

The matter became more confused when the length of terms of aldermen elected under the odd year election law did not coincide with provisions of the city charter. As a result, all seats on the city council were declared vacant at the end of 1973 and the six seats were filled at the November general election of that year.

A 45-day extension on its bid for construction of sewer mains in three special assessment districts has been given by T. A. Forsberg, low bidder on the project. The bid had been accepted by the council on October 7 in anticipation of approval of bonding by the Municipal Finance Commission. Approval of bonding has been delayed, but it was reported Monday that the question was to go before the commission this week.

List Panelists for Thursday Night Meeting

Panel members for a special meeting Thursday, 7:30 p. m., sponsored by chambers of commerce of the Tawas, Oscoda and Hale, include two top-ranking officers from Wurtsmith Air Force Base. The meeting is to be held at the East Tawas Community Building and the public is invited.

Problems and objectives of area chambers of commerce and Wurtsmith Air Force Base are to be discussed.

Heading the Wurtsmith delegation will be Col. Norman C. Nadon, base commander, along with Col. Donald M. Webster, wing commander.

Other panelists will include Harris Barkman, president of the Tawas Chamber of Commerce; Roy Andrus, president of Oscoda Chamber of Commerce; John Lippert, president of Peoples State Bank. W. D. Nunn is to be moderator and there will be a question and answer period.

Coffee and donuts are to be served.

14 Typewriters Stolen at School

Fourteen typewriters valued at \$2,700 were stolen December 10 at Tawas Area High School.

Investigating Iosco Sheriff's Department officers said that the burglars entered a door on the west side of the building. After forcing entry into the chemistry room, the burglars broke a window leading into the typewriter room.

School custodians, who opened the building at 6:00 a. m., found two typewriters in the hallway where they had been dropped by the burglars. The building had been checked at 2:00 a. m. by a sheriff's patrol car.

Five cottage breakings and entries on Douglas Drive, Alabaster Township, are under investigation by the sheriff's department. Owners of the cottages include Mrs. K. Kerr, Carlen Larson, Mrs. M. Paschke, George Lucas and Lavern Kollmorgen.

Officers investigated a burglary Saturday at the Ralph Shanks residence, Whittemore. Mr. and Mrs. Shanks left home at 6:00 p. m. and

returned about two hours later. The house had been ransacked and three rifles and a shotgun were missing.

Burglary of the Joseph Harris cottage in Section 32 of Plainfield Township was investigated Saturday. Stolen was a snowmobile trailer, a table saw, refrigerator, gas stove, portable television set and household items.

Gary Szczepkowski of Hale reported Friday that between 20 and 25 eight-track tape recordings had been stolen from his car.

Two persons were injured December 10 in a crash on Shellenbarger Road, Plainfield Township. Rocky M. Pickett, 18, Hale, lost control of his car on the ice. He and a passenger, Michael Bell, Hale, were treated at Tolfree Hospital, West Branch.

The sheriff's department reported two car-deer accidents last week. A third accident saw a driver swerve his car to avoid hitting two dogs in the road at Sand Lake. The car went out of control and struck a tree.

Large Damage Suits Pending in Circuit Court

Damage suits against two chain stores of the Tawas totaling \$700,000 are pending in Iosco Circuit Court.

Mrs. Donna Sventko of East Tawas seeks damages of \$400,000 from the Kroger Company, while Barney and Ilene L. Brooks of East Tawas claim damages totaling \$300,000 against the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company.

Mrs. Sventko, a former employee of the Kroger Store in Tawas City, claims that on May 14, 1973, she sustained injuries to her back while lifting a case of milk. Her petition claims that she continued to work at the store until being un-

able to do so because of her injury. She filed a claim for workmen's compensation and was treated by a doctor from May 18 to November 27, 1973. The petition stated that on November 13, 1973, she notified the store she was ready to return to her job, but was notified that her employment had been terminated.

The plaintiff claims that her discharge was "willful, wrongful and in retaliation" and that the discharge was "caused solely by the plaintiff filing for a workmen's compensation claim."

The plaintiff claims loss of gain. (See CIRCUIT COURT, page 4.)

The Publishers

Lower Hemlock

Tuesday evening, 15 members of the Lower Hemlock Farm Bureau enjoyed a Christmas pot-luck dinner party at the Theodore Anshuetz residence.

Saturday evening, Mrs. Richard Stock visited at the Ralph Brown home at Little Island Lake.

Over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bellinger attended a friend's wedding at Drayton Plains and visited her sister's family at Clio.

The Ronald Wright family of Detroit enjoyed several days at their Miller Road cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Strauer and the Waldo Currys spent from Tuesday to Friday at the Pantlind Hotel, Grand Rapids, for the annual Farm Bureau convention.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Clare

Herriman were Bay City visitors and dinner guests of his sister, Mrs. Dorothy Whitney.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Niemi of Prescott and the Darrell Upsons helped Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Look celebrate their 23rd wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ballinger and daughter, Rebecca, spent the week-end in Detroit with their sons, Peter and David, and families. While there, they made the acquaintance of their grandson, the son of the David Ballingers.

Robert Liddle of Northville spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Ernest Liddle.

Saturday, Mrs. Orville Strauer, Mrs. Waldo Curry and Gretchen Howell were Bay City visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Krushaar of Maple Ridge enjoyed the evening at the Strauer home.

Sunday, Mrs. Winnie Latham, Mrs. John McMurray and Mrs. Thomas Smyczynski were Saginaw visitors.

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The Rev. Kenneth L. Tousley, pastor of Tawas United Methodist Church, East Tawas, has announced that the traditional Christmas Eve candlelighting service will be held Tuesday, December 24, 8:00 p. m., at the church. Communion service will follow at 10 o'clock.

Christmas Masses Are Announced

Schedule of Christmas Masses at St. Joseph Catholic Church, East Tawas, has been set as follows by the Rev. Fr. Francis Karl: Christmas Eve, December 24, Masses will be celebrated at 5:00 and 7:00 p. m. Children's choir, composed of fourth, fifth and sixth grade students at St. Joseph School, will be featured at the 7 o'clock Mass.

Masses on Christmas Day, December 25, are set for 8:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m. Young peoples' Mass will be at 10:00 a. m.

Holiday Services at Emanuel Luth.

Holiday church services have been scheduled by the Rev. James F. Rockhoff, pastor of Emanuel Lutheran Church, Tawas City. Christmas Eve services will be held at 6:30 and 8:00 p. m. Tuesday, December 24. Song service will begin at 10:00 a. m. Christmas Day, December 25.

Annual New Year's Eve service is set for Tuesday, December 31, 7:30 p. m. Public is invited to join in the worship at any of these services.

RLDS Church School Program

Church school students will present a special worship service Sunday, December 22, 11:00 a. m., at the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Tawas City, under the direction of Mrs. Herman Timreck.

McIvor News

Mrs. Clyde Wood has returned home after a week's stay in Tolfree Hospital, West Branch.

The James Norris family of Clio spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder visited the Harold Hammonds Sunday.

Mrs. Gladys McIvor and Mrs. Josephine Draeger were callers in Whittemore last week.

Mrs. Burton Freel spent Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Dale Wood, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen are progressing on their new home.

Mrs. Gale Nickells and children visited Mrs. Carl Pierson one day last week.

Mrs. Floyd Pierson and sister, Mrs. Elmer Winchell, and daughters spent one day last week in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parent spent Wednesday in Bay City.

Victor Nickell went to Detroit for his physical before going in the army last week.

125 Attended Christmas Tea

Annual candlelight Christmas tea of United Methodist Women was attended by approximately 125 members and guests Tuesday evening, December 10, at Tawas United Methodist Church fellowship hall.

Welcome was given by Mrs. Leslie Hoy, vice president. Tables were decorated in a holiday motif by hostesses, Mrs. Edward Doak and Mrs. Beryl O'Bryan. Mrs. Kenneth Tousley offered the invocation.

The story of Christmas, told in words and music under the direction of Mrs. D. Arthur Evans, explained the effect Christmas has on everyone's lives.

Soloists were Miss Ruby Evans, Mrs. Myron Trafelet, Mrs. William Lyon, Mrs. Daniel Cater, Mrs. Robert Erickson, the Reverend Tousley and Daniel Bergh. Mrs. Alden Phelps was the pianist. Readers included Mrs. R. E. Mick, Mrs. Robert Roach, Mrs. George Liske, Mrs. A. C. Rayburn, Mrs. Gerald Rapp, Mrs. Raymond Cross and Mrs. John Alexander.

Refreshments were served by Aseneth Circle members with Mrs. Jack Taylor, chairman. Welcome and Mary Martha Circles decorated the hall with Mrs. Waldo Leslie as chairman. Favours were handed by Hope Circle with Mrs. Liske, chairman. Kitchen committee was Faith Circle members, with Mrs. John Johnson as chairman. The Reverend Tousley offered the benediction.

TODAY'S Meditation

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Christmas is the celebration of God's love incarnated. "The Word became flesh and dwelt among us." We celebrate God's coming in flesh to redeem us. We sing that God loved us and sent His Son to be the one through whom our sins are forgiven. So we sing with joy, "Glory to God in the highest."

PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we thank Thee that Thou hast revealed Thyself to us not alone in words or creeds, but in flesh and love incarnated. Help us to reveal Thee to our fellowmen in deeds of compassion and concern. In Christ's name. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

This I know—Jesus loves me!—Tantios Zakhary, Newark, Ohio.

Whittemore News

Women's Club Met December 11

Whittemore Women's Club met at the city hall Wednesday, December 11, for dinner. Nineteen members and one guest were present. Tables were decorated in the holiday motif. Exchange gifts and secret sister gifts were under a decorated tree. Miniature Christmas trees, which had been decorated by club members, were also by the tree. The miniature trees will adorn Christmas dinner trays of patients at Inosco Medical Care Facility on Christmas Day.

An impressive welcoming ceremony, led by Mrs. Adele Brown, was conferred on new members, Mrs. Elaine Haitcock and Mrs. Dolly Jennings. A guest, Mrs. Ethel Jennings, was introduced.

Business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Alexander Martin, president. Members voted to donate \$2 per member to Girls Town and 10 cents per member for each of the following funds: Indian, nursing and art funds.

A brief program, followed by group singing of Christmas carols, provided the entertainment.

Next meeting will be held March 5 at the city hall.

Fall sports athletes, cheerlead-

ers and their parents attended an awards night in the high school cafeteria Friday evening. Football, girls' basketball and cross country coaches presented awards to various athletes. Most valuable player honors went to Jeff Webster for football, Dorothy Cline for basketball and Allen Bellville for cross country.

Chad Bellville, son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Bellville, underwent surgery in Bay City last Monday.

Russell Rollin of Tawas City called on Mrs. Theodore Bellville Thursday.

Dornace Bellville spent a few days last week in Tolfree Hospital, West Branch, and returned home Thursday.

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Funeral Held December 13 for Haskel Gumm Jr.

Haskel Gumm Jr. of Whittemore, 46, passed away Tuesday, December 10, at his home. Funeral services were held Friday, December 13, at the Forshee Funeral Chapel, Hale, with burial in Evergreen Cemetery, Hale.

Mr. Gumm was born October 21, 1928, in Louisville, Kentucky.

Surviving are his wife, Betty; one son, Gregory Allen Gumm of Detroit; four stepsons, Norman and Gregory Redfield of Tawas City, Kenneth R. and Donald L. Gumm of Detroit; one stepdaughter, Geraldine L. Gillespie of Flint; four grandchildren, and one brother.



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Sherman News

Last Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kelley attended the 50th wedding anniversary of her brother, Edward Head, and his wife in Saginaw.

Last Thursday, the Sewing Circle met at the home of Gladys Rakestraw. Ten members were in attendance. They made a quilt for June Hinkley.

Get-well wishes are sent to Shirley Cottrell, Mae Clark and Margaret Shinevar.

11t. Michael Smith spent the week-end with his mother, Lillian Smith, Sandra and Thomas. He was on his way back to Norton Air Force Base, California, after spending two weeks in North Carolina in special training.

Several from here called at the Standish funeral home and attended the funeral for Percy Poole, a Jefferson Trucking employee.

Mrs. Lillian Smith entertained relatives and friends Sunday at an open house for her son, 11t. Michael Smith.

Get-well wishes are sent to Margaret Wood, who is a patient at Tolfree Hospital, West Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lichota were Bay City and Saginaw callers last Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Ewald of Unionville spent three days with the Earl Nickells family and helped Mrs. Nickells celebrate her birthday.

Jeanette Lichota and Ariene Jordan were in Standish Tuesday.

Mrs. Earl Nickells and grandmother, Mrs. Robert Ewald, were Hale callers on Thursday.

Christian Science

919 East Bay Street, East Tawas. Sunday service, 11:00 a. m.; Sunday School, 11:00 a. m.; Wednesday at 8:00 p. m. The Reading Room, located in the church building, is open Wednesday 2:00 to 5:00 p. m. and 6:30 to 7:30 p. m.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis L. Sokola of East Tawas announce the engagement of their daughter, Madeline Mary, to Michael David Ault, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Ault of Tawas City.

Mr. Ault is a 1972 graduate of Tawas Area High School.

A February 15 wedding is planned.

Christmas Dinner Held by Senior Citizens

One hundred sixteen Tawas Area Senior Citizens enjoyed Christmas dinner Wednesday, December 11, at the East Tawas Community Building. Tables were decorated in a Christmas theme by Lu Baker and Loretta Meyers, president.

Three new members joining the club were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Burke and Lee Goulet. Door prizes were won by Elizabeth Lutes and Frank Ziembra. Eleven members won sets of candles, donated by Mrs. Meyers.

A social security representative was present to explain Supplemental Security Income and requirements for eligibility. A question and answer period followed.

"Happy Birthday" was sung to Mrs. Meyers and Nellie Stafford.

Officers elected for 1975 were Mrs. Meyers, president; Fannie Walstead, vice president; Mabel Liske, secretary, and Gertrude Syria, treasurer.

Members are to bring a sack lunch to the Wednesday, January 8, 12 o'clock noon, meeting in the community building. Coffee and tea will be served.



Wilson-Roach Marriage Vows Said at First Baptist Church

First Baptist Church, Tawas City, was the scene of the double ring ceremony Saturday, December 14, uniting in marriage the former Sandra Sue Roach, daughter of Mrs. James Klenow of Tawas City and the late James Roach, and Edward Christopher Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Wilson of Tawas City.

The Rev. Sidney Rowland officiated at the 6 o'clock wedding, which was followed by a dinner in the church hall. Candelabra and a spray of red carnations decorated

the altar. Dale Harwood was the organist.

The bride descended the aisle in a floor-length gown of maracaine jersey with Empire waistline. The fitted bodice was complimented with imported Venice lace, as were the fitted cuffs of her long flared sleeves. The A-line skirt featured a built-in, chapel-length train. Her bouquet was made up of red roses, baby breath and holly sprigs.

The bride's sister, Mrs. Dennis Wetzel of Rochester, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Michael Gingerich of Mancelona and Debra Roach, sister of the bride. All were attired in floor-length, halter-styled gowns of deep red velvet with matching bolero jackets. Flower girls, Julie Klenow, the bride's stepister, and Beth Moore, the bridegroom's niece, wore emerald green velvet gowns with short bouffant sleeves. All carried white rabbit fur muffs, adorned with holly sprigs.

Serving as best man was Thomas Becker with Richard Haglund and Craig Wilkins, groomsmen. Gregory Luedtke and Craig Herriman seated the guests.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Klenow selected a floor-length pink sleeveless gown with matching lace jacket. Mrs. Wilson chose a sleeveless, floor-length, pale blue gown and matching jacket. Both wore corsages of miniature orchids.

Approximately 150 guests were present from Detroit, Mt. Pleasant, Bay City, Clarkston, Rochester, Mancelona, Saginaw, Flint and Hillsboro, Ohio.

Following a five-day wedding trip to Disney World, Orlando, Florida, and to Ohio for the holidays, the new Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will reside at O-4 Washington Court Apartments, Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan 48858. Both are 1971 graduates of Tawas Area High School and currently are seniors at CMU.

Honoring the bride with pre-nuptial showers were Amy Harris, Mrs. Gingerich and Mrs. Jack Thornton; Mrs. Robert Roach, Mrs. Earl Davis, Mrs. Wilbur Roach and Mrs. Roxey Roach; Mrs. William Gibbs, Debra Roach and Mrs. Daniel Soules.

Hale Bank Plans Open House at Rose City Branch

Open house at the newly-expanded Rose City branch of Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Hale will be held Friday from 9:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m.

Floor space in the office has more than doubled with a 30 by 76-foot addition constructed this year. Teller windows have been expanded to nine, three private offices have been added, along with a new cash vault, safety deposit vault and carpeting.

There will be door prizes and coffee and donuts will be served.

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Last Saturday, Mrs. Louis Sokola of East Tawas left by plane from Tri-City Airport for Ashland City, Tennessee, to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Lizzie Nicholson.

Eight members and one guest of Birthday Club enjoyed Christmas dinner last Wednesday evening at Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas. Following dinner, the group gathered at the home of Mrs. Glen Schlaack in Tawas City for dessert and exchange of gifts. Games were played during the remainder of the evening.

Dale Landon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Landon of Tawas City, returned home last Sunday from McLaren Hospital, Flint, after several weeks' stay there following a serious heart attack. Friends may send cards to him at 4034 Four Lakes Avenue, Linden, Michigan 48451.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schaaf and the R. Gordon Hackborns, all of Tawas City, attended the Civil Engineering Employees' Christmas party Friday evening at the NCO Club, Wurtsmith Air Force Base.

Thursday evening, December 12, 11 women from the Rachel and Ruth Circles of First Baptist Church, Tawas City, held a Christmas party for 22 patients at the Isoco Medical Care Facility. A small favor was given to each patient, Christmas carols were sung and cookies and fruit juice were served.

John A. Mark is recuperating at his Tawas City home following his recent eye surgery at St. Luke's Hospital, Saginaw.

Detroit and Mackinac Railway Company's annual Christmas party for employees, spouses and friends was held Saturday evening, December 14, at the Wabun near Oscoda.

Approximately 45 relatives and friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bublitz of Tawas City Friday evening with a 25th wedding anniversary celebration at Tawas Golf and Country Club, Tawas City. The affair was hosted by their children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bublitz of Westland, Richard and Patricia Bublitz at home. The former Dorothy Louise Buch and Mr. Bublitz were married December 17, 1949, at Emanuel Lutheran Church, Tawas City. The couple received many lovely gifts.

Mrs. Sadie Jarvis of East Tawas

is a patient at Mercy Hospital, Bay City. She was removed from the intensive care unit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Small and daughter, Rebecca, of Fairview and Robert Small of Utica visited their mother, Mrs. Violet Small of East Tawas, during the week.

Mrs. August Luedtke of Tawas City enjoyed the week-end in Bad Axe at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Luedtke.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bennett of Wyandotte were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Moore of East Tawas. Other guests Sunday at the Moore home were their son, Clair, and family of Alpena.

Wilber News

Mr. and Mrs. Albert O'Neil of Lansing visited his mother, Mrs. Olive Lotridge, Saturday and called on other friends.

Home Extension Group met Tuesday evening for the annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Clifford Knight.

Harold Cholger and the Robert Scotts traveled to Onaway last Monday to attend the ASCS Convention and returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lynch of Oscoda called on Mr. and Mrs. John Newberry Sunday.

Mrs. Marian Hoag of Ypsilanti and the Matthew Hoags of Cowdrey, Colorado, arrived Wednesday to visit at the Kenneth O'Brien home for a few days.

Mrs. John Newberry and Mrs. Russell Alda were guests of Mrs. Pearl Simmons Thursday.

United Methodist Women's Society held the annual Christmas pot-luck dinner and party Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Norman Harris.

Mrs. Allen Brown has returned home from Tawas Hospital. Friends send get-well wishes.

Mrs. Cleona Hyzer called on the George Hyzers at Indian Lake Saturday evening.

Friends of Mrs. Elizabeth Simmons were sorry to hear she was admitted to Tawas Hospital Saturday and wish her a speedy recovery.

Thomas Harris Jr. of Grand Blanc was a week-end guest at the Bertram Harris home.

Reno News

Max Voss has been quite ill this past week. His son, Max Jr. of Flat Rock, spent the week-end with him.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Royal Roberts were in West Branch and in Rose City at the home of their son, Robert.

Mrs. Will Waters and Miss Florence Latter visited Mrs. Joyce Harris at Tawas Hospital Friday. They also called at Isoco Medical Care Facility and visited Chester Denstedt, Marie Thompson and Luella Price.

Noel Hensley and Dola Sherman called on Mrs. Sherman's daughter, Donna Wilson, and family at Pinconning one day last week.

Grace Williams spent a couple of days with her daughter and family, the Victor Johnsons, at East Tawas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Redmond and son of Denver, Colorado, arrived Saturday at the home of his parents, the Walter Redmonds.

Will Waters called on Hamilton Hutchison Thursday afternoon. Friends are sorry that Mr. Hutchison is not well.

Annual Christmas program at Reno Baptist Church will be held at 11:00 a. m. on Sunday, December 22. Public is invited to attend.

Lions Club to Open Rink When Weather Permits Icing

Edward Sterling, president of East Tawas Lions Club, has announced that the Newman Street ice skating rink will be open as soon as weather remains cold enough to make the ice. The rink was completed Thursday, December 12. James Campbell of East Tawas donated surveying services and laid out plans for the rink.

Sterling noted that the Lions Club hopes to have ice skating available to the public in time for holiday school vacation.

Schanbeck - Yax Wedding Solemnized at Kingdom Hall

In 2 o'clock rites Saturday, December 14, Arland Krumm officiated at the single ring service uniting in marriage Kathleen Yax and Ben E. Schanbeck at Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, East Tawas.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis L. Yax of East Tawas. Her husband is the son of Dorothy Schanbeck of National City and Edward Schanbeck of East Tawas.

The former Miss Yax chose a white silk organza gown with

Venice lace sweetheart neckline, long fitted sleeves with cuffs of matching lace and yoked bodice. Her detachable train was fastened to a pleated and pearl-edged ruffle at the back of her semi-full skirt. A bandeau of Venice lace held secure a chapel-length, lace-edged veil. She carried a bouquet of red roses and baby breath.

Carol Yax, maid of honor, and Sandra Yax, both sisters of the bride, were identically attired in pink crepe gowns with Empire waistlines, long sleeves, ruffled cuffs and high lace necklines. Their bouquets were made up of pink roses and baby breath.

Michael Lloyd of Florida served as best man.

A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents for approximately 150 guests from Florida, Detroit, Kalamazoo, Hale and the Tawas.

The newlyweds are both graduates of Tawas Area High School. They plan to reside in North Ft. Myers, Florida.

Honoring the bride with a pre-nuptial shower were Rhoda Ostrowski and Carol Yax.

Sand Lake

Jack O'Hare is currently confined to St. Mary's Hospital, Saginaw.

Grant Township Ladies Auxiliary recently held its annual Christmas party. A pot-luck dinner was enjoyed, games were played and an exchange of gifts took place. Audrey Bearss won the centerpiece for the month.

Mrs. Lois Clement is recuperating at home after being discharged from Tawas Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dyer and family of Sterling Heights were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dyer.

Sand Lake Sno-Goers held their first event of the season Saturday evening with a bonfire and wiener roast. Winners of prizes were Glenn Bearss, Geraldine Smith, Thomas Daniels and Robert Roberts.

Retirees will hold their annual Christmas gathering Thursday afternoon, December 19. Light refreshments will be served and there will be a brief business meeting.

Saturday evening, Grant Township Volunteer Firemen and wives held their annual Christmas party at the fire hall. Buffet dinner was enjoyed. Henry Gage entertained with an adventure film and, during the exchange of gifts, Chief Allen Emry was honored with a special gift from the group.



When women surveyed said they 'shopped the advertising', they were almost universally referring to ads in the newspaper... the same advertising which saved them both time (prior sales information) and money (bargains and special coupons).

Tawas Hospital

BIRTHS—

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Foster Eid, Tawas City, December 10, a girl, weight six pounds, 10 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Perkins, South Branch, December 10, a girl, weight six pounds, five ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Barry Harper, Tawas City, December 12, twin boys, weight five pounds, one-half ounce, and five pounds, 14 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clements, Tawas City, December 13, a boy, Bret Michael, weight seven pounds, 8 1/4 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wingrove, East Tawas, December 13, a boy, Chad Michael, weight eight pounds, 1 1/2 ounces.

ADMISSIONS—Tawas City: Arthur Kepler Sr., Shirley Tarnoski, Roy DePotty, Alonzo Elliott, Hope Clements, Elizabeth Simmons.

East Tawas: Arthur J. Thorne, Howard Carson, Aleta Wingrove.

County: James Moore, L. Wayne Cantrell, Elnora MacGregor, Oscoda; Eathel Howe, Whittemore; George Roberts, Hale.

Other communities: Bismark Claus, Greenbush; Nellie Lafford, Merrick Shotwell, Lillian F. Ewald, Sharon Conway, Mary Beth Johnson, AuGres; Michael J. Scharrow, Bay City.

VISITING HOURS
General patients—2:30 to 8:30 p. m.
Maternity ward patients—2:00 to 4:00 p. m. and 7:00 to 8:30 p. m.

Tax Credit Forms Are Available

Forms necessary in filing for homestead property exemptions and sales tax credit are now available from the Isoco County treasurer's office.

Senior citizens, veterans, blind, paraplegic, quadriplegic and totally or permanently disabled persons must file claims by June 30, 1975, for homestead property tax credit.

The maximum credit allowed is \$500 and each claimant must meet certain qualifications to be eligible. To file a claim for 1974, the claimant must have been a resident of Michigan for at least six months of 1974.

Engaged



An August 16 wedding is being planned by Ona Marion Murringer and Ronald Lee Shaffer. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis White of Whittemore. Her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shaffer Jr. of Turner.

Tawas Masons to Install 1975 Officers

Open installation of 1975 officers of Tawas Lodge No. 274, Free and Accepted Masons, is scheduled for Saturday, December 21, 7:30 p. m., at the Masonic Temple, Tawas City.

Area Students on Dean's List at Northwood

William Rohns, academic dean of Northwood Institute, Midland, announced Monday that 319 students have been named to the dean's list for the fall term.

Iosco County residents named to the list were Carol A. Vaughan of East Tawas and Pat T. Dault of Oscoda.

To be named to the list, a student must earn a 3.0 or above grade-point average on a 4.0 basis for that term.

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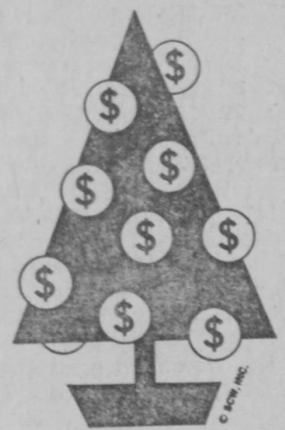
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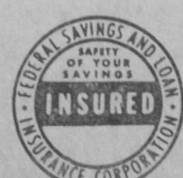
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HALE CREEK LANES

Thursday Women	W	L
Lupton Garage	39	17
Quick Set	32½	23½
Windaria Collie Kennels	31½	25½
Wellgren's Country Store	28	28
Tony's Bay Service	26	30
Rose City Trout Farm	26	30
Wyatt's Market	23	33
Bernard Lumber	21	35
Team High Series: Lupton Garage, 2856; Rose City Trout Farm, 2804; Quick Set, 2760.		
Team High Single: Quick Set, 1002; Lupton Garage, 983-970.		
Individual High Series: Belva Brandal, 613; Gerrie Burgis, 612; Gladys Linsenman, 608.		
Individual High Single: Belva Brandal, 240; Gladys Linsenman, Edith Goodrow, 228; Jean Bartel, 227.		
Ups & Downs	W	L
Mary's Team	40½	19½
Jim's Auto Sales	36	24
Blair	34	26
Big Boy	32½	27½
Glenn's Barber Shop	28	32
Wicker Hills	25½	34½
Rose Builders	22½	37½
Ronnie's Team	21	39
Team High Series: Mary's Team, 2382.		
Team High Single: Mary's Team, 844.		
Individual High Series: Bonney Dorey, 624; Al Williams, 612.		
Individual High Single: Aggie Habermehl, Cheryl Rickel, 231; John Kindell, 222.		
Hits & Downs	W	L
Trading Post	35½	24½
Cedar Bar	35	25
Norm's Barber Shop	31	29
Hale Flowers	30½	29½
Hale Coffee Shop	30	30
Len Thayer Builders	28½	31½
June's Grill	26½	33½
Whittemore Milling	23	37
Team High Series: Hale Coffee Shop, 2434; Trading Post, 2323; Norm's Barber Shop, 2285.		
Team High Single: Hale Coffee Shop, 847; Norm's Barber Shop, 816; Trading Post, 793.		
Individual High Series: Evelyn Lopo, 643; Ernie Strutz, Harry Davis, 618.		
Individual High Single: Evelyn Lopo, 236; John Race, 231; Harry Davis, 224.		
Mixed Doubles	W	L
(End of first half)		
Scofield Insurance	34	26
Scofield Real Estate	34	26
Pearsall's	33	27
Hale Hardware	33	27
Hale Heating	30	30
Hale Bank	28½	31½
Hale Auto	24½	35½
Long Lake Sports Land	23	37
Team High Series: Hale Bank, 2451; Scofield Insurance, 2373; Hale Auto Parts, 2342.		
Team High Single: Hale Bank, 869; Scofield Insurance, 849; Pearsall's, 808.		
Individual High Series: Ira Scofield, 647; Sherrill Parkinson, 646; Judy Pfahl, 643.		
Individual High Single: Wayne Wilson, 245; Ira Scofield, 242; Darrell McGinnis, 238.		

Commercial	W	L
Scofield Real Estate	36	20
Continental Telephone	35	21
Trading Post	32	24
Ray's Barber Shop	29	27
Dane Construction	27	29
Hale Drug	26	30
Perry's Auction Service	24	32
Webb Well Drilling	15	41
Team High Series: Scofield Real Estate, 2968; Trading Post, 2966; Ray's Barber Shop, 2906.		
Team High Single: Trading Post, 1041; Continental Telephone, 1009; Hale Drug, 1007.		
Individual High Series: C. Seacor, 686; J. Heilman, 632; H. Bartel, 628.		
Individual High Single: C. Seacor, 259; E. Slosser, 249; J. Heilman, 239.		
Twilighters	W	L
The Peats	37	19
Outlaws	37	19
Knot Enoughers	30	26
Hot Shots	30	26
Long Lake	27	29
4-SSSS	22	34
4-Stars	21	35
Wah Hoo's	20	36
Team High Series: The Peats, 2375.		
Team High Single: The Peats, 827.		
Individual High Series: George Clement, 618; Eunice Springsteen, 609.		
Individual High Single: Don Springsteen, 253; Clarissa Hoffman, 230.		
Tuesday Independent	W	L
J. Kissel Drywall	42	18
Glennie Supermarket	36	24
C & L Party Store	35½	24½
Hale Elevator	34½	25½
Colonial Inn	31	29
Hale Auto Parts	28	32
Karpp Sales & Service	24	36
No. 8	5	55
Team High Series: Glennie Supermarket, 2970.		
Team High Single: Glennie Supermarket, 1017.		
Individual High Series: Walter Whitford, 672.		
Individual High Single: Walter Whitford, Gene Kaiser, 241.		

Funeral Held for Alfred McKiddie

Funeral services for Alfred J. McKiddie of Atlanta, 87, were held Tuesday, December 10, at the Green Funeral Home, Atlanta, with burial following in Briley Cemetery. Mr. McKiddie passed away Saturday, December 7, at Otsego Memorial Hospital, Gaylord. Officiating at services was the Rev. James Nelson.

Mr. McKiddie was born June 12, 1887, in Detroit. Surviving him are two sons, Virgil of Atlanta and John of Ferndale; three daughters, Mrs. Donald (Dora) Darr of Florida, Mrs. Thomas (Jeanne) Curry of Washington and Grace McKiddie of Troy; 10 grandchildren; seven great grandchildren; two sisters, Sada McKiddie and Mrs. Grace Baker of Tawas City.

Hale Area News

Free Methodist Missionary Group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kaven last Tuesday evening. The ladies rolled bandages for a mission hospital in Gitega, Burundi, Africa. Five men joined the ladies for lunch.

Leader Farm Bureau met at the Colonial Inn Thursday evening for their Christmas dinner and party. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Redmond and the Lyle Robinsons were celebrating wedding anniversaries, the Robinsons' 34th anniversary being on that day.

Betty Crocker coupons may be turned in to Mrs. Barbara Caverly.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schmalz and family have moved to their new home on Gallon Road.

Elmer Dillon drove Daniel Thayer to Standish Saturday where Mr. Thayer had a medical check up.

Mrs. Robert Pember and the Leon Brunsons called on Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Getso last week and presented them with a plant from the Glen Staley Post No. 422, American Legion, and Auxiliary. Mrs. Getso is a sister of the deceased war veteran, Glen Staley.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Brunson and Mrs. Otis Spiker were in West Branch Wednesday and enjoyed dinner at the West Branch Country Club.

Mrs. Gladys Wells was surprised by a visit from her grandson, Warren Miller, and family of Lansing Saturday evening. Warren graduated Friday evening from the State Police Training School. He has been transferred to the Romeo post. His wife, the former Janice Survant, and son will stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Survant of Whittemore, while Mr. Miller locates a home for them. Warren is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Eldon Miller of Auburn Heights, former residents of Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thayer and two children of Swartz Creek, Rhonda Thayer of Ypsilanti and Charles Thayer of Flint spent the week-end at the home of their parents, the Daniel Thayers, and enjoyed an early Christmas celebration. The Gordon Thayers will be in Arizona at her grandparents' home during the holidays.

Mrs. Doris Thayer attended the monthly meeting of the Northeast Michigan Mental Health Services Board Thursday evening at the new center in Alpena. Mrs. Thayer finished her four-year term at this meeting. A new delegate will be announced.

Elmer McGirr, who is spending the winter with his son's family in Scottsdale, Arizona, will be 90 years old on December 28. His address is Post Office Box 66, Scottsdale, Arizona 85252.

Clifford Goodrow is under intensive care at Tolfree Hospital, West Branch, as of Thursday night.

Mrs. Lena Ballard, Leo and Lloyd were guests of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Nora Ballard, in Lansing last week. They visited Mrs. Gerald Ballard in a Lansing hospital.

Mrs. Lorraine McDonald of Loon Lake attended the wedding of her nephew, Dr. Michael McDonald, in Rochester Saturday.

Circuit Court

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ful employment, loss of wages and benefits, plus embarrassment, humiliation, insult and indignity. She requests actual damages not to exceed \$200,000 and exemplary damages not to exceed \$200,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks claim that on August 17, 1972, Mrs. Brooks entered the A&P Store at East Tawas to purchase groceries and, while walking down an aisle, slipped on a squashed plum which was on the floor. The petition claims that the plaintiff sustained permanent injuries in her fall to the floor. She was treated at Tawas Hospital and University Hospital, Ann Arbor.

With \$2,701 in hospital bills, Mrs. Brooks claims damages of \$250,000 for injuries, pain and suffering. Mr. Brooks claims \$50,000 as damages, hospital bills and doctor bills.

Bowling . . .

TAWAS LANES

Friday Night Ladies	W	L
(End of first half)		
Tawas Hospital	44	16
Buckhorn Inn	34½	25½
Northern Plumbing	33½	26½
Northern Insulating Co.	32	28
Lappin Electric	31½	28½
Tawas Bay Glass	31	29
Roadhouse	29½	30½
Barbier Oil	26	34
Oscoda Cement	20	30
Kennedy's Bakery	18	42
Team High Series: Tawas Bay Glass, 2883; Tawas Hospital, 2880; Lappin Electric, 2855.		
Team High Single: Lappin Electric, 1030; Tawas Bay Glass, 1026; Northern Insulating, 1023.		
Individual High Series: Betty Martin, 631; Carol Bell, 619; Mary Patrell, 613.		
Individual High Single: Helen Young, 236; Susie Weaver, 228; Corinne Kehring, 226.		
Braves & Squaws	W	L
Cherokee	38	22
Chippewa	37	23
Comanche	36½	23½
Mohawk	36½	23½
Mohican	30½	29½
Blackfeet	30	30
Sioux	28½	31½
Apache	23½	36½
Navajo	23½	36½
Iroquois	16	44
Team High Series: Blackfeet, 2426; Cherokee, 2382; Apache, 2264.		
Team High Single: Blackfeet, 887; Cherokee, 842; Apache, 810.		
Individual High Series: F. Stock, 643; B. Ross, 639; E. Foster, 636.		
Individual High Single: E. Foster, 241; M. Cockburn, 232; B. Ross, 230.		
Gays & Dolls	W	L
Bucks & Does	47	9
Saints & Sinners	35	21
Optimists	35	21
Four G's	31½	23½
Skinny Dippers	28½	27½
Double Trouble	27	29
Hits & Mrs.	21	35
Gremkins	19	37
Lonesome Four	19	37
Streakers	16	36
Team High Series: Optimists, 2339; Skinny Dippers, 2335; Double Trouble, 2297.		
Team High Single: Skinny Dippers, 861; Optimists, 818; Hits & Mrs., 797.		
Individual High Series: Lois Trafelet, 665; Jay Rioux, 617; B. Grabow, 613.		
Individual High Single: L. Trafelet, 251; J. Rioux, 241; P. Beauland, 238.		
Minor	W	L
Kiwanis No. 1	37	23
Schaaf Lumber Co.	36	24
McKay Sales	35	25
Tawas Furniture	34	26
Methodist Men	32	28
Andrews & Fekete	31	29
Whittemore Merchants	28	32
Huron Building Supplies	27	33
Woodward Real Estate	22	38
Kiwanis No. 2	18	42
Team High Series: Andrews & Fekete, 2863; Schaaf Lumber Company, 2836; Kiwanis No. 2, 2832.		
Team High Single: Andrews & Fekete, 1001; McKay Sales, 984; Tawas Furniture, 980.		
Individual High Series: L. Healey Jr., 626; E. Davison, 613; A. Miller, 603.		
Individual High Single: J. Rigg, 260; D. Anderson, 243; E. Davison, 240.		
Monday Nite Owls	W	L
Lakeside	31	21
Don't Give-A-Hoots	30½	21½
Blue Balls	27½	24½
US	27½	24½
Gleaming Gutters	26	26
JF's	25	27
Sandbaggers	23	29
Turkeys	17½	34½
Team High Series: Blue Balls, 1720; Lakeside, 1716; US, 1692.		
Team High Single: Blue Balls, 609; Lakeside, 602; Don't Give-A-Hoots, 584.		
Individual High Series: Jerry Hunt Jr., 607; Clarence Ashmore, 591; Sue Moody, 587.		
Individual High Single: Jerry Hunt Jr., 226; Clarence Ashmore, 225; Jim Westcott, 217.		
Thursday Nite Late	W	L
Flanagan's Market	41	19
Dr. Pepper	32	24
Bublitz Oil Company	31	29
Wooded Acres	31	29
Golden Shear	29	31
FOP	29	31
Bob Feasel	28	32
Tawas Bar	27	33
Davison & Son Builders	25	29
Tawas Plating	23	37
Team High Series: Tawas Plating, 3168; Wooded Acres, 3128; Flanagan's Market, 3071.		
Team High Single: Wooded Acres, 1110; Bublitz Oil Company, 1100; Tawas Plating, 1075.		
Individual High Series: W. Lantto, 613; T. Patrell, 593; W. Todd, 575.		
Individual High Single: W. Todd, 244; T. Patrell, 224; W. Lantto, 222.		
Commercial	W	L
Bay City Times	33	29

Tips on Avoiding Criminals

By Bernard E. Nash

When people who have lived long enough to be called "senior citizens" have to live their lives in virtually constant fear, there's something drastically wrong.

That something is called "crime in the streets." While it is all very well to inveigh against it and make it an election campaign issue, it will take more than defiant declarations and political promises to deal realistically with the situation—and, at the same time, to eradicate some of the myths about crime which create unnecessary and unfounded fears in the minds of many citizens.

"Crime is a problem for everyone," notes Mary Herrick, 78, who broke her hip when thrown to the pavement while being robbed outside a Chicago bank. "But I think it's a greater one for old people because they're sitting ducks—they're less able to defend themselves."

Throughout history, criminals have preyed upon the weak and the elderly because they are usually least able to resist. Far-reaching social strategies that deal with the root causes of crime are essential and laudable, but these are long-term solutions. What is needed now are practical interim measures that prevent crimes from being committed by protecting the potential victims.

For example, the most common crime against the elderly is theft: Purse snatchings, pickpocketing, mugging or holding-up people on their way home from cashing their Social Security or welfare checks, and even stealing bags of groceries

from those who have to count every penny before they can plan a meal.

An increasing number of communities are currently experimenting with mobile check-cashing services that bring the bank closer to older peoples' homes on the days when Social Security checks arrive. Others are providing special escort services—either through police or private volunteer agencies—to accompany residents on regular check-cashing and occasional shopping trips. Some municipalities are intensifying police patrols in areas with large older populations.

Sen. Harrison A. Williams (D-N.J.) has introduced a bill called the Housing Security Act which, if passed, would help develop crime protection programs for residents of federally sponsored senior housing. The benefits could conceivably extend in time beyond the Federal housing projects to the greater community.

In the meantime, what can you and I do to protect ourselves and our neighbors against crime?

We can call upon our local governments to initiate innovative measures such as those described above. Perhaps even more importantly, we can work together to assist the police in guarding our homes and streets against violence and robbery. I am not suggesting vigilante-type patrols, but am referring instead to the old-fashioned custom of keeping a watchful eye on our neighborhoods and alerting the police if anything is wrong.

As individuals, we do not have to surrender our freedom of movement in order to place reasonable barriers between ourselves and those who might victimize us—whether violently as a mugger might, or through fraud as a con artist might. Advice on how to accomplish this is con-

tained in "Your Retirement Anti-Crime Guide" by Carol Powers. For a free copy, please write to the American Association of Retired Persons, 1909 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006.

The key to personal crime prevention is making ourselves and our homes less tempting to criminals. We can do this by learning how criminals operate, and then not providing them with the opportunities they need.

For instance, the best deterrent against the common burglar is a firmly locked door. Despite everything you've heard about how no lock can keep out a determined thief (and, in fact, none can) a very large percentage of burglars wouldn't be in business if it weren't for the unintended kindness of people leaving their homes and apartments unlocked, thus making burglary easy.

At the same time, don't invite trouble by carrying your keys on a ring with an identification tag. "If you lose your keys," advises Miss Powers, "it's better to have them lost and gone forever than in the possession of somebody who now has the key to your front door, your address and telephone number."

When you're out, you can convince a would-be burglar you're still there by leaving a small light on and a radio playing.

Away from home, you might stop carrying a purse when traveling in areas you consider dangerous. Instead, place your money, keys and other essential valuables in an inside pocket. Again, you'll have eliminated temptation and opportunity—and that's the key to keeping yourself and your home safe.

(Mr. Nash is the executive director of the non-profit, non-partisan American Association of Retired Persons.)

Post Office Making Effort On Holiday Mail Delivery

The last of the suggested mailing dates is Saturday, December 21, for mailing domestic air mail greeting cards within the 48

Three Cabin Burglaries Investigated by State Police

Michigan State Police investigated three cabin breakins Saturday on Shellenbarger Road near Whispering Pines. A lantern, stove, sleeping bag and snowmachine suit was stolen from a cabin owned by William Stahl, Saginaw. Police await inspection of cabins owned by Eugene Max of Taylor and Robert Guttman of Saginaw to determine stolen items.

Theft of a car Saturday owned by Dennis Ferguson of Bay City is under investigation. The car was stolen from a tavern parking lot at National City.

State police reported three car-deer accidents during the past week.

Use Herald Classifieds And Get Results.

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Seymour Carpet	32	28
Northern Pkg. & Htg.	31	29
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Roadhouse	30	30
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Team High Single: Roadhouse, 1104; Wojahn Floor Covering, 1065; Jefferson Trucking, 1055.		
Individual High Series: E. Wojahn, 690; L. Clute, 686; P. Beyer, 675.		
Individual High Single: P. Beyer, 255; E. Wojahn, 251; L. Clute, 248.		

(See BOWLING, page 5, sec. 2.)

"mainland" states. The latest suggested date for air mail to Alaska and Hawaii is December 20.

"In extending our commitment to make every possible effort to deliver all holiday mail on time, even though most suggested dead-

lines are now past, we hope the general public will respond by depositing their mail at once, if they have not already done so," stated Leonard Hosbach, Tawas City postmaster.

For the convenience of custo-

mers, Tawas City Post Office windows will be open until 5:00 p. m. on Saturday, December 21, and the lobby only on Sunday, December 22, from 8:00 a. m. until 12 o'clock noon. The post office will be closed on Christmas Day.

Seasons Greetings

Nature is a winter wonderland . . . a feeling of anticipation is in the air . . . and we're wishing you joy at Christmastime!

Heartfelt greetings from all your friends at

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Closed Christmas Day and New Year's Day

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Fame—Round

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CARDS OF THANKS

Thanks to all you wonderful and thoughtful people who made my stay at the hospital pass quickly: The Reverend Rowland, members of the church, efficient hospital personnel, neighbors and all the many good friends. Thanks again. Leeta Schlaack 51-1b

MISC. SERVICES

ROY'S REPAIR SHOP—Snowmobiles, chain saws, mowers and outboards. Phone 728-7031. 2451 North Towerline Road, Hale, Michigan. 50-3p

WHEEL ALIGNMENT — And balancing with Bear equipment. Squires' Wheel Alignment, 724 East Bay, East Tawas. Phone 362-6341. 31-tfb

COMING EVENTS

OPEN MEETING—Every Saturday night, 8 o'clock, Iosco County Building, is Central Group, Alcoholics Anonymous. 362-5960. 3-tfb

PUBLIC NOTICE

To Residents of Burleigh Township: I will be at my home to collect taxes Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
 PEGGY BASSI
 Treasurer
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 Whittemore, Mi. 48770 50-2b

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 MABLE HAMMITT, Sales AuGres, Phone 874-2782
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No house deliveries—December 25 - 26 or January 1 - 2

PUBLIC NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO. 8

An ordinance to designate an enforcing agency to discharge the responsibilities of the Township of Grant under the provisions of the State Constitution Code Act.

The Township of Grant, Iosco County, Michigan, ordains:

Sec. 1. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 9 of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972 (Compiled Laws of 1948, Section 125.1509), the building inspector of the Township of Grant is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibilities of the Township under Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972, State of Michigan. The Township of Grant hereby assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout its corporate limits.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force twenty (20) days after its passage by the Township Board and its subsequent publication.

Adopted November 4, 1974

OLEN HERRIMAN

Supervisor

LUCILE BLACKMORE

Clerk

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ORDINANCE NO. 7

An ordinance to adopt by reference the BOCA Building Code and to provide the certain modifications therein and its application to the Township of Grant. The Township of Grant, Iosco County, Michigan ordains:

Sec. 1. Pursuant to the provisions of Sec. 8 of the State Constitution Code Act (Act 230 of 1972, Compiled Laws 1948, Sec. 125-1501 et seq.) the BOCA Building Code as published by Building Officials and Code Administrators International, Inc. 1970 edition, as amended, is hereby adopted by reference, subject to the modifications contained in this ordinance.

Sec. 2. Reference in the BOCA Code to "State" and Michigan shall mean the State of Michigan; reference to "municipality" shall mean the Township of Grant.

Sec. 3. The following chapters, sections and subsections of the BOCA Building Code are hereby amended or deleted as set forth in additional chapters, sections and subsections are added as indicated. The following chapter and section numbers refer to like numbers of chapters and sections of the BOCA Building Code.

Sec. 204. Amended to read:

Sec. 204. Board of Appeals. The Zoning Board of Appeals of the Township of Grant is hereby constituted as the Building Code Board of Appeals under this building code.

Sec. 205. Amended to read:

Sec. 205. Violations: Any person erecting, using, moving, demolishing, occupying or maintaining any building or structure in violation of this Building Code or causing, permitting or suffering any such violation to be committed, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$500.00 or to be imprisoned for not more than 30 days or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Any building or structure erected, used, moved, demolished, occupied or maintained in violation of this chapter is hereby declared to be a nuisance per se. Upon application to any court or competent jurisdiction, the court may order the nuisance abated and/or the violation, or threatened violation restrained and adjourned.

Sec. 4. All other ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of the Building Code herein adopted are, to the extent of such inconsistency, hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force twenty (20) days after its passage by the Township Board and its subsequent publication.

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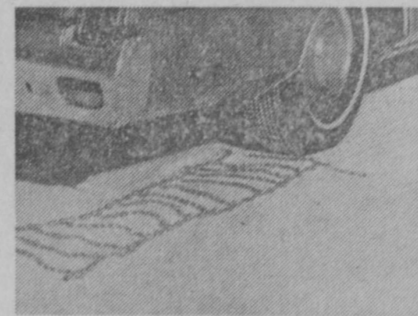
It's the freezing season

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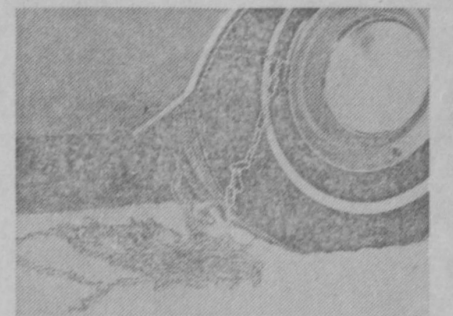
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EASY WAY TO APPLY TIRE CHAINS

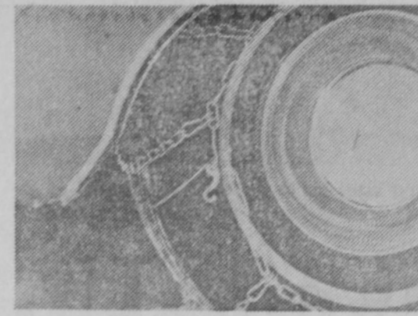
With a little "know-how" and practice, it can be done in 6 minutes, without a jack and without getting your clothes dirty.



STEP NO. 1 Spread the chains on the ground behind the rear wheels to remove tangles. Hooks should be to the rear. Reinforced chains are best and the projecting teeth or cleats should be facing up.



STEP NO. 2 Gather the chains behind the tire so they won't catch the fender, and attach the end links to the "chain applier," a simple spring steel wire that is easily slipped onto the tire.



STEP NO. 3 Drive the car forward about one wheel revolution, so that the applier carries the chains around the tire.



STEP NO. 4 Remove the applier and fasten the inside hook first, then the outside hook. With a little practice the inner hook can be fastened by "feel" without getting under the car.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Erwin J. Wozniak and Sibyl O. Wozniak, his wife, (neither of whom are now in the armed forces of the United States), unto Conel Development, Inc., dated July 5, 1968, and recorded July 9, 1968, in Mortgage Liber 68, pages 302-303, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Iosco County, Michigan. Said mortgage was assigned to Citizens Commercial & Savings Bank, a Michigan banking corporation, by a certain assignment dated July 10, 1968, and recorded July 19, 1968, in Mortgage Liber 68, page 438, in the office of the Register of Deeds office for Iosco County, Michigan. And whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-Four and 16/100 (\$1,484.16) Dollars for principal and the sum of Seventy-Four and 91/100 (\$74.91) Dollars as interest due thereon, and the further sum of Fifty and no/100 (\$50.00) Dollars as attorney fees, that being the amount provided by statutes in force at the date of the said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage or any part thereof and default having occurred whereby the power of sale has become operative.

NOW THEREFORE by virtue of the power of sale contained in the said mortgage and pursuant to the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Wednesday, the 22nd day of January, A. D., 1975, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Tawas City, Iosco County, State of Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco is held, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in the said mortgage for the purpose of paying the amount due as aforesaid, together with interest thereon from the date of this notice to the date of the said sale, together with such taxes or insurance paid by the undersigned, pursuant to law and to the terms

LEGAL NOTICE

of the said mortgage with interest thereon, which premises are described in the said mortgage as follows:

LOT 17, LAKEWOOD SOUTH, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 12, pages 32 and 33 of Plats, Iosco County Records. Township of Oscoda, County of Iosco, State of Michigan.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the right of redemption from said sale shall expire one (1) year from the date thereof. Dated: December 18, 1974.

Citizens Commercial & Savings Bank, a Michigan banking corporation, of Flint, Michigan.

Winegarden, Booth, Ricker, Shedd & Laro
 Attorneys At Law
 501 Citizens Bank Building
 Flint, Michigan 48502 51-5b

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 1002 Monument Road PHONE 362-8869 Tawas City

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The City of Tawas City will conduct a Public Hearing at the City Hall on January 6, 1975 at 7:30 PM to consider an Amendment to the Zoning Ordinance No. 162 of the City of Tawas City.

MARY M. BYRD

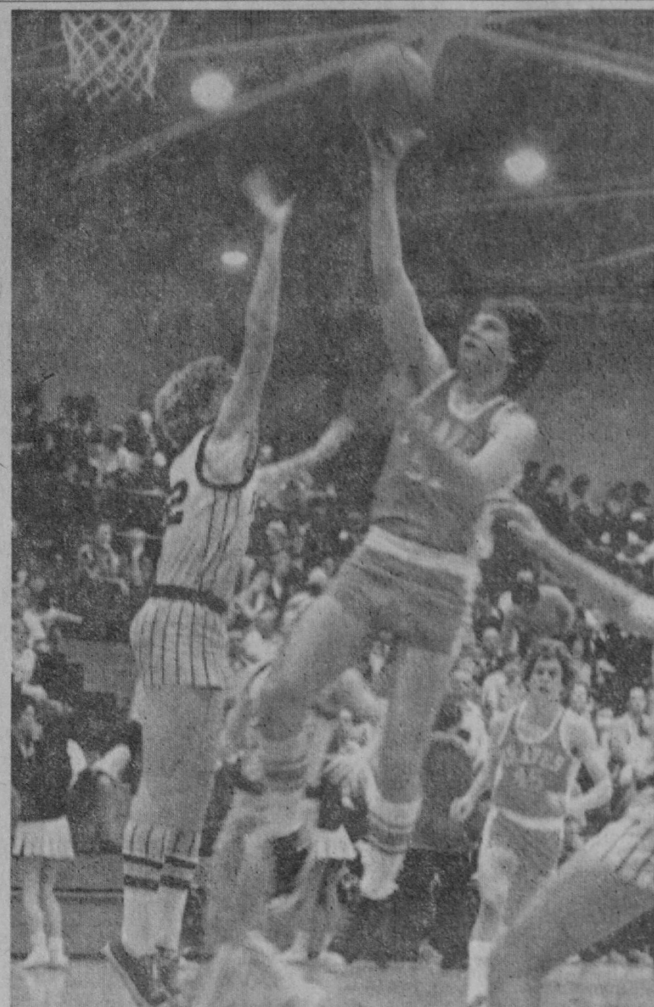
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I will not be responsible for debts other than my own after this date.

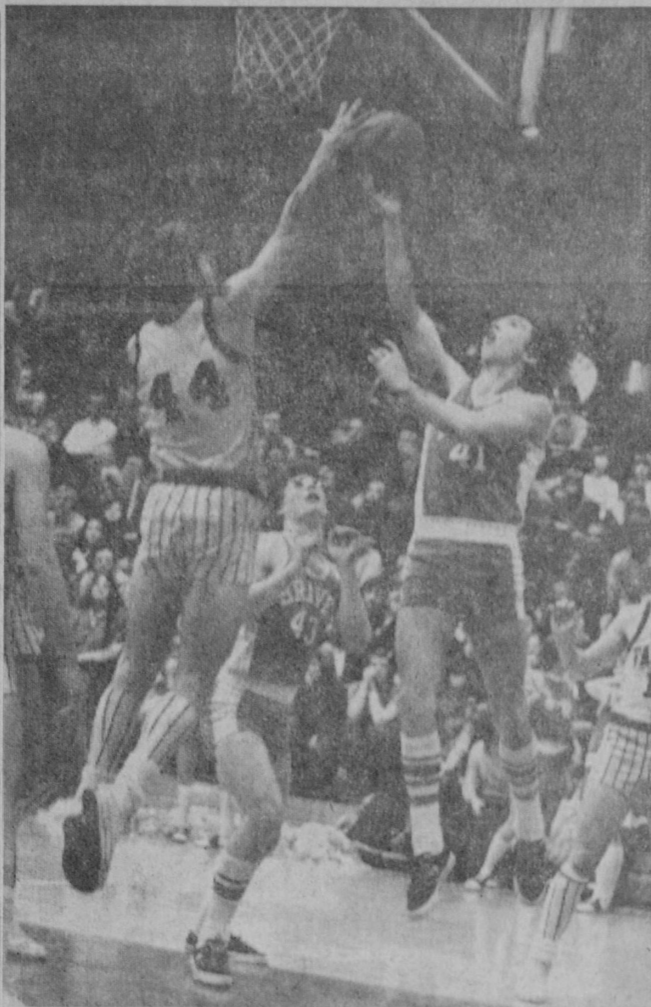
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EFFECTIVE JANUARY 2, 1975
 CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY OFFICE
 1931 E. HURON ROAD, EAST TAWAS
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 12 NOON AND 1:00 P. M.
 UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
OFFICE HOURS
MONDAY THRU FRIDAY
8:00 AM — 12 NOON
1:00 PM — 5:00 PM

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JEFF HEMPHILL scored on this drive Friday night and went on to mesh 15 points against the Ogemaw Heights Falcons.



RANDY SCALES of the Tawas Area Braves broke through the Ogemaw Heights defense to score on this layup.—Tawas Herald Photos.

Braves Racked Up Second NBC Win Over OH Falcons

Showing spurts of good passing and shooting at times, Tawas Area Braves staved off a third quarter threat by the visitors Friday night to down the Ogemaw Heights Falcons for their second straight NBC victory, 69-59.

Between those spurts, the Braves caused themselves some problems with numerous turnovers on bad passing, Ogemaw Heights, on the other hand, put a much-improved team on the floor, but seemed more concerned over questionable officiating than to take advantage of Tawas' mental lapses.

Play was rough for both teams under the baskets and it was at the charity lanes where Tawas actual-

ly won the game, completing 15 of 25 foul shots while the Falcons had only nine foul shots during the night and completed five of them. Each team meshed 27 field goals during the game.

Tawas jumped off to a 17-10 lead in the first quarter, then meshed 22 points to the Falcons' 16 in the second quarter to take a 39-26 margin at halftime. Jeff Hemphill led the way during the first two quarters with 10 points.

Ogemaw Heights caught fire in the third quarter to cut the Braves' margin with a 19-12 bulge, but Tawas came back to win with an 18-14 scoring difference in the final.

The Falcons cut Tawas' lead to

five points at one time in the second half, but a couple of key field goals by Mike Mooney, along with deadly accuracy by Mark Elliott and Brad Potts at the free throw line, spelled the difference.

It was the first time in recollection that a basketball game here had to be stopped while officials removed a playful dog from the floor.

Tawas had four players hitting in double figures with Elliott leading the way with 16. Hemphill was next with 15, while Mooney and Potts had 11 points each. Jim Jennings topped Ogemaw Heights scorers with 18 points.

Earlier in the week, Tawas suffered its first loss of the year

when they were edged by Alpena High, 57-55, in a defensive game. The Braves now have a record of three wins and one loss.

Tawas' junior varsity continued to take it on the chin, losing Friday night to the Little Falcons, 73-47. The two teams played on fairly even terms in the first quarter, Ogemaw holding an 18-13 lead at the end of the first eight minutes. The Little Falcons then demonstrated why OH is expected to become one of the future powers in the NBC as two freshmen, Pete Jennings and Mark Steinhurst, played rings around the Junior Braves, 21-10.

Tawas sliced the lead by one field goal, 14-12, in the third quarter, but the Little Falcons came back with a 22-10 margin in the final.

Halstead was leading scorer for Tawas with 12 points, followed by Tausley's 10 points. Others scoring were Powers, eight points; Fisher, six points; Lear, four points; Warner, Tafelski and Peterson, each with two points; Benson, a charity toss.

Ogemaw Heights had three players in double figures, Steinhurst leading the way with 19 points. Jon VanOosten had 17 points and Jennings meshed 16.

TAWAS	FG	FT	TP
Scales	3	3	9
Haglund	3	0	6
Elliott	5	6	16
Mooney	5	1	11
Hemphill	7	1	15
Potts	4	3	11
Parsons	0	1	1
	27	15	69

OGEWAW HEIGHTS	FG	FT	TP
Holmes	1	1	3
Jennings	9	0	18
Sullivan	7	3	17
Zettle	2	0	4
Fritz	1	0	2
Mason	4	1	9
Cearbaugh	3	0	6
	27	5	59

DNR Announces Personnel Changes

Michigan Department of Natural Resources Regional Office has announced two personnel changes in the Region II Law Enforcement Branch.

George G. Robson, 35, has been

appointed to the position of water safety supervisor in Region II. Robson joined DNR as conservation officer at Centreville in 1966. For the past five years, he has served as conservation officer at Tawas City. In his new role, Robson will be responsible for boating, snowmobile, off-road recreational vehicle and firearm safety training and enforcement.

Robson; his wife, Kay, and their daughter will reside in Roscommon.

Walter D. Mikula, 30, has been assigned to the Tawas City conservation officer position. He will transfer from Niles, where he has served as conservation officer for the past three years. Mikula is a native of Grand Rapids and worked for the fisheries division of DNR at Plainwell during the summers of 1969 and 1970 before joining the law enforcement ranks.

Mikula; his wife, Paula, and their daughter will make their new home in Tawas City.

Alumni Cage Teams Being Organized

Graduates of Tawas City, East Tawas, Alabaster and Tawas Area High Schools are reminded that they are still eligible to join the alumni basketball teams before the December 27 game against the Oscoda alumni.

Women are to call Pamela Koepke at 362-3910 and men may contact Robert Watts at 362-5840.

Women's game will begin at 7:00 p. m. at Oscoda Area High School gymnasium and men will play at approximately 8:30 o'clock.

Games are sponsored by the Oscoda and Tawas Area Athletic Booster Clubs.

Booster Club Social Evening

Tawas Braves Booster Club has scheduled a social evening Saturday, December 21, 7:30 p. m., at the American Legion Hall, East Tawas. All members are urged to attend.

S-S Voters Approved New Element. School

Voters of Standish - Sterling School District approved construction of a two-million-dollar elementary school last week, but rejected a proposed 5.3-million-dollar high school. As the result of the defeat of the second proposition, split sessions are to continue in the junior and senior high school grades.

Cold Cards Lost, 75-39, to Roscommon

The W-P Cards had a frigid night at Roscommon last Tuesday as they went down to defeat, 75-39. Junior varsity contest also went to Roscommon.

The varsity squad never found the range as they hit only 22 percent from the floor. Coach DeShano said, "We played good enough to win but missed our shots and then lost the ball and you cannot win that way."

The Cards did not have a player in double figures, Joe Smith was tops with eight while Cousineau and Englehard each hit 15 for the winning Bucks.

The Cards have two more games before the holidays. They play host to Fairview on Tuesday night and then invade Hale Saturday night, December 21.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

In regard to the article in the Herald of December 11th, citing the gripes of Sen. Robert Davis, it is getting to be rather tiresome to listen to some of the opponents of the repeal of the sales tax on food. The people have shown that they are opposed to a sales tax on food and with good reason, so why not let the matter rest there and expend his energies on coping with how to enforce the law? If our legislators have not the ability to define what is food and what is not, why not consult some other state where the law is in effect and does not seem to pose an insurmountable problem? If an additional tax is needed to replace the money lost thru the repeal of the sales tax, perhaps one can be found that is more fair and just.

Since alcohol and tobacco seem to be the worst problems today,

why not tax them more. It probably would not stop the use of them but might slow it down some.

Shirley C. Palmer

Dear Editor:

I have always been one for progress but, at this time, recession and all, I think we are paying too much taxes now. To add \$2 a thousand or more to assessed value for a skill center in my opinion is poor judgment. They say it is a gift or grant . . . from whom?

If you will stop to think, nobody gives anyone anything in this day and age. It is the taxpayer who will have to foot the bill. Think it over and vote to your best judgment. Thank you.

Herbert Schroeder
National City, Michigan

To the Editor:

I write this appeal as a senior citizen in the community with the

sincere hope the skill center proposal on December 19th will pass. What was good enough for me at that age IS NOT good enough for our present teen-agers. Today's technologists require training and where better than in a skill center.

I have seen some of the centers now operating in Bay City and Saginaw and the looks on the faces of those attending and the attitudes that the instructors tell me the students have is well worth the investment. They have an interest and a goal.

Using Mr. Currey's example of \$19.80 per year, this amounts to \$1.65 per month, less than four packs of cigarettes per month or one six-pack of beer per month.

Can't we at least invest this in our teen-agers of today?

We also will benefit in available courses for ourselves.

Remember, it costs approximately \$10,000 per year to keep a delinquent in prison one year.

R. W. Jackson
454 Huron Hills Drive
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Dec. 18-21

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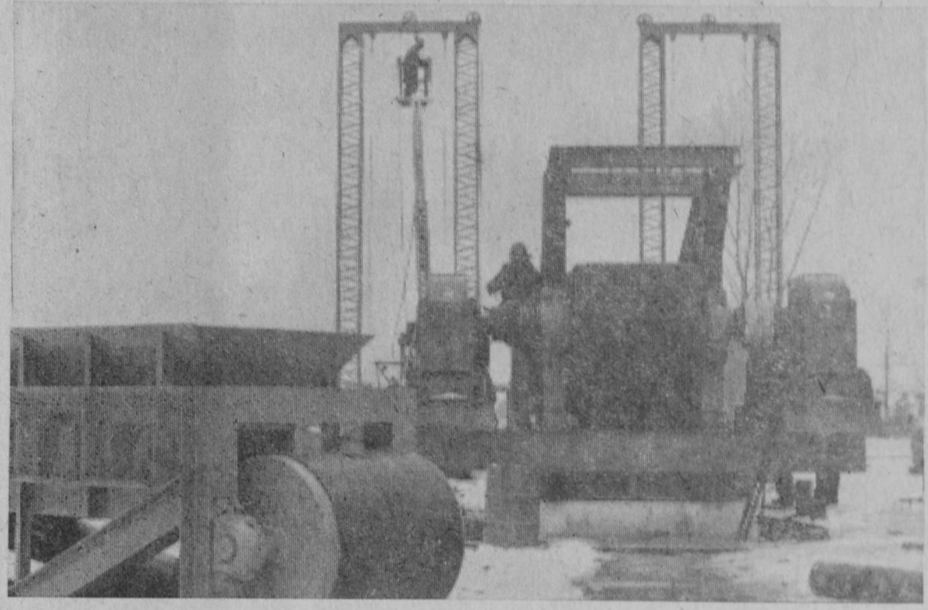
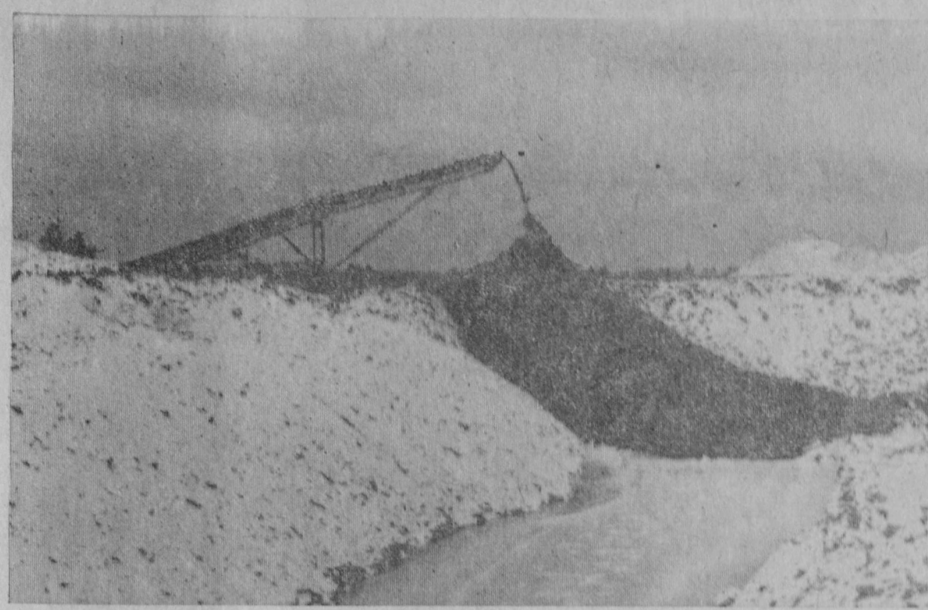
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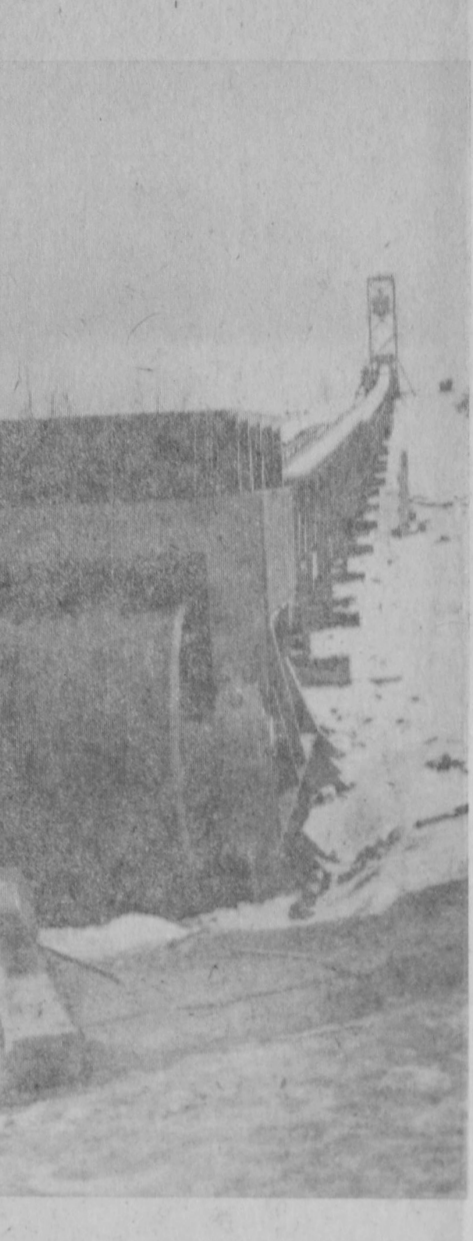
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UNDERGOING a dramatic change is the strip mining operation at United States Gypsum Company's Alabaster quarry. The picture at top left and right shows the 48-inch-wide rubber belt conveyer system



which is partially installed. The picture at lower left shows a workman adjusting one of two 250-horsepower electrical motors which drive the equipment.—Tawas Herald Photos.

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AN IMPORTANT part of the operation is to beautify the area which has been mined. One area is to be terraced for a future housing development and a number of lakes are being created.



A NEW shop building and maintenance headquarters has been constructed west of Gypsum Road. The two-story building is large enough to accommodate the huge tractor and front-end loader with plenty of room to spare for work on other equipment.

Massive Modernization At USG's Alabaster Quarry

NEM Area's Oldest Industry

Strip mining at United States Gypsum Company's Alabaster installation, Northeastern Michigan's oldest industry, is currently undergoing a massive modernization program. When completed in 1975, the operation will bear little resemblance to quarrying methods formerly used there.

In the planning stage for three years before actual construction began in 1974, a mining system has been devised whereby rail transportation in the quarry and the use of large draglines in the stripping operation are being eliminated.

Replacing the railroad system formerly used to transport gypsum rock to the lake shore crushing operation will be a 3,700-foot conveyer belt system. This 48-inch-wide rubber belt will serve a dual purpose in that it will also provide the means of moving earthen overburden covering the gypsum deposit to a spoil area.

"Our two large draglines and railroad equipment had reached replacement age and, when we began consideration of buying new units, we came to the conclusion that draglines and rail cars no longer would fit into our changing mining plan," said Maynard VanOrnum, works manager at Alabaster.

"We looked at a number of different methods of moving materials and finally decided that a belt system would be most practical. One of the principal factors in reaching this decision was that a belt system would move both gypsum rock and overburden in a direct line and in conformity with all environmental considerations. Truck hauling in the quarry was ruled out because of the safety factor involved during the winter months," said the works manager.

A 700-foot section of the belt conveyer system used to move overburden to the spoil area went into use for the first time in mid-November. Employees are becoming familiar with the operation of the conveyor, as well as new earth moving equipment purchased during the past year.

One of the most important changes in the entire operation will be the actual method of removing gypsum rock from the quarry floor. After about 80 feet of sand and clay comprising the overburden is removed from the deposit, a giant new HD-41 Allis Chalmers tractor will be used to rip apart the seam of gypsum.

This tractor, the largest in the world, is expected to replace the former method of using high explosives to fracture the gypsum deposit. As it moves along the quarry floor, the 70-ton tractor rips through the gypsum seam by means of a single tooth. Huge front-end loader units operating behind this behemoth scoop up the fractured gypsum rock and dump the material into a hopper where it is fed directly on the main belt conveyer line.

The belt conveyer system, heart of the new operation, moves approximately 1,500 tons of rock an hour to a stockpile area, located just west of US-23. Powered by two 250-horsepower electrical motors, the conveyer system is to remain in constant motion in order to eliminate icing problems during the winter months.

From 200,000 to 300,000 tons of rock are to be stockpiled and 40-ton, four-wheel drive trucks are to be used to transport the gypsum to the primary crusher located near the shore of Saginaw Bay.

The crushing operation preparing gypsum for shipment remains unchanged. After passing through the jaws of primary and secondary crushing units, gypsum rock is

conveyed by an overhead bucket tramline system to the lake crib, located 6,350 feet from shore in Saginaw Bay. There, Great Lakes ore carriers are loaded with the raw material which other USG plants turn into plaster board and allied products.

VanOrnum said that one of the principal advantages of the change to the belt conveyer system is that the need for continually moving of the spoil area and railroad tracks as the quarry expands inland has been eliminated. The previous method utilized the two large draglines to overcast material ahead of the quarrying operations, thus resulting in the handling of the material several times. Under the new system, sand and clay stripped by bulldozers is moved to a permanent spoil area by means of the conveyer system.

Through utilization of this new mining technique, the public's view of the quarry from US-23 will assume an entirely different appearance. The spoil area at the

southwestern side of the quarry is to be terraced for a future housing development and 1,000 pine, blue spruce, black walnut and willow trees have already been planted.

A 20-acre lake being created there to serve as the central collection area for surface water pumped from the quarry will be at least five times as pure as the water of Lake Huron and will be planted with fish. Two other lakes in the quarry presently planted with bass and trout are to be retained.

Work has been completed on a new shop building located west of Gypsum Road. This two-story, 80 by 140-foot steel and concrete block structure will serve as maintenance headquarters for the quarrying operation, as well as providing space for the quarry foreman's office, a conference room, first aid room, rest rooms, showers and locker room for employees.

The Alabaster quarry has been in operation for more than 100 years and has played a vital part

in the growth of Iosco County. Outcroppings of the gypsum deposit were noted in the 1840s by Douglas Houghton, state geologist, and the quarry was first opened in 1865 by B. F. Smith. Following a succession of different firm names, the quarry was purchased in 1902 by United States Gypsum Company, the same year that corporation was founded.

While methods and equipment were refined over the years in the strip mining operation, the basic technique has remained unchanged until the present: Overburden was first removed by hand and horsepower, later by steam and electrical power; the exposed seam had always been fractured by a charge of explosives and rock was loaded (first by hand and later by machine) into rail cars for movement out of the quarry to the crusher area for shipment by lake carrier and rail.

Like the sailboats used to transport gypsum on the Great Lakes in B. F. Smith's time, strip mining operations at Alabaster are currently undergoing a dramatic change and more advances can be anticipated in the not too distant future.

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Iosco Intermediate School District voters again go to the polls this week to decide on adoption or rejection of bonding and operational proposals for the new Blue Water vocational skill center. The same propositions were last placed before voters September 9.

Much has happened in the national economic picture since voters rejected the skill center by a narrow margin in the last vote. The automobile industry, often looked upon as the bellwether of the nation's economy, has been crippled by the lack of sales and many employees of the "Big Three" are without jobs; inflationary prices on the barest essentials of life, which have zoomed ever upward in recent months, continue to spiral to cause havoc in family budgets. The end of this inflation is not in sight as only last week the United States Department of Agriculture projected that food prices would increase another 11 to 15 percent next year.

Next Thursday's vote actually could not come at a more inopportune time, but the decision by voters is apparently needed to insure safeguarding of federal funds earmarked for the project during the current fiscal year.

Despite the above reasoning, publishers of this newspaper feel that the "picture was painted on the wall" in bold letters last September and, while the propositions lost by only narrow margins, the proposals were rejected and should not have been submitted again in such a short period of time.

Granted, construction costs probably will continue to increase and the next time the proposition is placed before voters the bond issue will be even higher. It should be remembered, however, that taxes levied for constructional bond issues tend to be reduced each year as valuation of the district increases through new construction and new property owners to help pay those taxes; we have not seen such a decrease in operational taxes—just the opposite.

While publishers of this newspaper have to admit that they are

not completely sold on the skill center concept, due to the fact that vocational offerings continue to be expanded in high schools and there will be quite a bit of duplication of services, we have to agree with the person, who said in a letter last week to the editor: "I am in favor of waiting until the economy looks more favorable before we get any additional taxes; I am not trying to hold up progress, just trying to hold down taxes to the average person's ability to pay."

In the opinion of the Herald, administrators of Tawas Area School have spent more than enough time during the past year to accumulate information on the extended school year concept. We are happy that some of this information will be usable in the regular school program, but we believe that administrators should be allowed to carry out the duties for which they have been hired. One of those duties is to evaluate the performance of members of the faculty, according to terms of the contract and state law, as well as to perform regular day-to-day supervision.

Regardless of the studies of the controversial ESY concept, some persons will not be satisfied unless ESY is adopted in Tawas Area School District. From what we have heard during the past three years, the publishers are not enthused about the ESY concept in this district nor about continuation of the split session arrangement now in use. Split session should be a temporary remedy to overcrowded classrooms and it has actually improved the educational offering for students.

For the same reasons stated above concerning the vocational skill center, we believe that the board of education should not jump into any proposed building program—and get whipped at the polls because of a voter backlash against inflation and the present poor national economic picture—the entire school district should be able to get its feet on the ground and unite in future school planning.

New Kiwanis Memorial Is Completed

15 Years Ago—

December 16, 1959—A huge marble cap and five-foot marble "K" was affixed to the new \$7,000 Kiwanis monument in Huron National Forest. Begun last summer, the new monument replaces the one constructed at the Kiwanis plantation in 1929.

Herman Dehnke is making his last appearances on the 23rd Judicial Circuit bench here before retirement at year's end.

Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Hale and Rose City has announced dividends of nine percent to stockholders.

Stephen Nisbet, formerly of Tawas City, has announced that he is retiring as a vice president of Gerber Products at Fremont.

Consumers Power Company has leased 320 acres of land at \$1 per year to Wurtsmith Air Force Base as a recreational area.

Kenneth Conn was named president of the Tawas City Businessmen's Association.

25 Years Ago—

December 16, 1949—The new 5,000-volt Consumers Power Company substation serving the Tawas area goes into service Sunday morning, according to Al Jerome, general foreman. The new facility replaces a 2,500-volt substation.

Twelve students from Iosco County are among 23,840 students taking credit courses during fall semester at the University of Michigan. Included are Arvid Carlson, Charles W. Ferguson, Kenneth G. Miller, Stephen C. North, Elaine C. Pierson, Owen G. Small, all of East Tawas; Eileen L. Collins, Emma N. Haglund, Edison Hart Jr., all of Osceola; Russell A. Rollin Jr. and Mary C. Schuhmacher, Tawas City; Ruth E. Nichols, Whittemore.

The grade has been completed on the new Monument Road contract undertaken this fall by the Iosco County Road Commission. The surface is to be of limestone taken from the county's pit in the southwest corner of the county. The quarry is now in operation and it is expected that necessary screens will arrive for the production of materials to meet specifications on this project.

According to a department of agriculture report, the population of the United States will increase by leaps and bounds in the next 26 years. The report predicts that the current population of approximately 150-million will rise to a whopping 188.5-million by 1975—an increase of 26.4 percent.

35 Years Ago—

December 15, 1939—N. J. Crocker announced that as trustee of the Tawas Golf Club, he has sold the course to Frank Brown. Brown agrees to sell the business at any time within one year to any member or syndicate of members. The property can be taken over for \$1,806, which is the amount Brown has obligated himself to pay.

The powerful Alabaster basketball team continued in its winning ways by upsetting Prescott High, league champion last year, by a 23-16 score. Alabaster's combination of Oates, Martin, DeLosh, Benson and Proulx is going to be a hard combination to stop this season.

Orations are being written this week by Tawas City High School students. The first draft must be handed in this week for approval or rejection.

America learned it had a potential presidential candidate to oppose Franklin Roosevelt, should he seek a third term next year. At Princeton, New Jersey, a Gallup poll was released showing New York's District Atty. Tom Dewey trailing 46 percent to 54 percent in a mythical race with the president.

Herald Classifieds Get
People Together—
Buying and Selling.



ICE FISHING opened in grand style last week for fishermen on Tawas Lake. Shown with 15 northern pike and one walleye are Roy Anschuetz, Donald Shover and Richard Brooks, all of the Tawas. A fishing buddy was not present for the picture. The northers ranged from 20 to 26 inches in length and

the walleye, a fish rarely taken in Tawas Lake in recent years, measured 25 inches and weighed 5½ pounds. The fish were all caught on tipups through the new ice on the west side of the lake.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Children Can Help With Preparations for Christmas

While your children are anxiously awaiting Christmas, you can help the big day come faster.

"There are plenty of fun ways for them to help you, without getting underfoot," suggests Marilyn Mook, Michigan State University Extension specialist.

Children love to make Christmas cookies.

"You can make the dough and the kids can roll, cut out and decorate the cookies," says Miss Mook. "Let them be creative and cut out their own designs and choose the decorating materials." They may choose candy sprinkles, colored frosting, chocolate tidbits, etc. Let them do it their way.

"Children may also help with your other Christmas baking," adds Miss Mook. "They can chop

nuts, cut up cherries and measure ingredients."

How about letting the kids make decorations for the tree?

"They can string cereal loops, such as Fruit Loops or Cheerios, on colored yarn," suggests Miss Mook. "Cereal loops last longer than cranberries and are not as messy to string."

Pretty Christmas cookies make lovely ornaments for the tree. When the cookies are ready for baking, cut a hole in the dough. Be sure the hole is large enough, so it will not close while the cookies are baking. When the cookies are done, the youngsters can pull string through the hole, tie a knot and hang the cookies on the tree.

Other ornaments can be made from scraps of felt, pieces of styrofoam egg cartons, pipe cleaners,

etc. Kids can make paper or macaroni chains. Use food coloring to dye the macaroni.

"Let your children make their own Christmas stockings," suggests Miss Mook. "They can sew pieces of felt together and then decorate the stocking using glitter and glue."

So if your children cannot wait for Christmas to come, help them start celebrating early by letting them perform "fun" Christmas chores.



Holiday Job Earnings Can Affect Benefits

Earnings from holiday jobs can affect the monthly payments of students, housewives and other people getting benefits from social security, according to John Carr, social security district manager, Bay City.

The amount people earn from holiday jobs will cause a reduction

in their social security checks if their total earnings for 1974 are over \$2,400. "For every \$2 you earn over \$2,400, \$1 in social security benefits is withheld," Carr said. "But no matter how much you earn for the year, you can get your full social security payments for any month in which you neither earn over \$200 nor do substantial work in your own business." People planning to take holiday jobs should notify social security as soon as possible if they know their earnings for this year will go over \$2,400, according to Carr.

"Refunding overpayments to social security could cause financial hardship," he said.

People can get information about earnings and social security benefits by calling or writing any social security office. The Bay City social security office is at 1009 North Madison. The phone number is 892-3554.

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

DECEMBER 18-24

Wednesday, December 18—
Twentieth Century Club, 1:30 p. m., Michigan Consolidated Gas Company conference room.
Tawas Area High School and Middle School Choruses Christmas concert, 8:00 p. m., high school gymnasium.

Thursday, December 19—
St. Joseph Christian Mothers Altar Society pot-luck dinner and Christmas party, 6:30 p. m., social center, East Tawas.
Santa Claus will be at the East Tawas Community Building at 6:00 p. m.

Friday, December 20—
Santa Claus will be at the Tawas City City Hall at 7:00 p. m.

Saturday, December 21—
Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 5678 and Auxiliary joint Christmas party, 6:30 p. m., VFW Hall, Tawas City.
Santa Claus will be in National City at 1:00 p. m. and in Whittemore at 2 o'clock.

Sunday, December 22—
Fourth Sunday of Advent.

Monday, December 23—
Tawas Area School Christmas vacation begins.

Tuesday, December 24—
Christmas Eve.

DECEMBER 25-31

Wednesday, December 25—
Christmas Day.

Thursday, December 26—
Regular meeting, Tawas Council No. 2709, Knights of Columbus, 8:00 p. m., K of C Hall, Tawas City.

Tuesday, December 31—
New Year's Eve.

JANUARY 1-7

Wednesday, January 1—
New Year's Day.

Thursday, January 2—
Monthly meeting, Iosco Chapter No. 71, Order of the Eastern Star, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple, Tawas City.

Tawas City Businessmen's luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Little Joe's Midway Drive-In Restaurant, Tawas City.

East Tawas Businessmen's luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.

Monday, January 6—
Tawas City City Council meeting, 7:30 p. m., city hall.

East Tawas City Council meeting, 7:30 p. m., city hall.

Tuesday, January 7—
Tawas Kiwanis Club meeting, 12:05 p. m., Holland House, East Tawas.

Tawas City Garden Club monthly meeting, 1:30 p. m., home of Mrs. Harry Rollin, 418 Fifth Avenue, Tawas City.

Tawas Lodge No. 274, Free and Accepted Masons, regular meeting, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple, Tawas City.

JANUARY 8-14

Wednesday, January 8—
Tawas Area Senior Citizens meeting, 12 o'clock noon, East Tawas Community Building.

Thursday, January 9—
Tawas Council No. 2709, Knights of Columbus, regular meeting, 8:00 p. m., K of C Hall, East Tawas.
Tawas City Businessmen's luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Little Joe's Midway Drive-In Restaurant, Tawas City.
East Tawas Businessmen's luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.

Monday, January 13—
Royal Arch Widows monthly meeting, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple, Tawas City.
Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 5678 regular meeting, 8:00 p. m., VFW Hall, Tawas City.
Tawas Area Board of Education regular meeting, 7:30 p. m., Administration Building, East Tawas.

Tuesday, January 14—
Tawas Kiwanis Club meeting, 12:05 p. m., Holland House, East Tawas.
East Tawas Lions Club regular meeting, 6:30 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.

Real Estate Transfers

George Lydy and wife to Russell J. Hatfield, Parcel in Section 35, T21N, R5E.

William H. Mott and wife to Gilbert J. Trepkowski and wife, Lot 237 of Eagle Park Subdivision.

Hamilton L. McNichol and wife to Daniel J. Bondy, et al, Lot 11 of Supervisors Plat of the Old Mill Site.

Jerry L. Brezina and wife to Roger H. Denton and wife, Lots 14 and 15, Block A, of Supervisors Plat of Coastguardville.

Myrtle E. Austin to Louis J. Sosnowski and wife, Lot 89 of East Brewer Park Subdivision.

Cecile L. Hand to Louis T. Schaner and wife, Lot 34 of Hull Island Subdivision No. 1.

Maude Irene Moore to William M. Moore, et al, Lots 3, 4 and 5, Block 13, of Sand Lake Resort.

Edna G. Irwin to Harry G. Hayes Jr. and wife, Lots 8 and 9, Block 6 of Loud, Gay and Company's Second Addition to the Village of Oscoda.

Glenna M. Taylor to Michael H. Finn and wife, Lot 87 of Interlake Park Subdivision.

Elwyn C. Dobson and wife to Norman H. Streeter and wife, et al, Lot 4, Block 3, of Supervisors Plat of Timbered Shores Subdivision.

Edward B. Getman and wife to DeVeré A. Fader and wife, Lot 339 and Part of Lot 340 of Kokosing Subdivision.

Ira Scofield and wife to Casimir Cook and wife, Part of the SE¼ of the SW¼ of Section 6, T21N, R6E.

William H. Marzolf and wife to Walter J. Owsley and wife, Lot 3 of River Road Estates Subdivision.

Katherine A. Gowenlock to Violet M. Lee, Lots 54, 55, 56, 52 and 12 of AuSable Point Beach No. 4.

Violet M. Lee to George Buckmeier and wife, Lots 54, 55, 56, 52 and 12 of AuSable Point Beach No. 4.

Burrill Suttiff to Candice C. Wahlenmayer, Lot 40 of Interlake Park Subdivision.

Carl W. Schmalz and wife to Jerry A. Stone, et al, Part of the E½ of the NE¼ of Section 34, T24N, R5E.

Amelia Oates to Martin B. Bender and wife, Lot 1 and Part of Lot 2 of Hyde Park Subdivision.

Amelia E. Oates to Martin B. Bender and wife, Lots 49, 50 and 51 of Hyde Park Subdivision.

Lowell F. Smith and wife to Bruce M. Boughner and wife, Part of the NE¼ of the SE¼ of Section 19, T23N, R6E.

Russell J. Hatfield to James Seabert Sr. and wife, Part of Section 35, T24N, R5E.

George L. Binder and wife to Harry R. Skeen and wife, Part of the NE¼ of the SW¼ of Section 27, T22N, R7E.

Julia G. Oliver to Francis E. Babcock and wife, Lots 15 and 17 of The Oliver Woods Subdivision.

Schaaf Lumber Company to Bruce L. Myles and wife, Part of the NW¼ of the NE¼ of Section 22, T22N, R8E.

Brownell Realty, Incorporated, to Martin R. Engel Sr. and wife, Lot 885 of Lake Huron Sand Beach Subdivision No. 7.

to Frank S. Klein and wife, Lot 767 of Lake Huron Sand Beach Subdivision No. 6.

Laundra J. Brownell to Frank S. Klein and wife, Lot 766 of Lake Huron Sand Beach Subdivision No. 6.

Walter J. Watts and wife to George Nicula, Lot 22 of Floyd Lake Heights.

Michael J. Walsh and wife, et al, to Werner B. Leidecker and wife, Part of Government Lot 7, Section 2, T22N, R6E.

Edward Gerald Carson and wife to Raymond J. Sawicki, Lot 92 of Wakefield Park No. 2.

Gordon P. Stacy and wife to Ervin L. Bindscheat, Part of the SE¼ of the SE¼ of Section 28, T21N, R5E.

Lawrence Lee Nelson and wife to Neal L. Stranahan and wife, Lots 7 and 8 of Tawas Trailer Estates Subdivision.

Charlotte Kummer to Harry B. Wallerstein and wife, Lot 12 of Supervisor Plat of Woodland Beach No. 2.

Harry B. Wallerstein and wife to Robert C. Ottwell and wife, Lot 12 of Supervisors Plat of Woodland Beach No. 2.

Margaret Jackson Morrison to Floyd F. Payne and wife, Lots 1 and 2 of Mead's Landing.

William D. Hurley and wife to Henry J. Butzin and wife, Parcel in Section 19, T23N, R8E.

Gertrude Trigger, et al, to Donna M. Stansell, Lot 15 of The Three Harolds Subdivision.

Robert J. Chatal and wife to James K. Carroll and wife, Lot 889 of Lake Huron Sand Beach No. 7.

security income payments?
Answer: Yes. Supplemental security income cannot be paid for any month to anyone who is outside the United States for the whole month.
Question: My mother gets supplemental security income payments. She lives in another state now, but may come here to live with me. Will her payments be affected?
Answer: Both eligibility for payments and payment amounts can be affected by changes in place of residence, income, marital status and other circumstances. If your mother moves, she should report her change in residence to a social security office within 30 days. The people there will tell her how her payments will be affected.
Question: My doctor gave me a Request for Medicare Payment form to use for filing my medical insurance claim. As I was looking over the form, I noticed a space for claim number. What is my claim number?
Answer: Your claim number is shown on your medicare health insurance card. It consists of nine digits and a symbol, such as A, B, F2. When you send in a medical insurance claim, write your claim number on the Request for Medicare Payment form and on any itemized bill you send with the form just as it is shown on your card. A form submitted without a claim number or with the wrong number can cause a delay in payment.
If you have questions regarding social security, contact the Bay City social security office at 1009 North Madison or phone 893-9579.

THE TAWAS HERALD Wednesday, December 18, 1974-3

PROCESSED FROZEN

KROGER HAS FROZEN PRICES ON OVER 1100 ITEMS UNTIL FEB. 1, 1975!

We're as tired of rising food costs as you are. When we pay more, we have to charge more. So, we have bought up enough of over 1100 items marked in the stores with the special BLUE "KROGER PRICE FREEZE" shelf markers. These prices will not go up before February 1, 1975... THAT'S A PROMISE!

HERE ARE SOME OF MORE THAN 1100 ITEMS



SHORTENING & OIL

ALL PURPOSE SHORTENING 5 lb \$1.89
CRISCO ALL PURPOSE SHORTENING 2 lb 10 oz \$1.85
VEGETABLE OIL 1 gal \$5.19
KROGER OIL 1 gal \$1.13
MIXTABLE OIL SPRAY PAN PAL 13 oz 93c

COFFEES

REGULAR OR ELECTRA PEAK COFFEE MAXWELL HOUSE 1 lb \$1.24
REGULAR OR ELECTRA PEAK COFFEE KROGER HOUSE 2 lb \$2.19
REGULAR OR ELECTRA PEAK KROGER COFFEE 1 lb \$1.19
REGULAR OR ELECTRA PEAK KROGER COFFEE 2 lb \$2.09
MAX PAX COFFEE FILTER BAGS 17 oz \$1.24
MAX PAX INSTANT COFFEE 17 oz \$2.29
MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE 2 lb \$2.19
SANKA COFFEE 2 lb \$2.88
TASTER'S CHOICE FROZEN OIL COFFEE 4 oz \$1.59
TASTER'S CHOICE FROZEN OIL COFFEE 8 oz \$2.69
MAXIM COFFEE 4 oz \$1.44
MAXIM COFFEE 8 oz \$2.59

DRIED BEANS

KROGER GREEN SPLIT PEAS 10 lb 39c
KROGER BLACKEYED PEAS 10 lb 35c
KROGER NORTHERN BEANS 10 lb 43c
KROGER LIMA BEANS 10 lb 53c
KROGER PINTO BEANS 10 lb 59c
KROGER NAVY BEANS 10 lb 33c

DOG FOOD

DOG FOOD GAINES BISQUITS 1-10 lb 64c
FOR LARGE DOGS/BISCUITS 1-10 lb 64c
MILK BONE 1-10 lb 64c
TOP CHOICE 4-10 lb \$2.19
RECIPE DOG FOOD 14 oz 33c
ALPO DOG FOOD 14 oz 33c
VETS DOG FOOD 15-10 lb 15c
KEM-L-RATION 1-10 lb 35c
GRAVY TRAIN 5 lb \$1.19

FRUITS

APPLE SAUCE 7-10 77c
WHOLE OR STRAINED CRANBERRY SAUCE 1 lb 35c
OCEAN SPRAY BLEND OR HALVES AVAILABLE PEACHES 1-10 53c
PEACHES 1-10 59c
PEARS 1 lb 45c
PLUMS 1-10 47c
PIE FILLING 2 lb 99c
DOLE PINEAPPLE 1 lb 29c

SOUP

CAMPBELL'S SOUP 10 19c
VEGETABLE SOUP 10 25c
CHICKEN NOODLE 10 19c
MUSHROOM SOUP 10 23c
LIPTON SOUP 10 33c
LIPTON BEAN CREAM OF TOMATO CUP-A-SOUP 4 oz 51c

VEGETABLES

PEAN BUTTER MUSHROOMS 3 89c
VEG-ALL 20c
FRESH LIKE BEANS 23c
FRESH LIKE PEAS 23c
GREEN GIANT SPINACH 43c
SPINACH 32c
GREEN BEANS 3 79c
PORK & BEANS 5 73c

FROZEN FAVORITES

KROGER POT PIES 25c
POT PIES 87c
SWANSON 13 oz 83c
GOOD HUMOR 13 oz 99c
TWIN POPS 13 oz 79c
DIET ICE CREAM 89c

JUICES & DRINKS

CRANBERRY JUICE 65c
V-8 JUICE 66c
KROGER JUICE 44c
BIG K DRINKS 36c

MILK PRODUCTS

HALF & HALF 38c
SOUR CREAM 38c
COTTAGE CHEESE 49c

BAKING PRODUCTS

GOLD MEDAL ALL PURPOSE FLOUR 8 lb 88c
GOLD MEDAL ALL PURPOSE FLOUR 10 lb \$1.69
GOLD MEDAL ALL PURPOSE FLOUR 25 lb \$3.69
KROGER FLOUR 10 lb 77c
KROGER FLOUR 10 lb \$1.49
40% BRAN FLAKES 66c
PILLSBURY FLOUR 8 lb 88c
PILLSBURY FLOUR 10 lb \$1.75
MORTON SALT 1 lb 15c
KROGER SALT 1 lb 13c

CONDIMENTS

MIRACLE WHIP 78c
WISHBONE 49c
MARZETTI 88c

COOKIES & CRACKERS

CHEESE BITS 64c
SALTINES 38c
FIG BARS 97c

FROZEN FOOD

ORANGE JUICE 56c
COOL WHIP 45c
KROGER PEAS 65c
EGG WAFFLES 59c
SWANSON ENTREES 55c
BIRDSEYE VEGETABLES 65c

CANNED TUNA

KROGER TUNA 45c
STARKIST TUNA 77c
CHICKEN OF THE SEA 99c
NORTH BAY TUNA 47c
STARKIST TUNA 55c

PAPER PRODUCTS

TRASH CAN 99c
ZIPLOC BAGS 49c
CUT RITE 39c
GLAD WRAP 39c
REYNOLDS WRAP \$1.88
FLEECE TISSUE 59c
SWANSOFT TISSUE 39c
KLEENEX TISSUE 41c
FACIAL TISSUE 37c
FLEECE NAPKINS 19c
SCOTT NAPKINS 53c
HANDI WIPES 63c

PASTA PRODUCTS

THIN SPAGHETTI 77c
ELBO MACARONI 77c
MUELLER 1.29
MUELLER 1.29

CEREALS

CHEERIOS 59c
KIX 59c
40% BRAN FLAKES 66c
KELLOGG'S RANGED OAT FLAKE 55c
SHREDDED WHEAT 44c
WHEAT CHEX 59c
PUFFED RICE 57c

CAT FOOD

9 LIVES CAT FOOD 23c
CAT FOOD 35c
CAT LITTER 59c
CAT CHOW \$1.66

CANNED MEATS

SPAGHETTI 19c
DEVILED HAM 69c

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JUMBO FRUIT
CALIFORNIA SEEDLESS—48 SIZE Navel Oranges MIX OR MATCH
WASHINGTON RED OR GOLDEN—80 SIZE Delicious Apples
WASHINGTON—90 SIZE Anjou Pears **4 For 88¢**

Are you sure you're not wasting your car and money on home insurance?

If car and home insurance seem like a big item in your budget, maybe it's because you're wasting money on the wrong kind or amount of coverage. Too little protection is just as wasteful as buying more protection than you actually need.

That's where the professional advice of an independent agent can often save you plenty. In premium dollars—and future regrets. We are the independent representative of several insurance companies, which lets us pick the one company that has the best policy for you. So call us, or come in soon and let's talk over your present and future insurance needs.

TAWAS BAY AGENCY, Inc. INSURANCE

Bowling . . .

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HALE CREEK LANES

Sunday Snowbirds	W	L
Thompson-Everitt	34	22
Thayer-Kolb	31	25
Brandt-Kolb	30	26
Brandal-Blust	29	27
Goodrow-Hendrickson	28	28
Slosser-Sestak	27	29
Follette-Stopyak	25	31
Lucas-Gotts	19	37

Team High Series: Brandal-Blust, 2312; Thayer-Kolb, 2264; Brandt-Kolb, 2248.

Team High Single: Brandal-Blust, 790; Slosser-Sestak, 780; Thayer-Kolb, 770.

Individual High Series: Ron Kolb, 632; Jim Kolb, 619; Bill Brandal, 618.

Individual High Single: Jim Kolb, 241; Ron Kolb, 233; Marlin Lucas, 228.

Minor	W	L
Kocher's Market	36	24
Lupton Garage	35	25
L & L Ballard Builders	31 1/2	28 1/2
Bell's Builders	31	29
Barnes Sand & Gravel	30	30
American Legion	24 1/2	35 1/2
Hale Htg. & Air Cond.	24	36

Team High Series: Bernard Lumber, 3075; Kocher's Market, 2956; American Legion, 2926.

Team High Single: Bernard Lumber, 1052; Kocher's Market, 1031; American Legion, 1024.

Individual High Series: Ron Anderson, 652; Jack Caverly, 642; Leo Hassell, 636.

Individual High Single: Buster Dean, 257; Orville Lyke, 245; Ron Anderson, 230.

Breakfast Club	W	L
Fuerst Hardware	39	21
Dennis Realty	38 1/2	21 1/2
Hale Mobile Court	35	25
Hale Hardware	35	25
Lockwood Builders	31	29
Lenore's Beauty Salon	26 1/2	33 1/2
Hale Bar	18	42
Londo Lake Store	17	43

Team High Series: Lockwood Builders, 1745; Dennis Realty, 1691; Fuerst Hardware, 1686.

Team High Single: Dennis Realty, 608; Hale Hardware, 602; Lenore's Beauty Salon, 597.

Individual High Series: Cec Sobczak, 635; Bernice Bray, 579; Effie Pipish, 576.

Individual High Single: Cec Sobczak, 230; Hazell Lockwood, 218; Marie Schwalm, 214.

Christmas Concert to be Presented by TA Choruses

Tawas Area High School and Middle School choruses, under the direction of Daniel Bergh, will present their Christmas concert, "At Christmas Time," Wednesday (today), December 18, at 8:00 p. m. at Tawas Area High School Gymnasium.

Sixth grade glee club will sing "Ding-Dong!" "Merrily on High," "Thirty-Two Feet and Eight Little Tails," "What Child is This?" and "A-Caroling We Go." Middle school chorus will sing "Sleep, Little Jesus," "Noel, Noel, A Boy is Born," "Jose, The Temporary Reindeer," "Therefore Be Merry." High school chorus will sing "O Bone Jesu," "A Joyous Christmas Song," "Break Forth Into Joy," "Fanfare for Christmas Day," "He Is Born," "Carol of the Bells," "Do You Hear What I Hear?" "A Merry Christmas Polka" and "At Christmas Time."

There will be no charge for this concert, but containers will be available for people who care to make a donation.

Eagle Scout Award

Steven M. Freund of Greenbush, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Freund, was honored at a recent Eagle banquet at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Oscoda. Acting as toastmaster was Martin McKinley, retiring scout leader for Troop No. 959, who presented awards and year pins to scouts.

Judge Allan C. Miller, guest speaker, gave an interesting and humorous talk to those present. Grand Knight and Mrs. William Christman and Bernard Bergeron, institutional representative, represented the K of C, sponsoring organization for the troop.

Steven received his seven-year pin and three merit badges in electricity, general science and communications, for a total of 29 merit badges. Mr. McKinley presented the Eagle badge to Mrs. Freund, who pinned it to her son. Steven then fastened an Eagle pin on his mother and presented her with a dozen roses.

The evening closed with a farewell ceremony for Mr. McKinley. Gifts were presented to him by troop members.

Here's Why of 'Xmas' Spelling

Why is "Christmas" sometimes written "Xmas"?

"X" is the Greek letter symbol that is used to represent the name, "Christ."

This symbol has been discovered by many archaeological expeditions on the walls of early Christian period catacombs.

Quite recently, a group of scientists discovered the name of Jesus, carved before 70 A.D., among the inscriptions on eleven early-Christian urns.

These urns were uncovered in a cave on the Bethlehem to Jerusalem Road.

It is believed that these writings were left by a sect of Hebrews who were followers of Christ and who had denounced Pontius Pilate.

Did you know . . .



That contributions to traditional Christmas Seals . . .



help teach children the health and safety dangers of cigaret smoking?

3rd Annual Miss Iosco Pageant Now Looking for Candidates

The third annual Miss Iosco County Scholarship Pageant, formerly the Miss Oscoda Pageant, is now calling for candidates for the pageant, which is to be held on March 15. This could be the first step for some young lady to make her dream come true of becoming the next Miss America!

Any girl between the ages of 17 and 28, a high school graduate, residing in Iosco County and never married is eligible.

The three major areas that are to be judged are poise, beauty and talent. The area of talent is probably one criteria that most young ladies feel that they are lacking. The fact is that most candidates do not realize what talent they do possess until they enter the pageant. Talents, either trained or potential, will be drawn out and developed during rehearsals. Singing, musical instrument playing and dancing are but a few of the most entered talents. There is, however, no end to the list of tal-

ents that may be entered and highly received. Dramatic readings, comedy and gymnastics include other areas where young ladies have excelled in past pageants.

Anyone knowing of a young lady who possesses the potential of becoming the next Miss Iosco County should enter her name and she will be contacted.

For more information and applications, contact Sherm or Dianne Little at Little Realty, 739-9175 or 739-5810. Mrs. Shirley Foley, entries committee chairman, can be reached at 739-2011, extension 2416, or 739-5927.

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CALIFORNIA SEEDLESS NAVEL ORANGES
10 99¢
LARGE 72 SIZE FOR

ZIPPER SKIN SWEET TANGERINES **18 88¢** FOR
CALIFORNIA SWEET RED GRAPES **33¢** LB
EASY PEEL JUMBO SWEET TANGELOS **12 99¢** FOR
SALAD FAVORITE Red Radishes **3 1-LB PKGS \$1**
FLORIST QUALITY Christmas Poinsettia **\$.69** EACH

FRESH PARSLEY BUNCH **10¢**
FRESH LARGE PASCAL CELERY STALKS **3 FOR \$1**
SWEET & TENDER FRESH CARROTS **5 LB BAG 88¢**

"TASTES LIKE CANDY" GOLDEN SWEET YAMS
12¢ LB

TENDER LEAN THRIFTY RIB STEAK
\$1 18 LB

TENDER LEAN THRIFTY BONELESS POT ROAST
1 38 LB
FORMERLY CALLED BOSTON ROLL

TENDER LEAN THRIFTY SIRLOIN STEAK
1 48 LB

TENDER LEAN THRIFTY T-Bone Steak **1.58** LB

ROLL HERRUD PORK SAUSAGE
68¢ 1-LB ROLL
SAVE 63¢ LIMIT 1 WITH COUPON BELOW

PETER PAN WHITE BREAD
3 1 1 1/4-LB LOAVES

CHOCOLATE FLAVORED Bakers Chips **59¢** 12-OZ WT PKG
CIGARS **Gold Label Palmas** **\$5.29** 25-CT BOX

NEWFANGLED PRINGLES POTATO CHIPS
1 09 3 CAN PACK 1 3/4-OZ

LLOYD J. HARRISS-FROZEN PUMPKIN PIE
79¢ 1-LB 10-OZ PKG

REGULAR OR THICK SLICED Eckrich Bologna **1.39** 1-LB PKG
BEEF, JUMBO OR MEAT **Eckrich Franks** **1.19** 1-LB PKG
HERRUD HICKORY **Smoked Sausage** **1.29** LB
ENDS & PIECES INCLUDED **Mixed Pork Chops** **1.18** LB
SLICED SHOULDER **Lamb Roast** **98¢** LB

U.S. GOV'T INSPECTED ROYAL ROCK OR GOLD CREST TOM TURKEYS
48¢ 18-LBS OR LARGER
ROYAL ROCK OR GOLD CREST **HEN TURKEYS** **68¢** LB

18-LB OR LARGER SWIFT'S PREMIUM BUTTERBALL TURKEYS
59¢ LB

Christmas Poultry Specials
ARMOUR BUTTER BASTED 11-14 LB AVG. **GOLDEN STAR HEN TURKEYS** **77¢** LB
U.S. GOV'T INSPECTED 11-14 LB AVG. **FRESH HEN TURKEYS** **77¢** LB
PINE BROOK FANCY-5-7 LB AVG **Turkey Breasts** **88¢** LB
MARVEL DARK MEAT (2 LB SIZE) **Turkey Roast** **77¢** LB

U.S. GOV'T INSPECTED TURKEY DRUMSTICKS **48¢** 12-OZ WT PKG
KROGER BEEF WIENERS **69¢** 12-OZ WT PKG
SERVE 'N SAVE CANNED HAM **498** 3-LB CAN SLICED FREE!

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11-OZ LIQUID OR 3-OZ CONCENTRATE PRELL SHAMPOO
59¢ YOUR CHOICE

ASSORTED FLAVORS Faygo Pop **3 51** 3 N.R. BTLs
DEMINGS **Red Salmon** **97¢** 7/4-oz. wt. can

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29¢ 8-OZ WT ROLL

FRESH BROCCOLI
3 1 LARGE BUNCHES
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SWIFT'S BUTTER
68¢ 1-LB PKG
SAVE 11¢
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Hale Creek Lanes
Wayne Wilson, Manager Phone 728-2481 Hale, Mich.

Average American Eats An Amazing 115 Pounds of Sugar Each Year

"Sugar and spice and every-thing nice." That used to be "what little girls are made of." Now, it seems to apply to boys, girls—all Americans. Each of us eats an amazing 115 pounds of sugar every year. And who knows how many extra pounds of us we are toting around right now because of our love for the white stuff?

"So if rising prices are forcing you to cut back on the amount of baking you do and the sugar you eat, do not feel deprived. It may be a health benefit in disguise," says Dr. Donald Albert, president of the Michigan Heart Association. "We have known for a long time that overweight aggravates diabetes and high blood pressure. Now, a further link between overweight and heart disease has been found."

Doctor Albert referred to a report by scientists from the University of Toronto and Harbor General Hospital in Torrance, California, at American Heart Association's 47th Annual Scientific Sessions held in Dallas, Texas. "The study," says Doctor Albert, "shows that cholesterol formation in the livers of obese pa-

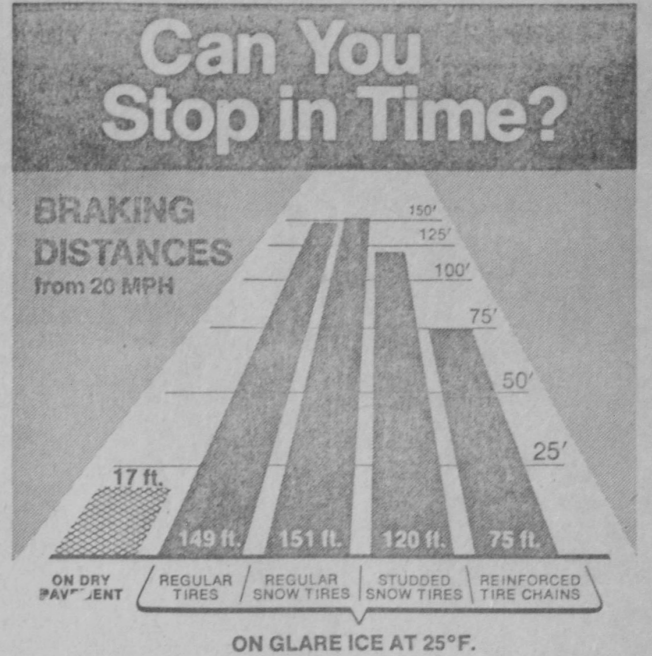
tients is three to five times greater than that in normal weight people. In other words, the more obese you are, the more cholesterol your body makes. And cholesterol is what leads to 'hardening of the arteries' supplying blood to the heart and brain." The study indicates a possible link between obesity and increased risk of angina pectoris

(chest pains of heart disease), heart attack and stroke. "So you might look at skyrocketing sugar prices as 'the silver lining' in the cloud of inflation," says Doctor Albert. "Like the energy crisis last year which forced us to turn down the heat and walk instead of drive, this particular crisis may be a blessing."



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Fight Lung Disease



Tests by the National Safety Council's Committee on Winter Driving Hazards at Stevens Point, Wisconsin, are summarized in the above chart by the Safe Winter Driving League. These findings point up the extreme hazard of driving on glare ice where the braking distance with conventional tires may be close to nine times the normal, dry pavement distance. The tests have also disclosed that conventional snow tires are of no help in stopping on ice, whereas studded tires reduce braking distance by 19%, and reinforced tire chains by 50%.

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LB

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LB

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Christmas Ham Specials

GREAT LAKES OR HERRUD WATER ADDED

WHOLE BONELESS HAMS

\$1.48

LB

SHANK PORTION SMOKED HAM

69

LB

FARMER PEET, BONANZA OR GLENDALE

Whole Boneless Ham..... **\$1.38**

HERRUD FULLY COOKED DELUXE

Whole Semi-Boneless Ham..... **\$1.38**

U.S. GOV'T INSPECTED

MIXED FRYER PARTS

44

LB

U.S. GOV'T GRADED CHOICE CENTER CUT

CHUCK STEAK

98

LB

U.S. GOV'T GRADED CHOICE

SIRLOIN STEAK

1.68

LB

SERVE 'N SAVE—FROZEN

Fish Sticks... 3 **PKGS \$1**

HYGRADE

SEMI-BONELESS WEST VIRGINIA WHOLE HAM

1.48

10-12 OZ PKG

HERRUD SMOKY LINKS

88

12-14 OZ WT PKG

KWIK KRISP SLICED BACON

98

12-14 OZ WT PKG

HERRUD FAMILY PAK SALAMI OR

Sliced Bologna..... **\$1.48**

LEAN AND MEATY

Fresh Picnics..... **78¢**

KROGER CHUNK

Braunschweiger..... **59¢**

KROGER CHUNK

Meat Bologna..... **69¢**

FAMILY PAK—3 LBS OR MORE CENTER CUT

Ham Slices..... **\$1.38**

ORCHARD GROVE 100% PURE

ORANGE JUICE

58

1/2-GAL JUG

KROGER

CREAM CHEESE

36

8-OZ WT PKG

FROZEN

BIRDSEYE SQUASH

17

12-OZ WT PKG

KROGER LARGE OR SMALL CURD

Cottage Cheese..... **44**

12-OZ WT CTH

BROWN 'N SERVE

Kroger Rolls..... **88**

2 12-CT PKGS

MILD

Personal Size Ivory Soap

44

4 BARS

REGULAR OR UNSCENTED

Sure Deodorant..... **69**

4-OZ WT CAN

POPULAR SHADES (REG. 99¢)

Premiere Panty Hose..... **79**

PAIR

OCEAN SPRAY

CRANBERRY COCKTAIL

49

QT BTL

ALL GRINDS

MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE

2.78

3-LB CAN

WITH COUPON AT RIGHT

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WHIPPED TOPPING

39

9-OZ WT CTN

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With this coupon and \$5.00 additional purchase. Except, beer, wine, & cigarettes. REFRESHING—REG. OR DIET

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\$1.09

8 10-OZ N.R. BTLs

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LARGE EGGS

\$1.79

2 1/2-DOZ CTN

SAVE 20¢

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KROGER MINI-MIZER COUPON

With this coupon and \$5.00 additional purchase. Except, beer, wine, & cigarettes. HERRUD ROLL

PORK SAUSAGE

68

1-LB ROLL

SAVE UP TO 63¢

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Bowling...

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TAWAS LANES

Team	W	L
Tuesday Trio	44	12
Huron Auto Parts	36 1/2	19 1/2
Vern's Texaco	29	27
Kendall Brothers	29	27
High & Mighty	29	27
3 G's	28	28
3 M's	26	30
Swinging Three	26	30
Three Musketeers	26	30
Bowlin' Belles	19	37
Casuals	16 1/2	39 1/2
Team High Series: Huron Auto Parts, 1786; Swinging Three, 1722; Bowlin' Belles, 1719.		
Team High Single: Three G's, 624; Swinging Three, 610; Three Musketeers, 608.		
Individual High Series: Tony Balkovitz, 629; Kathie Sheehan, 619; George Rice, 618.		
Individual High Single: Tony Balkovitz, 238; Nancy Carney, 237; Barb Ulman, 223.		

EAST TAWAS RECREATION

Team	W	L
East Tawas Wrecks	25	11
Oddballs	25	11
Aardvarks	22	14
Four Farkles	20	16
Boomer's Bombers	14	22
Ding-A-Lings	14	22
Hopefuls	13	23
Team High Series: Oddballs, 24-06; Hopefuls, 2380; Four Farkles, 2334.		
Team High Single: Boomer's Bombers, 860; Oddballs, 853; Hopefuls, 843.		
Individual High Series: Bill Lear, 680; Tom Reinholm, 656; Fred Barnes, 623.		
Individual High Single: Rita Johnson, 266; Bill Lear, 263; Maisie Rapp, 250.		

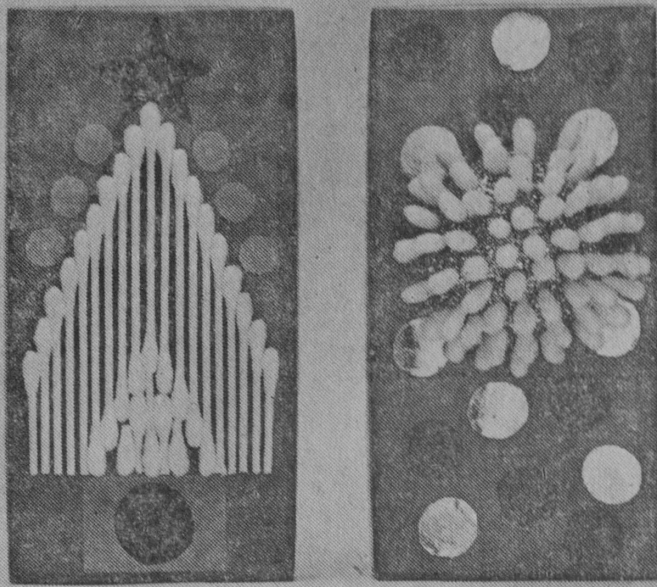
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For another package, glue a three inch plastic foam circle to the box. Cover the circle with glue, then sprinkle gold flitter. When

the glue dries, the flitter will sparkle. Then snap cotton swabs in half and insert them in the “gold” plastic foam. Then add colorful circles. (Note: flitter may be obtained in dime stores or wherever craft materials are sold.)

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Iosco Skill Center Up for 2nd Vote Thursday

Voters of Iosco Intermediate School District go to the polls Thursday for the second time in three months to decide on the proposed Blue Water vocational skill center.

Two proposals are being placed before voters. The first seeks approval of 1.98 mills of taxes for operation and the second asks authorization to issue general obligation bonds not to exceed \$1,110,000 to pay part of the cost of erecting, furnishing and equipping the building.

Federal grants totaling \$950,000 are available for construction of the skill center should voters approve the bonding issue and operational tax proposal.

These two propositions were narrowly defeated on September 9. The operational tax levy went down, 1,729-1,666, while the bonding proposition lost, 1,771-1,610.

Following defeat of the two propositions, John Tafelski, intermediate school district superintendent,

believed that voters were not aware of the \$950,000 in federal funds being made available for construction of the skill center. A special committee decided to take the issue again to voters and a special election was called for December 19.

The two proposals were approved in only one precinct, Whittemore-Area School District, at the September 9 election.

Although not actually urging a “yes” vote, a letter to all taxpayers in the Whittemore-PreScott School District was set by Supt. Ray Kesler. The letter pointed out the advantage of a skill center. The letter also explained that the cost to provide an adequate vocational program in the high school would far exceed the cost involved in constructing and operation of an area-wide skill center.

The proposed skill center would provide instruction in 17 different areas and would offer students the

opportunity to develop a skill for a future occupation.

After receipt of 1974 tax statements last week, which reflected higher valuations placed on residential property in every unit of the county based on penalties recommended by the state tax commission, plus an increase in operational millage approved by voters in three school districts of the county, many voters have expressed concern over the general increase in taxes.

In a letter to the editor of The Tawas Herald last week, one voter thought the skill center might be a good idea, but was in favor of waiting until the economy looks more favorable before approving any additional taxes.

All registered voters are eligible to vote in Thursday's election. Polls are located at the county's four high schools: Oscoda Area, Tawas Area, Hale Area and Whittemore-PreScott Area.

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Census Of Agriculture to Update '69 Statistics

The 1974 census of agriculture, being conducted by the Bureau of the Census, will bring up to date farm statistics collected for the year 1969, when the last farm census was taken.

Marvin Davenport, county extension director, says that cooperation from every farm and ranch operator is needed in order to insure an accurate measurement of changes in Iosco County. Farm business records are to be used in filling out the report form but, when records are not available, reasonable estimates are fully acceptable. He stresses that the census bureau must have a good report from each operator if county records are to be complete and accurate. The report forms (questionnaires), mailed out about January 1, should be filled out and mailed back as early as possible.

Nothing is revealed in the published reports that might disclose information about an individual operator. Data is combined into county and state totals that provide benchmarks for keeping up with changes in farming. The census of agriculture, taken every five years, is the only source of statistics on agriculture that is comparable, county by county, on a nationwide basis.

The census in 1969 counted 311 farms in Iosco County; 152 reported selling \$2,500 or more of agricultural products and seven reported sales of \$40,000 or more. The market value of all agricultural products sold amounted to \$2,744,000, an average of \$8,800 per farm.

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Airman Manchester, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack L. Smith, National City, previously served at Pease Air Force Base, New Hampshire.

She is a 1972 graduate of Richmond High School.

Sailors Visited Cannes, France

FC Richard A. McNeven of Tawas City and AA David A. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Williams of Oscoda, visited Cannes, France, as crewmembers of the aircraft carrier, USS Independence.

Since their deployment to the Mediterranean began in July, McNeven and Williams have also visited ports in Spain and participated in training exercises as part of the United States Sixth Fleet force.

They are also scheduled to visit Naples, Italy, and Rota, Spain, before returning to their homeport of Norfolk, Virginia, in January.

A 1972 graduate of Oscoda Area High School, Williams joined the navy in February 1973. A former student of Tawas Area High School, McNeven has been in the navy since May.

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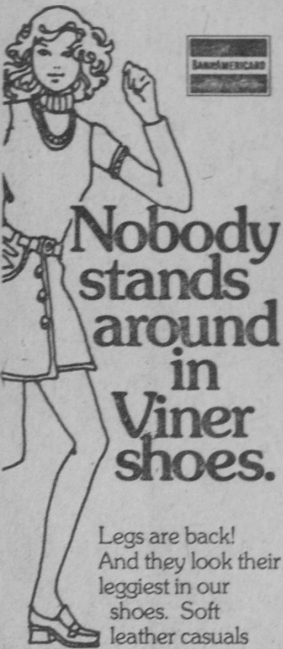
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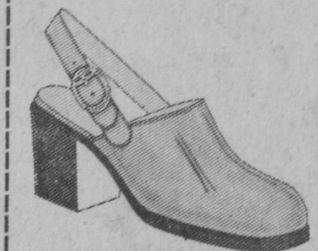
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