



JULIE MAHAR of Oscoda was crowned queen of the Perchville USA Festival at Saturday night's banquet at the Holland House. Officiating at the coronation was Van Patrick, left, Mutual Radio Network sports director. At right is Robert Heinritz, general chairman of the festival.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Special Assessment Storm Sewer Talk Set in Tawas City

Residents of three areas of the community whose property experienced serious flooding problems in recent years are being invited by the Tawas City Council to attend a special meeting to discuss the possibility of establishing a special assessment storm sewer district.

No date has been set as yet for the meeting, but city officials and engineers will be present to hear the desires of residents and explain procedures.

City Mgr. Reginald Bublitz told councilmen Monday night that preliminary engineering had been prepared for the project.

Areas to be considered include Fourth Avenue between First and North Streets, Oak Street at the Spruce and German Street intersection, Beech Street between the railroad tracks and Spruce Street, German Street from Maple Street to M-55, Court Street from River Street to M-55.

The city manager said that storm sewer financing through a special assessment district would be a first for this city.

Mayor John N. Brugger emphasized that the meeting would be for discussion purposes only as establishment of special assessment districts requires considerable legal preliminaries.

In other business, the council accepted a new contract giving an \$800 contract boost to Leon Houghton for disposal of residential garbage. Total contract price for the next year is \$6,408.

Under terms of the old contract, Houghton was to receive a 10 percent increase on January 1, but the higher cost of gasoline and truck operation has increased beyond that amount. The increase adopted by

the council amounts to 15 percent.

The city manager said that more than 10 new stops had been added to the refuse collector's route during the past year.

Discussion on possible pickup in the commercial district has been tabled until the new budget is prepared.

Because of the fact that garbage bags are being torn apart by dogs, the city council has ordered that bags and cans are not to be set out for pickup prior to 4:00 p. m. Tuesday. The refuse collector makes his round of the city early Wednesday morning to avoid traffic congestion.

Action on purchase of a 50 by 80-foot lot and house at the southwest corner of the Mathews Street bridge from the Farm Home Administration was tabled until an inspection is made by the council and legal papers are received from FHA.

This property, once owned by the late William Hatton, has been offered to the city for \$6,000. It has 90 feet of frontage along the Tawas River. The house, converted from an early-day saloon, is one of the oldest buildings in the city. It would be removed.

When plans were being made for construction of the new Mathews Street bridge, the council discussed the possibility of purchasing the property for a park-picnic area and fishing site.

Board of review meetings with taxpayers were set for March 11-15 and March 18-19.

A resolution adopted by the council designated the city manager as street administrator to handle all negotiations with the state highway department.

Rd. Commission Rescinds Action on Blue Cross

Iosco County Road Commission has rescinded its action of last month providing Blue Cross insurance benefits to members of that commission.

An opinion February 1 by Ronald R. Tyler, county prosecuting attorney, advised the county treasurer to withhold payment on premiums unless authorized by resolution of the Iosco County Board of Commissioners.

A controversy arose immediately following action of the road commission authorizing insurance benefits for members of its board and an opinion on the matter was requested from the prosecuting attorney by the county commission.

It was Tyler's opinion that the road commission did not possess powers to provide benefits to its members as state statute delegates

the decision-making policy as to commission to the county commission.

Tyler said that legal duties and powers imposed under the law are aimed toward providing an agency through which the county's activities relative to highways are concerned. "There is neither statute nor case law which authorized the board to determine compensation for service rendered by its members, whether in the form of salary, wages or benefits," stated Tyler.

"While room for argument exists as to whether the term 'compensation' encompasses insurance benefits, it should be noted that the legislative intent appears to place powers of determining individual reward for services rendered in a separate board—county commissioners," said Tyler.

Table Educational Consultant Hiring

After further consideration since its meeting last week, Tawas Area Board of Education Monday night decided to table its action on hiring two educational consultants from Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant. The consultants were to conduct a study to determine needs, suggest long range goals and recommend a plan to achieve those goals.

Hiring of Donald O. Bush and Roger J. Goenner of CMU last week followed an interview between the two candidates, administrators and board of education members.

Cost of the service to the district was to have been \$1.50 per pupil or approximately \$2,100.

The consultants were to start immediately on the collection of data, evaluation of programs and facilities and determine community goals through discussion with board of education members and community leaders.

In other business, the board heard a report on changes in curriculum and plans for the future in the teaching of English by Mrs. Ellen Evans, head of the English department.

Raymond VanHorn was hired for the remainder of the school term as director of vocational education.

David Gadomski, director of physical education for the middle school, gave a report on the health education program being conducted for the first time this year in grades six through eight. Textbooks were shown and various aspects on an educational program in narcotics, alcohol and health were explained.

Mrs. Rita Armstrong, a district resident, appeared before the board of education and complained of an unusually large number of thefts taking place in school lockers and of property owned by students. The matter is to be investigated by administrators.

Supt. Edward J. Barry announced that the school had made application to the state for three additional vocational programs for next year. Included are courses in machine

tools, merchandising-retailing and office practice.

The board met in executive session with its professional negotiator and bargaining on a new contract is to start Thursday with Tawas Area Education Association. Principals of each building were appointed to the board of education's negotiation team.

Mrs. Ellen Disette has been hired for the remainder of the term as the reading teacher under the Title One program in the Tawas City Elementary Unit.

Would Adopt Resolution at Special Meet.

A special assessment hearing on three sanitary sewer districts was adjourned Monday night by the Tawas City Council. A special meeting is to be held with bonding attorneys before adopting a final resolution establishing the amount of the tax roll, interest rate and number of installments for deferred payments.

The three special assessment districts have been in the preliminary stages for a number of months. Approximately 7,000 feet of sanitary sewer mains are involved. Two of the districts are located on the north side of US-23 and along Margo Street, while the third is in the Spring Street area.

Following Monday night's hearing, the council corrected errors found in the tax rolls and made adjustments on one parcel of land which was not charged on a front footage basis and two lots which were triangular in shape.

Two residents appearing before the meeting included Mark Hethorn, who owns three lots in the Case Subdivision, and Fred Wright, a resident of District No. 1.

Iosco County's 1973 Sales Ratio Not Acceptable to State Tax Commission

Iosco residents who have appealed an unusually large number of tax assessments to the state tax commission in recent years may soon have their eyes opened.

A two-man team from the state tax commission is currently conducting spot property checks in the county to assemble valuation data to be used in determining Iosco's 1974 state equalized valuation.

The county tax equalization department was notified Friday that its recommendations sent to Lansing in January relative to property adjustments, based on a sales study by the county office, were not acceptable.

William Wereley, Iosco tax equalization department director, said Tuesday that he had been told by tax commission representatives last year that this county was in line for state re-valuation.

"As the result of work in other

counties, the state's timing is rotten here . . . boards of review for the individual taxing units are scheduled to meet in March and any adjustments by the state could not be ready at that time," said Wereley.

Iosco was one of the first small counties in the northern part of the state to hire the services of a professional firm to conduct an appraisal of property for tax purposes and established a card file system of all real property in the county. Some counties have yet to hire the services of a professional appraisal firm.

That original survey was conducted about 10 years ago and county officials have realized that a complete reappraisal would soon be needed. However, assessment data has been kept up to date by the tax equalization department through state-prescribed procedures. This has included the annual updating of files by

adding new construction shown on building applications, inspections by assessing officers and an annual sales study conducted by the tax equalization department.

Except for one year, the county board of commissioners has accepted sales ratios and recommendations of the county tax equalization department. The only exception, when commissioners did not accept the recommended increase in the timber cutover category, resulted in a penalty being added by the state to all units.

Conducting the sales study has been one of the most important functions of the local equalization department. Land values have increased rapidly in this county in recent years and annual adjustments were required by the state to maintain an assessment of 49.5 to 50 percent of the true cash value as the state equalized valuation.

Many complaints have been heard from established property owners that the sale value of some property, particularly lake frontage and wild land, was unrealistic, that the property was "not worth that much"—but sales studies conducted by the tax equalization department indicated that property was selling at the higher rate and assessments were adjusted upward. The amount of that upward adjustment now appears to be the main question of the state.

Appeals on assessments conducted by the state tax commission last year resulted in an eight percent increase on residential property in Grant Township and a 10 percent increase in AuSable Township. State tax men found assessments were too low there, rather than too high.

Wereley will be meeting with the board of commissioners today (Wednesday) to explain the situation.



PERFECT WEATHER CONDITIONS and a near record crowd greeted the 1974 Perchville USA Festival held last week-end in the Tawas. Two days with bright sunshine, but with temperatures brisk enough to prevent ice thawing, was just what the festival committee ordered from the weatherman. The energy crisis and scarcity of gasoline was not noticed by the large number of visitors to the Tawas. Recreational vehicles, which have not been seen here in recent months due to the gasoline shortage, were in evidence—as were

large numbers of snowmobiles. Spectators found the program planned by Tawas Area Promotions, Incorporated, to be spectacular, with skydiving exhibitions (top picture), polar bear swims, demolition derby and fun on the ice and shore of Tawas Bay. The bottom picture shows a crowd at one of the events. Turn to other pages of the Herald for more pictures of the Perchville USA Festival.—Tawas Herald Photos.



East Tawas Gives OK to Engineers on Sanitary Sewer Feasibility Study

A letter from the East Tawas Council was authorized Monday

night directing engineering consultant firms for the Tawas to go ahead with a feasibility study concerning a proposed joint water treatment facility for the area.

Last month, East Tawas, Tawas City and Baldwin Township approved such a study. Since then, Tawas Township Board indicated it was interested in the study.

It was announced Monday night that Alabaster Township authorities had indicated that that unit was not interested in the proposal at the present time.

The study and report will cost \$6,000, which would be pro-rated among participating units of government.

Spicer Engineering would assume responsibility for East Tawas' portion of the project and Edmands Engineering, consultant for Tawas City and Baldwin Township, would assume responsibility for the balance of the study and report in cooperation with Spicer.

Content of the study would include a determination of the service area and design population, an update of existing reports for the Tawas, determination of the feasibility of combining treatment between the two cities and adding certain portions of adjacent townships which show development tendencies.

The report would include cost estimates, an outline of methods to finance the total cost, an outline of methods for collecting and transporting waste water to a treatment

facility and recommendation on common operation authority or agency.

In other business, the council went on record as supporting the Tawas City Council's current efforts in interesting the state waterways commission in construction of a small boat launching site and harbor at the Tawas River mouth.

The East Tawas Council took note of the fact that small boat harboring facilities were currently being considered by state and federal gov-

ernments at the Michigan Waterways Commission dock, but that no provision was being made for small boat launching facilities. It was felt that parking near the dock was needed for that facility and that not enough land was available there for a parking area required by a small boat launching facility.

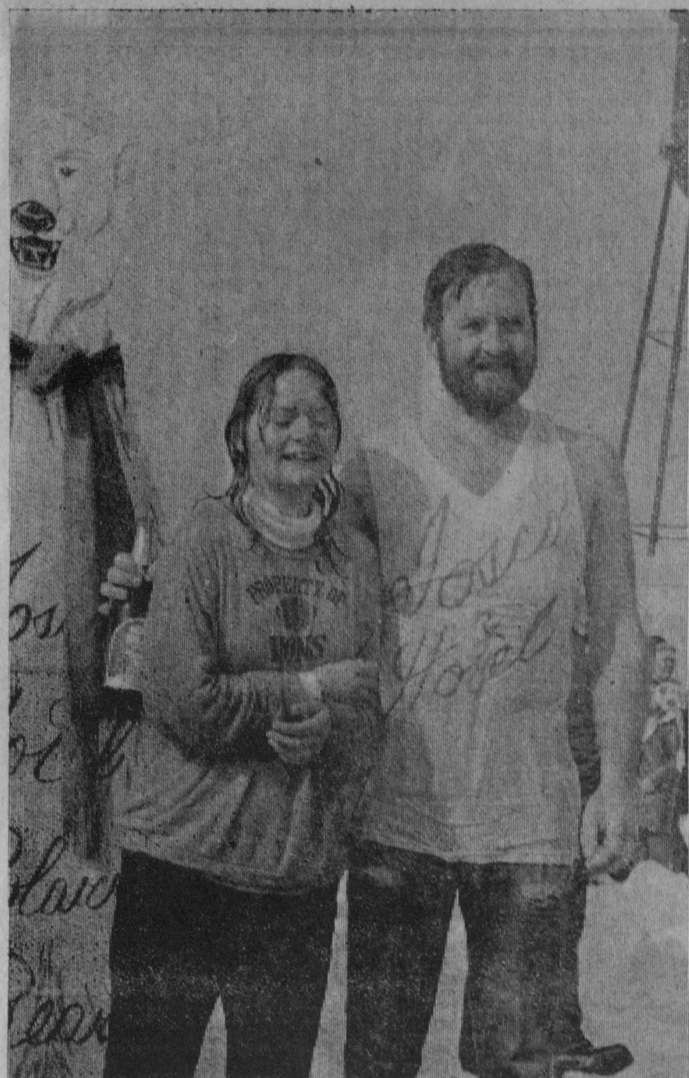
A letter of commendation was sent to Tawas Area Promotions, Incorporated, on the successful Perchville USA Festival held over the past week-end.

Flint Man Died of Carbon Monoxide

A Flint man, who spent the week-end here with his wife and granddaughter, died early Monday morning of carbon monoxide poisoning. Warren Smithingell, 51, was found dead in his mobile home at the East Tawas City Park about 5:30 a. m.

Police said that fumes may have come from a faulty furnace. The Flint couple and their granddaughter were in East Tawas over the week-end to attend the Perchville USA Festival.

Mrs. Smithingell, in a dazed con-



CROWNED king and queen of Tawas polar bears Saturday were Vicki Fegenbush and Robert Jones. The latter set a new record for the Perchville USA Festival by staying in the water Saturday afternoon for 22 minutes.—Tawas Herald Photo.



THESE BOYS used an old piling for a ringside view of events on Tawas Bay.

Burial Today for Robert Rogers

The Rev. Kenneth Tousley will officiate at funeral services Wednesday (today), February 20, 11:00 a. m., for Robert Rogers of Oscoda at

the E. D. Jacques and Son Funeral Home, Tawas City. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery, Tawas City. Mr. Rogers passed away Monday, February 18, at the Isco Medical Care Facility, Tawas City. Born December 17, 1886, in Missouri, Mr. Rogers was a veteran of World War I.

THE GIRLS By Franklin Folger



"I'm so glad you weren't TOO interesting. I simply had to get this birthday tie finished today."

High School Seniors to Get Business Word at Program

Over 100 high school seniors from Oscoda, Tawas and Whittemore-Prescott Districts will face the exacting realities of the business world Thursday, February 21, at the Holland House, East Tawas.

Oscoda and Tawas Chambers of Commerce have joined in setting up a youth-business dialogue, chaired by the Michigan State Chamber of Commerce.

Entitled "The Exciting World of Business," the program will cover these subjects: "It's Your Future," "Profit," "Government Relations," "Social Participation and Employment in Business—and other jobs."

C. Frohman Johnson, manager, government and economic education, Michigan State Chamber of Commerce, will head a group of

men from the business world, which will guide the students through the intricate, demanding maze of operational problems and pitfalls which are faced daily by the business community.

Interested businesses and community leaders are invited to attend.

Whittemore Man Died at Isco MC Facility

Raymond Ellsworth of Whittemore, 87, passed away Saturday, February 16, at the Isco Medical Care Facility, Tawas City. Funeral services were held Monday, February 18, at the Forshee Funeral Home, Twining, with burial in Saints Cemetery, Whittemore.

Mr. Ellsworth was born July 1, 1886, in Cass City and had been a resident of Whittemore for 36 years.

Surviving are his wife, Florence; three sons; three daughters; 13 grandchildren; one brother, and two sisters.

Bowling ...

TAWAS LANES

Guy's & Dolls	W	L
Lonesome Four	22½	9½
Bucks & Does	20	12
Gremilins	19	13
Hits & Mrs.	18	14
Saints & Sinners	17	15
2+2	16½	15½
Double Trouble	16	16
Optimists	11	21
Skinny Dippers	11	21
Four Horsemen	9	23

Team High Series: Skinny Dippers, 2233; Lonesome Four, 2247; Saints & Sinners, 2238.

Team High Single: Skinny Dippers, 821; Lonesome Four, 815; Double Trouble, 789.

Individual High Series: Marlene Cockburn, 622; Jo Grabow, 604; Phil Cockburn, 600.

Individual High Single: Marlene Cockburn, 247; Dick Maher, 234; Jo Grabow, 232.

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Individual High Series: Don Dorcy, 659; Howard Bischoff, Joe Bouback, Marvin Ulman, 614; Jim Proudfoot, 613.

Individual High Single: Don Dorcy, 267; Joe Bouback, 241; Howard Bischoff, 237.

(See BOWLING, page 6, sec. 2.)

Bowling ...

HALE CREEK LANES

Twilighters	W	L
Long Lake	19	9
Newcomers	19	9
4 SSSS	16	12
Ding-A-Lings	16	12
The Peats	13	15
Hot Shots	12	16
Wah Hoo's	9	19
Yabba Dabba Doo's	8	20

Team High Series: Newcomers, 2363; Hot Shots, 2334; Long Lake, 2289.

Team High Single: Hot Shots, 836; Newcomers, 805-792; Ding-A-Lings, 782.

Individual High Series: Earl Slosser, 642; Dennis Hoffman, 637; Sally Bell, 636.

Individual High Single: Andy Friend, 244; Sally Bell, 229; Earl Slosser, 225.

Rose Builders 17 15
B & D Lumber 17 15
Wicker Hills 14 18
Mary's Team 13 19
Big Boy Restaurant 6 26
Team High Series: B&D Lumber, 2341; Rose Builders, 2336; Wicker Hills, 2324.

Team High Single: B&D Lumber, 834; Wicker Hills, 819; Ken's Double Pinochle, 808.

Individual High Series: H. Rickel, 641; R. Frasher, 613; I. Sickles, 612.

Individual High Single: H. Rickel, 258; L. Boyce, 251; J. Hottis, 235.

Funeral Friday for F. E. Kaiser Sr.

Frederick Edward Kaiser Sr. of Tawas City, 44, died Tuesday morning, February 19, at Tawas Hospital after a brief illness. Funeral services have been scheduled for Friday morning, February 22, at the Penzien Funeral Home, Bay City, with burial following in Floral Gardens Cemetery, Bay City. Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday (today), February 20, after 7:00 p. m.

Mr. Kaiser was born in June 1929 at Bottineau, North Dakota. He moved to Tawas City from Bay City in 1952. He was employed as an exchange repairman for the Michigan Bell Telephone Company and was a member of the Michigan Bell Pioneers.

Surviving are his wife, Barbara; two sons, Frederick E. Jr. of Bay City and Mark of Flint; one daughter, Cristie of Bay City; his mother, Mrs. Lillian Kaiser of Essexville; one brother, Allen Kaiser of East Tawas, and a sister, Mrs. John (Betty) Carmichael of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

NOTICE to Isco County Property Owners

State Law requires the County Equalization Department to publish information relative to 1974 assessment levels and anticipated factors.

As of February 18, the Isco County Equalization Department expects that the ratio of assessments to true cash value will be at 50% in all taxing units of the county.

However, many assessments are being adjusted upward to keep pace with increased market values. Assessors are required to notify persons living outside the township or city. Many local property owners may not be notified of an increase. Persons interested in knowing what their 1974 assessment is, should go to the board of review meetings in March. Dates and hours of these meetings will be advertised by individual cities and townships. Failure to make complaint at board of review results in loss of right of appeal to State Tax Commission.

Isco County Equalization Department
William G. Wereley

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TAWAS POLAR BEARS frolicked in a "pool" cut in the ice of Tawas Bay.



SNOWMOBILES were much in evidence in the Tawas over the week-end.

Judge-Prosecutor Write Letters

Court Controversy Goes to Commission for Compromise

A "mild" controversy between the circuit judge and the prosecuting attorney over the latter's duties pertaining to civil divorce proceedings apparently has reached a compromise.

Action on authorizing a court-appointed attorney as legal counsel to the friend of the court in indigent cases, as requested by Circuit Judge Allan C. Miller, is expected to receive formal approval by the county board of commissioners. This was one of a number of matters considered in committee last Wednesday by the commission.

Incensed over "the welfare system being abused" when aid to dependent children is granted to families with substantial assets, the circuit judge has been insisting in recent weeks that the prosecuting attorney has the statutory duty of representing the friend of the court when complex questions arise in divorce proceedings.

In a letter read last week before the county commission, Miller said: "In the past, the prosecuting attorney had represented the friend of the court on a modest scale in those cases where complex questions have arisen. Now that the services of a full time prosecutor are available, we have hoped for greater service under his statutory duty, which is dual with the friend of the court in counties under 500,000."

In reply to that letter, Ronald R. Tyler, prosecuting attorney, said: "The legislature of this state did not intend the role of prosecuting attorney to be dual or commensurate with that of the office of the friend of the court. . . the statutes provide that the friend of the court be a licensed attorney, or in the alternative, if a non-attorney be appointed to that position, the court appoint a licensed attorney to render legal assistance when required."

In Isoco's case, the friend of the court is Edward Seifert Jr., a non-attorney, who has responsibility to investigate and report to the court on home conditions in divorce matters and to advise the court as to custody orders.

Contacted Friday by this newspaper, Tyler said he would give legal advice to the friend of the court on civil divorce proceedings, the same legal counseling service which his office provides the county commission, elected and other appointive officers in the performance of their duties, "but such an extensive involvement of this office in civil divorce proceedings, as requested, is not only impracticable, but is inconsistent with the traditional and present role of the prosecuting attorney."

"The nature of the office of prosecuting attorney does not include the responsibility to investigate and report upon home conditions, to advise the court as to custody orders, to petition the court for modification of those orders when a change of facts so warrant and to otherwise regularly be present and actively participate in domestic relations hearings, responsibilities of which are and have been, explicitly by statute and court rule, that of the friend of the court," said Tyler.

In a paper handed to members of the Isoco County Bar Association last month and reiterated in his letter to the county commission, Judge Miller said:

"Since it is presently easier to secure aid to dependent children benefits than it is to secure payment from the father via court order, in many cases the attorneys do not request support." He believed it "falls upon some public agency to insure that the parents are contributing to the best of their ability."

In January, Judge Miller pointed out that aid to dependent children

payments had been granted in several cases here where total family income was substantial. He said that such cases "border on fraud and at least represent an extreme lack of communication between departments, court and legal counsel and extreme action is necessary."

The action recommended by the judge was for a series of monthly meetings between representatives of the friend of the court, the department of social services, prosecutor's office, county commissioners and himself to develop closer coordination in court-ordered support payments and ADC programs.

The proposed meetings, said the judge, came about as a result of an awareness that many mothers were not applying for support, but instead were applying for ADC. Many times, he said, the husband initiated the divorce and the mother, being unrepresented, was not aware she had to apply for support and failed to do so. The judge said the husband's attorney was unlikely to request an order. "I can see a conflict of interest; I can also see a dimming of social consciousness," Judge Miller said two weeks ago in his letter to members of the bar association.

Two local attorneys have told the Herald that they believe the judge's apparent criticism of them had been unjust. They pointed out that the length of time required for divorce proceedings in this circuit provided plenty of time for statutory home investigations by the part-time friend of the court and that the friend of the court could keep tabs on ADC checks by merely contacting the department of social welfare by telephone.

Besides action today on authorization from a court-appointed attorney for the friend of the court, the county commission will also give con-

sideration to a resolution concerning Senate Bill 937 now in the legislative hopper at Lansing. This bill would allow establishment of a probate-family court in the smaller counties of Michigan, taking uncontested divorce proceedings out of the hands of the circuit court, where children are involved.

At the present time, the probate court has jurisdiction over youths who are neglected, dependent, abused, delinquent or are in the process of being adopted. On the other hand, the circuit court has jurisdiction over children whose parents are divorced or are in the process of divorce.

Divorces have reached the level of two per week in Isoco County and collections of support and alimony have reached the one-quarter-of-a-million-dollar mark annually. At the same time, the criminal load in this circuit has increased over the years.

Probate Judge William McCready said Friday that the present court setup "tends to conflict with jurisdiction with the present probate court's jurisdiction."

In his report to the commission last week, Fred Lomas, chairman of the judiciary committee, believed that while Isoco County might warrant establishment of a family court, he personally was opposed to establishment of "another \$25,000 judge" for smaller counties where case loads would be much lighter.

Kick the Storage Habit With An Economical Herald Classified

William J. Pinkerton

Former D&M President Died Feb. 14 After Lingering Illness

William J. Pinkerton Sr. of Ossineke, 62, passed away Thursday, February 14, at Alpena General Hospital following a lingering illness.

Mr. Pinkerton was born November 3, 1911, in Saginaw. He married the former Elizabeth Spalding on June 18, 1938, in Flint. He was a graduate of Albion College and the Detroit College of Law. He was an employee of Micromatic-Hone Corporation, Detroit, from 1942 through 1962, serving as its president from 1957 until his resignation. From 1963 until 1966, he was president of the Detroit and Mackinac Railway Company and, in 1967, established the Oldsmobile - Datsun Automobile Agency at Alpena.

Mr. Pinkerton was a member of



WILLIAM J. PINKERTON SR.

Trinity Episcopal Church, Alpena; Detroit Athletic Club; Delta Tau Fraternity, and the Michigan State Bar Association.

Private family service was held with burial following in Evergreen Cemetery, Alpena. Funeral arrangements were handled by the Wachterhauser Funeral Home, Alpena. Contributions may be made to the Alpena General Hospital Memorial Fund.

Mr. Pinkerton is survived by his wife; one son, William Jr. of Alpena; two daughters, Martha Pinkerton of Alpena and Laura Morrison of Vermont; two grandchildren; one brother, Charles of East Tawas and Arizona; a stepbrother, Earl Pinkerton of Saginaw.

Dorothy Innis Passed Away February 14

A former resident of the Tawas area, Dorothy H. Innis of Grand Rapids, 57, passed away Thursday, February 14. The Rev. Robert E. Beyer officiated at funeral services Sunday, February 17, at the Moffatt-Kobs Funeral Home, East Tawas. Burial was in Emanuel Lutheran Cemetery, Tawas City.

The former Dorothy Witt was born August 5, 1916, in Ossineke. She is survived by a daughter, JoAnn Roberts of Grand Rapids; six grandchildren; four sisters, Flora LaBrake of Saginaw, Margaret Brodzik of Grass Lake, Elenor VanSeters of Grand Rapids and Emma Gafanny of Bullhead City, Arizona; five brothers, Evalt Witt of Lexington, Renie Witt of West Branch, Albert Witt of Sterling Heights, August Witt of Warren and Elmer Witt of East Detroit.

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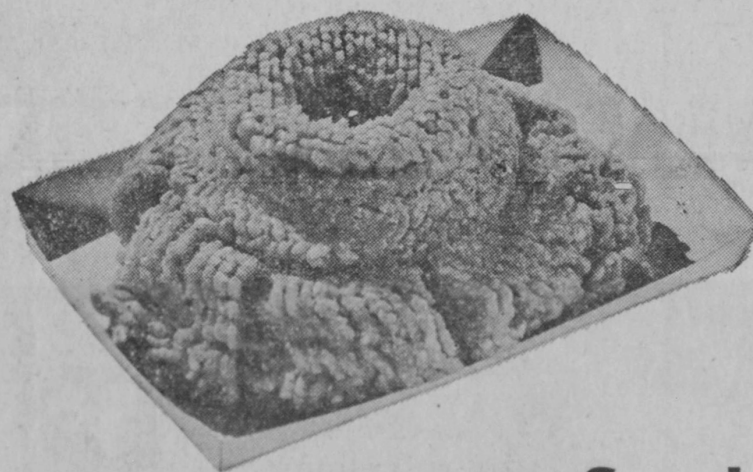
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MUCC Seeks State Sportsmen Support in Ban on Gill Nets

Roger Wenk of Byron, president of the Michigan United Conservation Clubs, Michigan's largest citizen conservation organization, has urged all-out response from sportsmen at the upcoming public hearings concerning the 1974 commercial fishing rules. The hearings have been called for March 2 at Escanaba and March 8 at Detroit by the joint legislative rules committee. Action by the committee is necessary before the rules can be implemented. They have already received final approval by the Natural Resources Commission.

Included in the new rules is one of prime importance to the fisheries resources of Lakes Michigan and Superior. It would virtually eliminate the use of large mesh gill nets, replacing them with impoundment-type nets.

The gill net is a non-selective

method of harvesting fish commercially, known only too well in the Saginaw Bay area where use of the nets nearly wiped out yellow perch. Gill nets catch and kill nearly all the fish which come in contact with them. Impoundment nets, on the other hand, merely catch and hold the fish. Thus, fish that are illegal to take or ones that are too small to harvest can be returned to the water unharmed.

"Elimination of the gill nets is mandatory if we are to build the stocks of lake trout in the Great Lakes to their once numerous levels," Wenk said. "The sea lamprey and commercial netting were responsible for the dramatic drop in the numbers of these fish in Great Lakes waters. We now have the lamprey fairly well under control. With approval of the 1974 commercial fishing rules, we will have commercial fishing under control.

"It is not a case of putting these men and their families out of business, only controlling their activities. Traditionally, they have taken what they wanted when they wanted it, with little or no concern for the resource. Rules which have been imposed were openly flaunted by the industry making enforcement difficult.

"By converting to impoundment-type equipment — trap or pound nets — commercial fishermen will be able to return live fish that are illegal or too small to the water. Eventually, we should see some natural reproduction of lake trout, something that is necessary if the numbers of these fish are to return to their once abundant levels," Wenk concluded.

Area Pine Cones Attraction for Wintering Crossbills

Iosco Audubon Society reports the unusual occurrence of many crossbills wintering in the area. The abundance of the pine cone crop largely determines the movement of crossbills through the coniferous forests of the Northern Hemisphere. When cones are scarce, the birds may wander in flocks far to the south. When cones are plentiful in the northern forests, the crossbills do not migrate and they may even start nesting in January. In some areas, however, they do not breed until August.

The red crossbill is 5 1/4 inches to 6 1/2 inches long. The male is brick red with dusky wings and tail and the female has an olive-gray head and back, yellowish rump and underparts. White wing bars and a

brighter rose pink coat distinguish the white-winged crossbill from the red crossbill. The most distinctive characteristic of both species is the crossed pruning-shear bill. When feeding on pine cones, the crossbill slips his open bill under a scale, pries it apart with a lateral motion of those remarkably adapted mandibles and scoops out the seeds with his tongue. The sounds of cracking scales sometimes reveals a hidden crossbill in a pine tree. Both species dwell in boreal forests of the Northern Hemisphere, but the white-winged crossbill ranges farther north and not as far south. Depending upon the supply of cones farther north, crossbills may not be seen again in Iosco County for several years.

The Audubon Society is always interested in receiving unusual bird-sighting reports. The number to call is 362-5142. The IAS will be hosting many fine programs and field trips this spring to which the public is welcome. Consult local news media for times and places.



STARTING LINE for the second annual snowmobile "run for life" sponsored Saturday by the Michigan Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and the Perchville USA Committee is shown here at the Newman Street athletic field, East Tawas. Participating snowmobilers raised money to aid children with lung disease through sponsorship of each machine entered in the event.—Tawas Herald Photo.

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Regional Library's Budget Has Deficit; Seek Revenue Sharing

Iosco - Arenac Regional Library has asked the two county commissions for an additional \$20,000 in federal revenue sharing money this year to offset an anticipated budget deficit.

According to a report read at Wednesday's meeting of the Iosco Board of Commissioners, the regional library had requested an allocation of \$1.20 per capita in each county, but was budgeted 75 cents per capita, same as last year.

The library report indicated that some of its expenses have doubled over last year. Some of the figures cited included a hike in fuel oil cost from 13.5 cents per gallon in December 1972 to 28.3 cents in December 1973; an increase in gasoline cost from 17 cents per gallon last July to 27.7 cents per gallon in December and propane gas increased from \$3 per 40 pounds in January 1973 to \$6.26 in December.

According to the library report, the \$1.20 per capita appropriation would raise \$43,237, as compared to \$27,023 as budgeted under the 75-cent per capita appropriation.

Total income of the regional library in 1973 was \$81,107, with expenses of \$85,992. The income included the \$27,023 appropriation from each county, penal fines of \$34,095, \$4,800 from state aid for salaries, \$1,852 in other state aid, \$10,000 from county federal revenue sharing and \$3,337 in miscellaneous funds. The new budget for 1974 totals \$67,823, which is \$18,169 short of anticipated expenditures of \$85,992. The income includes \$27,023 in per capita appropriation, \$4,800 in state aid for salaries and \$2,000 miscellaneous. The library loses \$1,852 in state aid this year and \$10,000 in federal revenue sharing was cut from the budget.

As a comparison of budgets, the library received \$38,174 in penal fines in 1967, as compared to \$34,095 in 1973. While revenue from district courts has increased to the county in the form of court costs assessed to those convicted, penal fines have been substantially lowered by the district court. Total income of the regional library in 1967 was \$54,590 with expenditures of \$58,704.

At the end of 1969, the regional library had a surplus of over \$46,000 in cash and government bonds. During the past four years, that surplus has been expended to meet annual deficits. It had been hoped that part of the surplus could be retained for replacement of vehicles.

Deficits over the past four years amounted to \$2,721 in 1970, \$15,869 in 1971, \$12,408 in 1972 and \$4,690 in 1973.

The report was taken under advisement by the Iosco Commission, which is to check with the Arenac County Commission to determine a possible course of action.

Stream Fishing Is Cold, but Good Sport in Winter

Michigan fishermen now can go after good catches of rainbow and brook trout as well as an occasional coho or chinook all winter long on the Whitney Drain (East Branch of the Au Gres River), the Pine and AuSable Rivers and nearly 40 other trout streams across the state.

In recent years, the Michigan Department of Natural Resources has left more than 40 Great Lakes tributary streams open for fishing in the lower reaches on a year around basis.

Getting to the streams and the fish which inhabit them used to be a problem, but today, many fishermen have added snowmobiles to their equipment.

Most streams have heavy runs of steelhead and brown trout during the fall. Many are trophy fish which grew large in the Great Lakes where sportsmen have little chance to catch them.

Once in the streams, it is a different story. An angler willing to risk possible leaky waders in a chilling midwinter stream often will reap a rich reward. This can be some of the hottest cold weather fishing found anywhere.

Baits which attract trout during winter months are small spawn sacks, with wigglers (the larvae of the big mayfly) a close runnerup. Corn, marshmallows and small balls of cheese also account for some big trout.

Artificial lures with appeal to winter fish are spinners, spoons, small plugs or streamer flies, although ex-

perpts say fishing with artificial lures is much slower than with bait. Wherever one may choose to fish, he can be sure it will be mighty cold. Days of sunshine and above-freezing temperatures can be found occasionally during the winter, but they will be rare until close to spring.

Mental Health Services Names New Director

Northeast Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board, Alpena, has announced the hiring of David M. Lindemulder, Ph. D., as the new administrative director. Doctor and Mrs. Lindemulder moved to Alpena from Vandalia, where he was employed by the Cass County Mental Health Services Board. He officially took over duties January 29. The board serves the Counties of Alpena, Alpena, Oscoda, Ogemaw, Iosco, Montmorency and Presque Isle.

THIS WEEK'S MENUS

Monday, February 25th—
Ground Round Steak - - - - \$1.85
 Potatoes, vegetable and hot biscuits.

Tuesday, February 26th—
Liver and Onions - - - - \$1.85
 Potatoes, vegetable and hot biscuits.

Wednesday, February 27th—
Baked Chicken and Dressing \$1.95
 Potatoes and vegetable.

Thursday, February 28th—
Boiled Dinner - - - - \$1.85
 With hot biscuits.

Friday, March 1—
Fish and Chips - - - - \$1.65
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IT WAS A SHIVERING COLD DAY, but Tawas Polar Bear Club again took to the water of ice-clogged Tawas Bay Saturday and Sunday during the annual Perchville USA program. Spectators had fun watching the swimmers, but did not envy them.—Tawas Herald Photo.

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LOOKING BACKWARD—

Tawas City Voters OK Sewer Bonds

15 Years Ago—

February 19, 1959—Tawas City voters continued their distinction of never having turned down a general obligation bond issue asked by the city council in modern history by approving a \$130,000 bond issue Monday, 285-158, for construction of additions to the disposal plant.

Allan C. Miller, Tawas City attorney, and J. Russell Hughes of Harrisville were nominated as candidates for 23rd Judicial Circuit judge.

Marilyn Chipps was named valedictorian and Raymond St. John was named salutatorian for the graduating class at Whittemore.

Iosco Honor Students Listed by CMU

Twenty-eight students from Iosco County have been named to the academic honors list at Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, for the fall semester of 1973. Eight area students have been honored by CMU for achieving straight A averages for the semester.

To be eligible for the academic honors list, a student must have a cumulative grade average of B or better for his or her entire college career. The straight A list is based upon fall semester grades without regard to cumulative averages.

Straight A students are Eldon C. Mueller of East Tawas; Robert F. Short and Kathleen G. Morrish of Tawas City; Marcia Lynn Charters of Whittemore; Mary P. Larson, Shannon Lee Mitchell, Sue Anne Stice and Kay D. Schwatka of Oscoda.

Students on the academic honors list include Mueller and Kristine L. Stevenson of East Tawas; Cheryl I. Bursick of Hale; Annette J. Evans, Randy Lee Harris, Sandra K. Hodges, Richard W. Jenks, Miss Larson, Michael R. McKee, Miss Mitchell, Marianne Puida, Alice S. Savage, Miss Schwatka and Miss Stice of Oscoda; Alan C. Kushion, Gary R. Libka, Donald E. Mick, Kathleen J. Miscisin, Miss Morrish, Sandra S. Roach, Short, Deborah J. Whitford and E. Chris Wilson of Tawas City; Carl S. Bero, Cynthia K. Erickson and Rodrick D. Gay of Whittemore; Lawrence T. Barrett and Diane C. Nadon of Wurtsmith Air Force Base.

Students achieving academic honors were among 14,270 enrolled at CMU for the semester which ended December 15, 1973.

ET Man Passed Away in Florida

John Ogweiler of East Tawas, 76, who was residing in Dania, Florida, during the winter months, passed away Wednesday, February 13, in Hollywood, Florida. Funeral services were held Saturday, February 16, at the Panciera Memorial Home, Hollywood, with the Rev. Robert E. Grefe officiating. Cremation followed the service.

Mr. Ogweiler was born April 24, 1897, in Germany. Surviving him are his wife, Mary Jane; one daughter, Mrs. Nancy Gody of Flushing; four grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Martha Friedrich of Germany.

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Prescott Area School.

Chester Burch and Dornae Bellville were re-elected to the Ogemaw-Prescott ABA board of directors.

A dangerous and illegal-to-possess World War II souvenir, a Japanese Nambu light machine gun, found in the Tawas City dump by C. Oliver Champine, has been turned over to the Iosco Sheriff's Department.

25 Years Ago—

February 18, 1949—United States Gypsum Company has completed work on assembling its new dragline at Alabaster.

Tom Tate meshed 13 points as the East Tawas Indians downed Standish, 56-28.

The air force held the first official showing for its new slate blue uniforms at the Pentagon building in Washington, D. C. Uniforms for both officers and enlisted men are identical, but will not be in use before 1950.

"You can plan for the future by starting now to build your chinchilla herd while remaining in your present business," advertises the Saginaw Chinchilla Ranch.

Mrs. John Lansky of Tawas City is having her home redecorated with some nice hand-tied trout flies. Her husband is getting prepared for the coming season and has flies strung up all over the house.

Millions of Americans would agree with the premise: Taxes in America have reached the saturation point.

35 Years Ago—

February 17, 1939—Fire destroyed the entire stock of the Schriber Drug Store at East Tawas.

Plans are being made by the Oscoda Township Board to extend and widen the public dock at the Oscoda tourist park. The project has been submitted to the WPA for approval. Total cost would be \$14,000, of which \$10,000 would come from WPA funds.

An Oscoda school bus with 11 children from Wilber Township rolled over on a slippery road Friday. There were no serious injuries.

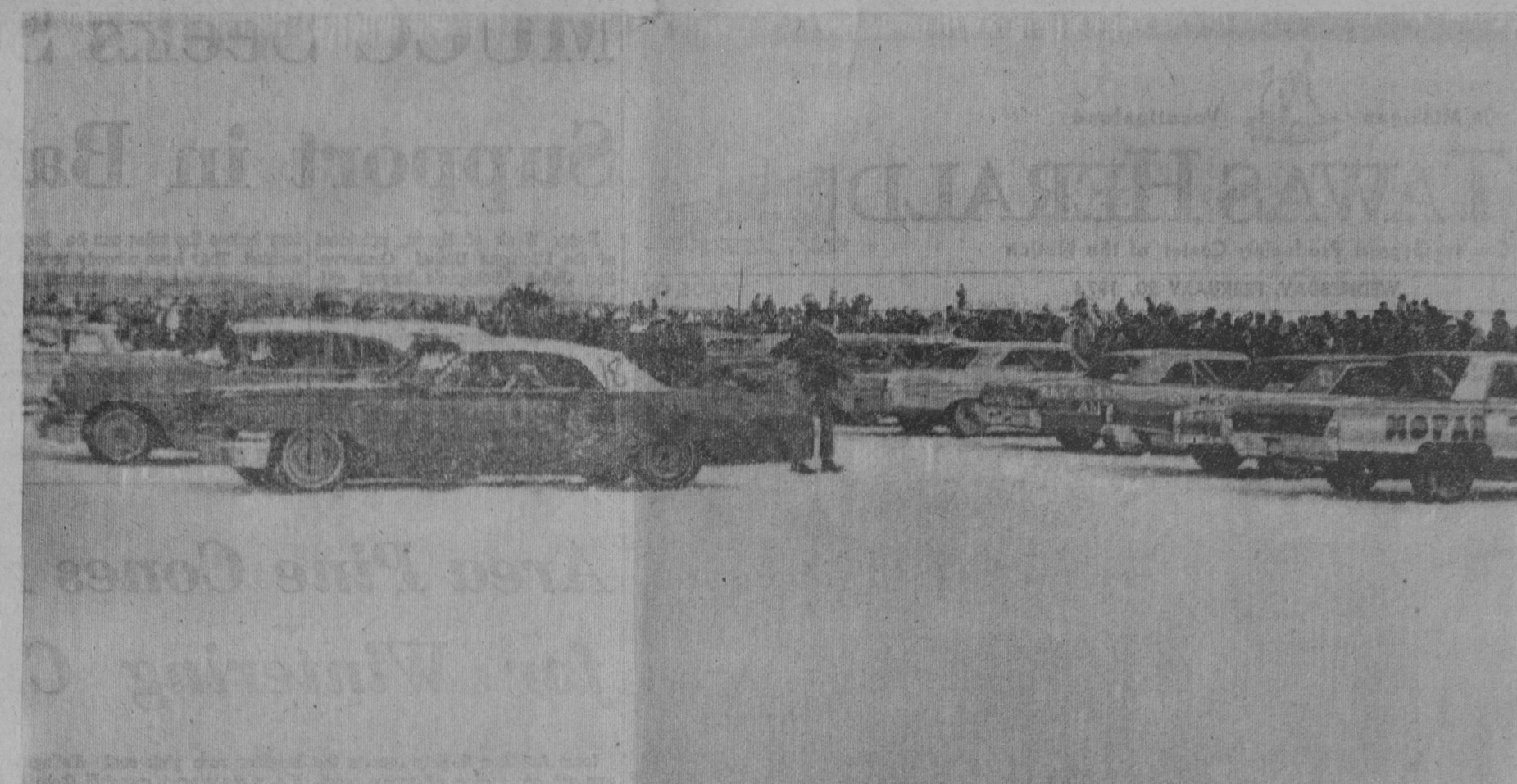
Donald Pfeiffer won the spelldown in the seventh and eighth grades at Tawas City Public School.

Ferguson's Market in Tawas City advertises shoulder beef roast, round steak and strip bacon, all at 19 cents per pound. Telephone 5 P2 for delivery.

Created in 1933, PWA is soon to expire, but Sec. of Interior Harold L. Ickes has urged creation of a permanent PWA to prevent future depressions.

Thursday afternoon, the pin boys from Alpena were defeated by the pin boys from East Tawas. Scores rolled by the East Tawas pin boys were: A. Sheldon, 454; N. Sheldon, 427; H. Kussro, 553; B. Sheldon, 557; A. Kussro, 405.

The \$155,000,000 "World of Tomorrow" exposition will open April 30 as the New York World's Fair of 1939 makes lavish preparations to entertain millions of visitors during the coming summer months.



SUNDAY'S DEMOLITION DERBY was one of the most spectacular ever held during a Perchville USA program. More than 50 cars were entered in the meet and several thousand spectators crowding a plowed area on Tawas Bay were treated to a smashingly good show by drivers. Two heats were run because of the large number of cars entered. The top picture shows the lineup of cars for the start of the first heat. The next picture shows cars involved in one smashup with steaming radiators and exhaust fumes nearly blotting out the large crowd in the background. After heats were finished, spectators had the chance to inspect the demolished automobiles (lower photo).—Tawas Herald Photos.



Lower Hemlock

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Linder and daughter spent the week-end at Port Huron with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grabow and family enjoyed the week-end of February 10 with the Fred Ziehl family at Saginaw.
The Robert Price family of Niles enjoyed the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kasischke, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Price.
Tuesday, February 12, the 59ers met at the home of Mrs. Arthur Kobs. Ten women enjoyed a pot-luck dinner and an afternoon of games and visiting.
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mangani and the William Katterman family of Ann Arbor enjoyed the week-end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Katterman. The Robert Ridenour family joined the group on Saturday.
Dale Youngs of Saginaw spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Wilfred Youngs.
Roxann Kobs of Alpena was a week-end guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kobs.

Tawas Hospital

BIRTHS—
Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Booth, Hale, February 12, a girl, Louise Marie, weight six pounds, 3½ ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Grubaugh, Gennie, February 13, a girl, weight six pounds, 12 ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Clem, Oscoda, February 14, a girl, Cynthia Rochelle, weight seven pounds.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stone, Twining, February 14, a girl, Bonita Mae, weight eight pounds, 5¼ ounces.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bieszk, Whittemore, February 17, a boy, Sam Allen, weight seven pounds, 3½ ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mochty, East Tawas, February 17, a girl, Angela Christine, weight eight pounds, five ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pawloski, Tawas City, February 15, a girl, Julie Ann, weight nine pounds, five ounces.

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Richter Lixey, Supervisor 8-2b

vived by his wife, Josephine; three daughters, Mrs. Rhea Ulman of Tawas City, Mrs. Yvonne Murringer of National City and Mrs. Colleen Pipes of Whittemore; two sisters, Mrs. Ruth Scott of Sterling and Mrs. Escher Smith of Williamsville, New York.

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Spray N Vac..... 1-PT 8-OZ \$1.57
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Pan Pal..... 13-OZ WT CAN 89¢

Instant Potatoes..... 2-LB 99¢
Macaroni & Cheese..... 10-OZ PKG 26¢
Spaghetti..... 10-OZ WT CAN 18¢
Chow Mein..... 2-LB 3/4-OZ 99¢

HUNT'S KETCHUP
 QUART BTL **48¢**

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 12-OZ WT CAN **10¢**

GRAPE JELLY
 1-LB JAR **77¢**

CORN MUFFIN MIX
 8-1/2-OZ WT PKG **12¢**

SLICED PEACHES
 1-LB 10-OZ CAN **37¢**

Purple Plums..... 3 1/2-LB 51¢
Coffee Rich..... 10-OZ CTN 39¢
Soft Pretzels..... 15-OZ WT CAN 49¢
Bavarian Cream Cake..... 15-OZ WT PKG 88¢

Kosher Dills..... 9-T JAR 66¢
Spaghetti..... 15-OZ WT CAN 39¢
Beefaroni..... 15-OZ WT CAN 43¢
Bleu Cheese Dressing..... 8-OZ BTL 39¢

Spray Listerol..... 14-OZ WT CAN 88¢
Sweet Butter Chips..... 1-PT 14-OZ 95¢
Icicle Dills..... 1-PT 8-OZ 49¢
Viva Italian Dressing..... 8-OZ BTL 28¢

Archway Cookies..... 12-CT PKG 44¢
Instant Coffee..... 1-PT 8-OZ \$1.19
Hot Cocoa Mix..... 15-OZ WT JAR 48¢
Kroger Chili..... 16-LB 59¢

Kroger Oil..... 1-PT 8-OZ BTL 72¢
Pancake Syrup..... 1-PT 8-OZ BTL 69¢
Pancake Mix..... 1-PT 8-OZ PKG 58¢
Kroger Salt..... 1-LB 10-OZ PKG 11¢

Baked Beans..... 1-LB 25¢
Trash Bags..... 10-CT PKG 77¢
Gentle Fels..... 10-OZ BTL 49¢
Spray N Wash..... 1-PINT 79¢

CREAM CHEESE
 8-OZ WT PKG **33¢**

SMOKY LINKS
 10-OZ WT PKG **63¢**

LARGE EGGS
 DOZ CTN **69¢**

LOWFAT MILK
 1/2-GAL CTN **39¢**

LIQUID JOY
 QT BTL **44¢**

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 1-LB PKG **97¢**

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- TRASH BAGS 49¢ SAVE 24¢
- CHEER DETERGENT \$2.49 SAVE 31¢
- PALMOLIVE LIQUID 43¢ SAVE 10¢

Braves Had Easy Win Over Gladwin; Lost to BC All Saints

Tawas Area Braves split the decisions in two games played over the week-end. Friday night's NBC action saw Tawas trouncing the visiting cellar-dwelling Gladwin Flying Gs, 69-47, but then lost to Bay City All Saints, the state's top class C team, 89-71, Saturday night on the winners' home floor.

The visiting Gladwin squad elected to open Friday night's game with a stand-off offense and the Braves held the Flying Gs to only one field goal in the first quarter. The few shots that Gladwin tried were missed and the Braves controlled the backboards to rack up a 17-2 first quarter lead.

The Braves boosted their lead to 37-9 at halftime, which gave Coach Dick Fairless a chance to use his entire bench. Gladwin had a 38-32 scoring edge against Tawas reserves in the second half.

Steve Cline and Mickey Haglund netted 12 points each to pace Tawas' well-balanced scoring attack and Terry Nichols contributed 11 points. Larry Gilbert of Gladwin took top individual scoring honors for the game with 18 points.

The Junior Braves bounced back from their defeat a week ago at the hands of Osgood Heights by administering a 64-50 decision over the

Gladwin Junior Varsity. Tawas jumped off to a 5-0 lead over All Saints in the first period of Saturday night's encounter, but a 24-12 third quarter scoring blitz by the Bay City squad put the game out of reach as All Saints bounced back after being upended earlier in the week by Carrollton.

All Saints defeated the Braves, 65-52, earlier in the season and the Braves had things going right for them early in this return engagement. All Saints missed its first 11 shots from the floor before Harris finally hit a 25-footer from the corner with five minutes, two seconds remaining in the opening quarter.

That basket tore the lid off for the Bay City team as the Cougars piled up a 24-17 margin at the end of the first period.

The Braves had a sizzling shooting percentage of 537 for the night, making good on 23 out of 54 shots from the floor, but the Braves simply had to make every shot count as Bay City had a 48-32 edge on the backboards.

All Saints piled up a 10-point margin at intermission, 46-36, and the Braves settled down to close the gap to 50-44 with five minutes, 38 seconds remaining in the third quarter.

despite having three players in serious foul trouble. Bay City then hit for 18 points to only two points for the Braves to take a commanding 70-48 lead at the end of the third quarter.

The Braves rallied twice in the fourth quarter to close the gap to 77-63 and later to 81-67, but Bay City had four players hitting in double scoring figures to win going away.

Mark Talaga of Bay City took scoring honors for the game with 33 points.

Haglund was successful on all eight of his shots from the floor and meshed two of three free throws for 18 points to lead the Braves. Terry and Larry Nichols added 12 and 10 points respectively. Both Cline and Terry Nichols fouled out in the last three minutes of play.

The Junior Braves lost to the All Saints Junior Varsity, 73-70.

TAWAS AREA	FG	FT	TP
Larry Nichols	5	0	10
Terry Nichols	4	4	12
Cline	3	2	8
Haglund	8	2	18
Scales	3	2	8
Hemphill	3	1	7
Mooney	1	0	2
Reed	1	0	2
Mielock	0	2	2
Elliott	0	0	0
DesJardins	1	0	2
Kasischke	0	0	0
	29	13	71

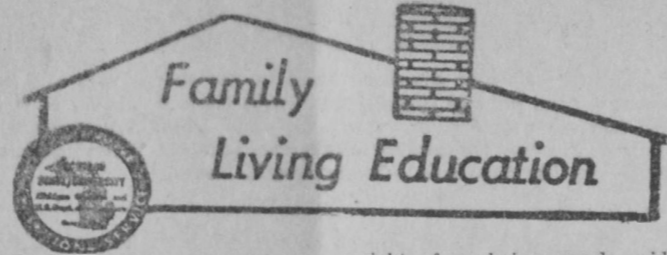
BAY CITY	FG	FT	TP
Talaga	10	13	33
Izykowski	2	0	4
Learman	5	9	19
Harris	7	0	14
Rasdorf	5	1	11
Morse	1	0	2
Leiker	1	0	2
Heme	0	2	2
Walsh	1	0	2
	32	25	89



MICKEY HAGLUND meshed eight straight field goals Saturday night, but the Tawas Area Braves fell before Bay City All Saints in a game played on the winners' floor.—Tawas Herald Photo.



GREENBUSH SNOWMOBILE CLUB retained possession of the world championship trophy in the Cystic Fibrosis 50-mile "run for life" held during the Perchville USA Festival. The Alcona County club collected \$1,636 of the \$3,700 donated by sponsors of drivers on Saturday. Accepting the trophy from Gene Riley, top, state chairman for CF, are Ed Havercroft, left, and Ron Kauppila, right, both of Greenbush. The lower photo shows two of the snowmobiles entered in the event starting out on the round trip between East Tawas and the Oscoda Sportsmen's Club.—Tawas Herald Photos.



By HELEN B. MEACH
Extension Home Economist

Buying beef by the side or quarter may be one way around the high cost of meat. But unless you know exactly what you are buying and how much you are paying, quantity beef buying can actually be more expensive.

To save money buying beef in quantity, you have to understand beef quality grades and yield grades. You also need to know what the difference is between purchased carcass weight and the weight of the retail meat cuts you take home. About 25 percent of the carcass

weight of a choice grade side of beef is waste. If you pay \$1 per pound for carcass weight, you actually pay about \$1.25 per pound for the meat you take home.

Quality grade is important because it indicates the degree of tenderness, juiciness and flavor the consumer can expect. USDA Prime is the highest grade, followed by USDA Choice, the grade most often found in the supermarket.

The consumer who does not understand meat grading may end up with a little poor quality meat at a very high price.

Jacob Messer of East Tawas Died Feb. 12

A longtime resident of East Tawas, Jacob W. Messer, 69, passed away Tuesday, February 12, at Tawas Hospital. The Rev. Kenneth Toubey officiated at funeral services Friday, February 15, at the Moffatt-Kobs Funeral Home, East Tawas, with burial following in Greenwood Cemetery, East Tawas.

Mr. Messer was born November 12, 1904, in Alba. He married the former Mabel Moore in 1923 at Newberry. They moved to East Tawas in 1925, where he joined the United States Coast Guard. He was a veteran of World War II and retired from the service in 1947.

Surviving besides his wife are two sons, Donald of Memphis, Tennessee, and James of East Tawas; three daughters, Mrs. Marlene Groff of Flint, Mrs. Beatrice Bailey of Fredricks, Colorado, and Mrs. Patricia Penrose of Westerville, Ohio; 18 grandchildren; three great grandchildren; four brothers, and five sisters.

Funeral Held Feb. 17 for Mrs. Kindell

The Rev. Sidney Rowland officiated at funeral services Sunday, February 17, for Frieda F. Kindell of National City, 83, at the Moffatt-Kobs Funeral Home, East Tawas. Burial followed in Memory Gardens Cemetery, Tawas City. Mrs. Kindell passed away Thursday, February 14, at the Isoco Medical Care Facility.

Born November 27, 1890, in Germany, Mrs. Kindell came to the United States in 1908. She married George W. Kindell April 19, 1911, in Tawas City.

Besides her husband, she is survived by eight sons, John of Tawas City, Howard of Rochester, Raymond of Saginaw, Harold and Leo of Flint, George E., Victor and Larry, all of National City; five daughters, Mrs. Helen Nord of Flint, Mrs. Violet Bowlsby of East Tawas, Mrs. Irene Wolcott of California, Mrs. Gertrude Sheridan of Tawas City and Mrs. Alice Rickel of Glenn; 31 grandchildren, and 20 great grandchildren. One son, Vern, preceded her in death in 1961.

Wilber News

The Jerry Thomas family was recently at University Hospital, Ann Arbor, where Jerry Jr. had a medical checkup. The family also visited Mrs. Florence Thomas at Clio.

The George Wright family and the Ike Westcotts returned home from a Florida vacation Saturday. Thursday, Miss Bonney Dorey and Russell Dorey were in Bay City and Kawkawin. They visited the Dwight Perkins family.

The Pioneer Farm Bureau Group met Wednesday night at the John Newberry home. Lunch was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen' Alda (nee Inez Luoma) are the parents of a son born February 10 at Tawas Hospital.

Charles Wilson has returned home after spending several days in Tawas Hospital.

Wilber Home Extension Group met on Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Arthur Letz. Lunch was served by the hostess.

Donald Alda was home from Alpena Community College to spend the week-end at his parental home.

Keith Pyne, son of Mrs. Anise Pyne, is home following a tonsillectomy at Tawas Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eckinger of Kawkawin are spending a week at their home here and enjoying ice fishing.

Norman Harris came from Flint where he is employed to spend the week-end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eckinger of VanEtan Lake visited at the Irving Dawes home on Friday.

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