

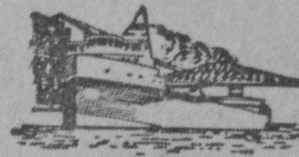


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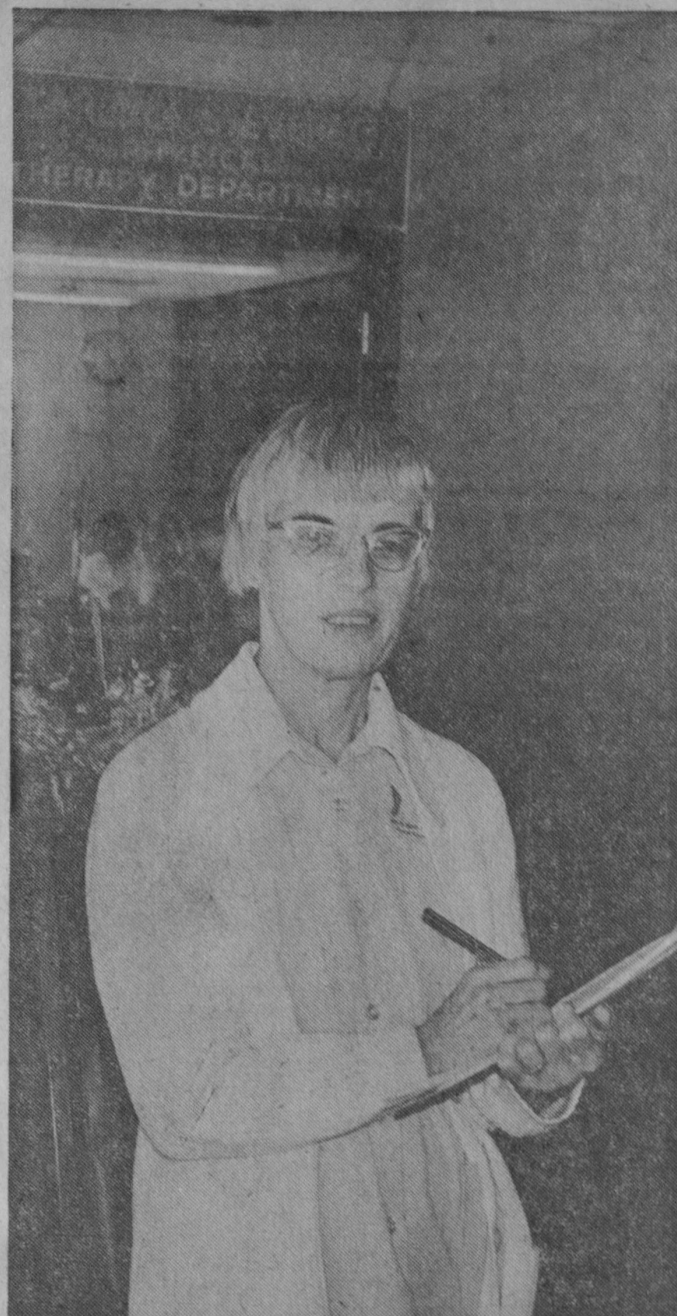
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RETIRING December 31 after serving as physical therapy supervisor since opening of the Iosco County Medical Care Facility in 1966 will be Geraldine Lemon, shown Tuesday morning in front of the therapy department door. Mrs. Lemon and her husband, Charles, are to leave Friday for a vacation.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Mrs. Lemon to Retire Dec. 31

Since opening of the Iosco County Medical Care Facility 10 years ago, a total of 110,954 patient visits has been recorded by its physical therapy department.

"Working day to day in this department since 1966, it is difficult to realize that our department has treated so many 'people,'" states Mrs. Charles Lemon, physical therapy supervisor, who is scheduled to leave for vacation Friday and will retire as of December 31.

Rehabilitation of patients has been a primary function of the medical care facility since its founding and it has enjoyed amazing success. "It is our hope to return patients to their homes to look after themselves, or to return them to their jobs," states Mrs. Lemon.

There are now three persons in the department under Mrs. Lemon,

who also supervises a similar program at Tawas Hospital. During Tuesday morning's visit, assistants were conducting group therapy treatment using a rubber ball to test and improve physical reactions of the patients.

Included in the 10-year total were 93,387 visits by inpatients and 17,567 outpatient visits. Mrs. Lemon also visits patients in their homes.

A number of letters are received from former patients each year commending the medical care facility's physical therapy department. One such letter received last week from a young college student told Mrs. Lemon "you have no idea how much you have meant to people—you made it possible for me to walk with a head held high."

Mrs. Lemon had considerable experience in this field before entering the employ of the medical care facility. A native of England, she began working in 1941 with rehabilitation of patients injured in the London "blitz" and with military service casualties.

She met and married her husband, Charles, a Canadian who was a member of the British Air Force. The Lemons came to the Tawas in 1952 when Charles was employed by United States Gypsum Company at Alabaster. He retired two years ago.

Since 1952, Mrs. Lemon has been active in community recreational programs for youngsters, particularly in tennis.

The Lemons will spend the winter in Texas and will return here next spring. She said she is hopeful that she will be continuing her activities in adult and youth tennis programs.

Three Burglaries Were Investigated

Three breakings and enterings and two larcenies were investigated last week by Iosco County Sheriff's Department.

A burglary was reported in progress Sunday morning at the Long Lake Bar, but the suspect left the building prior to the arrival of officers. Entry was made by smashing a window. A quantity of cigarettes, liquor and \$80 in currency were stolen.

Cabin burglaries were reported by Kenneth Coon, Wilber Township, and Mrs. Frank Monk, South Branch.

Harold E. Marsden of Londo Lake reported the larceny of a .22 caliber derringer pistol and Dobson Moving Company, Oscoda, reported the theft of 275 gallons of gasoline.

Prisoners to Pay Own Support in Iosco Jail

Effective immediately, prisoners sentenced to the Iosco County Jail will be paying for their own support during incarceration.

A resolution adopted Wednesday by the county board of commissioners stated that "certain prisoners are financially able to pay their support and should not benefit financially from incarceration."

Under terms of a 1962 act of the legislature, those prisoners gainfully employed or receiving social security, veteran's disability, workmen's compensation, etc., are to pay for their board in an

amount fixed by the sheriff, along with support of dependents, incidental expenses and any obligation acknowledged in writing by the prisoner.

In addition, prisoners on day parole would pay for travel expense to and from work.

The money would be paid directly to the county by the prisoner, or he may be required to turn over all of his funds to an account established in his name by the county clerk. The balance of those funds, after deduction of expenses, would be returned upon his discharge from jail.

Tax Break for Local Industries Studied

Participation in a state program which establishes community guidelines in offering property tax incentives for industrial expansion and rehabilitation is being considered by the Tawas City Council.

Ronald Turner, city tax assessor, presented information at Monday night's council meeting concerning the program. He said that the city could give up to a 50 percent tax break for five years to entice new industries to locate in the community and a similar tax break for existing industries which update or add to existing buildings or modernize equipment.

In order to include recent construction by existing industries, the program should be adopted within a year. The state tax commission would have the final word on approval of the program, which is reimbursed by the state in lieu of taxes.

It was the opinion of Councilman Jerry Cotter that representatives of local industry should be made aware of the tax incentives offered under this plan. Harold Knight of Tawas Plating, Incorporated, has volunteered to study the information and make recommendations to the council.

Bidding Active on New TC Fire Truck

Bidding was active Monday night for furnishing a new fire truck to the City of Tawas City. Five different fire apparatus firms entered bids on a new pumper.

Two firms were low in bidding, Fire Trucks, Incorporated, Mt. Clemens, \$43,928, and Howe Fire Apparatus Company, \$44,235. All bids are being checked by city officials.

Pierce Fire Fighting Apparatus Company entered a bid of \$44,795. W. S. Darley Company entered a bid of \$30,995 for furnishing fire apparatus on a chassis furnished by the city as did FMC Company, which entered a bid of \$30,962 for installation of equipment on the city's truck chassis.

Bids of three firms furnishing a

Ford chassis and fire apparatus included chassis prices ranging from \$13,385 to \$13,995.

It was the opinion of the council that local dealers should have the opportunity to bid on furnishing the truck chassis and specifications were submitted to all local truck dealers as well as to dealers at Standish and Bay City.

Bid proposals from the five fire apparatus companies are effective for 31 days and bids from truck dealers are to be opened at the December 20 meeting. It is expected that the complete contract for furnishing a new unit will be let January 3.

The new unit will replace one which has been in service since 1950.



ONE PERSON received fatal injuries and two were injured in the Iosco County Sheriff's Department is conducting the investigation at the scene.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Injuries Fatal in Car-Pickup Collision Wednesday on US-23 South of Tawas City

A 63-year-old Tawas City man received fatal injuries and an East Tawas couple were injured Wednesday morning in a two-car crash south of Tawas City at the Ruel Road intersection.

Succumbing to injuries Thursday at Tolfree Hospital, West Branch, was Francis J. Hutchens. Injured were Leslie R. Smith, 48, and his wife, Ellen E. Both were treated at Tawas Hospital.

Investigating Iosco County Sher-

iff's Department officers said Hutchens was northbound on US-23 and turned into the path of the southbound Smith car as he attempted to make a left hand turn onto Ruel Road.

Hutchens was born November 16, 1913, at Silverwood and had been a resident of the area for four years.

He was a member of the William M. Perrett Lodge No. 524, Free and Accepted Masons; Ta-

was Masonic Lodge No. 274; Iosco Chapter No. 83, Royal Arch Masons; Alpena Commandery No. 34; Elf Khurafeh Shrine Temple, Saginaw; Alpha Lodge No. 62, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, Oscoda. He was past president of the Masonic Masters Association of Metropolitan Detroit.

He is survived by his wife, Frances; a daughter, Sally Brancher of Honolulu, Hawaii; five grandchildren; two sisters, Vivian Mask of

Flint and Blanche Baldwin of Al-

mont. A Masonic memorial service was held Saturday, December 4, from Jacques and Kobs Funeral Home, West Chapel, Tawas City. A Masonic service and graveside rites were held Sunday, December 5, from the Blackburn Funeral Home, North Branch. Burial was in Maple Grove Cemetery, North Branch.

County Considering New Investigator for ADC Related Support Cases

Iosco County Board of Commissioners is considering entering into a cooperative program whereby the state would reimburse the county for wages and fringe benefits of a person hired to collect

support money in ADC related cases.

The program was explained Wednesday by Charles Belden, office of Central Registry, Michigan Department of Social Services. Iosco would pay 15 percent of the

total cost, which may be furnished as in kind matching through providing office space.

A new support specialist is being assigned to cover Iosco and Arenac Counties and it is expected that increased activity will triple the

ADC related circuit court cases, whereby fathers are required to pay the support of children under court order. As a result, the prosecuting attorney's office would have a heavier case load.

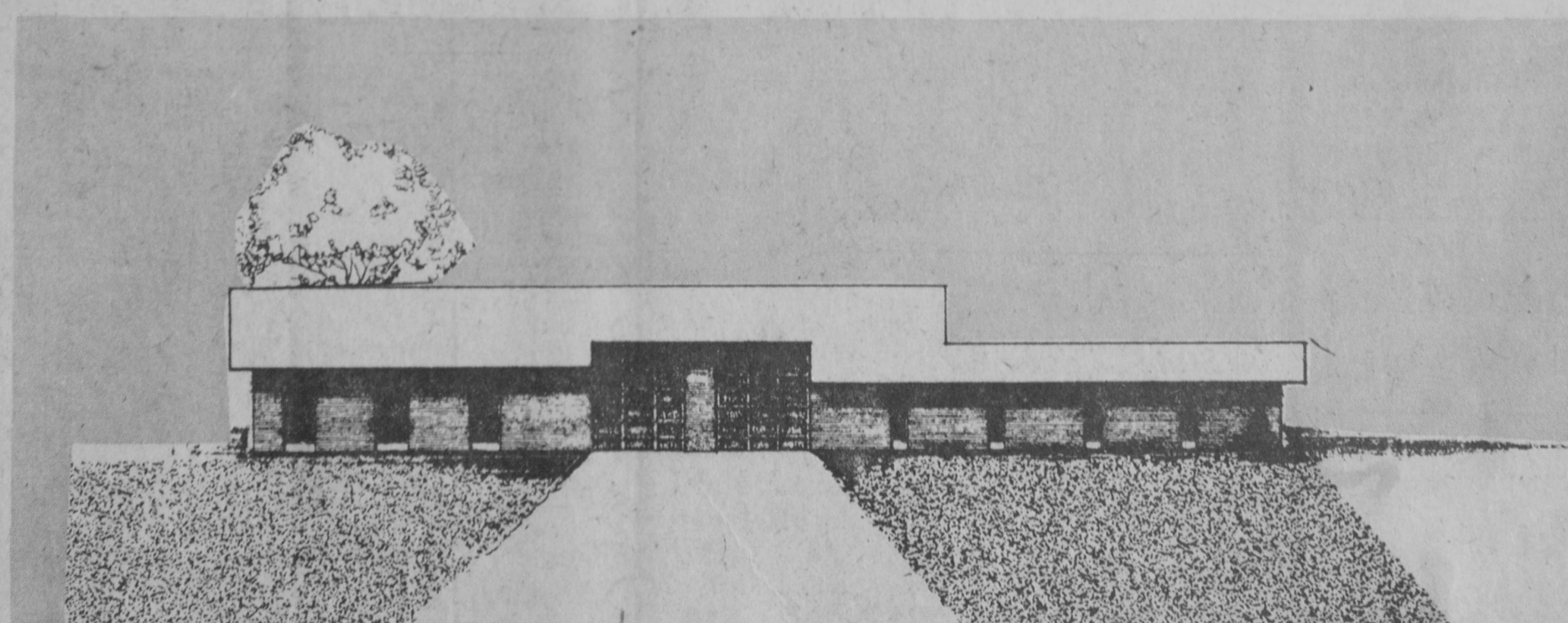
Increased revenue to the county is also expected under a program providing for reimbursement to the county of 25 percent of all support money sent to the state.

During the past year, the county general fund had benefited to the tune of \$1,000 per month through collection of support money in ADC related court cases by the friend of the court. The county must now weigh the advantages of expanding investigative work on its own or through the state program.

In other business, Richard Moss of the Detroit and Mackinac Railway was appointed to represent railroad interests of this county on the regional transportation board of the East Central Michigan Planning and Development Commission.

A contract for purchase of new patrol cars for the sheriff's department is to be awarded December 15.

All county offices, excluding the sheriff's department, are to be closed from 12 o'clock noon Thursday, December 23, until 9:00 a. m. Monday, December 27, and from 12 o'clock noon Thursday, December 30, until 9:00 a. m., Monday, January 3, in observance of Christmas and New Year holidays.



TAWAS CITY will file its second application this week for local public works funds being disbursed throughout the country by the federal government to encourage employment in the construction industry. This application is for a new city hall, fire hall and library complex. An architect's sketch of the proposed 60 by 132-

foot building was shown to members of the Tawas City Council at Monday night's meeting. If approved, the project would be funded entirely by the federal government. City Mgr. Reginald Bublitz told members of the council that it was not necessary to have a site selected at the time the application is made. No esti-

mate was available Monday night concerning cost of the structure. The first application submitted by the city was for construction of storm sewers. Word was received from the Economic Development Administration that the application had been received and was being processed.

Door Prizes to be Awarded ET Shoppers

Twenty-two door prizes await winners in the Christmas shopping promotion sponsored by downtown East Tawas merchants.

There is nothing to buy—just fill out a coupon with name, address, telephone number and deposit it in a canister located in each of the participating stores.

Door prizes offered by participating stores are as follows:

Pendleton Shop, Sony portable transistor radio; Sis's Dress Shop, \$45 dress; Family Home Furnishings, set of stack tables; Hennigar's, hosiery; Mooney's Ben Franklin, \$10 gift certificate; Loeffler's, \$10 gift certificate;

Tawas Flower Shop, Christmas table arrangement; Lubig's Shoes, Daniel Greene comfy house slippers, man's or woman's; The Beachcomber, \$25 gift certificate; Brugger's Foodland East, canned ham; Merschel Hardware, decorated porcelain serving platter; Schmidt's, \$10 gift certificate; Peoples State Bank, \$25 savings account;

The Sewing Basket, sewing thread box; Kennedy's Bakery, decorated Christmas cake; Sears Catalog Store, Presto Jiffy Burger; Gould Rexall Drugs, Rival electric can opener and knife sharpener; Bradley Shoe Store, \$15 gift certificate; Guys and Dolls Photography, full color portrait; The Shirt Stall, \$12.99 flannel shirt; Mill End Store, \$15 gift certificate, and Branham's, Jewelry, \$12.95 man's or lady's chest type jewelry box.



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Film Showing Scheduled

"Corrie: Behind the scenes with The Hiding Place," a new full-length color release from World Wide Pictures, will be shown at First Baptist Church, Fourth Avenue and Second Street, Tawas City, on Sunday, December 12, 7:00 p. m.

"The Hiding Place," a true story filmed in Holland and other European locations, is based on the experiences of Corrie ten Boom, who with her father, sister and brother, provided refuge for countless Jewish families. A secret room was constructed in their home as a hiding place for use during Gestapo raids. The ten Booms' activities were discovered and they were sent to prisons and concentration camps.

According to Kenneth Bliss, director of distribution for World Wide Pictures, "The Hiding Place" has been extremely well-received, both by audiences and film critics. "Corrie" was produced to give people, who have seen "The Hiding Place" or read her many best-selling books, an opportunity to hear her share memories about her life in Holland, family and lifetime of service to others.

Bliss added that the film "offers a great lesson in the perseverance of a personal faith in a very dark and trying period of world history. Corrie ten Boom, now in her 80s, has a tremendous vitality, a deep spiritual commitment and a profound love for her fellow man. We believe we have succeeded in transmitting a part of her zest, personality and source of strength through this film."

The Rev. John Palmer, pastor of First Baptist Church, stresses that the showing of "Corrie" is open to the public free of charge. "We encourage families to attend together for what we believe will be a memorable experience," he concluded.



MRS. A. L. FISHER (center) of East Tawas was honored Sunday, December 5, at Tawas United Methodist Church. "Pat Fisher Day" was a tribute to her more than 20 years of service in the church's Christian education program. Isabelle Leslie, left, created a Nativity scene which was presented to Mrs. Fisher by the church school children. Lillian Engle, right, is Mrs. Fisher's assistant.—Tawas Herald Photo.

East Tawas Council Receives Petition for New Stop Sign

A petition to install a stop sign on Washington Street at the Wilkinson Street intersection as a means of slowing traffic was taken under advisement Monday night by the East Tawas Council.

Mayor Robert Bolen said that the council's street committee is to consider the request at a session later this week.

During discussion at Monday night's meeting, Paul Ropert, superintendent of public works, pointed out that Washington was a through street under a maintenance agreement with the state and he believed that installation of a traffic control device on the street would not be in keeping with that agreement.

In other business, the council approved payment of \$115,178.68 through the Iosco County Department of Public Works to the contractor working on the sanitary sewer to serve the Tawas Lake area. This project is nearly completed, all mains have been installed and leaks have been corrected.

Because of the early arrival of cold weather, the new mains will not be used until next spring when property owners begin to make connections. Above ground cleanup will also take place at this time.

A report from the mayor indicated that another effort is to be made to resolve negotiations with Gordon MacAndrew over a lease which he holds from the state for submerged bottom land of Tawas Bay near the state's proposed boat launching ramp east of the state police post. Under the present plan, a causeway on bottom land leased from the state by MacAndrew is blocking access to the launching area. The city offered \$1,000 for relinquishing the lease but the property owner desires \$6,000.

A public hearing held concerning development of the Deloise (Dewey) Durant Park northeast of the disposal plant met with approval of those citizens attending the meeting. The city has made application for state recreational funds to assist with the development.

Roger Jackson, executive director of the Tawas Chamber of Commerce, appeared at the meeting and recommended that a meeting be held between East Tawas and Tawas City to consider adoption of an ordinance controlling fund raising campaigns and solicitations in the two communities, by nonprofit organizations. It was his opinion that licensing could be handled through the chamber of commerce.

The council approved purchase of Christmas turkeys for full time employees of the city.

Controversial Stop Signs to Remain on Bay Drive

Stop signs installed on Bay Drive as a safety measure to slow traffic in that residential-commercial area are to remain, according to action taken at Monday night's meeting of the Tawas City Council.

At its last meeting, the council received a petition signed by 21 persons from Tawas City and Alabaster Township objecting to installation of the stop signs.

The traffic control devices have been the subject of considerable discussion since originally installed last summer. Due to the length of Bay Drive and the absence of intersecting streets, two signs were authorized by the council in the middle of the block.

Sheriff George Westcott, who was requested by the council to study the effect of the Bay Drive stop signs, expressed the opinion Monday night that the traffic control devices were not accomplishing what the council desired on Bay Drive. "The stop signs are making violators out of a lot of good people, who normally obey traffic laws," said the sheriff.

Westcott said that one out of every five cars fail to stop for the signs and the department's radar unit clocked cars traveling from 35 to 45 miles per hour in the 25-mile hour residential zone.

The sheriff's survey indicated that First Street carried the heaviest traffic among streets studied, which included First Avenue, Fifth Avenue and Fourth Street. He said that many cars exceeded the speed limit by traveling from 35 to 40 miles per hour; some drivers disregarded stop signs on those streets and most made "rolling stops" in violation of the law.

Councilman Charles Landon said that the council had weighed the practicability of installing speed bumps on some streets to reduce speed, but ruled them out.

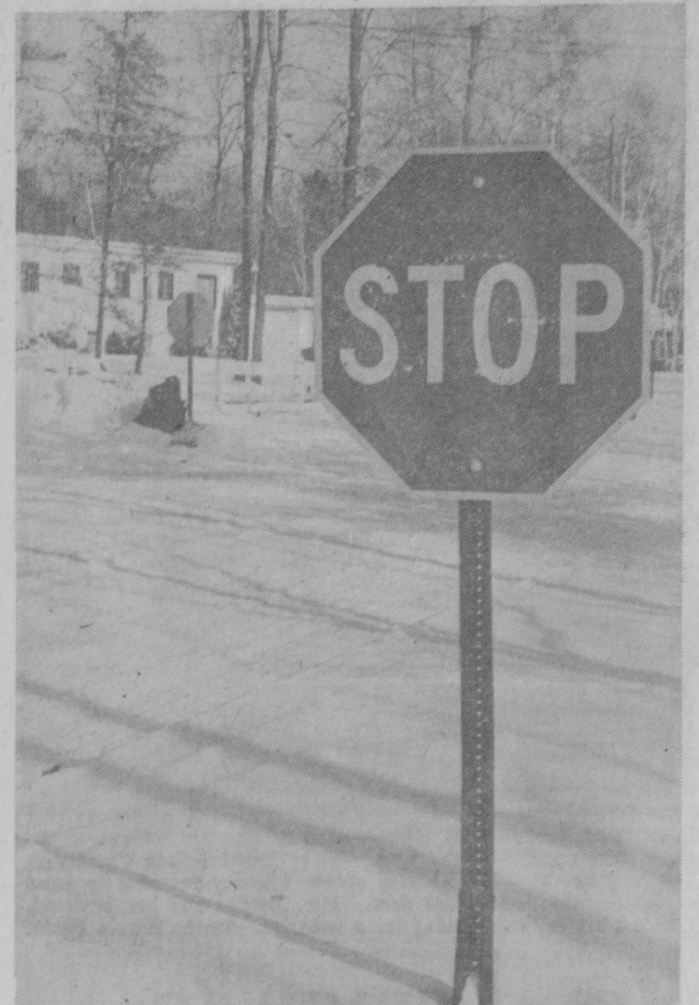
"What we are trying to do is to come up with a solution to a problem," he stated. "I am willing to take the signs down if we can control speeders, but we put the signs up as a control effort."

Councilman Robert Rollin felt the signs on Bay Drive had created "a lot of tension" for residents. He felt there was no particular speeding problem during winter months and the signs penalized the driver who normally obeys the law.

Councilman Jerry Cotter said that the majority of the people living on Bay Drive did not sign the petition to remove the signs. It was his belief, too, that some traffic had been diverted to US-23, which is not covered by the residential speed zone.

"I don't believe the signs are doing much good, but after a time, people will grudgingly stop for them," said the sheriff. He said his department, which furnishes police protection to the city under contract, would patrol Bay Drive and other streets more frequently with its radar unit and would issue more tickets for speeding and failure to stop at the signs.

A motion to remove the stop signs on Bay Drive and use radar to control speeding lost by a four to three roll call. Voting in favor were Mayor Herbert Cholger, Robert Rollin and James Lansky. In favor of leaving the stop signs on Bay Drive and to use radar control were Councilmen William Ezo, William Groff, Cotter and Landon.



CONTROVERSIAL back-to-back stop signs are to remain on Bay Drive, according to action Monday night by the Tawas City Council.—Tawas Herald Photo.

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Visits by Santa

Program Dec. 12 for Handicapped Iosco Children

Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525 will host 46 handicapped children Sunday, December 12, at the second annual Christmas party at the East Tawas Community Building, 1:00 p. m.

There will be entertainment by the Pat Wilson family, a girl scout troop from the Tawas area and Willie Stump, formerly with the Grand Ole Opry. Two clowns from Whittemore will be there to keep the kids laughing and there will be an exciting visit with "Bobbie and Friends" from Oscoda, storybook characters brought to life.

There will be a showing of cartoons and a lunch of hot dogs, soft drinks, potato chips, ice cream and some candy to take home.

Santa Claus will be in attendance and will distribute gifts for each boy and girl.

Two Visits by Santa Planned in Tawas City

Santa Claus will be making two visits with children of Tawas City at a new location this year. A castle has been set up in the former showroom of McKay Sales Company on Lake Street where Santa Claus will be passing out candy on Friday, December 10, and Friday, December 17, from 6:30 p. m. until all children are served.

His visits are sponsored by the Tawas City Businessmen's Association.

Firemen Sponsor Santa's ET Visit

Santa will be at the East Tawas Community Building Thursday, December 16, 7:00-9:00 p. m. His appearance is through the efforts of the City of East Tawas and the volunteer firemen.

Salt Cutback on State Highways

Citing economic and environmental concerns, the state highway commission will cut back on the use of salt to deice Michigan's highways this winter. At the same time, only the center portion of the traveled surface of highways with a moderate volume of traffic will be cleared during overtime hours.

During daytime hours, it is intended that winter maintenance service will be continued until the pavement is brought to a bare condition.

It is expected that this reduced winter maintenance policy will result in motorists occasionally being required to drive on snow covered roads at night, on week-ends, or during early morning hours.

Santa Schedules Visit December 18

Through the efforts of the Tawas Area Modulators, Santa Claus will be at the East Tawas Community Building Saturday, December 18, from 2:00-4:00 p. m.

At the Wednesday, December 1, gathering of the group, a Christmas theme dance was planned for Saturday, December 18, 7:00 p. m. until midnight. Tickets are available from board members.

Farmer Peet's

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CHEESE
lb. \$1.49

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BONELESS BONANZA lb. \$1.69
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We have on display and taking orders for Farmer Peet's Christmas Gift Packs of all Cheeses, Cheese and Meats or all Meats, prices between \$16.98 & \$18.98

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Social

Coyle - Schulte Marriage Vows Repeated Dec. 4

Bonita Schulte, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Schulte, National City, became the bride of Michael Coyle Saturday, December 4, at Emanuel Lutheran Church, Tawas City. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Roy DePotty, Tawas City, and the late Edward Coyle.

The Rev. James Rockhoff performed the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with blue and white carnations. Dean Kobs was the organist.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride chose a gown featuring a lace bodice with polyester skirt and a lace chapel length train. A lace trimmed illusion veil completed her attire. She carried a nosegay of white fuji chrysanthemums, roses and carnations

with accents of blue babies breath. Maid of Honor Bernice Schulte, sister of the bride, wore a princess style gown of blue floral taffeta. The bridesmaids, Gayle Coyle, sister of the bridegroom; Patti Cholger, and Mrs. LeRoy LaVigne, wore matching gowns of yellow. Picture hats complemented their gowns and they carried fuji chrysanthemums. Sisters of the couple, Brenda Schulte and Kelly Coyle, wore identical gowns in green for their roles as junior bridesmaids. They carried baskets of green and white carnations.

Thomas Coyle, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man with Michael Smyczynski, Stephen Klenow and Norton Upson as groomsmen.

Seating the guests were James Davis and John Ristow.

Mrs. Schulte chose an A-line gown in chocolate brown with gold trim topped with a sheer nylon cape for her daughter's wedding. Mrs. DePotty wore a mint green gown with silver accessories. Both wore corsages of tinted green carnations.

A reception at the Sand Lake Community Building was attended by 225 guests from Roseville, Mt. Clemens, Bay City, Memphis, Goodrich and California.

The couple, both graduates of Tawas Area High School, will reside on Camino Road, Sand Lake Heights.

Pre-nuptial showers were given by Mrs. Roland Fahselt and bridal attendants.

Offer Degree in Career Nursing

The Institute for Personal and Career Development of Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, offers a bachelor of science degree in community development for registered nurses. The concentration options are school health and public health education.

Information about this program can be obtained at a meeting to be held at the Officers Club, Wurtsmith Air Force Base, Monday, December 13, at noon. Anyone interested in attending should contact the CMU office at 739-7420.

Old Business Families Feted by L. G. McKay

Sixty-five persons attended a party Saturday evening given by L. G. (Ladd) McKay at his home on Tawas Beach Road honoring second and third generation businessmen in the Tawas. Those attending, with their wives, were born in the Tawas, graduated from high school here and started in business with their fathers.

Seven of those attending were third generation businessmen, including Carl B. and Brent Babcock, Charles A. Pinkerton III, Charles Schreck Jr., Thomas Merschel, Jack Brugger and Edward Collier.

Second generation businessmen in attendance included Joseph Hennigar, Herbert Cholger, Nelson Thornton, Clarence King, Arthur Evans, John MacMurray, Richter and Donald Lixey, Floyd Schaaf, Kenneth Myles, Jack Herrick, Herman Moehring, John Hosbach, Leonard Hosbach, Robert and John Elliott, Donald Penman, Donald Mooney, James Martin, Edward Davison Jr., Gary Nelkie, James Lansky, Jack Jacques and Arthur Ziehl.

Mr. and Mrs. James Post, Flint, are the parents of a son born November 23. He has been named Chad Everett. The Howard Freels, Tawas City, are the great grandparents. Visiting Mrs. Freely recently, while confined at Tawas Hospital, and at the Freely home were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Harrod and family from Davison and Mrs. Robert Rowland and Vicki, Flint.

Enjoying the holiday at the East Tawas home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clayton, were Mrs. William Tomlin and her husband from Milford, Ohio.

Attending the funeral of Mrs. Caroline Wirth at Freeland last Wednesday were the Ervin Ulmans of Tawas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pershon, Taylor, spent the week-end at their home on Church Street in East Tawas.

Returning to her Tawas City home after spending several days with her daughter and family, the Walter Champions of Grand Rapids, was Mrs. Walter Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Carpenter of East Tawas left last week for their winter home in Lakeland, Florida.

A student at Northern Michigan University, Marquette, Betsy Lamb spent the Thanksgiving week-end here and joined her parents, the Donald Lambs, on a trip to Ann Arbor to visit Mr. and Mrs. David Lamb.

Recent guests at the Emil Deprest home in East Tawas were their son, Medard Deprest, and family from East Detroit.

The winter address of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Keiser is 8100 Twenty-Sixth Avenue, North, St. Petersburg, Florida. Their daughter, Janet Rapp, has returned after taking time to Florida.

After being at the Burns Clinic, Petoskey, for several days last week, the Helmuth Carlsons have returned to their East Tawas home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence DeBeau, Tawas City, have returned after a brief visit to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Durant of Tawas City returned Wednesday from Littleton, Colorado, where they had been racing standard breed sulky horses for a little more than two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyuse Cobb, East Tawas, were recent visitors of her brother and wife, the Paul Haines, Saginaw.

Russell Rollin has returned to his Tawas City home after visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. K. Foss (Nancy), and family at Naperville, Illinois.

Enjoying the week-end at their hunting camp in Wilber Township were Wesley Gentry and sons, Joseph and Michael, and his grandson, Wesley, all of Alpena. While here, they visited the former's mother, Mrs. Agnes Gentry, East Tawas.

Mrs. Leeta Schlaack has returned home to Tawas City from a visit with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. Roth, Saginaw.

After a visit to Detroit to see relatives, Mrs. Bernice Silverthorn has returned to her East Tawas home.

Week-end guests of the Floyd Piersons, East Tawas, were his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pierson, Western Springs, Illinois.

Mrs. James Lucas from Manistee called on several friends in the Tawas area over the week-end. Merle Ashley and Mrs. June Bean visited the former's wife at St. Luke's Hospital, Saginaw, on Monday. Mrs. Ashley is recovering after surgery for a fractured hip.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Wemert of Carrollton, Texas, enjoyed the recent holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wemert, at their Tawas City home. The elder Wemerts have returned from Syracuse, New York, where they attended the funeral of Hugo Gustafson, uncle of Mrs. Wemert.

Kenneth Tarnosky has returned from Hawaii where he was stationed with the navy. He is presently visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Tarnosky, and enjoying some time at their camp in Alcona County.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stalker have returned to their home in East Tawas after visiting their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Andersen, and family in Elgin, Illinois.

Mrs. C. A. Arlington attended the opening of the Antique Auto Village in Frankenmuth on Friday. Saturday, she joined her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Pressprich, Saginaw, and attended graduation of their son, Robert, from Michigan State

this... that and the other

University, East Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lansky and Mr. and Mrs. John Lansky, all of Tawas City, attended the surprise open house for Mrs. Catherine Rowley, Gaylord, on the occasion of her 80th birthday.

Women Heard Shoreline Report

A report on Michigan Shorelines, their products and recreation, was heard by the Whittemore Women's Club. The report also included facts on the local Indians and the school system.

The 17 members met at the city hall in Whittemore Wednesday, December 1.

A pot-luck dinner at noon on Wednesday, December 15, with gift exchange will be the last meeting until Wednesday, March 2, 1977.

Iosco Audubon Meets Dec. 10

Iosco Audubon Society will meet Thursday, December 10, at 7:30 p. m. in the Hale Area High School library. The program will feature the history of the Michigan elk.

The public is welcome.

Shut-in Members to Receive Fruit from OES Chapter

At the Thursday, December 2, meeting of Iosco Chapter No. 71, Order of the Eastern Star, 35 members voted to send fruit and cards to the shut-in members. A monetary gift will be sent to the Masonic Home for Christmas.

Twelve members will visit their sister chapter, Lake Huron Chapter No. 184, Harrisville, Thursday, December 9.

Donna Lemon, worthy matron, presented W. Mark Sexson Assembly No. 86, Rainbow for Girls, advisory board member names for approval. Included were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall K. Lemon, Estelle Kuntz, Virginia Bygden, Jauna Hoskins, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Squires, Doris Sprout, Dianne Knight, Frances Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton, Marie Hennigar and the master of Tawas Lodge No. 274.

Special guests for the Thursday, January 6, 1977, meeting will be AIA officers and Phyllis McCauley, Violet Chapter No. 78, Standish, member of key of service committee, Grand Chapter.

Several members volunteered to assist in the Dinners to Doors program.

The worthy matron closed the meeting with Christmas and New Year's greeting in verse.

Mrs. Hennigar and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evans served a luncheon of Christmas salads, crackers, nuts and candy in the dining room decorated in Christmas motif where exchange gifts were placed under a lighted tree.

Hale Area News

Pinewood Derby Held by Cub Scout Pack 990

The annual Pinewood Derby, held Monday, November 29, at the community building, saw 37 boys from Pack 990 with cars entered.

Awards for workmanship were presented to Charles Carroll, Adam Barnum and Brent Clark, first, second and third place winners, respectively.

Design honors went to Bobby Jennings, Todd Pfahl and Kenneth Schulte.

Douglas Seward, Darin Kreiner and Bruce Reimer won awards for painting.

Winning the pack race were Pfahl, Joseph VanderVeen and Gary Pearson.

Den race winners were as follows: Den one, Pfahl, VanderVeen and Robert Graves; den two, Jeffrey Salyers, Ronald Osborne and Carroll; den five, Barnum, Tony Cruz and Adam Brindley; den six, Kreiner, Ralph Lillard and Mark Parkinson; webelos, Pearson, Wally Morawa and Charles Webb; advanced webelos, Jennings, Clark and Richard Reilly.

Mrs. Esther H. Thayer, 81, a former resident of the Long Lake area, passed away Wednesday, December 1.

Mrs. Thayer was born July 12, 1895, in Nevada, Ohio. Services were held Sunday, December 5, from the Forshee Chapel, Hale. Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery.

Survivors include three sons and two daughters.

Tawas Hospital

BIRTHS—

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hilderbrand, Oscoda, November 29, a son, Michael Wayne, weight seven pounds, one-half ounce.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Schlagel, Tawas City, November 29, twin sons, Kevin John, weight seven pounds, 8½ ounces, and Kyle Joseph, weight seven pounds, five ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Barnes, Oscoda, November 30, a daughter, Aimee Lynn, weight eight pounds, eight ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ricky H. Ziesemer, Oscoda, December 1, a son, Lucas Aaron, weight eight pounds, six ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hare, Omer, December 5, a son, weight nine pounds, 3½ ounces.

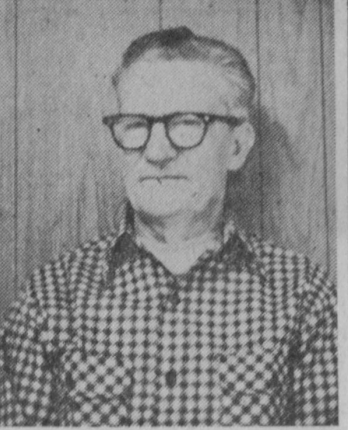
ADMISSIONS—

Tawas City: William F. Cholger, Stanley Wellna, James H. Leslie, John Baker, Emma Moeller.

East Tawas: Edna Maxson, Francis Yax, Marjorie Woods, Helen Jocks, Virginia Bare, Fred Johnson.

County: Alma Burt, Alexandra Nilsen, Robert E. Brown, Allen J. Clark, Roy Witt, Alice Witt, Oscoda; Francis D. Robinson, Clarence Cnudde, National City.

Other communities: Catherine Cubilo, Lincoln; Barbara Hare, Omer.



CLYDE WOOD of McIvor is retiring from the National City plant of National Gypsum Company after nearly 38 years of service. Retiring as board line foreman, he held that position for 31 years and was responsible for the manufacture of approximately one-billion-square-feet of gypsum wallboard. This would make a strip of wallboard four feet wide and 47,500 miles in length. In all of those years, Wood had never had a lost time accident. His retirement plans include some hobby work, "fixing up around home" and garden work. After the holidays, Wood and his wife, Margaret, plan to visit their son in Indiana and other relatives in Michigan.

Bertha Stewart Heads AARP

The annual election of officers and a business meeting of the Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons was attended by 51 members and two guests, Cecelia Kris and Phoebe Kuzala.

The slate of officers for the coming year includes: President, Bertha Stewart; first vice president, Cleo Summers; second vice president, Frank Hammond; secretary, Gertrude Reece; treasurer, Sylvia Metzger; assistant treasurer, Margaret Schinavier, and corresponding secretary, Marie Hall.

Named to the board of directors were Blanche Weiss, Fannie Walstead, James Hamilton, Herbert Steele, Leona Meyers and Florence Britton.

Serving as chairman of the nominating committee will be Marian Rose assisted by Doris Lee and Dorothy Slykhouse.

A pot-luck Christmas party with a 50-cent gift exchange will highlight the Wednesday, December 15, meeting.

Door prizes for the evening were won by Donald Longley and Mrs. Schinavier.

Friends Invited to Ordination

Friends are invited to attend the special ordination service, in honor of Pastor Philip Anderson, on Saturday, December 11, 2:00 p. m., at Catho Community Church, 8073 Catho Road, Alpena.

Pastor Anderson spent several years at the Alabaster Community Church. He was well known for his Sunday morning radio services.

Swine Flu Makeup Clinic Set at Oscoda

District Health Department No. 2 estimates that it has passed the 10,000 mark in its swine flu immunization program. Many older people are continuing to receive bivalent shots which protect against both swine and A-Victoria influenza.

District No. 2 estimates that 40 percent of its senior citizens has been immunized. "We are aiming for at least 70 percent by the time our program ends," said Dr. Lloyd Wiegierink, deputy medical director.

State-wide, 27 percent of the eligible population has been immunized thus far. Several counties have surpassed 50 percent. District Health No. 2 is aiming for at least this percentage by the time the program ends.

District No. 2 has planned makeup influenza clinics for any person over age of 18 and for those persons between ages 18 and 24 who have received one inoculation but need a second dose of vaccine to assure a maximum protection. There must be at least a four-week interval between the first and second inoculations.

A clinic is to be held at the health department office at Oscoda on Monday, December 13, 9:00 a. m. to 12 o'clock noon.

A safe and effective swine flu vaccine has been developed for healthy children between the ages of three and 18 years. For protection without serious side effects, two inoculations at least four weeks apart are necessary.

Only a limited amount of this vaccine will be available for this influenza season. The district has been allocated only enough to inoculate 6.5 percent of this population group. None is available at the present time and when available will be given on a "first come, first serve" basis.

GOP Women Plan Annual Party Dec. 12

Republican Women of Iosco County will hold their annual Christmas party Sunday, December 12, 6:00-8:00 p. m., American House, 601 Fox Street, East Tawas.

In off election years, proceeds from this event are used to help support community projects. Everyone over 18 years of age is invited to attend. Tickets are available from Mrs. George Prescott and Mrs. Steven Ezo, Tawas City; Mrs. E. J. Cadwell and Mrs. Bruce McGill, Oscoda.

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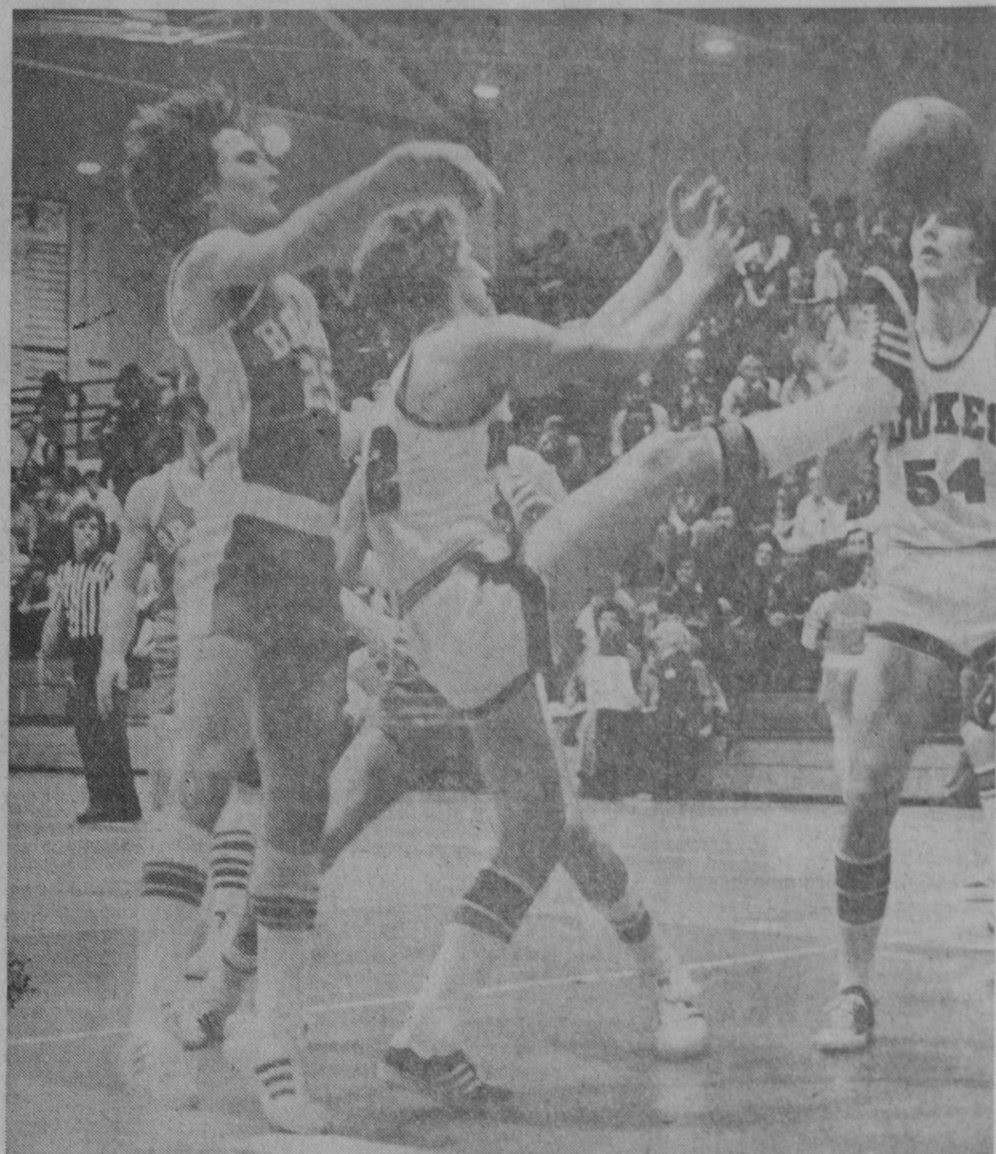
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ALTHOUGH ACTION toward the tail-end of Friday night's basketball game between the Tawas Area Braves and Essexville Garber Dukes took on the appearance of a football game, the Garber player really was not "punting out of trouble" as the above picture suggests. Mark Fisher (25) of the Braves was scrambling for a rebound. —Tawas Herald Photo.

Braves Lost Cage Opener

Tawas Braves had a case of jitters at the start of Friday night's basketball season opener with visiting Essexville, but settled down to make a game of it in the second half before losing, 83-75.

Both teams had numerous turnovers in the first half, but bad passing proved most costly to the Braves. The Dukes scored first in the game on two field goals, but Mark Fisher and Neil Warner tied the score with a pair of two-pointers. The visitors then went out in front to stay.

Essexville posted a 20-12 margin in the first quarter and held a slim 17-16 edge in the second quarter. The Dukes picked up another three points in the third quarter with a 22-19 margin. Tawas came back with a rush in the fourth quarter posting a 28-24 bulge and cut the Dukes' lead to six points at one time in the game.

Tawas' biggest problem was coping with Essexville's tall center, who posted 35 points during the night on 15 field goals and five foul shots. The Dukes had two more players in double figures, Henika with 20 points and Mackey's 10 points.

Tawas had a well balanced scoring attack, but was inexperienced on defense. Jeff Tousley led the tribe with 18 points, followed by 14 points for Roger Powers. Butch Duvall and Warner each contributed 10 points.

Tawas lost both ends of the double header as the Junior Braves

dropped their opener to the Garber Junior Varsity, 62-41. Scott Tousley was high scorer for the Junior Braves with 10 points, followed by Dubovsky's nine points and King's seven markers. Furtaw led the winners with 15 points.

| TAWAS AREA | FG | FT | TP |
|------------|----|----|----|
| Duvall | 5 | 0 | 10 |
| Tousley | 7 | 4 | 18 |
| Powers | 7 | 0 | 14 |
| Fisher | 4 | 1 | 9 |
| Warner | 5 | 0 | 10 |
| Lear | 3 | 1 | 7 |
| Crack | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Starling | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| | 34 | 7 | 75 |

| ESSEXVILLE | FG | FT | TP |
|------------|----|----|----|
| Spencer | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Mackey | 8 | 0 | 10 |
| Grant | 15 | 5 | 35 |
| Henika | 9 | 2 | 20 |
| Learman | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Hager | 2 | 1 | 5 |
| | 35 | 13 | 83 |

Elementary Grades to Present Concert at High School Gym

Wednesday, December 15, 7:30 p. m., East Tawas Elementary School students, under the direction of Daniel Bergh and accompanied by Miss Holly Look, will present their annual Christmas concert in the high school gymnasium. The first grades will sing "Jingle Bells," "Long Ago" and "Now it is Yule." The second grades will present "O Christmas Tree," "O Come Little Children," "Away in a Manger" and "Christmastime." Third graders will sing "How Far is it to Bethlehem?" "Carol of the Sheppdog," "Oxen

and "We Three Kings." Selections to be sung by fourth grade students are "Deck the Halls," "The Twelve Days of Christmas," "O Come All Ye Faithful" and "I am so Glad." The special choir, a group of 78 selected voices, will present "Caroling, Caroling" and "How Can it Be." The combined classes will finish the concert with "Nutcracker for Christmas," "Must Be Santa," "Silent Night" and "We Wish You a Merry Christmas." The public is cordially invited to this evening of Christmas music.

'Rockin' on the Roof' Slated by TA Bands

The Tawas Area Instrumental Music Department will present "Rockin' on the Roof" on Saturday, December 11, 8:00 p. m., at Tawas Area High School. The concert will feature the cadet and symphonic bands under the direction of Gene Salamony.

The cadet band will play: "The Budapest Carol," "Jingle Bell Bounce," "Christmas Comes to Austria" and "Old St. Nick Takes a Rockin' Trip." The symphonic band will perform: "March of the Toys," "Irish Tune from County Derry," "Shepherd's Hey," "Caribbean Christmas," "Nativity Songs for Band," "Carol of the Drumm" and "Silver Sleigh."

After the concert, light refreshments will be served in the commons. The public is welcome to attend an evening of musical enjoyment.

home of his brother, Elwin Robinson, were Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Robinson of Ironwood.

Miss Florence Latter, Mr. and Mrs. William Waters called on Fred Latter at the West Branch nursing home Wednesday.

Hale, recently was assigned to the 59th Ordnance Group, 509th United States Army Artillery Detachment, Borgholzhausen, Germany. Specialist Pickett is a cook with the unit. He is a 1974 graduate of Hale Area High School.

Reno News

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Faulstich drove to Saline. They visited Mrs. Faulstich's mother, Ruth Larson, who is hospitalized there.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sturtevant Jr. and children spent last weekend in Iowa. They attended the wedding of Mrs. Sturtevant's niece. While there, they visited her sister and family, the Thomas Bretts. James Sturtevant Sr. accompanied them and visited his daughter, Janice Launstein, and family at Holland, Iowa.

Guests of the Lyle Robinsons on Thursday were their daughter, Mrs. William Sanders, and family of Bay City.

Returning home Friday after enjoying a two-week visit at the

Mrs. Rosenberg Heads Iosco GOP

Organizational meeting of the executive committee, Iosco County Republican Party was held Thursday, December 2, at the Iosco County Building in Tawas City. Officers of the committee for the next two years were selected as follows: Chairman, Mrs. Charles Rosenberg, Baldwin Township; vice chairman, Jack Allen, Oscoda; secretary, Mrs. Carl Bygden, Tawas City; treasurer, Brent Babcock, Tawas City; finance chairman, Bruce Myles, Oscoda.

A decision was made by the committee to hold regular meetings the third Thursday of every other month starting February 17, 1977, 8:00 p. m., in the county building.

Junior High Chorus Plans Concert

Sunday, December 12, 8:00 p. m., Tawas Area Junior High School Chorus, under the direction of Daniel Bergh, accompanied by Miss Annette French, will present a Christmas concert. The 40-voice choir will perform "Therefore Be Merry" by Ehret, "Christmas in Scandinavia," arranged by Preston; "Sleep, Little Jesus," an old Polish carol, arranged by Preston; "He is Born" by Eilers; "Go Forth and Hail" by Rodby and Roff; "Christmas Sleigh" by Irwin; "The Twelve Days After Christmas" by Silver; "Christmas is for Kids" by Pickett; "Let's Have Christmas Here Tonight" by Clark and "Give a Little Love at Christmas" by Besig.

There is no charge for this concert and the public is invited to attend. Light refreshments will be served in the commons following the concert.

Joseph Rousseau Died December 5

Joseph P. Rousseau, East Tawas, passed away Sunday, December 5, at Bay City Samaritan Hospital. He was born October 7, 1906, in Texas. Employed at Saginaw Chevrolet metal casing plant for 28 years, he retired to East Tawas in 1964.

Survivors include his wife, Flossie, East Tawas; one son, Emil Rousseau, East Tawas; three daughters, Mrs. Norman (Dorine) Gibbon, Mrs. James (Yvonne) Gibbon, Mrs. LeRoy (Josephine) Fritz, Saginaw; one sister, Mrs. Zoe Boulet, Bridgeport; two brothers, Felix Rousseau, Merrill, and Emil Rousseau, Birch Run; 13 grandchildren, and two great grandchildren.

Officiating at the service (today) Wednesday, December 8, 10:00 a. m., at the Case Chapel, Saginaw, was the Rev. Fr. Bernard J. Kirchman. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery.

IN THE SERVICE—

Petrach Serves at Kincheloe AFB

Amn. James M. Petrach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Petrach, East Tawas, has received a new assignment following graduation from the accounting specialist course conducted by the Air Training Command, Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas.

Airman Petrach, now trained in the principles of air force accounting and appropriation and control systems, will go to Kincheloe Air Force Base for duty with a unit of the Strategic Air Command. Completion of the course enables the airman to receive academic credits through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman is a 1976 graduate of Tawas Area High School.

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M-65 — HALE

Fire Destroyed Whittemore Home Sunday

Fire of an undetermined cause Sunday completely destroyed the home of Stuart Thornton, 1 1/2 miles south of Whittemore on M-65.

Smoke was noticed by a neighbor, who called the Whittemore Fire Department, but fire had spread upward through the walls and smoke was coming out of the roof before it was noticed. Firemen were hampered by dense smoke and construction of the building.

The blaze apparently started in the basement ceiling in the area of the furnace, hot water heater and fireplace base. A new furnace and hot water heater had been installed two years ago and the fireplace was not in use at the time.

The Thorntons were away from home at the time visiting at Mayville and found their home completely destroyed on their return. Only the fireplace was left standing. Most of the furniture downstairs and some clothing were saved. Insurance on the home and contents will partially cover the loss.

Part of the home was one of the oldest in Burleigh Township. It was moved to its present site in 1905, having been built some time in the 1880s.

It was the first run for the new fire truck purchased by the City of Whittemore, Burleigh and Reno Townships.

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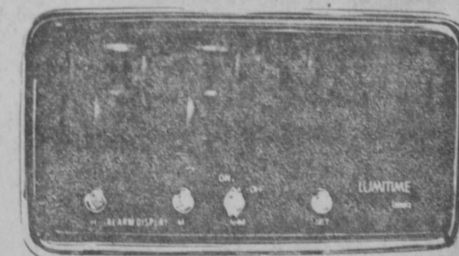
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TAWAS CITY



TAWAS CITY'S deep well pumping station on First Avenue was knocked out of commission for a little more than an hour Wednesday noon when a fire damaged the installation's electrical power service. Although firemen were not positive as to the exact cause of the blaze, it was believed that a heating unit in the building was responsible. "We were fortunate that pumping equipment and the electric motor were not damaged and the station was out of service for only a short time," said City Mgr. Reginald Bublitz. Be-

cause of the heavy demand for water, it is necessary to operate the deep well in conjunction with the filtered water supply received from East Tawas. Water pressure was about 20 pounds below normal prior to the blaze. Firemen are shown donning air packs in preparation to enter the building. Because of a 440-volt service line serving the building, firemen used high pressure fog as a precautionary measure.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Ogemaw and Iosco May Again Revive Controversy Over AuGres Drain Plan

Controversy over the AuGres River flood control project, which has been in limbo for almost a year, apparently is to be again reopened.

Appearing before Wednesday's meeting of the Iosco County Board of Commissioners were two members of the Ogemaw County Board of Commissioners, who stated that a resolution was to be presented to the Ogemaw board disclaiming any involvement by that county in the drainage project.

Ernest Thompson, Ogemaw commissioner, told Iosco commissioners that he was appearing here to get some indication how Iosco County felt about the matter.

Thompson read a rough draft of his proposed resolution which asserted, among a number of points, that Ogemaw County should not be

involved in the drainage district as the reasons for forming such a district were "illogical and ill founded;" that state law had not been followed by the chairman of the augmented drainage board in conducting meetings and hearings held by that body; that a resolution adopted by the augmented drainage board disapproved minutes of a meeting of that board held July 22, 1975, a consequence of which was that no authorization had been given for funding the project.

The meeting in question was held following a public hearing conducted July 22, 1975, at Tawas Area High School, which saw the drainage board favoring construction by a six to four roll call vote. Thompson said that 98 percent of the persons attending the hearing

objected to the proposal, that a vote on a proposed amendment to the motion authorizing the project was not allowed by the board chairman.

Russell Mason, Ogemaw commissioner who accompanied Thompson to Wednesday's meeting with Iosco commissioners, said that several commissioners from his county voting in favor of the project in 1975 had been intimidated by threats of court action by proponents.

It was the opinion of Thompson that the deputy state drain director, who was chairman of the augmented board, had been partial and displayed bias in favor of the project and that he had violated state law by not following rules of order for conducting such meetings.

Immediately following the 1975 meeting, the deputy state drain director instructed the Soil Conservation Service to proceed immediately with work plans for the drain. The augmented drainage board, it was said, was automatically disbanded under state law and a new Tri-County Drain Board was formed.

In December 1975, Ogemaw County changed its membership on the augmented drainage board and, with Iosco, called for a meeting to "correct" the minutes of the July 22 meeting. After one delay in which the deputy state drain director refused to seat an Iosco member, appointed to fill in for the drain commissioner, who was ill, a meeting was held at a later date and Iosco joined with Ogemaw to disapprove of the 1975 minutes.

The deputy state drain director asserted at that meeting that the minutes could be corrected, but any action would have no bearing on approval of the project given in 1975 by the augmented board.

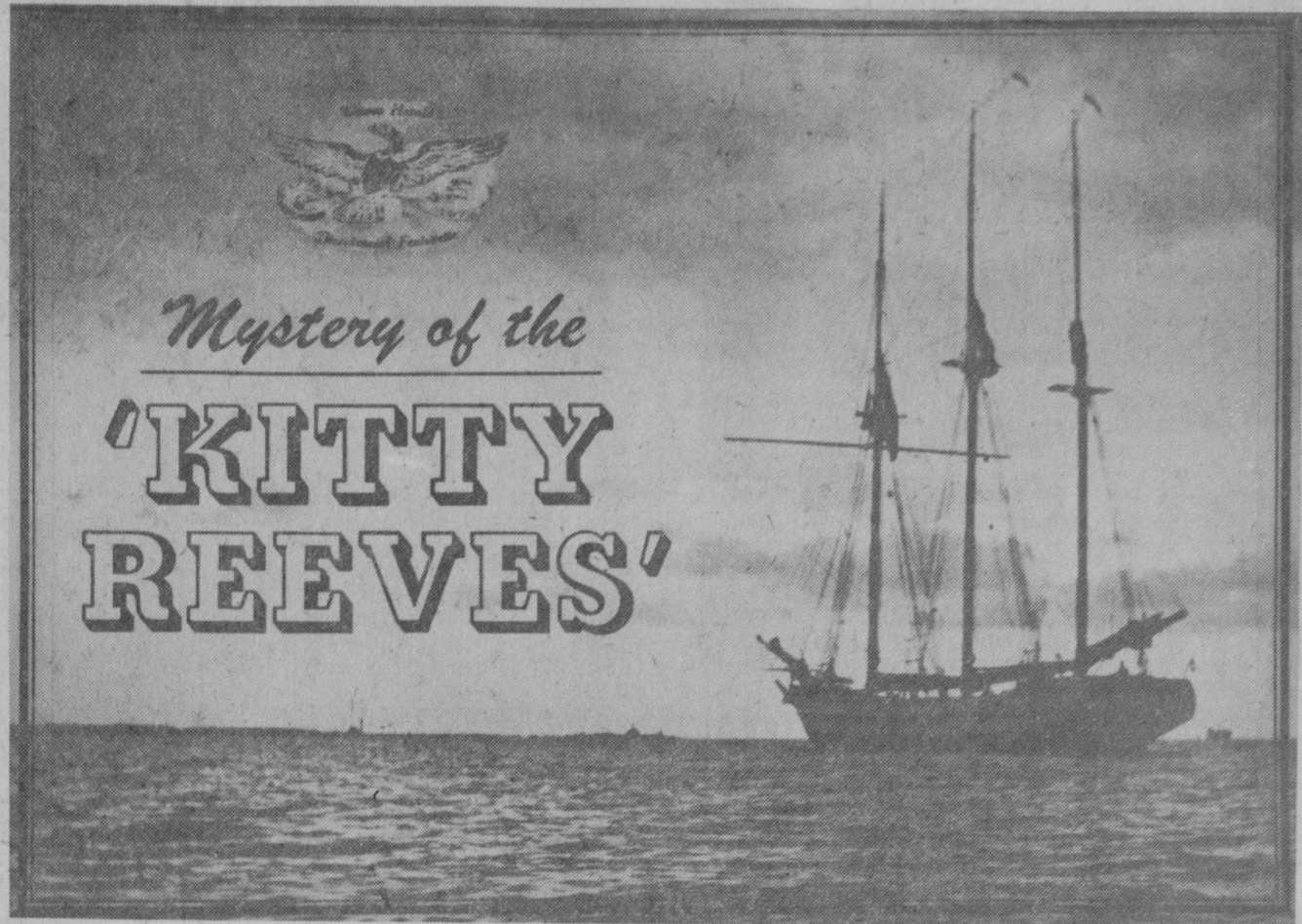
The two Ogemaw representatives said that a final copy of their resolution would be forwarded to the Iosco County Board of Commissioners for consideration. No indication was given as to what steps would be taken toward implementing action by the two counties against the project.

Library Gets 100-Record Collection

The Iosco-Arenac Regional Library has been designated to receive as a gift from the Rockefeller Foundation a 100-record collection of American music now being produced by the Recorded Anthology of American Music.

The Recorded Anthology of American Music is a non-profit company created through a grant from the Rockefeller Foundation, mandated to produce this record series, which traces the social and cultural history of the United States through its music. American music from all periods will be represented.

The first 10 records of this series have arrived and are available. Additional shipments of the 10-record units will be received until the 100-record set is completed by the end of 1978.



A THREE-MASTED FREIGHTER similar to the one pictured here in Tawas Bay, said to have foundered and sunk off Tawas Point in the 1860s, was the object of an intensive and expensive search by an amateur salvager, Julius Roth. The search for the "KITTY

Reeves" started in 1941, was delayed during the war years and drew national attention from 1946 to 1953. Although remains of an old ship were said to have been located, the cargo was never discovered and the mystery has never been solved.

A retired Ohio groceryman once sought a fabled "pot of gold" at the end of an elusive rainbow in Saginaw Bay. But, like so many other dreamers in history, the will-of-the-wisp which he followed for more than a decade resulted in personal heartbreak for himself and provided one of the most bizarre stories in the annals of Great Lakes treasure hunting searches.

Julius F. Roth was a mildly successful small town groceryman at Danbury, Ohio, when he first gained fame in Northeastern Michigan. In November 1941, Roth announced from his temporary base at Alpena that "the United States government is getting a cargo of pig iron and copper in this locality that had been forgotten for many years," according to a report in The Tawas Herald.

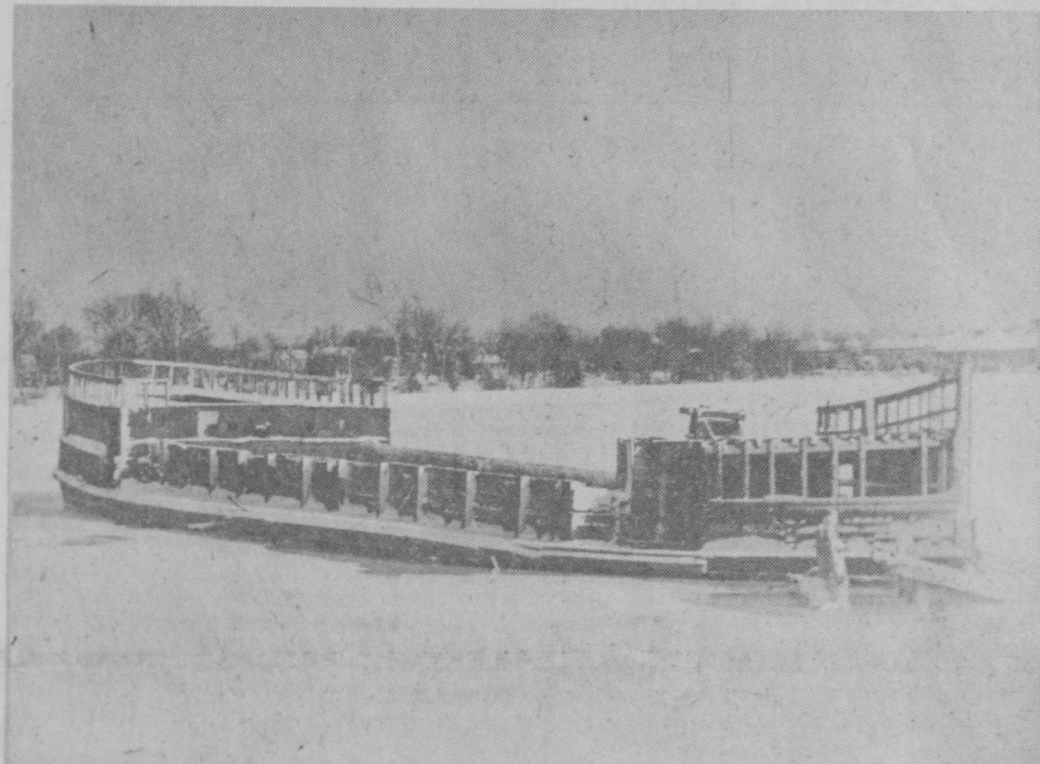
"About 70 years ago, a barge was lost in a severe storm at the entrance of Saginaw Bay," stated the newspaper article. "Roth recalled the incident and last summer came here and made a search of the bay."

With the assistance of a representative from the Michigan State College laboratory, Roth said he had been successful in locating the wreck and established a permanent range on government property. A new type of electrical device was used in locating the wrecked barge and cargo of metal, said Roth. The device had never been used before and it was thought that it would prove "very useful in work of this kind."

Roth said that as soon as weather permits, "the cargo of metal will be recovered for the United States government and will be used for national defense."

The grocer, who had no previous experience in Great Lakes salvage operations, could not obtain financial backing from the government or from private sources in such a risky enterprise and the valuable "cargo of pig iron and copper" was never used in the nation's defense effort.

Undaunted by this initial reversal, Roth remained in his grocer's apron for another five years, saving what little money he could from his grocery store profits and began dreaming of an all-out assault in Saginaw Bay in the future.



AN OLD SANDSUCKER, the steam-powered "Ft. Meigs," was used by Julius Roth in his unsuccessful search for the sunken treasure. The sandsucker later foundered and sunk near the state park dock at East Tawas.—Tawas Herald Photo.

During the war years, he spent much of his time learning as much as he could about the wreck from old newspaper accounts and old sailors. Finally, in the summer of 1946 and five years after his initial effort, Roth packed his wife and a few of his other possessions into the old family car and returned to East Tawas.

Hiring the services of a local commercial fisherman, Roth made a diligent search of Saginaw Bay in the vicinity of Tawas Point and in the early fall finally pinpointed what he believed to be the location of the sunken vessel.

Driving a rod down into the sand, he presumably struck the ancient hull. In the hope of obtaining additional financial backing, Roth "leaked" the story to the local press.

As Roth told it, he first heard of the three-quarter-century-old shipwreck from two old lake sailors around 1941. The ship, a three-masted freighter named the "KITTY

Reeves," carrying a cargo of copper ingots, was reputed to have foundered in heavy seas and sunk in about 80 feet of water off shore from Tawas Point.

"The crew, who had abandoned ship in lifeboats, lost all sense of direction when visibility was blotted out by an early snowfall and remained at sea throughout the night until they landed at Point Lookout," Roth told reporters.

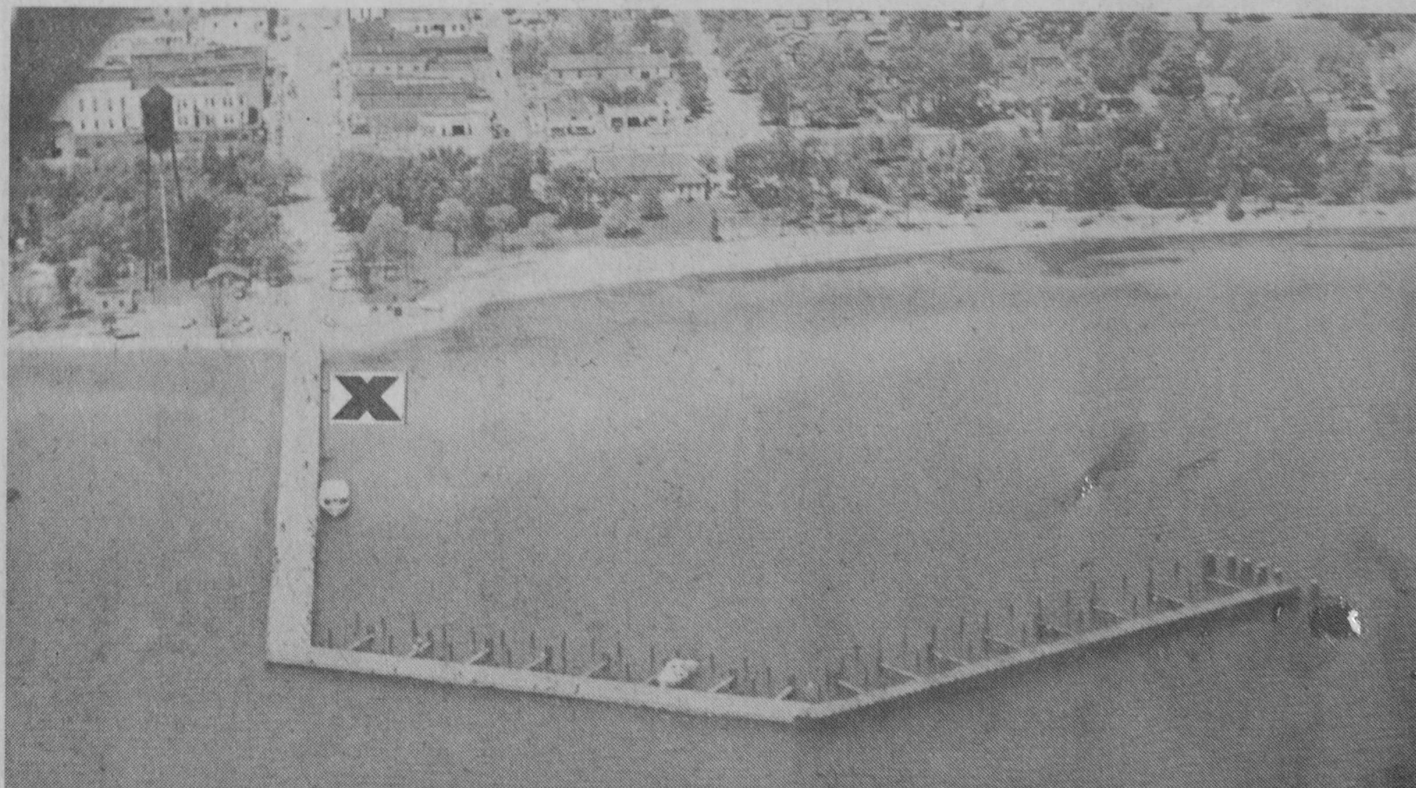
Several attempts to discover the sunken ship in previous years had failed, according to Roth.

The search for the "KITTY Reeves" was the biggest news story to hit the Tawas in years. Some local residents believed Roth's story, but others were skeptical: Older residents of the Tawas, who would have been alive at the time of the disaster, never heard of the "KITTY Reeves" and the story had never been mentioned in any previously recorded newspaper account concerning local salvaging efforts.

Roth was unable to secure local financing, but being undaunted by local pessimism, returned the next summer with a new partner and federal salvaging rights to the sunken ship. He was handicapped in 1947 by a long wait for government permits for the salvage expedition.

On July 25, 1947, The Tawas Herald reported: "Preparations to salvage a reputed fortune of \$250,000 in copper—lost according to lake legend some 76 years ago when a full-rigged freighter foundered off the point during a violent storm—are being made after nine months' delay."

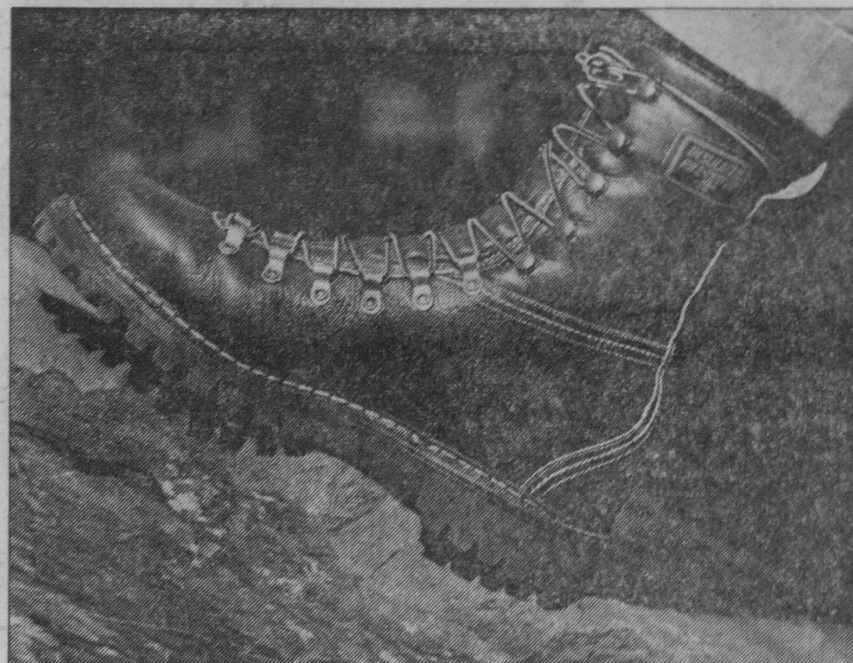
Roth, now 72 years of age, and his new partner, Capt. William J. McNeil, marine contractor, assembled a salvage outfit and brought the Great Lakes sandsucker, "Ft. Meigs," to Tawas Bay. The sandsucker, which looked to be all as old as the ancient vessel supposedly lost off Tawas Point, had been (See "KITTY REEVES," page 6.)



THE "X" in this aerial view taken in 1955 shows the approximate position where the "Ft. Meigs" was beached near the state park dock, now the Michigan Waterways Commission Dock. A

court order directing the owner to remove the derelict could not be enforced and the state had to pay the cost of removing the sunken wreckage.—Tawas Herald Photo.

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DOWNTOWN EAST TAWAS

County Approved 35 Building Applications During November

Thirty-five building applications were approved during November by the Iosco County Department of Building and Safety Inspection. Francis J. Block, director, said eight permits were issued for new homes, three for garages, seven for additions and remodeling, two storage buildings, three fireplaces, three for aluminum siding, three fences, one sign and the remainder in miscellaneous structures.

OSCODA TOWNSHIP
Ralph J. Hill, 6843 North US-23, wire fence, \$50; Leander McKenney, 5715 North US-23, porch enclosure, \$1,000; James E. Zuelhke, Lakewood Drive, new home, \$29,000; James E. Zuelhke, Cedar Lake Road, new home, \$30,000; Park Rork, 7110 Woddlea, install fence, \$959; Walter Lankford, 5121 North US-23, install fence, \$150; Sawyer Cano Company, retaining wall, \$2,400; Charlene Stojcik, 5205 Cedar Lake Road, aluminum siding, \$2,000; Tim Taylor, 5145

Hughes, aluminum siding, \$2,000; Howard Taylor, Merkle Lane, new home, \$25,500; Oscar Gerlach, 3510 East Hillcrest, new home, \$21,120; Truman Barbier, 5115 US-23, sign, \$600; Artie Levin, 6380 North US-23, garage, \$1,400; Ray J. Reed, 4830 Lake to Lake, attached garage, \$4,000; Karl Wiesel, 511 North State, mancard roof, \$7,000; Harry Curley, 4515 Cedar Lake Road, farm equipment storage building, \$1,000; Chester Lubelczyk, 6301 Iroquois, mobile home, \$12,000; Rodger Peltier, 5876 North Cedar Lake Road, addition, \$5,500; D. Chamberlain, West Shore Drive, new home, \$29,800; Norman Mather, 4820 Erie Street, three porch windows, \$300.

GRANT TOWNSHIP

William Armstrong, 1737 Cowan Drive, addition to garage, \$1,850; Robert Driver, 1430 Sand Lake Drive, fireplace and two windows, \$1,880; Warner Lieddecky, 1617 Cowan Drive, fireplace, \$1,250;

James Ledett, 3912 Saginaw Street, fireplace, siding and windows, \$1,420; Lyman Wilburn, 202 South Imperial Drive, addition, \$10,800; Everette Yonts, 174 West River Drive, aluminum siding, \$1,000; Lawrence Booth, Shiawassee, mobile home, \$1,800.

TAWAS CITY

Dr. Carl Schlecte, 609 Lake Street, repair and replace porch deck, \$300; C. Michaels, Margo Street, new home and attached garage, \$25,000; Hugo Groff, 602 First Street, addition and garage, \$24,000; Seventh Day Adventist Church, 327 Whittemore, tool shed, \$450.

BALDWIN TOWNSHIP

Theron Meyer, Anderson Road, new home and attached garage, \$40,000; Arlo C. Barnes, service drive off Wenona, boat cover, \$450; Randy Streeter, 1561 North US-23, garage, \$1,500.

WILBER TOWNSHIP

Mary Harris, 760 East Esmond Road, new home, \$8,000.



LOOKING OVER the program for the Christmas concert to be presented Sunday, December 12, 3:00 p. m., by Hale High School Band and Choir and the Junior High School Band are Donald Milano, left, director; William Bernard, student choir director, and Mrs. Wilfred Holzheuer, accompanist for the choir. Following a program of traditional Christmas music by the bands, the program is to close with a carol festival featuring the massed bands, choir and participation by the audience.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Restaurant, East Tawas.
TOPS Chapter No. 979, 6:00 p. m. weigh in; 7:00 p. m. meeting, East Tawas City Hall.
Tawas Area Lions Club, 6:30 p. m., Holland House, East Tawas.
Tawas Hospital Auxiliary, 7:30 p. m., hospital in-service room.
DECEMBER 29-JANUARY 4
Wednesday, December 29—
Tawas Area Rotary Club regular meeting, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.
Thursday, December 30—
Tawas City Businessmen's Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Dutch Kitchen Restaurant, Tawas City.
Saturday, January 1—
Happy New Year!
Monday, January 3—
East Tawas City Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.
Tawas City Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.
Jesse C. Hodder Auxiliary No. 189, 8:00 p. m., American Legion Hall, Tawas City.
Aude Johnson Auxiliary No. 211, 8:00 p. m., American Legion Hall, East Tawas.
Tuesday, January 4—
Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, board of directors meeting, 9:30 a. m., East Tawas City Hall.
Tawas City Garden Club, 1:30 p. m., home of Ruth Moeller.

Tawas Kiwanis Club regular meeting, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.
TOPS Chapter No. 979, 6:00 p. m. weigh in; 7:00 p. m. meeting, East Tawas City Hall.
Tawas Lodge No. 274, F&AM, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple, Tawas City.
Tawas Area Elk Lodge No. 2525, regular meeting, 8:00 p. m., 124 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.

Received Degree William Kutsche

Receiving a bachelor of science degree in zoology at the fall commencement exercises of Michigan State University, East Lansing, was William B. Kutsche. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Blake Kutsche, Oscoda.

Daniel Anderson Graduated at MTU

Among the 300 student to graduate from Michigan Technological University, Houghton, at the mid-year commencement exercises on November 20 was Daniel P. Anderson, Whittemore. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Anderson, received his bachelor of science degree in computer science.

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- DECEMBER 8-14**
Wednesday, December 8—
Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce, board of directors, 7:30 a. m., chamber building.
Tawas Area Rotary Club regular meeting, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.
Ladies Literary Club meeting, 1:00 p. m., American House, East Tawas.
Tawas Area Senior Citizens, pot-luck lunch, 12:00 noon, East Tawas Community Building.
Nanciannes of Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525, 7:30 p. m., 124 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.
Citizens Advisory Committee for Education, 7:30 p. m., high school library.
Irene Rebekah Lodge No. 137, 8:00 p. m., Odd Fellow Hall, East Tawas.
Thursday, December 9—
Tawas City Businessmen's luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Dutch Kitchen Restaurant, Tawas City.
Immaculate Heart of Mary Council of Women, Christmas party, pot-luck, 6:30 p. m., parish center, Tawas City.
Iosco Intermediate Board of Education, 7:30 p. m., board room.
Knights of Columbus, Tawas Council No. 2709, 8:00 p. m., K of C Hall, East Tawas.
Friday, December 10—
Iosco County Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 5678, 8:00 p. m., VFW Hall, Tawas City.
Saturday, December 11—
Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:00 p. m., Iosco County Building, Tawas City.
Monday, December 13—
Quota Club Christmas party, 6:30 p. m., Lakewood Shores Clubhouse, Oscoda.
Iosco Ogemaw Community Mental Health, 7:30 p. m., Iosco County Building.
Tawas Area Board of Education, 8:00 p. m., high school library.
Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 5678, 8:00 p. m. VFW Hall, Tawas City.
Tuesday, December 14—
Tawas Kiwanis Club regular meeting, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.
Tawas City Garden Club, Tawas United Methodist Church, 12:30 p. m. Gift exchange.
Tawas Area Lions Club, 6:30 p. m., Holland House, East Tawas.
TOPS Chapter No. 979, 6:00 p. m. weigh in; 7:00 p. m. meeting, East Tawas City Hall.
Tawas United Methodist Women, 8:00 p. m., church hall.
Royal Arch Widows, 8:00 p. m., Tawas Masonic Temple.
Royal Arch Masons, 8:00 p. m., Tawas Masonic Temple.
DECEMBER 15-21
Wednesday, December 15—
Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, 12:00 noon pot-luck, East Tawas Community Building.
Tawas Area Rotary Club regular meeting, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.
Twentieth Century Club, 12 o'clock luncheon, American House, East Tawas.
Tawas Braves Booster Club, 8:00 p. m., Tawas Area High School.
- Thursday, December 16—
Tawas City Businessmen's Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Dutch Kitchen Restaurant, Tawas City.
Immaculate Heart of Mary Women's Council meeting, 7:30 p. m. church social hall.
Iosco County Association for Retarded Citizens, 7:30 p. m., Bright Horizons Learning Center.
St. Joseph Christian Mothers Altar Society, 7:30 p. m., church social center.
Jesse C. Hodder Post No. 189, American Legion, 7:30 p. m. meeting, Legion Hall.
Alpha Shrine No. 62, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, 8:00 p. m., Oscoda Masonic Temple.
Saturday, December 18—
Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:00 p. m., Iosco County Building, Tawas City.
Sunday, December 19—
Iosco County Hockey Association, 7:00 p. m., Midway Restaurant, Tawas City.
Monday, December 20—
Tawas City Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.
East Tawas City Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.
Singspiration, 7:30 p. m., South Branch Community Church.
Tuesday, December 21—
Tawas Kiwanis Club regular meeting, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.
TOPS Chapter No. 979, 6:00 p. m. weigh in; 7:00 p. m. meeting, East Tawas City Hall.
Iosco County Firefighters Association, 7:00 p. m.
Tawas Area Newcomers Club, Christmas party, 7:30 p. m., Calpine room, Lixey's Restaurant. Reservations necessary.
Tawas City Chapter No. 303, Order of Eastern Star, Christmas pot-luck, Tawas Masonic Temple.
Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525, regular meeting, 8:00 p. m., club room, 124 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.
- DECEMBER 22-28**
Wednesday, December 22—
Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce board of directors, 7:30 a. m., chamber building.
Tawas Area Rotary Club meeting, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.
Irene Rebekah Lodge No. 137, Odd Fellow Hall, 8:00 p. m., East Tawas.
Thursday, December 23—
Tawas City Businessmen's luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Dutch Kitchen, Tawas City.
Baptist Women's Missionary Society, 7:30 p. m., multipurpose room, First Baptist Church, Tawas City.
Tawas Council No. 2709, Knights of Columbus, 8:00 p. m., K of C Hall, East Tawas.
Saturday, December 25—
Merry Christmas!
Monday, December 27—
Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 5678, 8:00 p. m., VFW Hall, Tawas City.
Tuesday, December 28—
Tawas Kiwanis Club regular meeting, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's

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Family Fallout Shelter Plans Are Available

15 Years Ago—
December 13, 1961 — Francis Block, county civilian defense director, reports that plans for family fallout shelters are available through his office.

Isosco County voters turned down a proposed \$550,000 medical care facility by a two to one margin.

Voters of the 28th Senatorial District named Clare attorney, Harold B. Hughes, Republican, over Democrat Hubert C. Evans of Gladwin to succeed the late Charles T. Prescott in the state senate.

Richard A. Wegner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wegner of Tawas City, is serving aboard the USS O'Hara.

Sixty-four percent of all persons convicted of circuit court felonies here during 1961 were placed on probation for terms ranging from one to three years, according to Richard K. Nelson, probation and parole officer for the Michigan Department of Corrections.

25 Years Ago—
December 14, 1951—Tawas Industries, Incorporated, is producing 350,000 no-nail picture hangers weekly.

Nathan Barkman is general chairman of the Silver Valley Winter Sports Committee.

Police Chief George Ruth has called a meeting for the purpose of forming and maintaining a junior police patrol in Tawas City.

East Tawas High School Band, under direction of Frank Humberger, will present a Christmas program at the community building.

John Franson was elected president of the East Tawas Club.

Peace in Korea by Christmas is the one gift the people of America's home towns desire more than any other. Although there is no assurance that such a peace will be forthcoming, the possibility does exist.

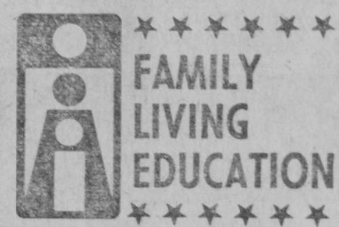
35 Years Ago—
December 12, 1941—With a surprise attack on Pearl Harbor at early dawn Sunday, Japan made the first move in a well matured plan of attack on the United States by the Axis Powers. At the completion Sunday of the first thrusts of our Hawaiian defense and the Philippines, Japan officially de-

clared war on the United States. This was followed Thursday morning with declarations of war by Germany and Italy. Formal declarations of war by the United States were made Monday noon on Japan and Thursday noon on Germany and Italy. Japan's success at Pearl Harbor brought some benefit to Japanese forces in their attack on Luzon and their movements against British outposts at Singapore and other points in the Far East, but the anger which it aroused in the hearts of all the people of the Americas will bring disaster to Mikado's Empire.

Isosco County Chapter of the American Red Cross called a general meeting at the courthouse to meet the new emergency created by the invasion of the United States by Japanese forces. E. John Moffatt, chairman, announced that Isosco has been asked to raise a new fund of \$1,400.

Twin Cities Garden Club is sponsoring a home lighting contest in the Tawasess during Christmas week.

Dr. E. W. Kelvey of Oscoda, chairman of the Isosco County Defense Committee, called a meeting Thursday night at East Tawas to coordinate the sheriff's department, fire departments, police departments, the American Legion and other organizations in anticipation of any possible emergency which may arise through the present war.



By SUSAN LAMBRECHT
County Extension Director

Christmas is Coming!
This week, I would like to share several short items with you. Each is about the approaching Christmas holiday but each takes a unique perspective. The first item is shared by the Lansing Committee for Children's Television.

MERRY CHRISTMAS???
As Christmas approaches, our children will be bombarded by toy commercials. A child may see as many as half a million ads before the age of 18, in part because there are more commercials shown during children's Saturday morning shows than during evening prime-time programs. One toy company invested nearly one million dollars each Saturday in November for Christmas ads, because of the direct impact on children.

Television commercials stimulate unneeded desires of children for toys, cereals, candy and many other products. Television treats a

child as a miniature consumer. Although this "miniature consumer" does not have money to support himself and is immature in his evaluation of consumer goods, he does manage to pester and bother his parents until they buy it.

Toy ads often make distorted and exaggerated claims—claims which often produce a disappointed, frustrated and sometimes aggressive child. His expectations are high but the actual performance of the toy is often low. And many experts agree children do not need the complex and expensive mechanical kinds of toys advertised on television.

Lansing Committee for Children's Television suggests that you shop with your child as often as possible and help him to become more discerning. Point out prices and the quality of the merchandise (take it out of the box if you can—if not, ask a clerk to do it). Do not forget that many commercials state "sold separately" or that certain parts are not included—point this out to your child.

As a parent, shopping for Christmas, use your imagination in choosing gifts. Often simple gifts are more appreciated, such as paints, construction paper, books

(start a library of favorite series), clay, chalk, jump ropes, etc. And do not forget the things you can make yourself: Doll houses, doll clothes, games (bean bags, checker boards, hop scotch cloth). It takes more effort to do this. The reward is there for all and it is much easier on your finances!

If you want to get back to a more "home-created" Christmas, stop in to see us at the Cooperative Extension Service, County Building Annex, Tawas City. We have recipes for holiday goodies including "Happy Holicookies," a free pamphlet with nearly two dozen mouth-watering recipes. We

would be glad, too, to share ideas for homemade gifts and decorations that take more imagination than money. You can even pick out some special bulletins for stocking stuffers.

This week's final perspective on Christmas is from the safety standpoint. Holiday decorations are an important part of our Christmas celebration. But make sure you keep an eye on young children.

Take angel hair, for example. Its soft-looking appearance and cotton-candy like texture make it enticing to little ones. But it is made of glass particles and could cause

serious injury if it gets in their eyes or they swallow it.

Tinsel and artificial icicles are also appealing to small children. If you use it be sure to buy the kind that contains no lead. Labels now tell you that. If you have old tinsel around, toss it if you are not sure of its composition.

And if you buy those fire salts that give a multicolored effect to the fire in your fireplace, be sure to keep them out of reach of curious hands and mouths. Eating them can cause gastrointestinal problems and vomiting.

LETTER to the EDITOR

Dear Editor,
Community spirit was recently expressed by the volunteering of Coach Tom Pintkowski and his success with the freshman girls basketball program. This was his first effort with a girls team—after 30 some years coaching boys sports—and the girls and I are sure glad Maria has him for a Pop and Josie went along with their season.

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| Team | W | L |
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| Tues. Nite Trio | | |
| High & Mighty | 30 | 18 |
| Blue Flames | 28 | 20 |
| Huron Auto Parts | 27 1/2 | 20 1/2 |
| Eagles | 26 | 22 |
| Smoothies | 25 | 23 |
| Kendall Brothers | 24 1/2 | 23 1/2 |
| Vern's Texaco | 23 | 25 |
| Pin Curlers | 20 | 28 |
| 3 Troubles | 18 | 30 |
| ? Marks | 18 | 30 |
| Team High Series: Kendall Brothers, 1907; ? Marks, 1828; Huron Auto Parts, 1817. | | |
| Team High Single: ? Marks, 666; Kendall Brothers, 661; Blue Flames, 626. | | |
| Individual High Series: Bob Kendall, 663; Harvey Kendall, 646; Ann Wellna, 636. | | |
| Individual High Single: Ann Wellna, 247; Jim Demmeka, 232; Tony Balkovitz, 231. | | |
| Senior Citizens | W | L |
| East Tawas | 41 | 31 |
| Omer | 40 | 32 |
| AuGres | 38 | 34 |
| Oscoda | 38 | 34 |

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| Hale | 36 1/2 | 35 1/2 |
| Alabaster | 36 | 36 |
| Tawas City | 35 | 37 |
| Indian Lake | 35 | 37 |
| Tawas Lake | 34 | 38 |
| Sand Lake | 31 1/2 | 40 1/2 |
| Individual High Series: R. Martindale, 715; Jo Toms, 645; Grant Warner, 635. | | |
| Individual High Single: R. Martindale, 273; Jo Toms, 254; Grant Warner, 235. | | |

| Team | W | L |
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| Tuesday Night Ladies | | |
| Jake's Standard | 30 | 18 |
| Graham Oil | 30 | 18 |
| Coyle's Fish & Chips | 27 | 21 |
| Huron Auto Parts | 26 | 22 |
| Dutch Kitchen | 25 1/2 | 22 1/2 |
| Genii's Restaurant | 25 | 23 |
| Peoples State Bank | 23 | 25 |
| Lakeside Bar | 23 | 25 |
| Gibbs Electric | 15 1/2 | 32 1/2 |
| Bayside Beauty Salon | 15 | 33 |
| Team High Series: Peoples State Bank, 3047; Dutch Kitchen, 2967; Jake's Standard, 2930. | | |
| Team High Single: Peoples State Bank, 1058; Huron Auto, 1019; Lakeside Bar, Jake's Standard, 1005. | | |
| Individual High Series: Rhea Ulman, 643; Mary Bergeron, 628; June Bean, 620. | | |
| Individual High Single: Marilyn Roach, 244; Gloria LaHaye, 242; Rhea Ulman, 236. | | |

| Team | W | L |
|---|--------|--------|
| Bowlerettes | 28 1/2 | 15 1/2 |
| Balls of Fire | 27 | 17 |
| Alley Cats | 26 1/2 | 17 1/2 |
| Rollin Pins | 24 | 20 |
| Four Misses | 23 | 21 |
| Pin Pals | 20 | 24 |
| ? Marks | 20 | 24 |
| Ups & Downs | 19 | 25 |
| Spareribs | 18 | 26 |
| Nine Pins | 14 | 30 |
| Team High Series: Bowlerettes, 2402; ? Marks, 2385; Pin Pals, 23-62. | | |
| Team High Single: Bowlerettes, 887; Nine Pins, 835; ? Marks, 830. | | |
| Individual High Series: Evie Weber, 715; Catherine Bogart, 667; Maggie Grandy, 643. | | |
| Individual High Single: Catherine Bogart, 293; Evie Weber, 258; Kay Kendall, 245. | | |

| Team | W | L |
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| Major | | |
| Read-More Bookstore | 31 | 21 |
| C-Vee's Pizza | 30 | 22 |
| Buckhorn Inn | 29 1/2 | 22 1/2 |
| St. James Electric | 29 | 23 |
| Rollin Real Estate | 28 | 24 |
| Alibi Inn | 27 1/2 | 24 1/2 |
| Moore's Painters | 27 | 25 |
| Jerry's Marina | 22 | 30 |
| Lad's Padd | 21 | 31 |
| Kendall Brothers | 15 | 37 |
| Team High Series: C-Vee's Pizza, 3053. | | |
| Team High Single: Read-More Bookstore, 1049. | | |
| Individual High Series: D. Hilbert, 647; D. Silvester, 580; B. Short, 578. | | |
| Individual High Single: D. Hilbert, 245; C. Vear, 236; P. Beauparlant, 215. | | |

| Team | W | L |
|-----------------|--------|--------|
| Mommas & Pappas | | |
| Schn-Pats | 29 | 19 |
| Alley Cats | 27 1/2 | 20 1/2 |
| G&S's | 27 | 21 |
| Lucky Strikers | 26 | 22 |

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| Stars & Strikes | 25 1/2 | 22 1/2 |
| We Four | 25 | 23 |
| Half-White | 24 1/2 | 23 1/2 |
| Snappy Fruits | 22 1/2 | 25 1/2 |
| M&W's | 19 | 29 |
| OSers | 14 | 34 |
| Team High Series: G&S's, 2353; Lucky Strikers, 2302; Alley Cats, 2264. | | |
| Individual High Series: Terry Whitford, 650; Kay Stephan, 634; Adolph Meyer, 609. | | |
| Team High Single: G&S's, 825; Stars & Strikes, 808. | | |
| Individual High Single: Judy Whitford, 246; Ron Whitford, 242; Kay Stephan, 240. | | |

Restricted Pesticide Use Under State Law

By KENNETH KERNSTOCK
County Agricultural Agent

Under Michigan law, private and commercial applicators of "restricted use" pesticides must be certified by Michigan Department of Agriculture (MDA) after October 21, 1977. Only these pesticide applicators that have proof of certification will be able to purchase "restricted use" pesticides.

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is currently classifying all pesticides as either restricted or general use. However, EPA's classification will not be complete until April of 1977 at the earliest. This leaves growers and other users of pesticides at somewhat of a loss as to their need for certification but there is no doubt that the more toxic materials will be restricted. These products are identified with the skull and crossbones (or Jolly Roger) and the words "Danger-Poison" on the label.

Although the law does not go into effect until almost a year from now, growers using the more hazardous materials should seriously consider early certification. To help avoid the rush next year and allow for the normal purchase of the restricted pesticides next fall and early winter, the MDA will begin certification in early 1977. The test date in Iosco County is Monday, February 21, 1977, at the Hale High School. The test will be given at 1:30 p. m. and again at 7:30 p. m. The Cooperative Extension Service has prepared an extensive manual to aid growers in preparing to take the exam. It is available in all county extension offices.

Commercial applicators can also obtain a manual to help them prepare for a commercial applicators certification test from the Cooperative Extension Service. Though the test is different, they may take the test at the same location as the private applicators. For more information, contact the Iosco County Cooperative Extension Service Office in Tawas City. Phone 362-3449.

Space Utilization Topic of Meeting

A public meeting is scheduled in the Tawas Area High School library at 7:30 p. m., Wednesday (today), December 8. The subject of discussion will be space utilization and the possibility of new classroom construction. The meeting is sponsored by the Citizens Advisory Committee for Education.

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Bowling...

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| HALE CREEK LANES | |
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| Early Monday Women | W L |
| Burk's Sand & Gravel | 38 18 |
| Powers Aluminum | 31 25 |
| Londo Lake Grocery | 29 27 |
| Whittemore Bank | 27 29 |
| Independents | 27 29 |
| Golden Mirror | 25 30 1/2 |
| Boyd's Resort | 23 33 |
| Mousseau's Body Shop | 23 33 |
| Team High Series: Golden Mirror, 2931; Whittemore Bank, 2896; Burk's Sand & Gravel, 2826. | |

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| Team High Single: Whittemore Bank, 1124; Golden Mirror, 1000; Burk's Sand & Gravel, 985. | |
| Individual High Series: Glenda Rehil, 644; Ila Timlick, 632; Sally Bell, 621. | |
| Individual High Single: Glenda Rehil, 259; Rene Shellenbarger, 251; Ilene Phelps, 245. | |
| Twilighters | W L |
| Dee Sees | 32 16 |
| Go Getters | 31 17 |
| Ding-A-Lings | 29 18 1/2 |
| Bombers | 29 19 |
| Hicks Department Store | 22 26 |
| Webb's | 20 28 |
| Green Valley | 17 30 1/2 |
| Maxine Stone | 11 37 |

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| Individual High Series: Al Piesh, 646; Noretta Collins, 642. | |
| Individual High Single: Phillip Leon, 245; Noretta Collins, 232. | |
| Sunday Snowbirds | W L |
| Blust-Brandal | 30 17 1/2 |
| Thayer-Kolb | 27 21 |
| Slosser-Sestak | 26 22 |
| Hendrickson-Reid | 22 25 1/2 |
| Follette-Streeter | 22 25 1/2 |
| Brandt-Kolb | 22 25 1/2 |
| Stevenson-Springsteen | 21 27 |
| Lucas-Gotts | 20 28 |
| Team High Series: Stevenson-Springsteen, 2498; Hendrickson-Reid, 2336; Blust-Brandal, 2340. | |
| Team High Single: Stevenson- | |

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| Springsteen, 875-865; Blust-Brandal, 829. | |
| Individual High Series: Eunice Springsteen, 675; Lloyd Springsteen, 651; Ray Hendrickson, 648. | |
| Individual High Single: Ray Hendrickson, 241; Debbie Follette, Eunice Springsteen, 239; Eunice Springsteen, 238. | |
| Independents | W L |
| Kisser's Insulation | 36 15 1/2 |
| Colonial Inn | 35 17 |
| C&L Party Store | 26 25 1/2 |
| Johnny O's | 22 30 |
| Hale Elevator | 21 31 |
| Hale Auto Parts | 15 17 |
| Team High Series: Johnny O's, 2932; Colonial Inn, 2918. | |

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| Team High Single: Johnny O's, 1021; Hale Auto Parts, 1013; Colonial Inn, 998. | |
| Individual High Series: Dan Kisser, 647; Joe Walton, 626; Gene Kaiser, 623. | |
| Individual High Single: George Nichols, 258; Joe Walton, 248; Ron Cooper, 231. | |
| Breakfast Club | W L |
| Dennis Realty | 38 14 |
| Hale Bar | 29 22 1/2 |
| Hale Hardware | 29 22 1/2 |
| Webb Well Drilling | 28 24 |
| Bowlsby Oil Co. | 26 26 |
| Long Lake Bar | 25 26 1/2 |
| Wicker Hills | 22 29 1/2 |
| Londo Lake Store | 9 43 |

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| Team High Series: Dennis Realty, 2920; Hale Bar, 2889; Long Lake Bar, 2828. | |
| Team High Single: Hale Bar, 1007; Hale Hardware, 995; Dennis Realty, 984. | |
| Individual High Series: Virginia Copas, Sally Bell, 607; Marie Schwalm, 600. | |
| Individual High Single: Sally Bell, 261; Doris Thurston, 232; Margaret Ranger, 230. | |
| Minor | W L |
| Kocher's Market | 36 15 1/2 |
| L&L Ballard Builders | 34 18 |
| Powers Aluminum | 28 24 |
| Bernard Lumber | 26 26 |
| Lupton Garage | 25 26 1/2 |

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| Barnes Sand & Gravel | 23 29 | Builders, 1002; American Legion, | |
| American Legion | 20 32 | 995; Barnes Sand & Gravel, 986. | |
| Sportsman's Bar | 15 37 | Individual High Series: Ray | |
| Team High Series: L&L Ballard | | Louks, 635; Ed Bissonnette, 617; | |
| Builders, 2927; Barnes Sand & | | Randy Rose, 609. | |
| Gravel, 2847; Kocher's Market, 28- | | Individual High Single: Randy | |
| 09. | | Rose, 243; Ray Louks, 230; Ed | |
| Team High Single: L&L Ballard | | Bissonnette, Rick Rose, 226. | |



Tawas A. Graduate in 'Who's Who'

Carol Ann Vaughan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Vaughan, East Tawas, has been named to "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" from Northwood Institute, Midland.

Miss Vaughan is a candidate for the bachelor of business administration degree with an associate degree in executive secretarial.

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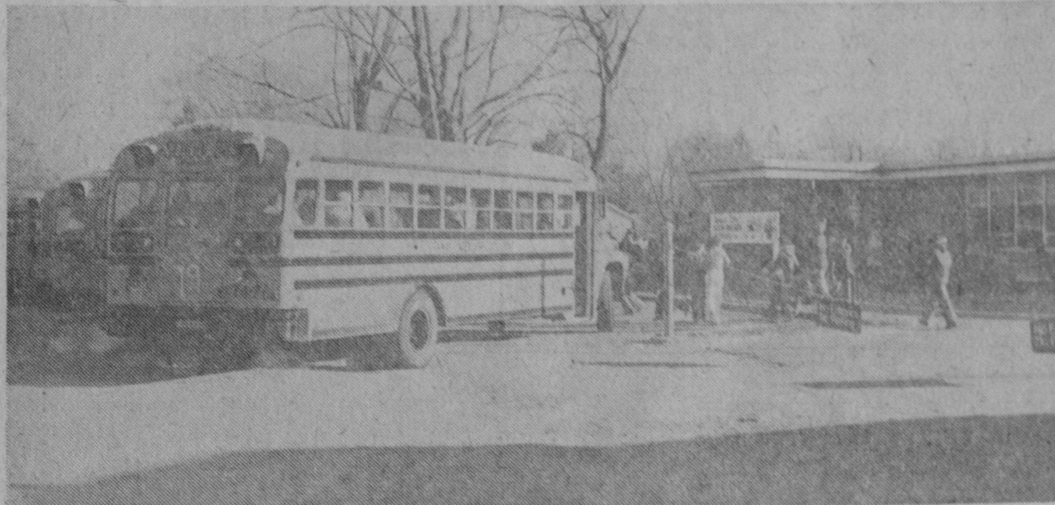
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children enter or leave buses. In an effort to make it easier for children to identify buses, each driver has been issued a cartoon decal which is displayed in a window near the bus door. Children can identify their route by looking for "Bugs Bunny" and other characters. Shown with the decals in the lower photo are Donald and Betty Jenkins, drivers.—Tawas Herald Photos.



'Kitty Reeves'

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owned by the Scanes Boat and Dock Company of Toledo, Ohio. According to McNeil, only three days of good weather was needed for the "Ft. Meigs" to pump the 3,000 cubic yards of sand from the spot concealing the sunken hull. Three divers were hired and, given good weather, Roth believed that immediate discovery of the buried copper would be forthcoming. Roth optimistically believed that salvage operations could be finished before October, when autumn winds and choppy waters would make for unpredictable working conditions.

With the cooperation of Donald W. Wangdon, Saginaw metallurgist who invented an electronic metal diviner, Roth finally "pinned

the location of the sunken vessel."

Roth and his salvage crew's luck was not to hold out. On September 26, 1947, the Herald reported that "Tuesday's high seas beached the Ft. Meigs near the East Tawas State park dock. The boat had broken its mooring lines and drifted aground. Pulled off the beach by the Alpena tug, Ciscoe, the search for the sunken copper treasure was resumed a day later."

The newspaper account reported that Roth and the salvage crew had felt that definite indications had shown they were searching in the right location. Spikes and metal from an ancient lake craft were found at the site, but failure to recover the cargo resulted in a heavy loss to Roth and his backers.

Fall storms on Lake Huron interrupted the search until the following season, but bad luck again dogged Roth and the "Ft. Meigs." Attempting to recover the hidden fortune by himself the following year, Roth and his inexperienced crew took the ancient sand-sucker out into the bay and it immediately began to spring serious leaks in its wooden hull. Roth plugged holes in the rotting hull with cotton rags and the vessel was able to return to the Michigan State Park dock at East Tawas.

Despite frantic efforts of the park ranger warning Roth to stay clear of the dock, the "Ft. Meigs"

sank in shallow water on the east side of the dock—its race for shore had been won in a hilarious episode for spectators on shore, but its race for life had been lost.

The eyesore of an old ship resting on the bottom of Tawas Bay near the state park dock was no laughing matter for the Michigan Department of Conservation. Legal efforts to force Roth to remove the old hulk failed. Circuit Judge Herman Dehnke issued an order for the removal of the sunken hull, but Roth was now penniless and could not finance such a costly undertaking.

A final coupe de grace' was administered to the old, sand-sucker that winter when an explosion rocked East Tawas. A group of local young people planted a charge of explosives in the hull and the resulting blast leveled the "Ft. Meigs" to the water line.

Finally in August 1951, the Michigan Conservation Department advertised for bids to remove and dispose of the wreckage of the old sand-sucker. After considerable work, the unsightly hull was removed at state expense.

The story of the "Kitty Reeves" and its fabled copper cargo does not end there, however, for the aging Roth was to make one more attempt to locate the vessel.

In 1953, Roth again entered the limelight in the Tawas: News writers from Chicago, Illinois, De-

troit, and other large city newspapers were here seeking information concerning renewed salvage operations; Life Magazine even planned an illustrated feature story.

In late July, Roth was backed by Zack Metal Company of Detroit in efforts to relocate the position of the "Kitty Reeves." Enrolled in the work were G. S. Bennett and C. D. Hause, electronic engineers of East Tawas, and boats from the J. L. Brown Fish Company of Alabaster.

Ill luck was still following Roth, for a rival search party appeared on the scene and anchored its boat, the 60-foot schooner, "Bercliff," over the spot located by Roth. W. G. Shannon of Saginaw, Donald Keller, a metal dealer from Chicago, and others were interested in the rival operation.

Keller was quoted in the newspaper accounts of the day as saying: "We are sitting on top of what I am confident is the 'Kitty Reeves' and we are going to stay there. Our drill brought up wood chips from timber which I believe is the oak deck of the sunken hull. We sent these chips to the University of Michigan for analysis."

In a review of Herald files, the 1953 report is the last mention of Roth or the "Kitty Reeves"—this salvage venture again resulted in a loss to himself and to his backers. Roth had the last laugh, how-

ever, for the other salvage operators were unable to locate the sunken vessel and lost money in the venture.

Roth was now nearing 80 years of age and his dream of finding the lost cargo of copper ingots had faded into a final nightmare.

In the light of recent salvaging operations, Roth was probably about 60 miles off in his search for the sunken vessel. Two years ago, a Saginaw salvager brought up copper ingots from a vessel which had sunk in Thunder Bay, the graveyard for many Great Lakes vessels. The ingots, stamped with the mark of the original smelting firm, were offered for sale to the general public as historical curiosities.

The remains of an ancient vessel which Roth located off Tawas Point was not the fabled "Kitty Reeves." An extensive search of old newspaper files printed in the early 1870s failed to turn up a ship by that name, or even mention a mishap involving a ship loaded with a copper cargo.

Stories about a fabled "lost" copper ship in the vicinity of Tawas Point return from time to time and, who knows, some day one might be found. In all probability, however, the story of the "Kitty Reeves" will continue into legend with the "Griffin," which some people still believe to rest on the bottom of Lake Solitude.

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- Peoples State Bank
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- Gould Rexall Drugs
- Bradley Shoe Store
- Guys & Dolls Photography
- Loeffler Electronics & Appliance
- The Shirt Stall
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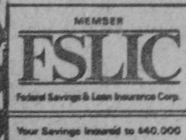
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