

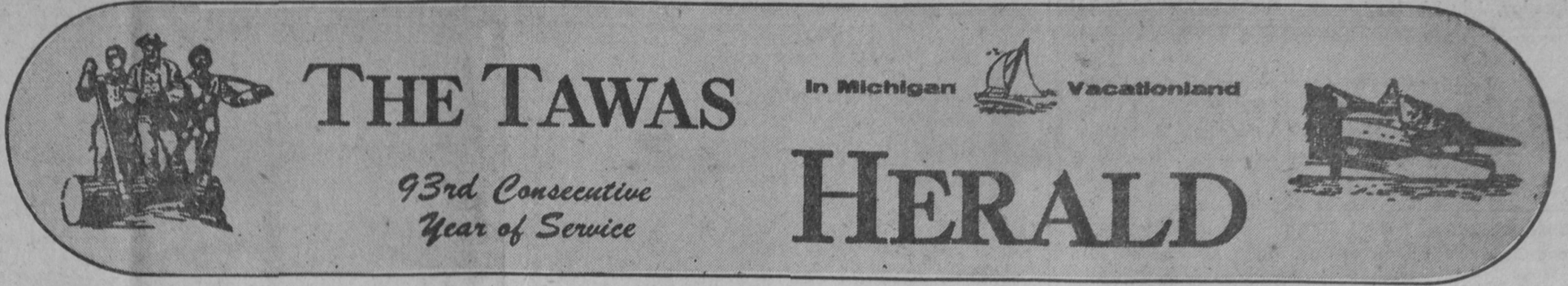
NEM Tourist Development Seminar Scheduled July 26

The Michigan Tourist Bureau, Michigan Department of Commerce, is to present a seminar Tuesday, July 26, 7:00 p. m., Iosco County Building, for interested persons of Iosco and Arenac Counties.

The seminar, entitled Special Northeastern Michigan Tourist and Development Project, is to explain proposed ways to increase tourist activities in a 14-county area. The program has been funded by a grant from the Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission.

Speakers are to include Timothy Rearden, Linda Washington and Gerald Fairbanks, all of the Michigan Tourist Bureau, and James Hercik, field agent for Upper Great Lakes.

Host for the program is Tawas Chamber of Commerce.



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Judge Miller Ruled

Disqualification Was Improper

The big debate over the definition of "default" in Tawas City's charter concerning a candidate's eligibility to run for office has been settled by Circuit Court Judge Alan C. Miller. He ruled Wednesday that action of the city clerk in disqualifying two candidates for the city council was improper.

Judge Miller said the action was a "deprivation of due process, both to the citizens and to the candidates" and issued a writ of mandamus ordering appropriate notices to be given for a primary election.

This show cause hearing brought by Lyle E. Healy and Jerry J. Snoblen vs. City Clerk Rachel McCready is the first test of any provision contained in the home rule charter adopted by Tawas City voters.

The case grew out of a section in the city charter which provides that no person shall be eligible for any elective or appointive office who is in default to the city.

Both Healy and Snoblen were delinquent in paying property taxes and the city council interpreted this as being in default to the city. The city clerk notified the two candidates that they were ineligible to run for office. As a result, a primary election which would have been held August 2 was canceled.

In his brief asking for denial of the writ, City Atty. Kenneth Myles claimed that the circuit court had no jurisdiction to examine the election procedure in this case, unless there was a statutory or constitutional violation. This theory was based on a supreme court decision which held that a city council of a home rule city was the sole judge of the election and qualification of its members.

In his ruling, Judge Miller said that action of the council and the city clerk "in depriving citizens of Tawas City to vote upon the candidates that they chose" is a deprivation of their rights under the state and federal constitutions.

Miller said that the charter provision is one that has been adopted from time to time by communities of the state and, "while there appears to be no case law interpreting it, there are two existing opinions of the attorney general interpreting it."

The judge said that the opinion of the attorney general provided that the term "in default to the city" implied more than a mere civil debt or liability. "There must exist a willful omission to account or pay over funds belonging to the city with a corrupt intention."

Stating that while he would not adopt that attorney general's opinion "if it were my first impression," Miller pointed out that when language in Tawas City's charter was adopted, there was an existing opinion "and that language must be considered to have been adopted in the light of the existing law."

In the absence of a court decision, the opinion of the attorney general does have weight in interpreting the law, said Judge Miller. The statement backed the contention of Roger Bauer, Alpena attorney, who represented the two disqualified candidates and made a similar statement at a recent council meeting.

In his brief, the city attorney also stated that if a person is on the controlling board of a municipality to which he owes money, he is placed in a compromising position with regard to actions concerning that debt. "Even if there were no actual impropriety, the voters of the City of Tawas City sought to avoid even the appearance of a conflict of interest when they approved this section of the charter. Indeed, some states prohibit citizens owing back taxes from holding office."

The judge said that if the city had intended the charter provision to pertain to ordinary civil obligations, "the city in adopting the charter should have said so." Even though the council later interpreted the default provision as pertaining to delinquent property taxes, Miller said that could not override the will of the people as expressed at the time they adopted the charter.

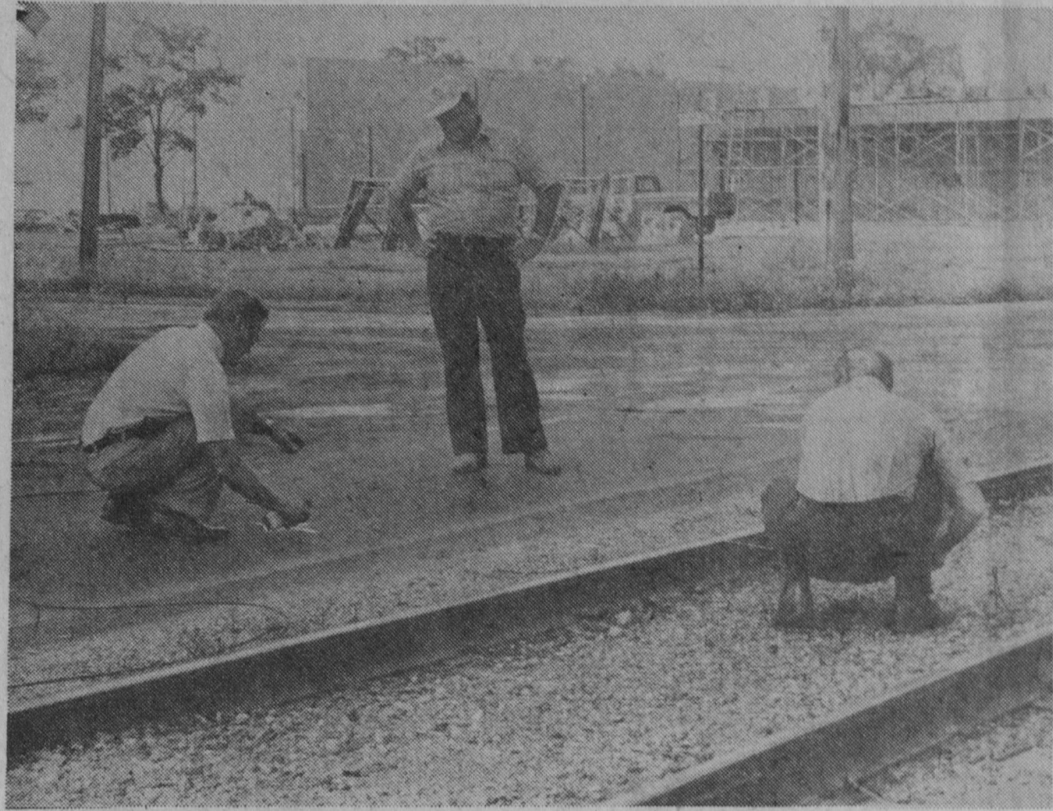
Additionally, the judge said the clerk was in error "in deciding that two candidates were not eligible to be placed before the city and ineligible to make up their defaults as of the moment they took office."

He said there was a long series of cases ruling that candidates are qualified to run for office and voters have a right to cast their votes for them.

Then, if elected, at the moment the candidate raises his right hand to take the oath of office, "it becomes the council's duty to decide the qualifications of their members; they cannot decide the qualifications of their members at the early point of who shall run, but only as to who shall be seated."

Judge Miller also ordered a provision of the charter waived concerning a point brought up in the city attorney's answer, but not argued in court. That concerned a charter provision which states "no appointive city officer or employee shall seek an elective office of the city unless he resigns from his position with the city."

Judge Miller said that it was not used as a basis of the clerk's disqualification notice to Snoblen, who serves on the water board. The judge said it was not part of the clerk's action and was waived by not calling it to his attention.



CITY MGR. REGINALD BUBLITZ (center) is watching two employees of the Detroit and Mackinac Railway, Paul Beyer, left, and Earl Davis, right, measuring Court Street for a new fence. The new Kroger Store is in the background. The city council strongly opposes construction of the fence, which would reduce the width of Court Street. Bublitz was to have met Tuesday afternoon with D&M officials.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Council Opposes Railroad's Court St. Clearance Fence

Tawas City Council adopted a resolution Monday night in strong opposition to notification by the Detroit and Mackinac Railway that it intended to install and maintain a fence along its tracks on Court Street.

A letter from P. J. Beyer of the railroad told the council that "there has been a growing concern of the Detroit and Mackinac Railway Company for the continued safety of its operation and also for public safety, through Tawas City on Court Street."

Beyer said that trains have had to stop several times due to the fact that a car was parked too close to the main line.

"Also, with the new location of Kroger's Market adjacent to Court Street, there will be a definite increase in truck and car traffic on Court Street, which will compound the hazard to our safe operation," said Beyer.

A 1941 state clearance statute states that a clear space of eight feet, six inches, be provided, measuring from the center line of the rails, for safe operation of a train.

Members of the council expressed surprise over this announcement that directed an immediate investigation to determine if the railroad had ever filed a complaint with the sheriff's department concerning cars parked too close to the railroad tracks along Court Street.

Installation of such a fence, said Councilman, would create a narrow street. Court Street starts at the county building parking lot and extends to M-55.

According to the D&M's letter, a grant was given by the city in 1883 allowing the Detroit, Bay City and Alpena Railroad to operate "through and over certain streets in Tawas City" and is a matter of record in the register of deeds' office. The DBC&A is the immediate predecessor of the D&M.

A year prior to the above agreement, the Tawas and Bay County Railroad extended its tracks from Tawas City to East Tawas, but never bothered to get approval from the city to run its tracks down Court Street.

According to tradition, the owner of the DBC&A, the Rev. C. H. Prescott, packed all the townsperson on a train of flat cars and transported them to the AuGres River for a picnic. When the people returned home in the evening, the tracks had been extended along Court Street.

Tawas City Primary Election Set Aug. 30

A primary election which had been canceled after disqualification of two candidates is to be held Tuesday, August 30, according to an announcement yesterday by City Clerk Rachel McCready.

Last day for registration with the city clerk will be Monday, August 1.

Candidates for three four-year terms on the city council include:

Baby Contest Gets Approval

City Councils of Tawas City and East Tawas Monday night approved a request from Huron Shore Jayceettes, auxiliary of the Huron Shore Jaycees, to conduct a baby contest to raise funds for Bright Horizons.

Bridge Restrictions Ordered Enforced

Because of the disregard of its recent warning to truckers to avoid use of two bridges, the Tawas City Council Monday night directed the sheriff's department to issue citations to operators of trucks and heavy equipment driving over bridges at Sixth Avenue and Whittemore Street.

The two bridges, the former over Dead Creek and the latter over the Tawas River, have been closed to truck and heavy equipment traffic for several years because of deterioration.

Letters were sent to area contractors warning of hazardous conditions caused by trucks and heavy equipment using the two bridges.

Veterinary Clinic Opens in Baldwin

Dr. and Mrs. Howard W. Falker announce the opening of Falker Veterinary Clinic on July 25. The clinic is located at 1790 North US-23, East Tawas.

Site of the new clinic was formerly Johnson's Upholstery Shop and is across US-23 from Schaaf Lumber Company.

Falker graduated with his doctor of veterinary medicine degree from Michigan State University in 1971. His wife, Karlene, plans to help in the clinic. The Falkers moved here from Armada with their two sons, Matthew, five years of age, and Eric, one year old.

Resource Survey Being Conducted

A survey is currently being conducted by CETA employees to gain views of citizens concerning resource projects being carried out in Tawas City. The survey was arranged by Thomas Jacques, forester.

Jacques said the survey consists of 11 questions pertaining to the city's forestry program, river reclamation, city parks and recreation.

He said information would be used to evaluate the programs.

East Tawas Council Opposes Proposed Merger of Tawas

East Tawas Council unanimously adopted a resolution Monday night opposing consolidation of East Tawas and Tawas City into one home rule city.

A number of reasons were cited by the council opposing the consolidation, including:

1. "Several disturbing aspects, including necessary reconciliation of different administrative and operational procedures;
2. "Basic differences in service equipment operation — hydrants and valves;
3. "Need for a full-time city manager position through consolidation, which would increase operational costs;
4. "Increased cost of a full time paid fire department;
5. "Differences between the two communities in financing basic services." (Tawas City generally utilizes special assessments, while East Tawas uses general obligation and higher connection charges.)

The attitude and reasons expressed Monday night were practically the same as those given at a joint meeting Thursday night between the East Tawas Council and the East Tawas Planning Commission.

Following that meeting, Mayor Robert Bolen said that the general consensus of those attending was that any consolidation into one large city would not mean a saving of tax money, that some duplication of services might be eliminated, but that cost of operation of one city government would be higher for residents of both communities.

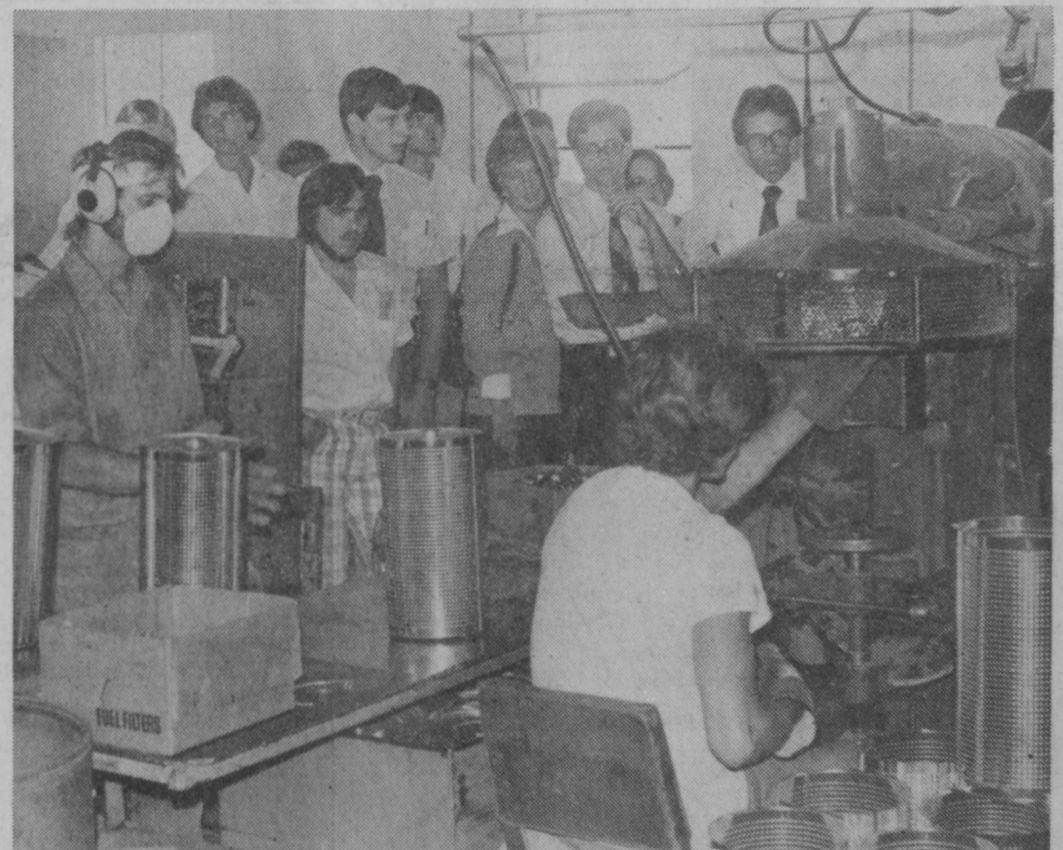
Mayor Bolen said he intended to testify at the hearing to be held Tuesday, August 2, concerning the proposed consolidation and would outline his specific reasoning for opposing the merger.

Members of the East Tawas Council and planning commission were critical of those who promoted the vote on the consolidation. The opinion was expressed that advantages and disadvantages of the merger should be presented to both communities prior to the public hearings.

Mayor Bolen expressed the opinion that both communities had good track records insofar as providing services to citizens. "The larger the city, the higher the wages which will be demanded by city employees and elected officials and a resulting higher cost of operation," said Bolen.

The mayor said that East Tawas had an excellent record in obtaining federal grants, pointing out that "we probably received a higher per capita share of federal money than most cities of the state." Included were grants for the harbor of refuge, Bay Park Tower, area water expansion, BOR funds for parks and the state-local boat launching ramp.

The mayor pointed out that much has been accomplished by community cooperation between East Tawas and Baldwin Township in the water expansion program, but he felt it would be more economical for each community to "run its



THIRTY-THREE MEMBERS of the AC Tech Club of AC Spark Plug Division, all students at General Motors Institute, Flint, visited the Tawas last Friday as guests of Tawas Industries, Incorporated, and Tawas Tool Company. General Motors Institute is a fully accredited four-year college owned by General Motors Corporation. The institution is run like no other academic institution in the country. Students are treated like employees, they are paid while working their way through college and are dismissed if performance is deemed inadequate. GMI's schedule alternates six-week periods in the classroom and the plant and the student visitors here are employed by the AC Spark Plug Division. The students, who will become engineers and industrial executives, are shown inspecting the filter manufacturing operation at Tawas Industries in the top picture. The picture at lower left shows Elmer Werth, president of Tawas Industries, welcoming the students to a perch fry at Lixey's Restaurant. The picture at lower right shows George Staudacher, plant superintendent, explaining operations to the students. Werth's granddaughter, Melanie Werth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Werth of Tawas City, was one of the GMI students making the tour.—Tawas Herald Photos.





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Emergency Care

Workshop Aug. 6

Mid Michigan Community College's allied health division and the sports medicine division of Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, will be conducting the third annual sports emergency care workshop Saturday, August 6, on the campus of Mid Michigan Community College at Harrison. Registration will be at 8:30 a. m. and the workshop will be conducted from 9:00 a. m. till 4:30 p. m.

For additional information call

(517) 386-7792 extension 265, Mid Michigan Community College or Ken Kopke, Sport Medicine Department, Central Michigan University (517) 774-3041 extension 45.

Iosco Dems

Meet July 21

Iosco County Democratic Party will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday, July 21, 8:00 p. m., in the conference room of the Michigan Consolidated Gas Company, 1808 East US-23, East Tawas. A social hour will follow the meeting.

TODAYS Meditation

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(Read Romans 8:14-23) "The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God: and if children, then heirs; heirs of God and joint-heirs with Christ." (Romans 8:16-17)

Wow excited I was to learn from a 91-year-old distant cousin a bit of family history that traced our family tree back to royalty. Even a few drops of royal blood, however, many times diluted, seemed to straighten my back and give a staleness to my stride. What matter if our line came down through a second son? Were we not related to earls and kings? I could look at the world through new eyes. I was somebody.

Somebody! Because of a relationship to some distant king whom nobody remembers? To a king who has no kingdom now except the tomb?

Not I am somebody all right because I am a child of the heavenly King. This King is alive and reigning. He is the creator of heaven and earth. He is Lord of the universe.

I can walk straight and tall because He lives and loves me.

PRAYER

Thank You, Lord, for making us children of the kingdom, the only true kingdom. Your kingdom. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Do we glory in our ancestry, our achievements or our membership in the family of God?—Joan Warner Davidson (Rockville, Maryland)

Health Screen

Program for

Senior Citizens

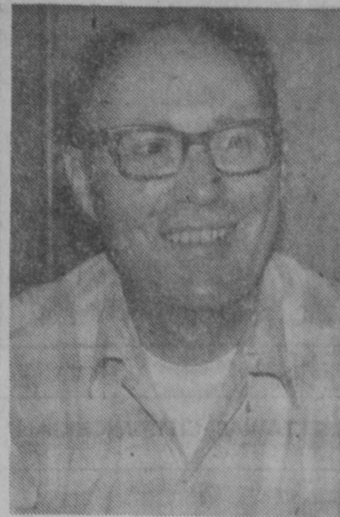
Through the efforts of Trio Council on Aging and District Health Department No. 2, Iosco County senior citizens 60 years of age and older will be provided with a health screening program.

The program includes a complete medical and physical history, screening examination of blood pressure, hearing and vision, hematocrit, sugar test, urinalysis, breast examination instructions, EKG, counseling, height and weight.

Criteria for persons wishing to participate in this screening is 60 years or older; income level \$2,400 to \$6,500 per year; have not had the included screening tests in the past 1½ years (blood pressure screening excluded).

The program is at no cost to any individual meeting the criteria. Interested persons may call the local drop-in center in their area.

Telephone numbers are Tawas, 362-6892; Oscoda, 739-3668; Hale, 728-4251; Sand Lake, 469-9361; Whittemore, 756-2792.



Install New Zion Pastor on Aug. 7

The Rev. Bernhard O. Kube is to be installed as pastor of Zion Lutheran Church, Tawas City, at 3:00 p. m., Sunday, August 7.

He is to succeed the Rev. Robert E. Beyer, who has been appointed student chaplain at Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti.

Pastor Kube moves here from Hosanna Taber Lutheran Church of Redford Township, where he had served as associate pastor since May 1969.

Born April 10, 1937, at Detroit, he attended Lutheran School there and was confirmed at St. Thomas Lutheran Church. He graduated from Cass Technical High School in 1955 and served in the United States Army Reserve, corps of engineers, from 1954 to 1963.

He attended Lawrence Institute of Technology from 1957 to 1960 and began theological studies at Concordia Theological Seminary at Springfield, Illinois, in June 1960. Following graduation in May 1964, he vicaried at Trinity Lutheran Church, Long Island City, New York.

He was married to Carol Weier of Detroit on December 28, 1963, at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church where he was ordained in June 1964.

The parents of the Kubes reside at Detroit and Harper Woods.

He received his first call from Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Yakima, Washington, as assistant pastor, serving from July 1964 to May 1969. While at Yakima, he also served as circuit pastoral advisor to youth, was a member of the Washington State Youth Board, a member of the board of the Lutheran Family and Child Service, Kennewick, Washington.

The Kubes' two sons, David and Kevin, were born in Washington during this time. The family returned to Michigan in 1969.

Mental Health Technician Field Has Change

Violet Rea, associate dean of health at Mid Michigan Community College, Harrison, announced today a curriculum change in the mental health technician program. The curriculum change will allow the student in the last semester to select several elective courses offering a broader scope of content so as to allow selection in the area of concentration desired. Special emphasis areas are psychology, behavior modification, sociology, child care, substance abuse, probation and mental retardation.

The program is designed to produce a generalist in the mental health-human service field.

Interested persons may obtain additional information from Mid Michigan Community College, Allied Health Department, telephone 386-7792 extension 260 or 259.

Kids Krusade Starts July 24 at East Tawas

East Tawas Assembly of God Church, 311 East Lincoln Street, East Tawas, will be conducting a Kids Krusade beginning Sunday evening, July 24, through Friday evening, July 29, 7 o'clock.

Al Eastman, evangelist from Minneapolis, Minnesota, will be conducting the crusade. "Come Walk With Jesus, along with Al and Eddie" is the theme for the week. He uses magic, stories, chalk drawings and a little ddmmy named Eddie to capture the attention of both the young and the old as he tells the Bible stories.

All boys and girls three years old and up are welcome to attend.

Wilber News

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth O'Brien, Tracy, Marian Small and the Rev. and Mrs. Clifford DeVore attended the singing-union Sunday night at Twining United Methodist Church.

Theodore Olson came from Minnesota and visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lee and other friends over the week-end.

Mrs. Harold Cholger, Karen and a friend returned home Thursday after a trip to Traverse City where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cholger.

Sunday, Mrs. Linda Alda, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Alda and Mrs. Lula Alda went to Lake Nette to visit the Cunningham family and Larry Alda, who are vacationing there. The occasion was the birthday of Larry.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Lange and family of Maryland are spending a short time at their cabin here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Newberry of Davison are the parents of a son born July 10. He has been named David John.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brown went to Flint on the week-end to attend a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Greene and Ray Greene of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Hattie Cooper of Florida arrived Tuesday to visit relatives and friends here. They were supper guests of Mrs. Ruth Keehn Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wehrle of Utica spent the week-end at the Leo Baraconi home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buys and family of Detroit are making their home now in East Tawas. Mrs. Buys is the former Amy Greene.

Ray Greene was taken to Tawas Hospital Wednesday night. Get-well wishes are sent to him.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, Mrs. Lula Alda, Mr. and Mrs. George Hoig, Mrs. Pearl Simmons, Mrs. Linda Alda and the John Newberrys were in Bay City to attend the funeral of Elmer Newberry.

Sand Lake News

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dobson of Lake Wales, Florida, have returned to the area for a few weeks to visit family and friends and renew acquaintances.

Mrs. Bessie Curtis has been discharged after spending a week in Tawas Hospital.

At the Sand Lake Heights Women's Auxiliary meeting last Tuesday evening, further plans for the summer festival were finalized, dessert was served and Christine Corderon won the centerpiece.

Mrs. Cynthia Clark, Ferndale, and Mr. and Mrs. John Orr, Royal Oak, were guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bearss, recently. Last week, Mrs. Bearss visited family members in Royal Oak and attended a reunion at Millford.

Mrs. Wanda Green has been admitted to Bay City General Hospital.

Last Monday evening, following the regular firemen's meeting, there was a surprise gathering honoring Henry Gage on his birthday and his retirement from active duty with the Grant Township Volunteer Fire Department. He received a plaque from the department denoting his 10 years of service with the organization. Present were the firemen, their ladies and two newly-assigned firemen, David Lutz and Michael Coyle. A buffet dinner, complete with birthday cake, was enjoyed.

The retirees will hold their monthly pot-luck at noon Thursday, July 21, with an advisory board meeting to follow at 1:00 p. m.

Spending a few days last week with his son's family, the Joseph Clements, was Irving Clement, Flint.

Reno News

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Robarts and grandchildren enjoyed a five-day vacation in Canada. They were at Ranger Lake, Bruce's Mines Museum, Thessalon and other places.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Waters and Miss Florence Latter made the following calls on Wednesday: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Aulerich, Miss Beatrice Barnum and at the geriatric village, West Branch, where they visited Fred Latter, James Leslie and John Kohlmann.

Miss Beatrice Barnum has returned to her home and a friend, Mrs. Martha Space, is caring for her.

Tuesday, the Royal Robarts family went to Rose City to visit at the Robert Robarts home. They helped their granddaughter, Pamela, celebrate her seventh birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Wesenick and mother, Hazel Wesenick, are spending several days at their old home here and have made several visits to Tawas Hospital where Mrs. Alma Pake is seriously ill.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Will Waters and Florence Latter called on the Harry Goodales, Mrs. Jessie McLean and the Lloyd Johnsons at Tawas.

Melvor News

Mrs. John Jordan has returned home from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Strauer of Tawas and the Tony Sapinos of Turner visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wood one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Schroeder and girls of Pontiac spent last week at their home here. Their son, Rodney, joined them for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Blackmer of Florida are visiting at the Arthur Ranger home for a few days and visiting other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schroeder and son, Michael, of Pontiac were guests of the Herbert Schroeder family.

Ray Norrington and Kevin Jordan enjoyed a day at Traverse City last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder, the Richard Schroeder family and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Schroeder and daughters, Tamara and Pamela, enjoyed a cook-out at the former's home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rises and family entertained relatives at their home here for a few days last week.

Earl Jordan visited his sister, Mrs. Harold Parent, and Mr. Parent Friday evening.

Mrs. Esther Goupil of Whittemore was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ranger Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Freel of Townline Road visited their daughter, Mrs. Dale Wood, and family Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Faria of Royal Oak spent a week-end at their place here.

Mrs. Ada Jones entertained relatives from Detroit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schroeder and son, Herbert, enjoyed the past week at their cabin here. Their other son, Richard, and friend, Kim, joined them on the week-end.

Sherman News

The Steven Donahues of Port Hope left Friday for a visit with their 88-year-old grandmother, after spending a week with Sandra and Lillian Smith.

The Sewing Circle met last Thursday at the Carolyn Harder home with 12 women present.

Roy Meichle from Arizona called on old friends in Turner.

Grace (Coates) McPhail and sister, Maude, had dinner one day during the week at the Bert Powlus home and also called on Shirley Cottrell and the Harry Kellys.

William Bamberger, Roy Haska and LaVerne Koepke returned Friday from a fishing vacation in the Upper Peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wood spent the past week-end with their parents.

ents. Their son, David, returned home with them after spending the past two weeks with relatives and friends.

Swimming classes ended for the young children at the Oscoda Area High School pool. Many mothers attended the final classes given in their honor.

Bee Keepers

Invited to Meet

An invitation has been extended to all bee keepers to attend a meeting at Roscommon County Building Monday, August 1, 7:30 p. m. Dr. Roger Hoopingarner, Michigan State University apiculture specialist, will be at the meeting to discuss bee management with the keepers.

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- ★ Horse Racing—July 28-29-30 at 2:00 p. m.
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Groff-Fruechtl Marriage Vows Said at Menominee

Arrangements of peach gladioli and hurricane lamp candles formed the background in Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church, Menominee, Saturday, July 16, for the marriage of Kathy Jean Fruechtl and Gary H. Groff.

The Rev. J. Edward Linquist performed the double ring service. The bride's mother was vocalist with Mary Hayes at the organ.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Fruechtl of Menominee. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Groff of Tawas City are parents of the bridegroom.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a flowing knit gown with a cape collar of Chantilly lace and featuring a cathedral train. A Camelot headpiece secured a mantilla which was edged in matching lace. She carried a bouquet of garden flowers including sweetheart roses, white double daisies, Stephanotis and babies' breath.

Maid of honor was April Fruechtl, sister of the bride, with Mrs. Terrence Conder, bride's sister, of Stillwater, Minnesota; Patricia Groff, Bylas, Arizona, sister

of the bridegroom, and Susan Brink, Green Bay, Wisconsin, cousin of the bride, as bridesmaids. They wore cap sleeve gowns of soft knit in deep apricot. They carried nosegays of flowers matching the bridal bouquet.

Wayne Binnington of South Haven was best man. Groomsmen were Terrence Conder, Scott Fruechtl of Menominee and Lyle Groff Jr. of Tawas City, cousin of the bridegroom. Seating guests were Charles Groff of Warren and Todd Fruechtl.

A reception for 225 guests from Michigan, Wisconsin, Oklahoma, Ohio and South Dakota followed the ceremony at Dome Cabaret and Supper Club, Marinette, Wisconsin.

The bride is a graduate of Dr. Martin Luther College, New Ulm, Minnesota. Her husband attended Alpena Community College and served six years in the navy. They will reside at 5021 Weatherford Drive, Coloma, following a trip to Wisconsin, Isle Royal, Mackinac Island and Northern Michigan.

Pre-nuptial showers were given by friends in Menominee and relatives in Wausau, Wisconsin.

Engaged



Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Springsteen of Hale announce the engagement of their daughter, Karen Sue, to Paul R. Hudnall, son of the Woodrow Hudnalls of Clawson.

September 10 has been set for the wedding date.

Iosco Cancer Unit Reaching \$10,615 Goal

Iosco County Unit, American Cancer Society, is reaching its goal of \$10,615 for the 1977 crusade as reported to members Wednesday, July 6, at the American Legion Hall, Tawas City. Deadline for the campaign is August 30.

Mrs. William Lyon, president, conducted the business meeting with reports from all committees heard. Mrs. Ruth Hoffman, field representative from Lansing, was also present.

A film, "I'll Buy That," was shown by Bud Fisher. A board meeting is scheduled for Monday, August 29, at which time, date and place for the installation of officers and awards presentation in September will be announced.

Receive Honors at Ferris State

Area students named to the academic honors list for the spring quarter at Ferris State College, Big Rapids, were Mark D. Hintz and Joyce L. Lixey of East Tawas; Keyno Shellenbarger of Hale; Robert Smith of National City; Laurie A. Menzies, Nicholas Schachterle, Debra R. Stowell and Anthony Thomas Jr. of Oscoda; Donna M. Bruggier, Andrew J. King, Vicki A. Myles and Joel R. Rescoe of Tawas City.

Lower Hemlock

Mr. and Mrs. Van Miller of Ann Arbor enjoyed the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Miller, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ulman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Chinneck of Birmingham and the William Gackstetter were recent visitors at the Rollie J. Gackstetter home. The Gackstetters are enjoying this week visiting relatives in Pontiac and Highland.

Last week, Mrs. Roland Brown and two grandchildren of Sterling visited Mrs. Winnie Latham.

Tuesday, Mrs. Rose Gackstetter returned home from a five-week visit with her daughter, Mrs. Leeland Herriman, and family at Wallworth, New York. The Herrimans accompanied her and remained for four days to visit relatives in the vicinity. Enroute home, they visited relatives at Detroit, Davison and Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Drumm and family have returned home from a camping trip in the Upper Peninsula. Enroute home, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Gale Durant and family of Flint and the Laurel Whitford family at a campsite near Cheboygan.

JoAnn Youngs and Sherry Blackmore have returned home after visiting relatives at Traverse City for a week.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. William Ballinger drove their daughter, Sharon Ballinger, of Seattle, Washington, to Brighton. She had visited her parents for a week. While in Detroit, the Ballingers visited their sons and families.

Alonzo Amboy of Florida visited Mr. and Mrs. Orville Strauer Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Krumm were in Menominee over the week-end to attend the wedding of their grandson, Gary Groff, and Kathy Fruechtl on Saturday.

Last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Heinz of Bay City were guests at the Orville Strauer home. The Strauers and Mr. and Mrs. Heinz visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Krumm.

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Mrs. Helen Crane from Detroit spent the week-end at her summer home on West Lincoln Street, East Tawas. She had as her guest, Mrs. Earl Wiggins, Louisville, Kentucky.

TSgt. and Mrs. Uda VanCitter and three children of Washington, D. C., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Norma Senter of Tawas City, for a couple of weeks. He is being transferred for service in Germany and the family will accompany him.

Thursday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson in East Tawas were her nephews, Howard Christian, Pontiac, and Fred Christian, Winchester, Illinois, his wife and six daughters.

Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Brinkman of East Tawas left Saturday for a two-week vacation in the Hawaiian Islands.

Last week, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines, all of Hazel Park, were guests of the George Liskes in their Tawas City home.

Mrs. Judy Roberson, East Tawas, had as her guest last week her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Jones of Kansas City, Missouri.

Saturday, Jeffrey Davis of Flint visited his grandmother, Mrs. Elsie Roach of Tawas City.

Scott Rodgers is vacationing at the East Tawas home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rodgers, for a few weeks. He will return to Flint in the early fall.

Ella Briggs of Northville is the guest of Mrs. Hattie Evril of Tawas City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Cecil of East Tawas were in Flint over the week-end to attend a birthday party honoring their 10-year-old granddaughter, Regina Wilkerson, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Landmesser of Bloomfield Hills, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Furst of Detroit were week-end guests of Miss Esther Look of Tawas City.

Tawas area students who participated in the youth music program at Michigan State University recently were Renee Curry, Kathleen Finley, Lynn Pawlowski, Gina Salamony, Sandra Salamony and Kathleen Tenbusch.

Mrs. J. R. McDougall of Detroit visited at the East Tawas home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Flurry.

Marie Smith of Douglas Drive, Tawas City, and Eleanor Donahue of Bay Park Tower, East Tawas, enjoyed last week in Bradenton, Florida, at Mrs. Smith's winter home.

Terri Dillard has sold her home on Wadsworth Street, East Tawas, to Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas. Week-end guests at the East Tawas home of Mrs. Ella Clements

were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shepard of Roseville, and her grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Clements of Avon Lake, Ohio. The occasion was Mrs. Clements' 86th birthday.

The Kohn family reunion was held Sunday at the McIvor Hall with 70 attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Freeman are camping at Fletcher's Floodwaters near Hillman this week. Her sister, Mrs. Darleen Dubu, and daughter, Connie, of Bay City are spending the week at the Freemans' East Tawas home during their absence.

Mrs. Harold Miller and daughters, Jill and Joy, of Tecumseh and Mrs. Earl Fox of Toledo, Ohio, were Friday callers at the Tawas City residence of Mrs. J. A. Bruggier.

East Tawas residents, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Charters and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Kobs, and son enjoyed a trip to Mackinac Island and other points in Northern Michigan over the week-end.

Callers this week on Leeta Schlaack of Tawas City were Mrs. Ann Emendorpher and niece, Mrs. Barbara Buckman, and daughter of Pontiac; Mr. and Mrs. Roland Brown of Sterling and grandchildren, Amy and Timothy Kosmider of Washington, D. C., and the Ernest Engles of Ludington.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Mark III and children, Jason and Amanda, of Ann Arbor and Miss Marietta Lehovac of Williamstown, Massachusetts, were guests at the J. F. Marks' Tawas City home the past several days.

Mrs. Ada Freeland of East Tawas is visiting at the home of her grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Armin Stump, and family at LaCaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lazano and son of Mesa, Arizona, and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Dobson were visitors at the Tawas City residence of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Weeden.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Zink and family were week-end guests of his mother, Mrs. Walter Moeller, and Mr. Moeller of East Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spencer visited their parents, Mrs. Pearl Spencer of East Tawas and the Albert Conklins, Tawas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Young of East Tawas were in Rochester at the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Legner, and husband over the week-end. Their daughter planned a surprise party honoring her father's birthday Sunday. Present were eight members of the Snow Owl 15 Hunting Club which Mr. Young organized many years ago.

Miss Linda McCready, who is employed in Sturgis, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. William McCready, in Tawas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dye and son, James, have returned from Miami, Florida, where they visited her sister, Mrs. Edith Legacy, for a couple of weeks.

Calling on Mrs. Esther Campbell of East Tawas during the week-end were her son, Wellington Campbell of Swartz Creek, and the George Tates of Southfield.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Liske of Tawas City were Mr. and Mrs. Duane Parmenter of Omaha, Nebraska; Mr. and Mrs. William Parmenter of Waterford, Edward and Gertrude Liske of Detroit.

Mrs. Mable Groulx of East Tawas was in Bay City the fore part of last week. She attended a bridal shower honoring her granddaughter, Miss Marlene Groulx, on Tuesday evening. She also visited her mother, Mrs. Katherine Hages.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Serda of Farmington Hills spent the week-end in Tawas City with her mother, Mrs. Hattie Evril. Lisa and Scott Serda accompanied their parents home after a week's visit with their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Ranger of Hale visited Grace Weeden at Tawas Hospital. Mrs. Weeden is now at her Tawas City home. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. Nora Weeden of Flint, is caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gainer and family of Trenton are visiting relatives in the area.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Greenwood hosted a family gathering at their home on Smith Street, East Tawas. Guests present included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenwood, Mr. and Mrs. James VanHorn, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fox from Bay City and Mrs. Martha Greenwood. A picnic was enjoyed by the group.

The Look family reunion was held Sunday at the East Tawas Park with over 75 attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Heumann and the William Wheelers of Ypsilanti were Friday dinner guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Amanda Wresche of Tawas City. The two couples were on their way to Drummond Island in their sail boats.

John D. Rollin of Newbraunfels, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Foss of Naperville, Illinois, were recent guests at the Tawas City home of Russell Rollin.

A reunion of the Harry Bolen family was held Saturday, July 16, at the Gary Wood residence and Knights of Columbus Hall. Fifty-five family members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clayton of East Tawas recently spent a month in Milford, Ohio, with their daughter, Connie Tomlins, and family. While there, they attended the graduation of their grandson, William Jr. Their other daughter and family, the Craig Jantsches, picked them up and took them to their Liverpool, New York, home for a four-week stay. The Jantsch family accompanied the Claytons to their home by way of Niagara Falls. After enjoying a few days in the Tawas, the Jantsch family went to Wisconsin to visit his parents.

Tawas Hospital

BIRTHS—

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Abraham, Mikado, July 11, a son, weight eight pounds.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Koehn, Tawas City, July 14, a daughter, weight seven pounds, 4½ ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John White, Oscoda, July 14, a daughter, weight six pounds, 14 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elite Shellenbarger, Hale, July 14, a daughter, weight seven pounds, 15½ ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Sliss, Oscoda, July 15, a daughter, weight seven pounds, 9½ ounces.

ADMISSIONS—

Tawas City: Rose Hartman, Linda Koehn, Hazel London, Frank Mark, Audrey Adamek, Rhoda Bublitz, Harry Barton.

East Tawas: Stephen Ferguson, Joseph Worel, Gordon Penman, Doris Bourke, Madelin Libka, Otto Penzkofer.

County: Marty Coulon, George Murdoch, Walton Gum, Joan Sliss, Mary Smith, Oscoda; Alice Schulz, James Masterson, Whittemore; Frank Williams, Nancy Shellenbarger, Claude Crego, Hale; Erna Cousineau, Grace Nance, National City.

Other communities: Chuckie Reed, Leonard Fleury, AuGres; Joseph Nemeth, Ft. Myers, Florida; Lucina Federoka, Walter Wroblewski, Edna Donahue, Glenie; George Pitcher, Jeanette Seem, Greenbush; Marie Raymond, Higgins Lake; Fannie Greanya, Standish; William Greene, Oklahama City; Alexander Skimnon, Saginaw; Esther Cottrell, Harrisville; Kathryn Milner, St. Clair Shores; Alberta Paslik, Twinning.

THE TAWAS HERALD

Wednesday, July 20, 1977—3



Knaub-Burkholder Nuptial Vows Said at Whittemore

In 4 o'clock rites Saturday, July 16, at Whittemore Methodist Church, the Rev. Merlen Nichols of Whittemore and the Rev. Raymond Moeller of AuGres officiated at the double ring ceremony uniting Barbara Burkholder and Robert James Knaub. Mrs. Gail Chippis, vocalist, was accompanied by Ruth Robinson at the organ.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Burkholder of Whittemore. Her husband is the son of Henry Knaub of Twining and Virginia Bright of Essexville.

Escorted to the altar by her parents, the former Miss Burkholder chose a gown of silk organza featuring a rose point lace skirt with attached train flowing from a fitted bodice. Lace applique and pearls accented the horseshoe neckline. To complete her attire, she wore a fingertip veil edged in lace to match the gown secured to a Juliet bonnet. She carried a cascade of white daisies, colored carnations and babies' breath on a white Bible.

Diane Dorcey, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor with Jean Edwards, Karen Valent and Susan Revord as bridesmaids. Michele Dorcey was flower girl. They wore chiffon gowns in pink, blue, maize and green with ruffles forming bustles. The deep V-neckline featured double tiers forming capelet sleeves. Their bouquets were of babies' breath, white daisies, colored carnations and streamers to match their gowns.

Best man was Dwight Selle of AuGres. Groomsmen were Michael Pihaylic of Detroit, Butch Morrison and George Bouchard of Twining.

Timothy Dorcey was ring bearer. Seating guests were Jeffery Peterson and Stewart Niaman of Bay City.

A buffet luncheon was followed by a reception at the AuGres Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall for 500 guests from Missouri, Colorado, Pigeon and the local area.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Burkholder wore a tangerine organza gown with deep ruffles and sheer full sleeves. Her corsage was of yellow roses and babies' breath. Mrs. Bright chose a long mist yellow gown and a corsage of yellow daisies. Mrs. Knaub was attired in apricot chiffon with peach daisies and babies' breath in her corsage.

The bride was honored at a pre-nuptial shower hosted by her attendants.

Begin Headstart Enrollment in TA

Enrollment of children for the Headstart program has begun in the Tawas area. The program is for pre-school children who are four years old by December 1. Eligible parents are asked to register children at Immaculate Heart of Mary's former school Tuesday and Wednesday, July 26-27, between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and noon or 1:00-2:00 p. m. Record of immunization must be brought at that time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burgis of East Tawas were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary with a dinner and reception Saturday, July 16, at Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club, Oscoda. Hosting the event were their children, Mrs. James (Pat) McGillis of Saginaw, Mrs. Raymond (Nancy) Koss of Oscoda, Jerry Burgis of St. Johns and Fred Burgis of Freeland. Among the guests were 15 grandchildren. Mr. Burgis married the former Clara Osborn July 16, 1927, at Clifford. Before moving to East Tawas in 1957, the couple resided in Alpena.

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M. Bell	56	
J. Shotwell	72	
B. Smith	65	
N. Miknyocki	46	
D. Tripp	59	
D. Samuels	55	
J. Morin	30	
B. Rollin	45	
M. Gidley	41	
R. Miknyocki	24	
D. Snyder	36	
R. Dines	31	
S. Cross	26	
F. Smith	21	
D. Sharp	13	
K. Obriot	9	
N. Miknyocki Jr.	5	
K. DesArmo	2	
Women's Ladder		Pts.
J. Hintz	36	
G. Lemon	31	

M. Zollner	31
R. Bell	22
D. Lemon	23
C. Kilmer	13
M. Dines	12
M. Jurczyk	15
J. Wakefield	5
B. Lamb	1

Round Robin: B. Minard defeated C. Sheehan, 6-1, 7-5; Wakefield defeated Stevens, 6-3, 6-4; D. Lemon defeated G. Minard, 6-4, 6-3; Jurczyk defeated Leite, 6-3, 6-3.

Women's Doubles: Huck-Heslip defeated Bell-Jurczyk, 3-6, 6-4, 6-2; Hintz-Heslip defeated G. Lemon-Wakefield, 5-7, 6-4, 6-4.

Hilda G. Ellis Died July 12

Hilda Grace Ellis of East Tawas died Tuesday, July 12. Services were held Saturday, July 16, in the Woodlawn Mausoleum Chapel, Detroit. The Rev. Alfred Sausbury officiated.

Her husband, William P. Ellis, died in 1976.

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"To get the right SSI checks to the right people on time," a spokesman said, "the Social Security Administration periodically contacts people get-

ting payments to review their eligibility and monthly payment amounts.

"But we may not be in touch with people as often as their circumstances change," he said. "So they should report changes to us as promptly as possible."

Failure to report changes—or delay in reporting—can mean penalty reductions in payments.

"People can get information about reporting changes by calling or writing any social security office," the spokesman said.

The supplemental security income program is administered by the Social Security Administration, an agency of the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Ready for Olympics

Tawas Area Community Education will be competing in the Olympics again this year. The Olympics will be held at West Branch Saturday, July 23. Events will start at 10:00 a. m. with men's softball at 1:00 p. m. and girls' fastpitch softball at 11:30 a. m.

Tawas will send competitors in track and field, men's slowpitch softball, women's slowpitch softball, girls' fastpitch softball, tennis, swimming and baseball (Little League and Pony League). Bus transportation will be available for all Olympic competitors.

Competing schools include Oscoda, Gladwin, Standish-Sterling, Hale, Whittemore-Prescott, Pinconning, West Branch-Rose City and Tawas.

Women's slowpitch team will play at the Rose City Cleveland Field and the girls' fastpitch will play at Ivan's field on M-55. Men's softball and pony league will play at Surline Junior High in West Branch and the Little League field.

Track and field and swimming will be held at the Ogemaw Heights High School on M-33. Tennis will be held at the West Branch tennis courts by the water tower.

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Etue Completes Recruit Training for State Police

Wayne Michael Etue of East Tawas was completed recruit training for Michigan State Police and is stationed in Northville. He is the son of Kay Etue and the late L. Ray Etue.

Ida Kussro Died July 12

Ida Ann Kussro, who was born August 6, 1893, in Tawas City, died at Mercy Memorial Hospital, Bay City, Tuesday, July 12, following a lingering illness. She had lived most of her life in Bay City, moving to Luther Manor Home, Saginaw, a year ago. Her husband, Edward, preceded her in death April 25, 1973.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, July 15, at St. John's Lutheran Church with the Rev. John F. Brenner officiating. Burial was in Elm Lawn Cemetery.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. James (Betty) Scherf and Mrs. George (Ruth) Hughes, both of Bay City; three sons, Edward of Essexville, Frederick of Bay City and Jack of Saginaw; 11 grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; five sisters, Mrs. Herman (Louise) Kussro of Bay City; Mrs. William (Olga) Look of East Tawas, Mrs. Lydia Lee of Livonia, Mrs. Ella Hass of Detroit and Mrs. Carl (Emma) Look of Port Hope; two brothers, William Graf of Hemlock and Albert Groff of Tawas City.

Funeral services for Elmer R. Newberry of Bay City, who passed away Tuesday, July 12, at Bay Medical Center, were held Saturday, July 16, at St. Joseph's Church. The Rev. Fr. Stanley J. Trahan officiated with burial at St. Patrick's Cemetery, Bay City. A prayer service was conducted Friday night.

Born June 27, 1893, at Tawas City, he married the former Elizabeth Huskins in 1927. She survives. He has been a resident of Bay City since 1936.

Besides his wife, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Allene Harris of Bay City; one son, Roy E. Newberry of Auburn; 12 grandchildren; 12 great grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Lula Alda and Mrs. Pearl Simmons of East Tawas and Mrs. Hazel Vantine of Grand Rapids; one brother, John Newberry of East Tawas.

Whittemore News

Donald Harsch and son, Michael, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Katterman were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Hutchison.

Sympathy is extended to the Edward Beckley family.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nickell enjoyed a three-day tour to the Mackinac Bridge this week. Their son, Scott, stayed with his grandfather, Perry Nickell.

The John Spaid family spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Mildred Harsch.

Sympathy is extended to the family of William Fuerst.

IN THE SERVICE—

Reports for Duty in North Carolina

Marine PFC Joseph P. Achtabowski III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Achtabowski, Oscoda, has reported for duty with Force Troops, Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

A 1977 graduate of Oscoda Area High School, he joined the United States Marine Corps in December 1976.

Iosco Sailors Recently Visited Port in Italy

Steven A. O'Meara, navy machinist's mate apprentice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Hendrickson, Hale, and G3C Michael I. Butler, son of Irving L. Butler, Oscoda, recently visited Brindisi, Italy.

They are serving as crewmembers aboard the aircraft carrier, USS Independence, homeported in Norfolk, Virginia. The ship is operating as a unit of the United States Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean Sea.

They and fellow shipmates had the opportunity to visit Brindisi during a recent port call. During the remainder of the cruise, the ship is scheduled to participate in several training operations and exercises with other Sixth Fleet units and ships of allied nations, and to visit various other Mediterranean ports.

The Independence is a 1,046 foot-long, Forrestal class aircraft carrier. She carries a crew of 2,790 officers and enlisted men, plus 2,150 personnel assigned to an attack aircraft wing. She has the capability of carrying 85 jet aircraft and can travel at speeds of up to 35 knots.

O'Meara joined the navy in July 1975 and Butler in September 1975.

Funeral Held for Terry L. Gray

Funeral services were held Sunday, July 10, from Forshee Funeral Chapel, Hale, for Terry Lee Gray, 29, Hale, who died July 7 in a motorcycle accident in Hill Township, Ogemaw County.

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Funeral services for Elmer R. Newberry of Bay City, who passed away Tuesday, July 12, at Bay Medical Center, were held Saturday, July 16, at St. Joseph's Church. The Rev. Fr. Stanley J. Trahan officiated with burial at St. Patrick's Cemetery, Bay City. A prayer service was conducted Friday night.

Born June 27, 1893, at Tawas City, he married the former Elizabeth Huskins in 1927. She survives. He has been a resident of Bay City since 1936.

Besides his wife, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Allene Harris of Bay City; one son, Roy E. Newberry of Auburn; 12 grandchildren; 12 great grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Lula Alda and Mrs. Pearl Simmons of East Tawas and Mrs. Hazel Vantine of Grand Rapids; one brother, John Newberry of East Tawas.



SCOTT SHAWL, 13, Coleman, caught this monster brown trout Monday morning in Tawas Bay. The trout weighed 15 pounds and measured 31 inches. The thrilled youngster was fishing with his father, Wayne, and grandfather, George Shawl of East Tawas. Scott had another big fish on his line but lost it.—Tawas Herald Photo.

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Hale Team Lost to Prescott, 6-5

Prescott's Pony League team came from behind in the sixth inning Wednesday night to slip by Hale, 6-5.

Hale put Prescott down one, two, three in the top of the first as Glenn Thornton struck out two and Todd Horn grounded out.

The home team got two runs in the bottom of the inning from Thornton and battery mate, Dave Heacock. Hale showed its poise in the second inning as Prescott put two runners on base. Thornton then struck out the next two batters and the next man fled out to centerfield.

Prescott started finding the good pitches in the fourth inning and scored one run. Hale got a rally started when Aaron Nunn walked, Kurt Wilson singled, Thornton and

Heacock both struck out. Daryl Young then hit a looping liner to right field for a triple, driving in Nunn and Wilson. Young came in on a walk and Ken Weyandt struck out.

Prescott started hitting the holes in the sixth inning and tied the score. Young relieved Thornton and ended the inning. Todd Horn took over for Prescott's starter and struck out the side. Prescott got its go ahead run on an error. Hale missed its chance in the last of the seventh when Thornton opened with a triple, but Horn then struck out the side.

Wilson was credited with "player of the week" as he made two outstanding catches at second and had an unassisted double play.

Hale plays Sterling there on Friday, July 22, 6:15 p. m. The following day Hale travels to Ogemaw Heights to take part in the Olympics at 9:00 a. m.



LYNN SCHULTZ, eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schultz Jr. of Tawas City, proudly holds a first place trophy received during an awards banquet held at Caber-fae Lanes, Cadillac, on Sunday, July 10. The banquet was sponsored by the Northern Michigan Bowling Proprietors Association. Lynn took first place in the peanut division with a top score of 628 at the state singles roll-off tournament held at Kerby Lanes. Because of this accomplishment, she was able to compete in the state finals. Lynn is a member of the Youth Bowling Association at Tawas Lanes, Tawas City.

Local Facilities Get Health Dept. OK

Michigan Department of Public Health has renewed the license of Tawas Hospital and re-certified Isoco County Medical Care Facility, according to an announcement Monday.

Tawas Hospital has 62 beds and the Isoco County Medical Care Facility has 64 beds.

The medical care facility was certified to the Michigan Department of Social Services as meeting Medicare and Medicaid nursing home standards.

At the end of June, Michigan had under license or certification 457 nursing care facilities with 47,730 beds, 130 homes for the aged with 9,628 beds and 229 general hospitals with 41,762 beds.

The department in June initiated action to deny licenses of nursing homes at Detroit, Highland Park and Warren because of the facilities' failure to verify possession of surety bonds.

Tofany Urges Safety As a Good Investment

CHICAGO—Vincent Tofany, President of the National Safety Council, has urged the nation's farmers and ranchers to invest in safety for maximum guaranteed yield their lives and livelihood.

Tofany explained that agricultural producers have substantial investments in land, machinery, facilities, and livestock. In addition, they invest skill and a full measure of energy into their work. But dividends from these investments are never assured.

Bad weather, disease, fuel and materials shortages, transportation problems, can all adversely affect yields, and when coupled with poor market prices jeopardize profits.

Though farmers may not be able to control fuel supplies or the weather, Tofany said they can protect the human resources necessary to achieve high production and profits. An investment in safety pays dividends that are both impressive and guaranteed. Safety preserves lives and prevents suffering and disruption of family ties. In addition, it attracts and keeps good workers on the job, full time, and at full capacity. It helps keep production high and cash flowing into more land, better equipment, and perhaps even an overdue vacation, rather than for



paying hospital, medical and legal bills. It also keeps insurance costs down, and makes farms less likely candidates for government safety inspections, he said.

The monetary cost of accident prevention is often little or nothing, according to Tofany. It costs almost nothing to take a positive attitude towards safety... to develop a home fire escape plan... to store clearly marked poisons well out of chil-

dren's reach... to train family and workers to perform tasks safely... and to take extra precautions when working, playing

and driving, he said.

Taken one step further, Tofany suggested that a small financial investment can have great impact in reinforcing positive safety attitudes. A modest investment in smoke detectors and fire extinguishers, tractor overturn protection, and good quality personal protective equipment such as safety shoes, bump caps and safety goggles can yield handsome rewards in preventing injuries and saving lives.

Hale Area ET Council

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He pointed out that because of its population, East Tawas probably would completely control council actions.

Ald. George Staudacher expressed the opinion that about the only saving which could be gained would be operation of one police department. He said, however, that additional patrolmen would be required, along with additional cars, which would raise the cost.

A report from the volunteer fire department opposed consolidation. The report stated that East Tawas presently provides service to Baldwin Township and the present response time is eight minutes to any point in its service radius of 30 miles. It was pointed out that consolidation of fire departments would triple the service area to 90 miles, as Tawas City services Alabaster and Tawas Townships.

It was stated this would not be feasible for a volunteer fire department, that the same amount of equipment would be required and a full-time department would be costly.

City Supt. William Smith pointed out in a letter that the two communities were geographically separate cities, with different administrative procedures. He felt it was much more logical for East Tawas to expand with Baldwin Township. (Historically, East Tawas was once a part of Baldwin Township.)

City Police Chief Donald Docking said that providing police service to both communities by one department would be efficient and practical, but he said it did not make much sense to merge when Tawas City refused to accept a recent police contract proposal with East Tawas. Tawas City is served by the sheriff's department at a

Second Phase of River Project OK'd

First phase of the Tawas River reclamation project has been completed and the Tawas City Council Monday night authorized the start of a second phase.

Edward J. Barry, project director, reported to the council that the river cleanup and mapping had been completed. Information compiled by Barry includes 81 maps showing width and depth of the river, along with landmarks and soil composition.

"Employees hired under the CETA program have removed a tremendous amount of debris, but the river is not going to be totally clean because of the changing stream bottom," said Barry. He said that an increased flow of water had already been noted because of the cleaning operation.

The project director recommended that property owners along the river record the present low water mark in order to comply with state laws in the future if private improvements are desired. He said this could be done by painting a mark on a breakwall or by driving a pipe into the river bottom. Letters are to be sent to the 88 property owners giving complete information.

The next step in the project funded by the federal government is construction of 10 log floats, some sod covered, for trout stream habitat improvement. These rafts, which will provide cover for fish, are to be located near public access sites along the river.

The rafts are being designed by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources and are to be constructed starting next week by the CETA employees. White cedar for the construction has been donated by the forest service.

Uniform Lengths for Truck Units Asked by National Safety Group

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The National Highway Safety Advisory Committee has recommended that length limit regulations be developed for America's trucking industry.

Such regulations would increase highway safety, maintain trucking company flexibility in their road fleets, and would insure maximum efficiency in distribution of goods by motor carrier.

Such legislation has long been favored by the Teamsters Union which has noted that trailer sizes have been getting bigger at the expense of tractor size, with the net result of a reduction in safe handling. Proper handling suffers when the tractor dimension is sacrificed to increase cargo capability.

The committee has recommended that the Department of Transportation devise the regulations in a way that would "not provide an economic incentive to increase cargo space at the expense of tractor length."

Also, it was urged that state authorities establish regulations specifically limiting the

length of trailers, that is, the cargo-carrying section of the truck rig.

As it stands now, most states in the union have different limitations on tractor-trailer overall lengths as well as on weight.

The only federal statute concerns weight of cargo and width of equipment, limiting the total to 80,000 pounds for interstate travel on highways built with federal funds.

Minnesota recently passed a law limiting tractor-trailer overall length to 60 feet of which not more than 45 feet can be in trailer length alone. The law also limits front-axle load to not more than 12,000 pounds in the interest of safety.

Hopefully, industry observers say, they look forward to the time when the new Minnesota law might become a model for other states to follow.

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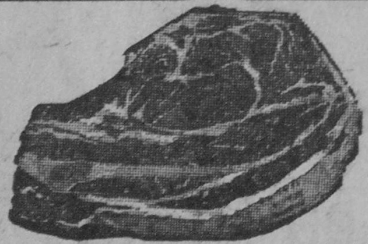
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Funeral services for Eva Mae Yoesting of Flint will be held Wednesday, July 20, 1:00 p. m., at Brown Funeral Home, Flint. She passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital, Flint, Sunday, July 17, following a long illness. The Rev. Shelby Forkum will officiate and burial

will be in Flint Memorial Park. Mrs. Yoesting was born in Tawas City September 3, 1924, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schmidt, who survive. Other survivors include her husband, Bernard; two sons, Raymond of Flint and Wayne of Alabama; two daughters, Renae Yoesting of Flint and Carolyn Constable of Westland. Mrs. Charles (Joyce) Heinrich of Tawas City is among the five sisters and five brothers surviving.

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George Wojahn Died Monday

George A. Wojahn of Tawas City died Monday evening, July 18, at Maccabee Gardens Nursing Home, Saginaw. He was born September 23, 1893, in Tawas City. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, July 21, 2:30 p. m., from Emanuel Lutheran Church, Tawas City, with the Rev. James F. Rockhoff officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. He is survived by three sons,

George of Saginaw, James of Tawas City and Harry of Fruitport; two daughters, Mrs. Grace Bronson of Whittemore and Mrs. Esther Lamb of Colorado Springs, Colorado. He also leaves 14 grandchildren. His wife, Martha, died in 1959.



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Provincial House Proposes to Operate Iosco MC Facility

Provincial House, Incorporated, Lansing-based health care firm which is constructing a new nursing home in Tawas City, has again proposed to take over management responsibility of the Iosco County Medical Care Facility.

"If we were to begin managing the facility now, we could completely evaluate it and institute changes prior to the beginning of operation of our new Tawas City unit," Jeffrey E. Poorman, vice president of finance and development for Provincial House, Incorporated, told members of the Iosco County Board of Commissioners last Wednesday.

The county commission has taken the proposal under advisement and is to make a decision at a later date.

In his presentation, Poorman said that his firm had held several

discussions with commissioners in the past regarding management of the county medical care facility.

"Through mass purchasing and various nursing home management techniques, Provincial House can, in fact, operate the facility in a more efficient manner, delivering quality health care for a reduced health care dollar," said Poorman.

The Lansing firm proposes to manage the county medical care facility for six percent of the gross revenue. The firm would guarantee that:

1. In the first year of the management contract, the county would not have to subsidize the facility any more than it had in the previous 12 months;
2. In the second year, the county would not have to subsidize the facility at all, or the firm would not receive a management fee;
3. In the third year, the facility would operate under the same reimbursement formula and at the same charges as the new Tawas City facility, "or we would pay the county an amount of money equivalent to property taxes (although this facility is property-tax exempt)."

Poorman said that with the above assurances, the "Iosco County Board of Commissioners could rest assured that the facility would operate effectively, while maintaining high quality and a high occupancy rate."

Any employees that might be laid off, because of overstaffing or changes in management techniques, said Poorman, could be employed in Provincial House's new facility.

"We would commit to giving them priority in all hiring at our new unit," said Poorman. "In addition, it would be possible to coordinate the opening of our unit with

the operation of the county medical care facility to assure proper placement of all patients within the health care community."

Noting that the medical care facility currently operates under direction of the Iosco County Board of Social Services, Poorman said this need not change. "We would take policy directions from that board as well as from the county board of commissioners and would only operate as the management arm of the policy makers."

In answer to specific questions by commissioners, Poorman said that classification of the facility from county to privately operated would have no effect on state medical reimbursement and that Medicaid and Medicare would continue to reimburse the facility for the management fees charged by Provincial House.

Poorman said the county would receive all reimbursement funds for depreciation, interest and paying agent fees. He said, too, that the patient census would not be lowered at the county facility in order to fill the new facility.

All charges would be reviewed and approved by the county board of commissioners.

Carlton Merschel, acting chairman of the county commission, said serious consideration should be given to this proposal.

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PROGRESS on construction of expanded water services in the Tawas and Baldwin Township is pictured above. Workmen of GGL Contractors, Belleville, are shown constructing a force main

along West Westover Street near the city hall at East Tawas. This main is to continue in a westerly direction to hook up with Tawas City at Cedar Street.—Tawas Herald Photos.

1911 FIRE LEVELED TOWNS

of AuSable-Oscoda

A PICTURE OF DESOLATION is shown above. It is a view of the fire swept main street of Oscoda following the fire of July 11, 1911.

Hundreds of persons were left homeless and five lost their lives. Few scars of the fire remain today in the flourishing communities.

The summer of 1911 was hot and dry—the front page cartoon of a Michigan daily newspaper showed a citizen knocking on the gates of hell pleading, "I'm looking for a cool spot." The devil answered, "Come in quickly and close the door."

Chicago, Illinois, had no sense of humor on the subject: Heat was held responsible there for 201 deaths in the five days prior to July 6. In Michigan, highs recorded by Port Huron from July 2 through July 11 were 99, 101, 82, 100, 77, 85, 74, 93, 92 and 94.

Here in Iosco County, The Tawas Herald reported on July 7 that "Saturday, Sunday and a part of Monday were among the warmest days known here in a long time, the mercury ranging from 94 to 100 in the shade. A heavy thunder shower Monday afternoon did much to relieve the condition and cooler weather has since prevailed."

In spite of the thunder shower, brush fires continued to break out in the plains region of Iosco County and some of the fires were set intentionally to improve the following season's huckleberry crop. Old smoldering stumps caused smoke in the western sky. There had been brush fires for several days—but nothing important. The turpentine factory west of Oscoda, which utilized old pine stumps in its process, was threatened on Sunday, but was soon forgotten.

The Herald reported on July 7 that H. J. Markham, secretary of the new Oscoda Canning Company, "was in the city Tuesday to arrange with the buyers to take the entire huckleberry crop marketed here."

Markham never had a chance to purchase the county's huckleberry crop. The Herald's headlines on July 14, 1911, read: "Oscoda and AuSable wiped out by fire; Flames devastate the twin cities and leave only a few scattered buildings standing; was a terrible holocaust!"

The old Tanner Lumber Company mill, site of the canning factory, was one of an estimated 600 buildings—commercial, industrial and residential—which were destroyed by fire on July 11, 1911.

Sixty-six years later, the scars of that fire have vanished, except in the memories of the dwindling few white-thatched persons who recall the most famous conflagration in Northeastern Michigan history. Oscoda and AuSable's "modern" history starts with that fire, as anything combustible dealing with the twin cities' past burned on July 11, 1911.

Never reputed to be as prosperous as Saginaw or Muskegon, AuSable and Oscoda had their day. When the lumber industry was at its peak, from the 1870s through the early 1890s, the twin towns prospered and grew rapidly. But by the early 1900s, the towns were al-

ready looking backward rather than forward to their glory.

Harnessing of the AuSable River for hydroelectric power was just beginning and Cooke Dam, the first of six installations on the river, was to open a new era in the history of Northeastern Michigan when it began generating electricity on February 9, 1912.

But this important event was still in the future on that hot July day of 1911. It was Tuesday and another day of work for mill hands. The steamer, Niko, of Tonawanda, New York, had arrived to take on a load of lumber. The barge and her captain were to play an important role in a few hours.

A hot wind off the plains west of Oscoda fanned the dead brush fires into flames and fired a house near the Catholic cemetery. Some said later that the blaze was caused by sparks from a steam locomotive, but no matter: The flames advanced eastward, driving cattle and other farm animals before it towards the towns.

It picked up momentum on Loud Island, when it raced through the cedar yards. At this point, the fire was still neglected and unnoticed by most of the townsfolk.

The fire divided at Piety Hill where the river held it back; to the north, it swept across the river to Smith Island and to the south it crossed by the bayou fronting on Loud's "Little Mill."

The work of the fire had enveloped the AuSable and Northwestern Railway freight office, where a large keg of gasoline burst, spreading flames in all directions.

Finally realizing the danger, saw-

mills in the towns were shut down and the men began to fight the fire—but it was too late. Most of the men quickly ran home to look after families and possessions.

The resulting holocaust destroyed sawmills, docks, residences; store buildings and everything in the path of the raging flames before burning itself out on the Lake Huron shore.

Quoting from the July 14 report in the Herald:

"Forest fires in the vicinity of the D&M station, a mile from the towns, were driven by the strong southwest winds into the cedar yard of the Loud Company. The dry cedar bark and slabs made a fierce flame, which was carried across the river into the Village of Oscoda, where it consumed the entire business part of the town and all but 30 of the dwellings."

"What few homes were saved was by the most heroic work of the people and volunteer fire department, coupled with a sudden change of the wind to the north."

"The escape of the people was, in nearly all cases, very narrow and the heroic acts would fill columns of newspaper space if recorded. About 280 people from Oscoda escaped on the steam barge, Niko, a lumber carrier which had just arrived for a cargo of lumber. These people were landed at Port Huron, where they were cared for."

"Others took refuge in the lake where they stood submerged to their necks for hours and some took to the plains and clearings in the vicinity. Considering everything, the loss of life is very small."

The fire did not even lose mo-

mentum as it reached the river, but crossed and raced into Oscoda's business district near the present day Bruce Myles Insurance Agency.

By some accounts, the off shore wind ranged between 40 and 60 miles per hour. Through this time, the City of AuSable had been spared. The fire had crossed to the Oscoda side of the river at the bridge and had been quenched on the AuSable side. The town appeared to be safe.

Many had fled the fire in Oscoda by crossing the river. Now, at 7 o'clock in the evening as the fire appeared to be dying down, fresh winds out of the north forced the fire to cross the river and sweep into AuSable, firing the big Loud mill and from there to the balance of the city.

The town was leveled in a matter of minutes. Flames were to shoot 60 feet in the air; buildings appeared to explode and crumble, rather than burn.

Even though alerted by the experience of seeing Oscoda burn, many had made no preparation and fled before pursuing flames as all their possessions were destroyed.

The fire burned so rapidly and fiercely that few realized the actual danger until they were forced to flee for their lives. Practically without food, clothing or shelter, the night was spent on the beach, on the sand plains or anywhere that safety could be felt.

Wednesday, July 12, found hundreds homeless. East Tawas and Tawas City housed 600 survivors.

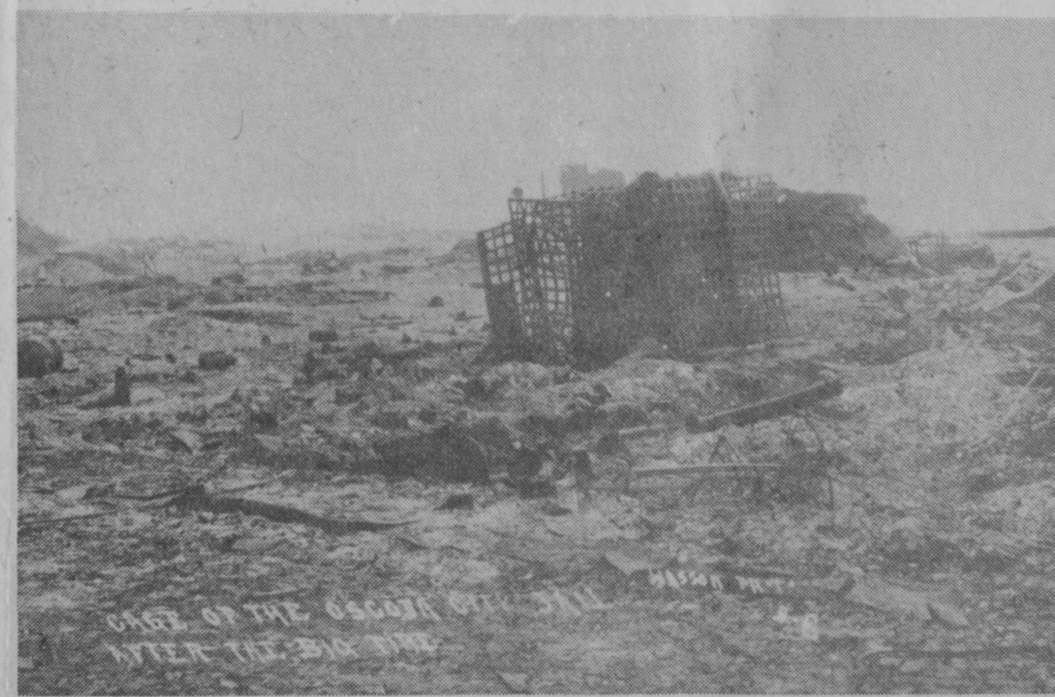
Although the Tawas were almost stripped bare of food, they managed to ship 1,300 loaves of bread and three barrels of ham to Oscoda-AuSable. Many people camped on the sand at the mouth of the river; between 70 and 100 slept in the AuSable schoolhouse; 100 slept in an AuSable fish house; hundreds camped around the town in any shelter they could find.

All that remained of AuSable was the schoolhouse (surrounded by several acres of sand), two other buildings, and the Detroit and Mackinac Railway buildings which were one mile west of town.

In Oscoda, four complete blocks were saved on Piety Hill (about 20 buildings), two Pack houses and another house on the north end of town.

The most commonly given estimate of cash losses was two-million dollars, at least half of which was suffered by the Louds. Their stores, expensive homes, tramway, engines, freight cars, railroad mill, shingle mill, bolt mill, lumber yards, cedar yard, pump houses and huge piles of lumber at the

(SEE 1911 FIRE, page 6.)



REMAINS of the township hall and jail following the fire are pictured here. Practically everything combustible in the two towns was consumed by the flames. Oscoda was quickly rebuilt, but

the City of AuSable reverted back to township status and languished for many years until the building boom which followed World War II.



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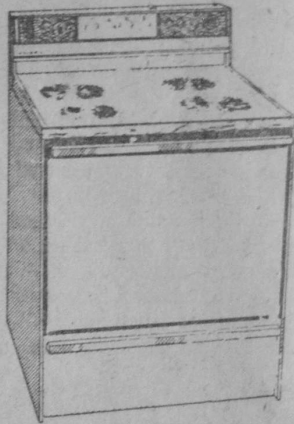
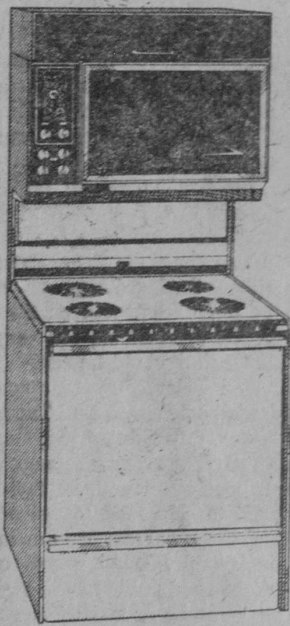


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THIRTY-THREE STUDENTS of General Motors Institute, Flint, comprising the AC Tech Club of AC Spark Plug Division, spent Friday in the Tawasess inspecting operations at the two plants of Tawas Industries, Incorporated, and the Aulerich Road plant of

Tawas Tool Company. The group is pictured above in front of Tawas Industries, Incorporated's Plant No. 1.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Iosco County Lists Building Permits

Ninety-two building applications were approved during June by the Iosco County Department of Building and Safety Inspection as follows:

TAWAS CITY

Provincial House, Incorporated, 400 West North Street, nursing home, \$1,000,000; Robert Eklund, 125 Manor Drive, fence, \$80; Frank Byrd, 217 Second Avenue, garage, \$3,200; Tawas Plating, 510 Industrial, warehouse, \$32,000; Norman Hope, 1160 Grove Street, remodel, \$500; Charles Stonehouse, 318 North Street, aluminum siding, \$2,200; Virginia DePotty, Margo Street, house and attached garage, \$30,000; Peter Lambrecht, Margo Street, house and attached garage, \$35,000; Dorothy Banks, 361 Oak Street, patio and fence, \$450; Kenneth Myles, Jerry Cotter and James DeRosia, Fourth Avenue, apartment complex, \$600,000; Richard C. Erspamer, 621 Lake Street, addition, \$2,200.

OSCODA TOWNSHIP

Etienne L. Mertens, 7669 Loud Drive, home and attached garage, \$16,000; Dale G. Arseneau, 206 West Dwight, demolish storage barn; Artis Levin, 5033 State Street, addition, \$7,500; Frank Klein, F-41, auto repair shop, \$35,721; James R. Ramsey, 6348 Cedar Lake Road, mobile home, \$3,500; Eugene D. Braunstein, 4691 Beech Street, addition, \$2,500; Walter Johnson, 3159 Pine Acres Road, garage and breezeway, \$2,500; Ralph E. Sonnenberg, 3670 Pine Acres Road, mobile home, \$16,000; Larry Latosinski, 6400 Potomac, mobile home, \$5,000; Edward Cunningham, 5943 Thornton, addition, \$2,500; Robert Fulton, 5897 Van-Ettan Drive, garage, \$4,480; Duane Nonamaker, 6392 Seminole Street, demolish garage; Sherman Little, 3503 Pinecrest Drive, new house, \$20,000; William Markham Jr., Stagecoach Trail, house and attached garage, \$32,000; James Zuehlke, Nelson Street, house and attached garage, \$35,500; James Zuehlke, 7741 Cedar Lake Road, house and attached garage, \$29,500;

George Pellerin, 6446 Appold Drive, house, \$15,552; Donald Cordell, 3156 Pine Acres Road, garage, \$2,285; E. A. Wood, 4385 Lodge Road, cement plant, \$25,000; Donald E. Clemmons, 1982-Bissonette Road, pump house, \$500; James Zuehlke, Stagecoach Trail, house, \$33,500; Sherman D. Little, 3527 Pinecrest, house, \$22,500; Sherman D. Little, 3511 Pinecrest, house, \$21,000; Roman Iwaszkiewicz, 7257 Woodlea, porch, \$2,000; Albert Lowery, 7600 North Hillcrest, addition, \$10,300; Bennington, 5293 Hughes Street, chain link fence, \$400; Burton Kammerer, 4678 F-41, wood fence, \$500.

C. A. Brownell, US-23, billboard, \$500; William Rockwell, 5913 Willow Street, addition, \$6,700; C. A. Brownell, Gaston Way and US-23, billboard, \$1,000; Sherman Little, 3512 Pinecrest, house and attached garage, \$22,500; Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company, North US-23, commercial building, \$500,000; Ralph E. Sonnenberg, 3670 Pine Acres Road, garage, \$1,600; J. Rudeisuel, 208 West Dwight Street, aluminum siding, \$450; Morris Denton, 6936 Woodlea, wood fence, \$170; Steven Friend, Mikado Street, house, \$24,000; Richard C.

Beers, Chippewa Drive, mobile home, \$7,500; Robert C. Newman, 215 North State, move house, \$500; David Platz, 7272 Shorewood Drive, addition, \$5,000; Joseph Hughey, 5795 Cedar Lake Road, garage, \$2,880; Charles Bartholomew, 6290 Iroquois, mobile home, \$9,200; Walter Johnson, 3159 Pine Acres Road, garage and breezeway, \$2,500.

BALDWIN TOWNSHIP

Carl Behling, 2475 Blackfoot, addition, \$2,200; E. Bolanowski, 1185 Cranberry Pike, addition, \$1,500; Laurette Chatel, 1594 Media Drive, house, \$20,000; Laurette Chatel, 15-94 Media Drive, demolish house, \$500; James Klenow, 488 Miller, addition, \$4,000; William Harris, 961 Monument Road, aluminum siding, \$2,200; Dennis Szatkowski, US-23, garage, \$3,000; W. T. Immers, 2769 Immers Drive, home and attached garage, \$25,000; Glen Smith, 2404 Ruby Street, covered patio, \$700; Howard Falke, 1790 North US-23, modular home, \$28,800; Howard Falke, 1790 North US-23, remodel commercial building, \$13,700; Sandra Cable, 1651 Primrose, addition, \$2,500; Thomas Crybskey, Anderson Road, house and attached garage, \$29,000; James Papenfus, Arbutus Street, house, \$24,032; Norman Anschuetz, South Pine Lane, house, \$29,300.

WHITTEMORE

Raymond Weir, 503 West Sherman, garage, \$1,800.

GRANT TOWNSHIP

May Rench, 4920 Indian Lake Road, garage and aluminum siding, \$4,000; Melvin McGormick, 35-04 West M-55, pole barn, \$2,500; L. Iyliffe, 3181 Henry, aluminum siding, \$1,850; Joseph Pichla, South Imperial Drive, mobile home, \$7,240; William Miller, 1291 Michigan, storage shed, \$500; Ken Marsh,

State Fair's Fine Arts Exhibit Offers Cash Awards

The fine arts exhibit of the Michigan State Fair will be judged this year by Prof. Alden Smith, chairman of art and art history at Wayne State University.

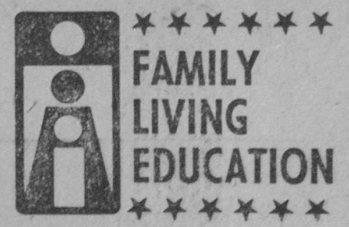
The state fair's fine arts competition, now in its 13th year, includes amateur and professional categories in painting, drawing, printmaking, sculpture and photography.

Cash awards total \$1,910, the highest being a \$400 award for best of show in the professional category, according to the competition chairman, Kegham Tazian.

Michigan artists who are interested in entering may obtain rules and application forms by contacting the Michigan State Fair, Detroit 48203, or by calling (313) 368-1000. Specify the fine arts entry form.

The deadline for returning application forms is August 1.

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By SUSAN LAMBRECHT
County Extension Director

Most retirees are finding that social security is not enough to live on comfortably.

By planning early, you can determine your retirement needs while you still have the earning power to set aside necessary money.

An elderly couple may receive as little as \$3,300 in supplemental security income a year. Many retired couples feel that at least \$6,000 is necessary to live comfortably.

By studying your present spending patterns you can get some idea how much money you will need after you retire. How much do you spend now for food, clothing, utilities, transportation, recreation and other needs? If you do not know, begin to keep track of what you do spend each month.

Figure out what these expenses will add up to for a whole year. Include seasonal and once-a-year expenses, heating fuel, property tax, Christmas gifts, etc. For a handy, accurate system of keeping track of your expenses, ask for extension bulletin E910, Steps into Spending, at your Cooperative Extension Service office, Tawas City.

Will you be living the same way after retirement? Some expenses may be much different. Clothing and transportation may be reduced when you quit working. Medical costs, hobbies, volunteer work, education, travel and services hired may add to retirement costs.

In making your spending estimates, remember to include state and federal income tax payments, life insurance and health insurance which will no longer be withheld from paychecks by your employer.

You will have to pay tax on any part of your pension or annuity

which was contributed by your employer. Only the share of pension or annuity income from your own contributions will be tax exempt.

Allow for some effect of inflation on living expenses. Even at the low annual inflation rate of four percent, a budget of \$400 would cost \$800 15 years later. A higher inflation rate, such as we now have, would bring an even faster increase in living costs. This would be partially offset by social security increases.

After you know how much it may cost you to live, find out what income you will have when you retire. Ask your social security district office for form OAR-7004 which you send in to get a report of the earnings recorded in your account. Check your job-related pension. Determine how much income you would get from both social security and pension when you retire at age 65. Find out how much income you would have to forfeit if you retired early. Would you lose other income-expanding benefits like group insurance?

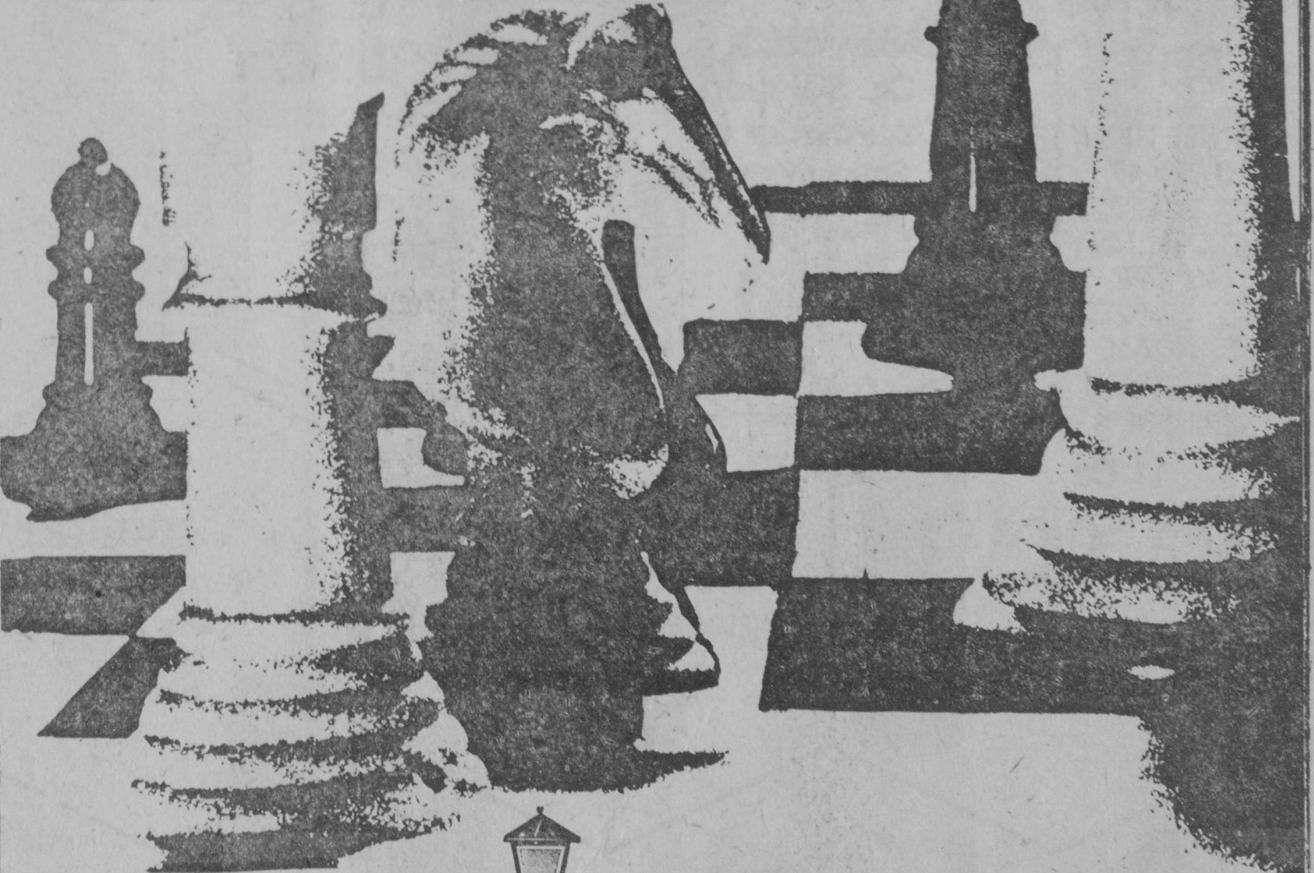
Re-evaluate insurance policies. At this time of life, you may wish your spouse to be the sole beneficiary on the policy. Be sure the policy provides enough income for the surviving spouse. If income is sufficient, you might want to drop a policy or convert it into some form of retirement income.

Look at other possible sources for retirement income such as savings or investments. Do you own property that could be rented or sold so you could invest the proceeds? You might try to put aside extra savings now when your income is at its peak. Another way of saving is buying ahead. Make major purchases, a new appliance or car, and pay off loans and mortgages while you are still working. Make major repairs to your home at this time if you intend to stay in it after you retire.

Planning for retirement should be a lifelong process. Retirement is a time for many adjustments. If you start early enough and give enough thought to it, you can come out a winner.

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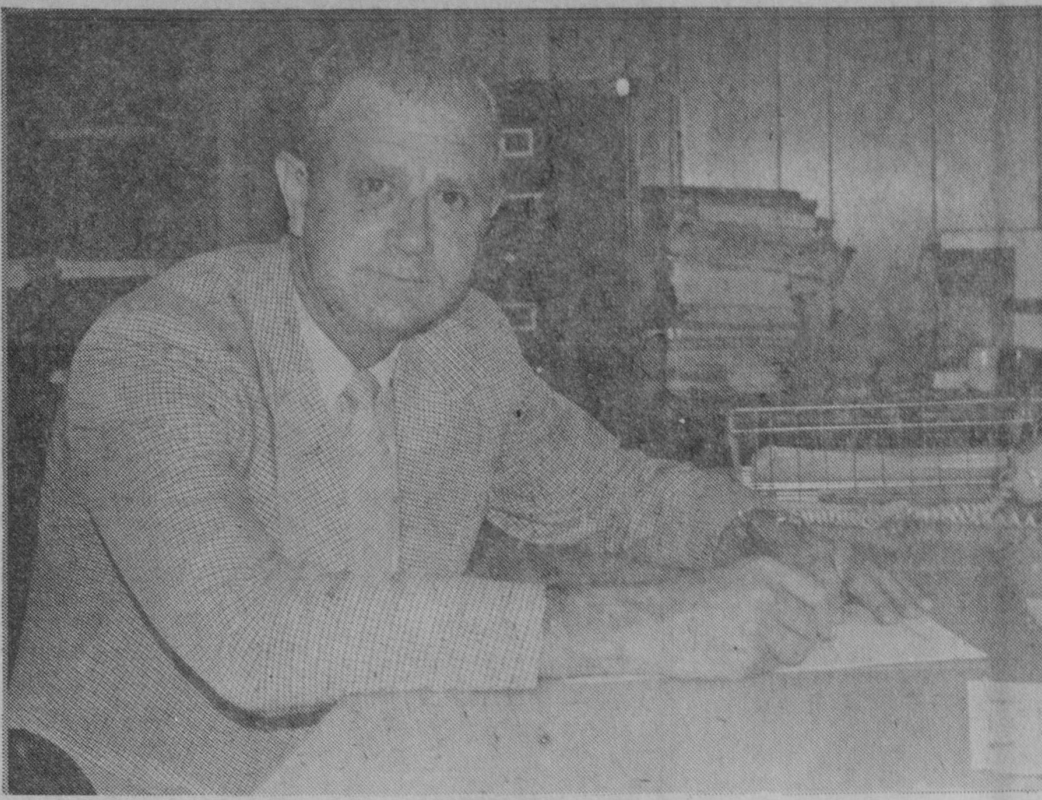
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NORMAN C. OLMSTED, new superintendent of Iosco Intermediate School District, is shown in the top photo. He took over his new position July 1 after serving as director of secondary education at Ann Arbor for three years. New officers of the intermediate district board of education are pictured below following Thursday night's reorganization. Seated from left are Josephine DiLoreto, secretary; Dale Brumfield, president; Robert Elliott, vice president. In the back row from left are Donald Schuster and George Erickson.—Tawas Herald Photos.



Lawnmower Tips Promote Safety

By KENNETH KERNSTOCK
County Agricultural Agent

The good ole' summertime means lawn care and lawn mowing to many Michigan families. According to the Consumer Product Safety Commission, more than 50,000 adults and children are treated each year in hospital emergency rooms for injuries associated with power lawnmowers.

Accidents usually occur from contact with the rotating blade; objects such as rocks, wire and twigs being thrown from the machine; overturning of the machine and mower running over the victim (occurring usually with riding mowers backing over someone or pulling a mower back over the operator's foot.)

Richard Pfister, Michigan State University extension safety engineer, offers the following advice:

Rake away wires, cans, rocks and twigs before starting to mow. Never mow a wet lawn because you could slip and come in contact with the rotating blade. The wet grass could clog the blades and tempt trying to clear the machine

without first turning it off. Always turn off the mower and wait for the moving parts to stop before leaving it.

Always turn off the machine and disconnect the spark plug wire or the electric plug to unclog or adjust the machine, a slight rotation of the blade could start the engine.

Mow across the slope when using a walking mower. With a riding mower, however, drive up and down the slope for stability.

When using an electric mower, be very careful not to run over the cord or entangle it in the blades. Start mowing the grass nearest to the electrical outlet and gradually move out.

Wait for at least one-half minute after shutting off the engine to be certain the blades have stopped.

Push, do not pull, a hand mower. Never remove the safety shield or any other safety devices on a lawn mower.

Never refuel a mower while it is running or while the engine is hot. Never refuel a mower indoors, because unseen vapors may be ignited by a spark.

Start the mower outdoors, not in

a garage or basement where carbon monoxide gas can collect.

Do not smoke around the mower or gasoline storage can, because the gasoline fumes can easily ignite.

Keep children away from the machine and the gasoline.

Before purchasing a power mower, Pfister recommends looking for these safety devices:

There should be a rear guard to prevent hands and feet coming in contact with the blade.

The discharge opening should be aimed downward.

The handles should have "up-stops" which prevent them from rising up when the machine hits an obstacle.

Read operator's manual and use its recommendations. Never allow children to operate mowers and keep them away while mowing. Wear shoes.



Davis' Bill Would Benefit Region

Local governmental units and school districts of Northern Michigan would receive millions more in state dollars if a proposal announced Thursday by Sen. Robert Davis is enacted by the legislature.

At a morning news conference at Lansing, Davis said he plans to introduce a bill which would increase the state's payment in lieu of taxes on state tax reverted lands from 58 cents per acre to \$2.40 per acre.

The money would be equally divided among county governments, county road commissions, township governments and school districts, according to the senate Republican leader's plan.

"I think it is about time the State of Michigan paid a reasonable amount in lieu of taxes on all of the state tax reverted lands," Davis said. "Since almost all of these lands are in an area north of Bay City, Northern Michigan would benefit greatly and at a relatively low cost to the state."

Davis said it was important that county road commissions be included in the distribution since so

many people from outside the area use the tax reverted lands and road commissions must maintain them.

"The local people certainly should not have to pay the full shot for maintenance and essential services needed for these lands when they are not the ones using them all of the time," he said. "If this bill is passed, it will be a real boost for these local units and no one can say they do not have it coming."

The payment in lieu of taxes is over and above all school aid payments and any forms of state aid.

Davis said he is having the bill prepared for introduction in the fall.

According to statistics released by Davis, Iosco has 23,346 acres of tax reverted land, the lowest of 18 Michigan counties listed in the report. Iosco has over 100,000 acres of federal forest land.

Under Davis' plan, Iosco's return from tax reverted land would be increased from \$13,540.68 to \$56,030.40, providing equal amounts of \$14,007.60 to county, townships, road commissions and schools.

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LOOKING BACKWARD—

Power Co. to Sponsor AuSable Race

15 Years Ago—
July 18, 1962—The 240-mile AuSable canoe marathon was given new life this week with the announcement that Consumers Power Company would co-sponsor the

event, which features \$3,050 in cash prizes.
Mrs. R. J. Cooke and Mrs. Joseph Hennigar were co-chairman for the East Tawas Garden Club's 12th annual flower shop, "Through the Years With Flowers."

The National City plant of National Gypsum Company has completed the first six months of the year without an injury requiring a doctor's attention.

Consumers Power Company is simplifying its street numbering in Tawas City by using north, south, east and west to pinpoint location of customers. The city has

never developed its own numbering system but has followed that established by the power firm.

25 Years Ago—

July 18, 1952—Bids for constructing the new Iosco County Building will be opened August 15. Architect Joseph Goodeyene of Bay City has the plans ready for contractors and the proposal is now being advertised.

Henry Fahselt, custodian of the Tawas City Public Schools for 27 years, has been presented with a gold wrist watch.

The Tawas played host to their first honored guest of the season as the Toast of the Tawas promotion, being handled by the Jack Parker Agency of Saginaw. The surprise guest, chosen on the basis of compliance with Tawas speed laws, general observance of highway rules of courtesy, was Richard Gaiser of Saginaw.

Waldo Curry was re-elected moderator of the Vine School.

35 Years Ago—

July 17, 1942—This Friday brings the area its first circus of the season and no doubt the only one coming this summer due to the war. Lewis Bros. Circus, Michigan's own big amusement organization, will present afternoon and evening performances at East Tawas' Washington Street grounds.

Members of Audie Johnson American Legion Post are busy this week improving the GAR Cemetery and the new addition recently presented to the post by the late Fred H. Goodrich.

Members of the county tax allocation board which met Thursday included Edward Burgeson, Russell Rollin, Grace Miller, Arthur Goulette, Thomas Oliver, Richard Fuerst.

A large corps of volunteers began the USO campaign to raise \$1,000 in Iosco County.

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AUGUST 3-9

Wednesday, August 3-
Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, noon sack lunch, East Tawas Community Building.

Tawas Area Rotary Club, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's China House.
Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Iosco County Sportsmen's Club, 7:30 p. m., clubhouse in Baldwin Township. Public welcome.
Public hearing on consolidation of cities, 7:30 p. m., American Legion Hall, North Street, Tawas City.

Hale Chapter No. 482, Order of the Eastern Star, 8:00 p. m., Hale Masonic Temple.

Thursday, August 4-
Tawas City Businessmen's Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Dutch Kitchen Restaurant, Tawas City.

Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Tawas Area Modulators, 7:00 p. m., East Tawas Community Building.

Friday, August 5-
Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Saturday, August 6-
Tawas Bay Art Show, Tawas City Park.

Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Sunday, August 7-
Tawas Bay Art Show, Tawas City Park.

Monday, August 8-
East Tawas Garden Club, noon pot-luck picnic. Cottage of Mrs. Warren Bennett, Little Island Lake.

Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Tuesday, August 9-
Tawas Kiwanis Club regular meeting, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's China House.

Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Tuesday, August 2-
Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, board of directors, 9:30 a. m., East Tawas City Hall.

Tawas Kiwanis Club regular meeting, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's China House.

Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Tawas City Garden Club, 1:30 p. m., home of Doris Schatz.

TOPS Chapter No. 979, 6:00 p. m. weigh in; 7:00 p. m. meeting, East Tawas City Hall.

Public hearing on consolidation of cities, 7:30 p. m., East Tawas Elementary School.

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

Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 25-

AUGUST 10-16

Wednesday, August 10-
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 China House.

Tawas Area Senior Citizens, noon sack lunch, East Tawas Community Building.

Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Irene Rebekah Lodge No. 137, 8:00 p. m., Odd Fellow Hall, East Tawas.

Huron Shore Jaycees, 8:00 p. m., Michigan Consolidated Gas Company conference room.

Thursday, August 11-
Tawas City Businessmen's Association, 12 o'clock noon, Dutch Kitchen Restaurant, Tawas City.

Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Iosco Intermediate Board of Education, 7:30 p. m., board room.

Tawas Council No. 2709, Knights of Columbus, 8:00 p. m., K of C Hall, East Tawas.

Friday, August 12-
Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Iosco County Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 5678, 8:00 p. m., VFW Hall, Tawas City.

Saturday, August 13-
Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Monday, August 15-
Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

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

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

Singspiration, 7:30 p. m., South Branch Community Church.

Tuesday, August 16-
Tawas Kiwanis Club regular meeting, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's China House.

Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

TOPS Chapter No. 979, 6:00 p. m. weigh in; 7:00 p. m. meeting, East Tawas City Hall.



Work Bee Today Prepares Iosco Fairgrounds for Opening

County fair time is now only one week away and the Iosco County Agricultural Society is holding a work bee Wednesday (today) at the Hale fairgrounds in preparation for the opening on July 27.

The fair board, which meets the year around to make plans for this annual event, recently completed work on a new office building at the fairgrounds and more changes are expected in future years during a general rearrangement of Plainfield Township grounds and county fairgrounds.

During today's work bee, members of the fair board and volunteers will be cleaning the grounds and making plans for handling parking of cars for the big four-day event. Before exhibits are assembled on July 27, all display buildings are to be prepared and made ready for livestock as well as exhibits of farm produce, home canned food, arts, crafts and antiques.

"It always takes a lot of work to get ready for the fair, but we have some dedicated people serving with us," states Richard M. Samson, secretary-manager of the fair.

He reminds potential exhibitors that display areas are to open at 9:00 a. m. on July 27.

"We are looking forward to another outstanding program and we need the cooperation of residents from all sections of the county to make this truly a worthwhile event," said Samson.

What's Cooking in Michigan

By CARL OLSON
Michigan Department of Agriculture

from Ingham, Jackson, Lapeer and Macomb Counties. Michigan Department of Agriculture statistics show there are about 1,600 acres

producing almost 20 million pounds of lettuce a year. Nothing like having a good "head" for figures, is there.

Lettuce is something you use for salads, right? Well, that is the usual way and there is nothing better for a crisp meal starter. However, lettuce is versatile and can serve as a dinner vegetable as well.

Michigan Department of Agriculture officials, at a food fair in The Netherlands, asked a European home economist to make up some interesting recipes featuring Michigan food products.

Since iceberg lettuce is quite rare in The Netherlands, the economist cut the head into chunks, stewed it and served the dish dressed with butter for a dinner side dish.

I have tried this and, strange as it sounds, it is delicious. Another version is to stew it in chicken broth and garnish the lettuce with slivered toasted almonds.

For a cool summer salad that can serve as dinner by itself, try this turkey and peach combination, also from The Netherlands. Sprinkle two cups sliced fresh Michigan peaches (or one can, well drained) with lemon juice. Combine with three cups of diced, cooked turkey breast; one small onion, finely diced, and one-half cup thin pi-miento strips. Season lightly with salt, sugar and a little salad oil. Serve on a large lettuce leaf on individual plates.

Incidentally, fresh Michigan field-grown lettuce will be on grocer's shelves until about mid-September and comes primarily

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Tawas City	31	29
Omer	28 1/2	31 1/2
Tawas Lake	25	35
Sand Lake	25	35
East Tawas	25	35
Individual High Series: Ted Emery, 631; Sylvia Metzger, 626; Phil Maser, 599.		
Individual High Single: Ted Emery, 288; Sylvia Metzger, 227; Phil Maser, 224.		

Iosco County Firefighters Association, 7:00 p. m.
Tawas City Chapter No. 303, Order of the Eastern Star, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple.
Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 25-25, 8:00 p. m., 124 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

JULY 20-26

Wednesday, July 20-
Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, catered dinner, East Tawas Community Building.
Tawas Area Rotary Club, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's China House.
Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Thursday, July 21-
Twentieth Century Club, 1:30 p. m., home of Mrs. George Stalker.

Friday, July 22-
Tawas City Businessmen's Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Dutch Kitchen Restaurant, Tawas City.
Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Saturday, July 23-
Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Sunday, July 24-
Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Monday, July 25-
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Tuesday, July 26-
Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 5678, 8:00 p. m., VFW Hall, Tawas City.

Wednesday, July 27-
Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, 7:30 a. m., chamber building.
Iosco County Fair, Hale Fairgrounds.
Tawas Area Senior Citizens, noon sack lunch, East Tawas Community Building.
Tawas Area Rotary Club, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's China House.
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Thursday, July 28-
Irene Rebekah Lodge No. 137, 8:00 p. m., Odd Fellows Hall, East Tawas.

Friday, July 29-
Huron Shores Jaycees, 8:00 p. m., Michigan Consolidated Gas Company conference room.
Iosco County Citizens for Life (non-denominational), 8:00 p. m., Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall. Public invited.

Saturday, July 30-
Iosco County Fair, Hale Fairgrounds.
Tawas City Businessmen's Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Dutch Kitchen Restaurant, Tawas City.
Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Sunday, July 31-
Jesse C. Hodder Post No. 189, American Legion and Auxiliary, 7:30 p. m., American Legion Hall, North Street, Tawas City.
Tawas Council No. 2709, Knights of Columbus, 8:00 p. m., K of C Hall, East Tawas.

Monday, August 1-
Iosco County Fair, Hale Fairgrounds.
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Thursday, August 4-
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Monday, August 8-
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Tuesday, August 9-
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Wednesday, August 10-
Art Gallery, 801 West Westover, East Tawas. Open to public, 1:00-5:00 p. m.

Thursday, August 11-
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Friday, August 12-
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Saturday, August 13-
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Sunday, August 14-
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COMING EVENTS

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East Tawas Community Building
Thursday, Friday, July 21-22
9:00 A. M. - 4:00 P. M. 28-2b

W A T A S T A W A S

THE TAWAS HERALD Wednesday, July 20, 1977-5

HELP WANTED

MEDICAL—Secretary with insurance experience. Phone 362-4493. 29-1p

LADIES — For part-time store work. Live within five miles. Must be 21 years old or older. See Marilyn Hadley, manager, Norman's, East Tawas. 24-tfb

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful service, floral offerings and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful.
The Enos LaBerge family 29-1p

I would like to thank everyone for their cards and flowers during my recent stay in the Saginaw General Hospital; especially the Bay Kidney Foundation.
Carol LaBerge 29-1p

I wish to thank my many friends and co-workers for all their kindnesses, flowers and cards during my recent stay at Tawas Hospital. Words cannot fully express how much they meant to me.
The many prayers said for me at this time brought about my quick recovery.
Thank you so much.
Rhoda Wickert 29-1p

I wish to thank Pastor Graf for his visit and prayers, the doctors and staff at Tawas Hospital, my many friends and neighbors for their get-well cards and flowers. For all of this, I am very grateful.
Alma Johnson 29-1b

To all who expressed their sympathy in so many thoughtful ways, my neighbors, friends, Tawas St. Joseph Hospital Ambulance Service, Dr. James E. Jacques and Jacques and Kobs Funeral Home, during my recent bereavement, I extend by heartfelt thanks.
Mrs. Minnie Weaver 29-1p

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE
Wilber Township Residents Having moved from the area, Albert Mochty Jr. has resigned as Wilber Township Supervisor.
E. B. Cavell, 375 Swan Road, East Tawas has been appointed by the township board to fill this vacancy.
BETTY CROSS
Wilber Township Clerk 29-1b

Sherman Township Planning Commission will have a meeting July 26, 1977, 7:30 p. m., township hall.
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Buses will be available for display at the Tawas Area High School, 255 W. M-55, Tawas City.
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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of Tawas City Council meeting June 20, 1977.

Meeting called to order at 7:30 PM at City Hall by Mayor Herbert Cholger.
Present: Cotter, Landon, Rollin, Cholger, Lansky, Ezo. Councilman Groff arrived at 10:45 PM. Others: Mgr. Bublitz.

Minutes of June 6 meeting were approved as written.

In discussion regarding practicality of billing for fire calls, Manager was directed to survey similar cities regarding their practice in the case of house fires, and to send billing for \$100 or cost, whichever is greater, for car fires.

Water Board minutes of June 7 meeting were read and accepted.

Planning Commission minutes of June 16 meeting were read and accepted.

Richard Powers inquired regarding the status of US 23 storm sewer plans. He was informed that City is awaiting a corrected set of construction plans from MDS&T.

Ralph Knop of Edmonds Engineering, Inc. presented a detailed explanation of the Facility Plan developed in the Step 1 study, with analysis of cost-effectiveness of various plans, to be further described at the June 23 Public Hearing. He indicated that the June 30, 1977 deadline for arrangements for secondary sewage treatment will not be strictly enforced.

City Attorney Myles' letter in response to the question, "If you are delinquent in your taxes, is this default to the City?" was read and responded to by Roger Bauer, who addressed the Council as attorney for Councilman Rollin. After earnest discussion by Council and various members of the audience, a motion by Ezo seconded by Lansky that the Council define the meaning of "default" in the City Charter as including, but not limited to, non-payment of delinquent taxes due, after the penalty date, resulted in a tied vote, by roll call: Yeas-Landon, Lansky, Ezo; Nays-Cotter, Rollin, Cholger.

Cotter, seconded by Rollin, then offered "Council moves that delinquent taxes are not included in 'default' as used in the Charter." Roll call vote, a tie: Yeas-Cotter, Rollin, Cholger; Nays-Landon, Lansky, Ezo.

City Clerk was then directed to telephone Councilman Groff at his home, compelling his attendance, to break the tied voting. While awaiting his arrival, other business was handled.

Motion by Cotter seconded by Ezo that consideration of a proposed amendment of Section 4.6 (g) of the City Charter be tabled until next Council meeting carried by roll call vote: Yeas-Cotter, Landon, Lansky, Ezo; Nays-Rollin, Cholger.

Motion by Ezo seconded by Cotter to reschedule July 4 meeting, and set July 11 as next regular Council meeting, carried.

Motion by Landon seconded by Cotter to table until next meeting consideration of proposed vacation of a portion of Fifth Street, carried by roll call vote, unanimous yes.

Manager announced that Nelson Thornton and Leonard Hosbach have been named to represent the Tawas City Businessmen's Association in study of housing for Fire Department. Committee is to meet

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

at 6:30 PM June 23.
Moved by Ezo and supported by Lansky that the request from Walter W. Schultz for new Dance Permit to be held in conjunction with 1977 12 Month Resort Class C license located at 442-444 Lake St., Tawas City, Mich 48763, Isosco County be considered for approval. Approval - Yeas: Cotter, Landon, Rollin, Cholger, Lansky, Ezo; Nays: none. It is the consensus of this legislative body that the application be recommended for issuance.

Motion by Ezo that bills totaling \$736.59 be paid, seconded by Landon; roll call vote, unanimous yes: John R. Henry \$192.50; Tawas Total Service \$46.49; Cholger's Service \$15.76; Consumers Power Co. \$130.60; Michigan Bell \$6.90; Michigan Bell \$169.29; Tawas Hardware \$138.08; Michigan Con. Gas Co. \$36.97

Ezo reported on his recent inspection of Sheriff's Department activity, and urged other Council members to take advantage of Sheriff Westcott's invitation. Police Report for May was read and accepted.

Upon Councilman Groff's arrival at 10:45, motion by Ezo was seconded by Lansky that the Council define the meaning of "default" in the City Charter as including, but not limited to, non-payment of delinquent taxes due, after the penalty date. Roll call vote: Yeas-Landon, Lansky, Ezo, Groff; Nays-Cotter, Rollin, Cholger. Motion carried.

Cotter resubmitted motion, seconded by Rollin, that Council moves that delinquent taxes are not included in "default" as used in the Charter. Roll call vote: Yeas-Cotter, Rollin, Cholger; Nays-Landon, Lansky, Ezo, Groff. Motion defeated.

Adjourned 11:05.
RACHEL SUE MCCREADY
Tawas City Clerk 29-1b

PUBLIC NOTICE
Summary of Regular Meeting June 27, 1977 10:00 A. M.
Meeting called to order: Present: Commissioners' Conley, Aulerich, White, Engineer-Manager Delahanty, Secretary-Clerk Ferguson. Also, Mr. John Byder and Mr. Mike Charboneau from Braun and Braun. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Old Business:

1. Insurance Bids: John Byder and Mike Charboneau presented their review and recommendations of the bids received June 15. 2. Bids-Semi Annual Requirements: The engineer-manager made his recommendations on the bids for the Semi-Annual Requirements; Motion by Commissioner Aulerich, supported by Commissioner White to make awards per the engineer-manager's recommendations. Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried.

3. Lakewood Shores: The engineer-manager reported that the papers had been signed for the Letter of Credit for Lakewood Resort Developers. 4. Hottis Road Bridge: Motion by Commissioner White, supported by Commissioner Aulerich that upon the review and recommendation of the engineer-manager to accept the quote of Edmands Engineering for the design of the Hottis Road Bridge. Roll

call vote, all yeas. Motion carried. 5. Pastor Gagnon: Motion by Commissioner White, supported by Commissioner Aulerich to let Pastor Gagnon use the Whittemore Garage building for 30 days. Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried.

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Summary of Regular Meeting June 27, 1977 10:00 A. M.
Meeting called to order: Present: Commissioners' Conley, Aulerich, White, Engineer-Manager Delahanty, Secretary-Clerk Ferguson. Also, Mr. John Byder and Mr. Mike Charboneau from Braun and Braun. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Old Business:

1. Insurance Bids: John Byder and Mike Charboneau presented their review and recommendations of the bids received June 15. 2. Bids-Semi Annual Requirements: The engineer-manager made his recommendations on the bids for the Semi-Annual Requirements; Motion by Commissioner Aulerich, supported by Commissioner White to make awards per the engineer-manager's recommendations. Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried.

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Estate of Terry Lynne Gross
TAKE NOTICE: On August 9, 1977, at 1:30 P. M., in the Probate Courtroom, Tawas City, Michigan, before the Hon. William H. McCready, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Terry Lynne Gross to change her name to Terry Lynne Larson.
Dated: June 28, 1977
TERRY LYNNE GROSS
Petitioner
704 Forest
Oscoda, Michigan 48750
Attorney for Petitioner:
Kenneth J. Myles P. C.
502 Lake St.
Tawas City, Mich. 48763
Phone 517-362-6133 28-3b

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File No. 7591
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Dated July 12, 1977
CECILE SOBCHAK
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Rte 3, Box 3305
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Attorney for Petitioner:
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THE LOUD FAMILY lost about one-million-dollars worth of property during the 1911 fire but, as one newspaper account pointed out, "one cannot lose more than everything," as was the case for most home owners in the twin communities.

The picture at top left shows the Loud bandsaw mill prior to the fire. Pictures at top right and lower left show the ruins after the fire. The picture at lower right shows ruins of the Loud residences at AuSable.

1911 Fire

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docks were lost.

Will McGilivray, Oscoda editor, estimated 600 buildings in all were destroyed; The Detroit News reported the aggregate insurance at \$75,000.

While the Louds lost heaviest in total money, one cannot lose more than everything, as most people did. Five lost their lives; Jacques Lavoie, boxmaker, who died of burns; Francois Clairmount, aged musician, who was found under his house; William Batts, handyman at the Hotel Elliott; Samuel Rosenthal, merchant, was found dead alongside a trunk he was trying to save; an unidentified peddler, who was found pinned under a fallen viaduct.

Aid was given to the survivors almost instantaneously. Port Huron opened its heart and pocket books to the Niko survivors. They arrived at Port Huron penniless and in "wash clothes." A committee was formed which hustled them to hotels and lunchrooms for a meal and then to the Masonic Temple for lodging.

(Charles A. Jahraus, Tawas City attorney, was in AuSable and made his escape on the Niko. He said "Capt. Myers showed great heroism in holding his boat at the dock until fire cut off all possible chances of more people reaching the boat and the boat was on fire." A committee of passengers decided that Port Huron was the most available point to land, as they had been informed that the Tawas were entirely destroyed by fire that afternoon.)

Detroit sent an estimated \$5,000 worth of relief goods. Ironically, this figure included three carloads of lumber. The State of Minnesota sent a check for \$2,500. Carloads of shoes, clothing, bedding, blankets and tents were sent from Alpena and other Michigan communities.

A dense pall of smoke had settled over Iosco County and older citizens of the Tawas still recall the eerie half light as the sun filtered through the suffocating

smoke. Relief trains were sent from the Tawas and several hundred persons were brought here. A train was made up which left Tawas City at 11:30 a. m. with food provided by the people of the Tawas for the relief of those who still remained in the burned out towns.

More provisions were sent from those towns Wednesday morning and later trains arrived from Bay City, Alpena and other points with relief.

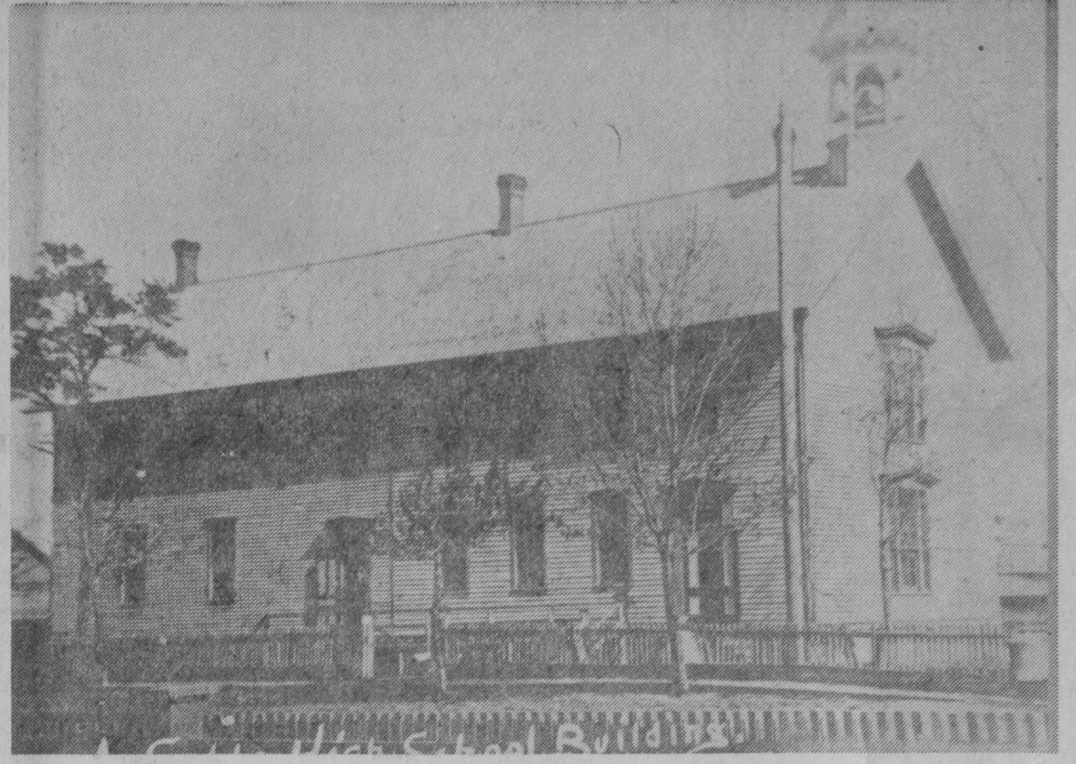
High winds that day caused many fires throughout Northeastern Michigan. Damage to a tannery at Alpena amounted to \$350,000, along with destruction of a number of homes; Onaway, Millersburg and Tower also suffered severe losses, while Cheboygan was threatened by a fire which started in a great sawdust pile there.

The Herald reported as follows on July 14, 1911: "The launch, Reliance, will take an excursion to AuSable on Sunday. Fare for the round trip, 50 cents. Accommodations for 30 people. The first 30 people making applications will be accommodated. Inquire of A. J. Berube or Albert Nash, East Tawas."

The twin towns at the mouth of the AuSable River were soon overrun by hundreds of sightseers, who picked through the wreckage of burned out homes to find blobs of glass and other souvenirs of the intense flames, or marveled at the immense piles of scrap iron remaining from burned out mills.

The tragedy of the fire was the breaking off of long friendships among neighbors of two communities; entire families, left destitute in a matter of minutes, suddenly had to leave to find housing and employment. Some moved to nearby towns to live with relatives, while others moved to Detroit and other industrial centers of the state.

AuSable lay completely barren for years and the city government finally reverted back to township status, but Oscoda was quickly rebuilt. The scars from that long-ago fire are now all but forgotten as both Oscoda and AuSable are modern, progressive communities.



THE AuSABLE SCHOOL BUILDING was one of the few structures to escape the flames—it was surrounded by a wide expanse of sand. The building housed numerous families left homeless by the fire.

Mental Health Has New Staff Members

Iosco-Ogemaw Community Mental Health Board announces the employment of two new staff members.

Terry Bradley has been employed to fill the position of psychologist vacant since June 29 in the Tawas City office. Bradley

completed his master of arts degree in clinical psychology at Central Michigan University in May of 1977. He is married and has one child. He comes with the highest recommendations from professors and field supervisors. He began employment on July 18.

Leonard Stephens, West Branch, has been employed as a survey aide under the terms of a CETA position recently awarded to the board by Ogemaw County. The purpose of the position is to perform a community survey to assess mental health needs within the community as well as the applicability and coverage of the mental health programs which the board presently provides. Stephens is a long-time resident of the West Branch area.

Herald Classifieds Get Results!

HENNIGAR'S COMMEMORATIVE LOG OF COMMUNITY EVENTS

50 YEARS AGO - JULY 1927

Whittemore will have a 12-grade school the coming year and will be placed on the accredited list. A curriculum is now being worked out which will be submitted to the state department of instruction.

"Invest in Rest" is the theme of a Barkman Mercantile & Outfitting Company adv.

A landing field for the Tawas Golf Club Course is now being contemplated states Frank Brown, secretary of the club. With the rapid advancement which is being made by flying, a landing field will soon be necessary.

Many cars from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Canada were at the State Park during the fourth celebration. Five hundred tents were pitched and 5,145 people registered during that time.

Buy season tickets—For the whole family, Community Chautauqua, Joy time. Adv. 63 Persons signed the chautauqua contract this week so that the people of Iosco can enjoy chautauqua next year. Over 900 tickets were pledged for 1928.

Miss Blanche Richards, East Tawas—15 old line fire insurance companies represented. Adv.

A & P Store special—Watermelon, average 26 pounds, 63c each. Adv.

McClure Dairy Company will be open for business Monday, July 4. We will occupy the property formerly occupied by Roy's Tire and Electric Shop on East Bay Street.

The July 4th free barbecue came off as per schedule under the direction of Dave Bergeron. Everyone was fed in record time and the large crowd present showed their interest and appreciation for that part of the program.

COMMEMORATIVE —SPECIAL—

3 Days Only -- July 21-22-23

25% OFF

MEN'S MATCHED WORK SETS or
WORK JEANS

1927 HENNIGAR'S 1977

Our 50th Anniversary Year



MAIN STREET of Oscoda is shown above after the fire. Few buildings escaped the blaze and nearly the entire town was turned into ashes. Ruins of the post office are pictured in the foreground.

Menus

IOSCO COUNTY
DROP-IN CENTERS

Thursday, July 21—

Roast turkey, dressing and gravy, buttered peas, spinach salad, pears, coffee, tea, milk.

Friday, July 22—

Beef stroganoff and noodles, cheese sticks, broccoli, tossed salad, roll and margarine, apricots, coffee, tea, milk.

Monday, July 25—

Hamburg patties, parsley buttered potatoes, cole slaw, roll and margarine, mixed fruit cup, coffee, tea, milk.

Tuesday, July 26—

Macaroni and cheese, stewed tomatoes, tossed salad, brown bread and margarine, peaches, coffee, tea, milk.

Wednesday, July 27—

Cold turkey slices, cheese slices, potato salad, relishes from the garden, roll and margarine, cranberry gelatin dessert, coffee, tea, milk.

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AUCTION SALE

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APPLIANCES — ANTIQUES
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JEWELRY WAGON

Friday, July 22

2 Miles East of M-65-M-55 Junction on M-55.

Time: 5:30 P. M.

Larry LaClair, Owner
Auctioneer: Perry Shellenbarger

Hale -- 728-2562

Terms: CASH

Handicapped

Have New

Fair Category

Handicapped persons who do needlework or home crafts now will have a special category to compete in at the Michigan State Fair.

Two new categories, needlework by a handicapped person and crafts by a handicapped person, are the newest classes to be added

to the community arts exhibition categories, according to Marie Harding, supervisor of community arts. They were added because of a number of requests, she said.

Exhibits in the community arts department of the fair are in four divisions, needlework and handicraft, canning and preserving, baking, and flower arranging. The hundreds of individual classes include such diverse items as doll houses, needlepoint pictures, Irish soda bread and South African cake decorating.

Rules for entering any of the categories and application forms are printed in the community arts premium list, which is available now to persons interested in exhibiting, according to Mrs. Harding.

Any Michigan resident may enter. Entry deadline for community arts exhibits, as well as those in all other Michigan State Fair divisions, is August 1. The only exception is the horse show which has an entry deadline of July 25.

Community arts department, in addition to its four regular divisions, will continue the popular Make It and Take It Workshops and the fine arts exhibition.

The department will continue to offer for men only classes in needlework, baking, canning and preserving.


The 11-day fair will run from August 26 through September 5, Labor Day, at the Michigan State Fairgrounds, Eight Mile Road and Woodward in Detroit.

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