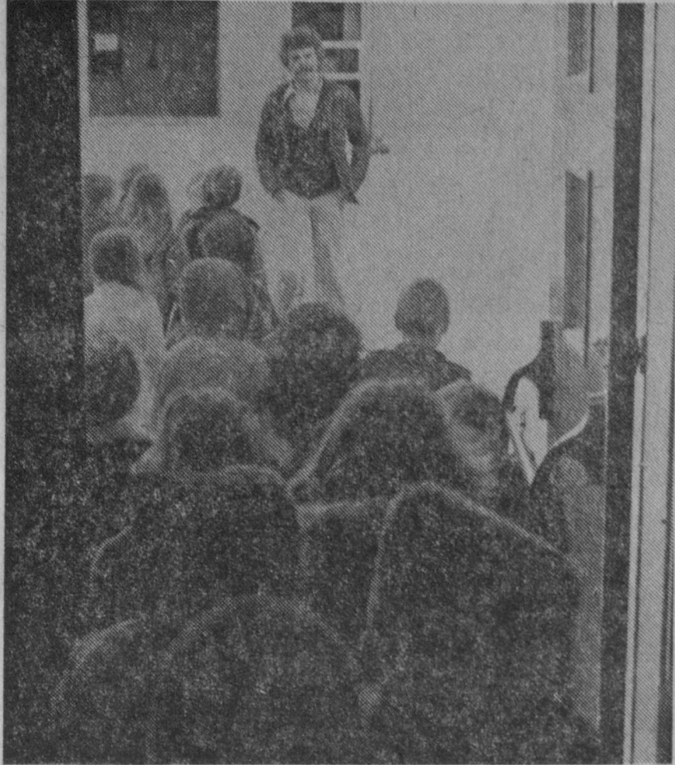


Jury Awards Damages

An Iosco Circuit Court jury found in favor of an Oscoda photographer Friday in a suit against a Clare County studio owner concerning an alleged unfair business practice. The trial was held three days last week.

The jury awarded a total of \$6,900, which included \$1,400 in exemplary damages, to John Smith. Ordered to pay the damages was Leonard Hawks of Harrison. Other defendants originally named in the suit, including Guys and Dolls Studio, East Tawas, were dismissed.

The suit involved the right of selling senior class pictures at Tawas Area School. Smith claimed that he had won in bidding for the work, but that the Clare County photographer and his agents later solicited photography work from students at a price below their original bid.



WATCHING a group of kindergarten students leaving the elementary school building following a special visit to the first grade by Donald Palmer, teacher.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Hale School Has Roundup Program

A big step in the lives of about four million of the nation's five-year-olds will be taken next fall when they enter kindergarten for the first time. For most, it will be a time of great change—when others—school teachers—begin sharing with parents the responsibility for the child's education and growth.

Today's parents recalling their own thrilling first day of school may remember most giving them a pat on the head, a tearful "now mind the teacher" and the inevitable snapshot showing junior dressed in his new school clothes.

Those dramatic and perhaps even humorous events are still part of the first day of school, when the child enters a new place, meets new people for play and work and new demands are placed on his time. But, there has been a rather remarkable change for children on this first day of school—in recent years, most of them have already met their teachers, have experienced a few hours of actual classroom participation and have undergone a barrage of tests.

Kindergarten "roundups" are held during the month of April and a typical program will be held April 20 at Hale Area School. This school's "roundup" is similar to others held around the state, but each school has its own innovations and ideas concerning what it wishes to know about children entering school for the first time.

Although Peter Holly, elementary principal at Hale Area School, states that it is still important to know the number of children that can be expected in kindergarten next fall, in order to arrange scheduling and classroom assignments, that school district carries its "roundup" several steps beyond a mere headcount.

(Although it is not generally realized, population in the rural area of Hale Area School is rather transient — projections indicate that the school will have 64 new kindergartners next fall and it will lose 34 students next fall who are currently enrolled in beginning classes.)

One of the most important extra steps at Hale Area School is this: The school wants to know, to the

best of its ability, if the five-year-old has matured socially, emotionally and physically to the point where he or she is ready to start school. This information is shared with parents attending the "roundup" in order that the right decision can be made before the start of school next fall.

The decision arrived at jointly by teachers, the administration and the parents is most important in the lives of the youngsters, for many children started school in the past under a definite disadvantage and in many cases, it followed them for the rest of their lives.

A policy adopted by Hale Area Board of Education about three years ago states that a child should be five years of age by September 1 in order to start kindergarten. This "cutoff date" for entering school has no legal status, for the parent may enroll the child in kindergarten on his fifth birthday, according to state law.

To assist the parent in making this important decision is the reason for the kindergarten "roundup." A parent, for example, may see a child finally tying his shoe laces correctly and think that repetition and increasing coordination of little fingers achieved the success. A teacher with extra training in early childhood education, however, recognizes that this act involves not only these achievements, but also memory, concentration and an awareness of other relationships.

Educators now generally accept the premise that the early years—up to age six—are the most crucial learning years, but they also know that intelligence is not fixed, that stimulation and encouragement can influence children's abilities to think at any age.

Holly said that the child's first functions in school have a direct relationship to beginning or pre-reading which the child receives in his home environment. He said it is important to realize that children model themselves after their parents, which affects their future learning. He said it was important for parents of pre-schoolers to read to their children on a daily

(See ROUNDUP, page 2.)



DISCUSSING MATERIALS to be distributed to parents during the kindergarten roundup are Donald Palmer, left, kindergarten teacher, and Peter Holly, principal of Hale Area Elementary School.—Tawas Herald Photo.



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Action Would Avoid Delay for Two Major Projects

Council Approves Storm Sewer Plan

Possible blockage of two important construction projects in Tawas City was removed Monday night by the city council, which authorized final engineering on a North Street storm sewer and directed that financing be undertaken for the project.

The council learned two weeks ago that construction on a proposed apartment complex on the south side of North Street and a nursing home to be constructed directly opposite could be delayed or even shelved by FHA regulations unless provisions were made to provide proper drainage.

Ronald Shorkey of Ames Construction Company, Saginaw, one of the developers, presented final plans and specifications for the apartment house Monday night and said that the project had a target of early May for start of construction.

City Mgr. Reginald Blublitz, who returned only last week from a vacation, reported to the council that preliminary plans for a storm sewer, first considered by the city about four years ago, had been updated earlier this year by Edmands Engineering Company, when an unsuccessful application was made for federal public works funds.

Two different projects had been considered by the engineer. One plan was to construct 2,450 feet of storm sewer along North Street to the Tawas River with the main ranging from 12 to 24 inches in diameter. This project had an estimated contracted cost of \$41,000.

The second project called for 2,150 feet of storm drain along North Street, with lateral drains to serve Third and Fourth Avenues and a portion of Second Avenue. This proposal called for a main ranging from 12 to 42 inches.

The city manager said Monday night that he would contact the engineer to determine if the lower end of the main at its entrance to

Tawas River could be reduced from its proposed 42-inch size. He felt that a smaller main would be more than adequate and would lower the present estimated cost of \$34 per foot.

Blublitz said, too, that the city crew could construct this storm sewer at a considerable saving, possibly with a total around \$30,000, excluding engineering. He said this was due to the fact that a storm sewer ranges in depth from two to six feet and the city's present equipment could be utilized.

Including the Third and Fourth Avenue laterals were considered by the council to be necessary to this project due to drainage problems at intersections of those streets with First Street. Residents of those areas had appeared at past council meetings and requested relief from spring flooding.

Blublitz said that the city would have approximately \$31,000 in uncommitted federal revenue sharing money which could be used on the project and the city presently has \$17,500 of that money on hand. He said that borrowing money for such work is permitted by the city charter.

"Regardless of how we finance this project, I feel we are obligated to go ahead with it," said Mayor Herbert Cholger.

Authorization to contact the engineers concerning the size of the main and to determine financing at a future meeting was given by a unanimous vote of the council. Abstaining from voting was Councilman Jerry Cotter, who is associated in the development of the apartment house complex.

Others associated in the project with Shorkey and Cotter are Kenneth Myles of Tawas City and James DeRosia of East Tawas.

Work is also expected to start this spring on the nursing home to be constructed by Provincial House, Incorporated.

Pay Utility Costs at Dropin Center

Support services were increased by \$165 per month to pay for utilities at the Tawas Senior Citizens dropin center on North Street at the Tawas City American Legion Hall, but the Tawas City Council served notice Monday night to the Iosco Commission on Aging that it would re-examine its support policy in another year.

Lea Hicks, director of the Trio Council on Aging, appeared before the council and requested an increase in the annual allocation from the city to help pay utilities. The request was for \$705 annually, as compared to \$540 in the past.

City councils of both Tawas City and East Tawas have financially supported the senior citizen dropin center since it was first opened about four years ago. Originally, each city allocated \$450.

The opinion was expressed at the council meeting that voters of Iosco County had approved tax millage last fall for senior citizen activities and believed this money should be utilized for financing the dropin centers.

Mrs. Hicks told the council that the Iosco Commission on Aging had opened a new dropin center at Whittemore, which utilized a portion of the new tax funds. She said that operational costs had increased since the Tawas City center was moved to its new location. She said that 6,432 meals had been served during the past year at the local center.

Mrs. Hicks believed that the millage approved by taxpayers last November had not specifically earmarked those public funds for dropin center operation, that refunds received from the tax

millage were also used to support the county's transportation system and other projects. She said that the actual amount of taxes to be received during the first year of the millage levy could not be accurately determined at present, due to the rate of delinquent taxes. New federal money is also being received to help pay operational costs.

She felt, however, that the commission on aging would be in a better position next year to finance senior citizen dropin center operational costs through the voted tax millage.

Mrs. Hicks said that support money from the two city councils pays utility costs and that use of the building is donated by Jesse C. Hodder American Post. She said that townships and other units of the county contributed funds to help pay for utilities in similar dropin centers.

Increasing the city's share to \$705 annually was approved by a six to one roll call vote. Councilman Jerry Cotter, who believed that consideration should be given to paying utility costs from funds approved by county voters, cast the "no" vote. Cotter pointed out, too, that the city had donated land for the new building. In favor of the proposition were Mayor Herbert Cholger, Councilmen William Ezo, William Groff, Charles Landon and James Lansky.

In making his motion to pay the higher cost, Landon felt that the senior citizen center operation should not be held up for want of another \$165, but it was the general feeling that the city should re-examine its policy next year.



LANNY KING, right, of Edmands Engineering Company is shown opening bids on the water project for Tawas City, East Tawas and Baldwin Township. The bid opening was conducted by the Iosco County Board of Public Works, shown in the background. The bid opening was held at the Iosco County Building.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Officials Happy Over Bidding on Water Expansion Project

Contractors are looking for business. This fact was emphasized last week when construction bids on a water expansion project to serve Tawas City, East Tawas and Baldwin Township were \$199,782 less than engineer's estimates.

At a bid opening Thursday afternoon conducted by the Iosco County Board of Public Works, bids on the project totaled \$1,416,633.70, as compared to the estimate of \$1,616,415 prepared by Edmands Engineering Company of Bay City.

Low bidder on water system extensions was GGL Contractors, Belleville, with a total bid of \$658,233.70; O'Hara Construction Company, Jackson, submitted the low bid of \$192,900 for water pumping facilities; Pittsburgh - Des Moines Steel Company, Des Plaines, Illinois, entered the low bid of \$565,500 for construction of three water storage tanks.

Other bids received on water system extensions included: Gill-

land Construction, Alpena, \$749,079.70; Gary Steadman, Incorporated, Bay City, \$733,777.77; Grove Cement Company, Sterling Heights, \$780,676.72; Mercury Construction Company, Farmington, \$778,698; Wesley Brothers, Oakley, \$907,342.

Davidson and Son Builders, Tawas City, entered a bid of \$199,900 for construction of water pumping facilities.

Other bids received for water storage included Chicago Bridge and Iron Company, Shaker Heights, Ohio, \$697,210; Universal Tank and Iron Works, Indianapolis, Indiana, \$610,865.

Harry Bacon of Edmands Engineering Company said that the bids were excellent. All proposals are to be tabulated by the engineering firm for action by the Iosco DPW. It is expected that approval will be given by the DPW this week and the proposals will be submitted to the Economic De-

velopment Administration and Farmers Home Administration for final approval.

Lanny King, project engineer for Edmands, said that the DPW could give its approval of contracts subject to approval of the two federal agencies and a subsequent bond sale.

"It is imperative to receive early approval as it will require three months of lead time for the contractor to fabricate the three steel tanks," said King.

Bacon said he would assume that contracts would go to the low bidder as each firm filed a five percent bid bond. He said, however, that a thorough investigation would be made concerning each firm.

Included in the bids on water tanks was an alternate proposal for tanks at Tawas City and East Tawas. The low bid of Pittsburgh-Des Moines Steel Company is for two water tanks with legs. The

firm was also low bidder on single pedestal tanks, which would increase the cost to \$688,500.

The tank under consideration at East Tawas is to be constructed at ground level, rising to a height of 30 feet. The elevated storage tanks in Baldwin Township and Tawas City, providing pressure on the entire system, are to be about 110 feet in height.

Engineers said there would be considerable saving in maintenance through use of the single pedestal tanks, but representatives of Tawas City and Baldwin Township would make the decision if the added cost of the pedestal tanks was warranted.

The bid for water pumping facilities includes a new pumping station on Lincoln Street at East Tawas, three new pumps at the East Tawas filtration plant and automatic telemeter equipment.

This project, to be financed jointly through federal grants on an FHA loan to the three communities, has been under consideration for more than four years. The project is designed primarily to serve industrial parks in Baldwin Township and Tawas City, but includes extension and expansion of water mains throughout the total community plus additional water storage facilities.

Construction is expected to start in the spring.

Tax Board to Tabulate Assessments

Final meeting of the Tawas City Tax Board of Review is to be held Thursday, according to a report by Ronald Turner, city tax assessor. About 40 property owners attended public sessions last week.

Turner said that the tax board of review had reviewed all commercial assessments and had conducted a spot review of residential areas. The entire community had been reappraised last year by Gem Survey.

Turner said that comparisons had indicated that residential assessments were equitable, but it was found that a number of older commercial buildings had a degree of economic and functional obsolescence, allowing adjustments.

One area where an adjustment was found to be necessary was in gasoline service stations. Turner said a depressed market had been found among service stations around the state and that adjustments were being made.

He said that John Rose, county tax equalization director, had attended two sessions of the board of review last week. He said he did not anticipate that Tawas City would receive a factor in county equalization due to the complete reappraisal of property and reviews held last week.



TERESSA DICKSON of Oscoda was crowned queen of the Miss Iosco County Scholarship Pageant held Saturday night at Oscoda Area High School. The fifth annual pageant was sponsored by the Oscoda Rotary Club. The new Miss Iosco County is shown above with well wishers following the program. (Turn to page 3 for more pictures.)—Tawas Herald Photo.



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Rev. Whaley Set as Speaker

The Rev. Benjamin Whaley of Bay City, former pastor of the local Methodist Churches, is scheduled speaker at Tawas United Methodist Church 7:00 p. m., Sunday, March 27.

A pot-luck dinner will be served at 6:00 p. m.

The Rev. Kenneth Tousley will deliver the message at the regular 10:30 a. m. worship service for the fifth Sunday in Lent. An invitation is extended to attend the fellow-

ship hour following. Church school classes will convene at 9:00 a. m. for all age levels.

Guest Speaker at TC Church

Evangelist Glen Campbell of Flint will be guest speaker Sunday, March 27, at Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Tawas City. The public is invited to attend the 11 o'clock service.

TODAY'S Meditation

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(Read Romans 12:9-17)

"Let your aims be such as all men count honorable." (Romans 12:17 NEB)

I was with a minister friend when he bought and paid for two pairs of socks. When he unwrapped them at home, he found that the clerk had included a third pair. "I shall have to take them back," he observed to his 10-year-old son.

"Why?" the astonished son replied. "The store is wealthy and we are not."

"They don't belong to me because I have not paid for them," the father explained.

Father and son went back to the store and returned the socks. The father saw the clerk responsible and explained what had happened.

The son told me later that this was the clearest lesson in Christian living he had ever received.

Many people today have no interest in the way Jesus taught and lived. It is next to impossible to maintain God's standards of honesty and conscientiousness in work and morality. Yet how important it is that we try. People have heard a lot of preaching and they have not found it all satisfying. Yet when the teaching of Jesus Christ is lived out in a human life, persons will take notice.

PRAYER

Father, we thank Thee for our Lord's honest life on this earth. Grant that by Thy power and presence we may show the world that it is possible to live Jesus' teaching today. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
An honest life shows that Jesus Christ is alive.—Gordon Childers (Norwich, England)

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FAMILY LIVING EDUCATION

By SUSAN B. LAMBRECHT
County Extension Director
MEDICATIONS COULD CAUSE MALNUTRITION

If you take medication frequently (both prescribed and over-the-counter), beware. You could end up with malnutrition.

"Drugs can impair vitamin absorption, increase vitamin excretion or interfere with vitamin utilization. Drug-induced vitamin deficiencies can occur, even when the diet is adequate for normal maintenance," warns Dr. Jenny Bond, assistant professor in Michigan State University's college of human ecology and human medicine.

However, the problem generally occurs only when an individual has been on the medication for a long time. People whose diets are inadequate, who take a number of medications or who have been under stress are much more likely to have problems.

The kidney and liver are important in metabolizing drugs. Those with kidney or liver troubles are also more likely to have difficulties with taking drugs. "We do not know how to evaluate all drug interactions, but some we do know about," Doctor Bond notes.

For example, medication may produce rickets (Vitamin D deficiency) and can interfere with blood clotting and reduce folic acid and vitamin B 12 levels. Laxatives and antibiotics can cause malabsorption of vitamins.

The following are known to impair vitamin utilization: Laxatives, sedatives, anticonvulsants, anti-inflammatory drugs, antibiotics, drugs used to control tuberculosis, antimalarials, L-dopa, hypocholesterolemic and hypoglycemic drugs, glucocorticoids, contraceptives, anticoagulants, anti-mitotic drugs, stimulants and boric acid. "You also need to be careful about when you take the medications," cautions Doctor Bond.

"Some should be taken at meal time and others must not be taken then." For example, some antibiotics should not be taken at meal time, since food reduces their efficiency. If tetracyclines are taken with dairy products, the antibiotic combines with calcium and the calcium is not absorbed well. Classifications of drugs that food usually reacts with include: Antibacterial, thyroid drugs, antihypertensives, anticoagulants, cardiac glycosides, diuretics, antidepressants and neuromotor drugs.

"Check with your physician or pharmacist and then take the drugs only as directed," advised Doctor Bond. "Also, when your doctor prescribes medication, be sure to mention what other medications, both prescribed and over-the-counter, you are currently taking.

"If you are concerned that the medications are interfering with vitamin absorption, check with your physician or a dietitian. They can advise you what foods to eat to make up for the vitamin deficiencies."

Saturday Is Day of Fasting for the Nation

As floods, dust storms and economic crises plague the United States, Seventh-day Adventists have declared this Saturday, March 26, a day of fasting and prayer for the nation.

In announcing the special day of intercession, Neal C. Wilson, vice president of the church for the United States and Canada, stated, "The half-million Adventists in North America will call on God to alleviate human suffering and preserve the nation from further calamities."

Wilson is the son of Nathaniel C. Wilson, now retired in California, who was president from 1960-66 of the Michigan Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, headquartered in Lansing.

Iosco Democrats Meet March 26

Regular monthly meeting of the Iosco County Democratic Party, which was postponed last month because of the weather, will be held Wednesday, March 23 (today), 8:00 p. m., in the Iosco County Building, Tawas City.

A Herald Classified Will Sell It—Fast!



THE MICHIGAN 4-H Youth Program's State Council works to develop, strengthen and coordinate county and area 4-H programs. The council also advises in the policy development of the statewide 4-H program. The recently elected council officers pictured from left to right in-

clude Andy Stanley, Barryton, executive board; Betty Rugen, Marquette, executive board; Diana Siem, Howell, secretary; Sylvia Fetter, Edwardsburg, vice president; George Erickson, Whittemore, president.

Roundup

(Continued from page 1.)

basis. The modeling behavior—watching the parents read in the home—is a most effective way of learning.

The time has now arrived, however, when the five-year-old will soon start to school. Holly said that it is important for parents to realize that the physical maturity rate for boys is generally slower than for girls.

"Schools can change the behavior of children, but it must be emphasized that those children coming to school with a strong value system have the best chance of success," said Holly.

"We have found that if we get the parents involved with the child during this new educational experience, it is much easier for us as educators—children come to school ready to learn," he stated.

That is the reason for the kindergarten "roundup" on April 20. Each child undergoes a pre-screening inventory to include simple tests in gross motor skills, fine motor skills, an eye examination, speech evaluation, eye perception, immunization, as well as teacher observation and a determination of pre-school educational experience.

After the pre-screening inventory and teacher observation, the parent, teacher and building principal will make the decision concerning kindergarten entrance by the child. Donald Palmer is kindergarten teacher at Hale Area School.

Most schools put emphasis on socialization and pre-reading skills in kindergarten. The teacher works with children to acquire good listening habits, to learn to follow directions and, hopefully, to reinforce values started at home.

The "roundup" requires only about 40 minutes of the parents' time. Hale Area School carries this evaluation a step further by setting up appointments for the children to spend two days in actual kindergarten classes during the spring. Those children presently enrolled in the kindergarten move up to the first grade for two days to receive actual classroom experience and to encounter the school lunch line for the first time.

Sometimes, this first trip through the lunch line is hilarious for school employees and teachers—food and trays are often spilled on the floor—but it is a definite learning experience that prepares the child for the next step in his education.

Another step carried beyond the "roundup" concept at Hale Area School is a workshop session during early summer for parents of children who will be starting kindergarten in the fall. It is at this time when a decision will be reached jointly by parents, teachers and administrators concerning entry of the child into kindergarten.

Holly said that the school has conducted an extensive testing program with elementary children through grade three and has found there is a high correlation between the age of the child and academic success. The tests, showing 70 percent reliability, disclosed that the child starting school too young, more times than not, had difficulty in school at a later age.

"This is the real reason for our kindergarten 'roundup' and we have had excellent cooperation with parents in the past assisting us in making a determination if their child is ready to start to school," said Holly.

"We will be looking forward to meeting them on April 20 and during our workshop later in the summer."

Whittemore News

Michael Sylvester has been transferred from intensive care unit to pediatrics ward at St. Mary's Hospital, Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. James Freed and family of Milford spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harsch

of Lapeer, the John Skade family and Mildred Harsch enjoyed Sunday dinner with Agnes Harsch of Hale.

Frank Farimer, who spent the winter in Florida, is returning to his home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson and son of Big Rapids spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Clair Thompson.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Simmons of Twining visited her sisters, Mildred Harsch and

Elsie Hutchins, and Mr. Hutchins. Mina Bellville hosted a demonstration party at her home Wednesday morning for 16 ladies.

Whittemore Women's Club Enjoyed Dinner

Eighteen members of Whittemore Women's Club enjoyed dinner at Senior Citizens Center before convening for the regular meeting Wednesday, March 16, at Whittemore City Hall.

Plans for the coming months were discussed and included a quilting bee Wednesday, March 30, 10:00 a. m., at the city hall.

On Friday, April 15, a card party will be held at the elementary school.

A program of Irish folklore and traditions concluded the afternoon session.

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Table listing bowling scores for Tawas Lanes, including categories like Guys & Dolls, Rookies, Bay City Times, etc.

Table listing bowling scores for other lanes like Navajo, Sioux, Mohican, Cherokee, etc.

Hale Area News

Observe Birthday of American Legion

Glen Staley Post No. 422, American Legion, and Auxiliary observed the birthday of American Legion by honoring veterans and widows of veterans of World War I.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pigols and Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Parkinson of Midland.

Hear Report on Social Security

Social Security and Medicare benefits were explained to Golden-Agers at American Legion Hall Thursday, March 17.

Bloodmobile at Hale on March 30

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in Hale at the Plainfield Township Hall Wednesday, March 30, from 1:00 until 7:00 p. m.

Graduate from MSU Last Saturday

Two Hale area students were among graduates from Michigan State University Saturday, March 12.

Vernon (Skip) Ranger is a patient at Tolfree Hospital, West Branch.

Kenneth, Lynda and Kelli Vincent of Pontiac were in Hale visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Vincent and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Formanek.

Leo Thayer is hospitalized in Saginaw recuperating from surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Graves of Lapeer spent the week with the Michael Ronchetts. Michael Ronchetto Jr. underwent three operations on his hand.

Judy Ellsworth spent the weekend in Spruce visiting her daughter, Cyndi Piper, and her daughter's grandmother, Mrs. William Piper.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bieski and their three daughters, Rita, Sue and Paula, of Albion were weekend guests of the Robert Grants.

John DeRosia is a patient at Tawas Hospital.

Tuesday night, members of Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. John Newberry and the Lyle Newberrys of Davison were supper guests at the John Johnson home in East Tawas.

Mrs. Marvin Mallon, Mrs. Marie Bellon and Mrs. James Leslie were in West Branch Monday to visit James Leslie at the nursing home.

Pioneer Farm Bureau Group met Wednesday night and enjoyed supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Alverson Sr.

Mrs. Ervin Kuenzli is a patient in Tawas Hospital. Get-well wishes are sent.

Thursday night, Mr. and Mrs. George Hoig, Mrs. Pearl Simmons and Mrs. Lula Alda visited at the Donald Alda home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cholger were supper guests at the Kenneth Blake home Thursday night.

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First United Methodist Church enjoyed a monthly family night potluck dinner with a surprise 25th wedding anniversary celebration honoring the Rev. and Mrs. Willis Braum.

Kendra Salisbury was second runnerup in the Miss Iosco County pageant. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Salisbury, Hale.



Rev. Ray Bruce to Preach Final Sermon at Hale

The Rev. Ray Bruce will conclude a 10-year ministry as pastor of the Hale Baptist Church on Sunday, March 27. He is moving to the Jackson area where he will assume the pastorate of First Baptist Church of Brooklyn Sunday, April 3.

A graduate of Bob Jones University, he came to Hale on December 1, 1966, after having served as associate pastor and minister of youth in Flint and Belleville.

Under his ministry, the Hale Baptist Church purchased 28 acres and constructed its new church, which was dedicated July 6, 1975.

Pastor Bruce is eagerly looking forward to his new ministry although he hates to leave Hale and the many friends and acquaintances he has met over these 10 years.

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Receives First AF Promotion

Gregory Dillon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dillon, Whittemore, has received his first promotion in the United States Air Force.

Dillon, promoted to airman, recently completed technical training at Chanute Air Force Base, Illinois, and is now assigned at Long Air Force Base, Maine.

The airman is a 1976 graduate of Whittemore-Prescott Area High School.

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She is also survived by five brothers, Waldemar, Elmer, Herman, Leslie and Howard, all of the Tawas area; three sisters, Irma Butenshoen of Midland, Edna Johnson of East Tawas and Agnes Lixey of Germfask.

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Wilber News. Wilber United Methodist Women's Society held a meeting Tuesday at Mrs. John Newberry's home. Lunch was served by the hostess. Lenten service and supper Thursday night was well attended. The Rev. Stephen Meeks was guest speaker. The 90th anniversary of the church was celebrated. Birthday greetings were wished to David Harris, Leo Barconi and Steven Hyzer. Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. John Newberry and the Lyle Newberrys of Davison were supper guests at the John Johnson home in East Tawas. Mrs. Marvin Mallon, Mrs. Marie Bellon and Mrs. James Leslie were in West Branch Monday to visit James Leslie at the nursing home. Pioneer Farm Bureau Group met Wednesday night and enjoyed supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Alverson Sr. Mrs. Ervin Kuenzli is a patient in Tawas Hospital. Get-well wishes are sent. Thursday night, Mr. and Mrs. George Hoig, Mrs. Pearl Simmons and Mrs. Lula Alda visited at the Donald Alda home. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cholger were supper guests at the Kenneth Blake home Thursday night.

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A family camping workshop, presented by the Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service, will be held Saturday, April 16, at Auman's House of Catering, Grayling. The Grayling workshop, one of four in the state, is planned to serve families throughout northern lower Michigan.

Specific areas for presentation and discussion include campout food planning, foodpak concentrates and food safety by Estes Reynolds, MSU specialist in food science. Glen Dudderar, MSU extension specialist in fisheries and wildlife will present "Enjoying Animals and Birds on Campouts" and Paul Risk, MSU specialist in environmental interpretation, will discuss wilderness survival and edible wild plants.

In addition to the day's speakers, there will be a special showing of "Run, River, Run," which begins with registration at 9:30 a. m. and continues until 4:00 p. m. These include exhibits of the 4-H Challenge Program, recreational vehicle equipment, archery, cross-country skiing, sports clothing, other camping and outdoor activities topics.

Pre-registration is required. Contact local Cooperative Extension Service for registration forms and details. Phone 362-3449 or write Post Office Box 599, County Building Annex, Tawas City, Michigan 48763. Participation is limited to 150, so early registration is recommended.

IOSCO HARD HIT DURING... THE GREAT FLU EPIDEMIC OF 1918

There was a little bird, its name was Enza; I opened the window and in-flu-enza.

Children across the United States were repeating this rhyme during the fall of 1918. In all history, there has been no sterner, swifter visitation of death in the world than the influenza epidemic of 1918.

In the United States, 548,542 lives were lost during the three-month period of October through December—during that same period, 21-million persons died of the killer disease throughout the world.

Fifty-nine years later, older residents of Iosco County still have vivid recollections of this epidemic which raged over the populated globe. Hardly a family in the county was not touched by this disease and records in the county clerk's office disclose that there were nine deaths officially attributed to influenza during the three-month period from October through December; cause of another 20 deaths was diagnosed as pneumonia, often a fatal complication of the disease.

Entire families were stricken at one fell swoop. One Tawas City resident recalls that she took time off as an office secretary at the Wilson Grain Company to devote her time to caring for her sister, brother-in-law and four children at East Tawas, who were all stricken at the same time.

A Tawas City livery barn operator and his son worked day and night for several weeks driving Dr. C. A. Wakeman on his rounds to administer to his patients during the flu epidemic. The same horses used for driving the doctor on his rounds were hitched to the local funeral parlor's hearse which carried victims to the cemetery.

The plague of 1918 had a cruel twist—fatalities were usually among the young and the strong. Here in Iosco County, the ages of influenza fatality victims ranged from three months to 63 years, but the average age of the victim was around 20 years; the same was true for pneumonia victims.

Where the outbreak had begun in the world was unclear—it was tagged with "Spanish" influenza because of an outbreak in that country in May 1918, but few deaths resulted there from it. Medical men now believe the origin of the disease was here in the United States—at Ft. Riley, Kansas.

The first comment concerning Spanish influenza by The Tawas Herald was on October 11, 1918. "The Spanish influenza, which has been epidemic in the military camps for some time, has also spread generally throughout the country and medical authorities everywhere are striving their utmost to overcome the scourge," stated the Herald.

This newspaper reported that schools were closed and public meetings had been abandoned in hundreds of communities. "The Tawas City and East Tawas schools were closed the first of the week and the teacher's institute, which was to have been at East



HORSE DRAWN HEARSEs worked overtime in the Tawas during the influenza-pneumonia epidemic of 1918. During a three-month period, nine persons died of influenza and 20 died of pneumonia, often a fatal complication of the

disease. Local physicians were hard pressed to treat the hundreds of persons stricken with the influenza virus. One local physician was laid low by the flu for a week and had to turn his patients over to others.

Tawas on Thursday and Friday, was canceled.

"A large number of teachers in the public schools are afflicted with the disease, as are also many others, in some cases whole families being ill. The epidemic has attained serious proportions throughout the state and the state board of health is making special efforts to combat the disease.

"All schools should be closed and public meetings should not be held until the epidemic has abated, as serious consequences result in many cases. As high as 24 deaths have been reported at Camp Custer in one day from the disease and the pneumonia into which it often develops," stated the Herald.

Pvt. Laurie Barnes of the Townline Road, who had been inducted into the United States Army, was one of the men who died of influenza at Camp Custer. The Herald reported that flags were hung at half mast and stores were closed during the funeral as a tribute to the dead soldier.

"A greatly increased number of cases of Spanish influenza have been reported in the Tawas and surrounding country during the past week. Several deaths have been reported," stated the Herald on October 18. The newspaper was unable to meet its regular deadline that week due to the fact that the Herald's Linotype operator, Emil Bucholz, was stricken by influenza and compelled to remain home all week.

Doctor Stealy of East Tawas succumbed to overwork and influenza on Thursday last and was compelled to turn his patients over to another physician. Mrs. Stealy and her two little grandchildren are also ill of the disease," reported the Herald on October 18. The doctor recovered about a week la-

ter and was able to attend his patients.

What was this killer and where did it originate? The best evidence today points to Ft. Riley, Kansas, where 107 men were stricken in a single day in March 1918. Five weeks later, 1,127 men had been stricken and 46 died. The base surgeon diagnosed the sickness as influenza, although pneumonia was blamed for the deaths.

In May, two divisions from Ft. Riley sailed for France and soon after the men disembarked in France, French police began to fall ill of influenza. British soldiers carried the disease back to England and more than 10,000 British were laid low in a single day.

The disease soon rolled across France and into Germany—it erupted halfway around the world, sweeping across China, India and most of Asia. Whether the disease was carried from Europe or appeared independently, no one knew.

On August 12, 1918, four months after the men entrained from Ft. Riley to a seaport on the East Coast, a Norwegian liner docked at Brooklyn, New York. Passengers disembarked as quickly as possible from the ship as the trip across the Atlantic had been a nightmare. Four passengers died at sea and another 100 were stricken. Five hours later, the fifth passenger died in a New York hospital.

The plague had apparently come full circle. Although influenza had struck hard in the past, its behavior prior to 1918 had been relatively mild. Influenza ranked about 10th as a cause of death among the world's diseases, but it was soon apparent that this new plague was a deadly killer.

The swift spread of a highly contagious infection was to be ex-

pected—202 persons died in Boston, Massachusetts, on October 1, and 289 deaths were recorded in a 24-hour period in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on October 6.

Influenza made unaccountable leaps across the country. A public health nurse here in Northern Michigan visited a lumber camp in a remote region of the Upper Peninsula and found the entire work force burning with fever and laid low by influenza.

Influenza struck humans like a bolt of lightning—one minute a person would be perfectly well and, suddenly, would be totally helpless. The victim wanted to stop whatever he was doing and lie down. Early symptoms included headaches, chills, fever and great pain in the legs and back. The influenza patient often coughed in great agony.

Devastation of the lungs was the great killer of influenza and often would be the gateway to fatal complicating diseases, particularly pneumonia. For all its deadly force, those who did not succumb to the illness were usually up and around in about a week.

The influenza epidemic provided a humbling experience for the medical profession, having to fall back on the most rudimentary measures. Civil ordinances were enacted in many communities requiring everyone to wear face masks in public; public coughing, sneezing and spitting was deemed unlawful and violators were threatened with stiff jail sentences and fines.

But the epidemic raged on—the gauze masks proved to be a nuisance and offered absolutely no means of preventing the spread of the disease. In an advertisement appearing in the Herald, the manufacturers of old reliable Vick's (See INFLUENZA, page 3.)

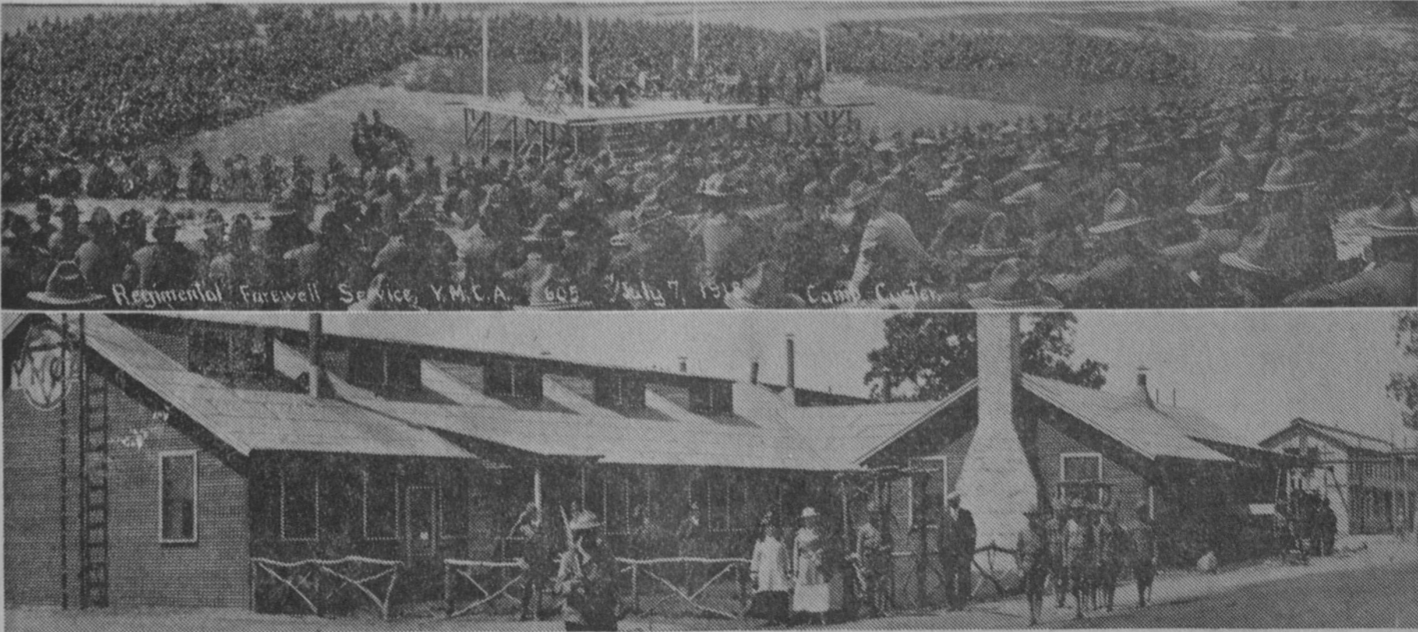


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MILITARY CAMPS were death traps for many servicemen during the early fall of 1918. At least one Iosco soldier, Pvt. Laurie Barnes of the Townline Road, was one of the men who died of influenza at Camp Custer, pictured above. Flags in Tawas City were flown at half mast and stores were closed during the funeral of the dead serviceman.

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Influenza

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The Herald reported that Detroit mobilized its 3,000 public school teachers into an auxiliary of the board of health to combat the influenza and pneumonia epidemic. The University of Michigan campus at Ann Arbor presented the appearance of a harem garden with masks covering faces from the eyes down. All proprietors of business houses and employees

were asked to wear masks."

Bay City reported 200 cases of influenza the last week of October. There were 832 families stricken at Flint, 700 at Potosky and 4,000 cases, or 10 percent of the total strength, was reported at Camp Custer. Military bases around the world appeared to take the brunt of reported cases.

"The number of new cases of 'grip' is decreasing," reported the Herald the last week of October, "but pneumonia cases are increasing. On November 1, a special meeting of the city council, sitting as the board of health, authorized schools to reopen November 4, after being closed for a month."

"The epidemic of influenza appears to have about run its course in this locality," reported the Herald on November 8. "Schools were reopened Monday and regular services are announced by Tawas City churches for next Sunday. There are still some cases of the disease in this city, but all are on the road to recovery."

The scourge of influenza disappeared throughout the world almost as quickly as it had arrived, its leaving practically coinciding with the armistice which ended the Great War. It has been esti-

mated that 21-million people were actual battle fatalities of that war—the same approximate number who lost their lives to influenza during that deadly three-month period of 1918.

Scientists were unable to isolate the agent causing the disease until 15 years later and it was not until 1943 that a team of United States researchers finally saw an influenza virus, using the then newly developed electron microscope.

Still, this virus was only a particular influenza strain and not necessarily the killer of 1918. Researchers did learn later that influenza is caused by viruses pos-

sessing a remarkable capacity for change, allowing its structure to form new strains.

Could it happen again? Scientists say yes; if animal and human viruses joined disastrously before, they could do so again. During the summer of 1976, the cause of death of a soldier in Missouri was diagnosed as swine flu. The soldier was stationed not far from Ft. Riley where some scientists believe the killer virus of 1918 originated through a mutation of swine and human influenza.

Two vaccines were developed and a National Influenza Immunization Program was inau-

gurated in the fall of 1976. This program, funded by congress, proved controversial from the start and, after vaccine was administered to millions of Americans, inoculations were discontinued due to some reported reactions to the vaccine.

Approximately 10,000 persons were inoculated against swine flu in Iosco County during that program. No one is certain if the virus discovered in Missouri in 1976 is identical to that causing the killer plague of 1918 but national public health officials certainly will exhaust all measures to prevent a recurrence.

Reduce Weight Limits in Iosco

Effective 7:00 a. m., Friday, March 18, weight restrictions will be reduced on all seasonal routes under the jurisdiction of the Iosco County Road Commission. Loads are restricted to 75 percent of Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation published normal load limitations, subject to lower limits at the discretion of the Iosco County Road Commission.

Iosco 4-H Program Offers Workshop

The 4-H program is offering a workshop in personal appearance and good grooming. Geared to all those participating in the dress review at Spring Achievement Day, other 4-H clubs, groups and organizations may be interested in attending.

The event will begin with a 5:30 p. m. pot-luck Thursday, April 14, at Plainfield Township Hall. Everyone is to bring a dish to pass, table service and a friend. Reservations may be made by calling Carol Savino, 4-H youth program assistant, 362-3449.

SPANISH INFLUENZA--WHAT IT IS AND HOW IT SHOULD BE TREATED

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There is no occasion for panic—Influenza itself has a very low percentage of fatalities—not over one death out of every 400 cases, according to the U. S. C. board of health. The chief danger lies in complications arising, attacking principally patients in a run-down condition—those who do not go to bed soon enough or those who get up too early.

THE SYMPTOMS
Grip, or influenza, as it is now called, usually begins with a chill, followed by aching, feverishness, and sometimes nausea and dizziness, and a general feeling of weakness and depression. The temperature rises from 100 to 104, and the fever usually lasts from three to five days. The germs attack the mucous membrane or lining of the air passages, nose, throat and bronchial tubes; there is usually a hard cough, especially bad at night; oftentimes a sore throat or tonsillitis, and frequently all the appearances of a severe head cold.

THE TREATMENT
Go to bed at the first symptoms, not only for your own sake, but to avoid spreading the disease to others—take a purgative, eat plenty of nourishing food, remain perfectly quiet and don't worry. Quinine, aspirin, or Dover's Powders, etc., may be administered by the physician's directions to relieve the aching. But there is no cure or specific for influenza—the disease must run its course. Nature herself will throw off the attack if only you keep up your strength. The chief danger lies in the complications which may arise. Influenza so weakens the bodily resistance that there is danger of pneumonia or bronchitis developing, and sometimes inflammation of the middle ear, or heart affections. For these reasons it is very important that the patient remain in bed until his strength returns—stay in bed at least two days or more after the fever has left you, or if you are over 50 or not strong stay in bed four days or more, according to the severity of the attack.

EXTERNAL APPLICATIONS
In order to stimulate the lining of the air passages to throw off the grippie germs, to aid in loosening the phlegm and keeping the air passages open, thus making the breathing easier, Vick's VapoRub will be found effective. Hot, wet towels should be applied over the throat, chest and back between the shoulder blades to open the pores. Then VapoRub should be rubbed in over the parts until the skin is red, spread on thickly and cover with two thicknesses of hot flannel cloths. Leave the clothing loose around the neck, as the heat of the body liberates the ingredients in the form of vapors. These vapors, inhaled with each breath, carry the medication directly to the parts affected. At the same time VapoRub is absorbed through and stimulates the skin, attracting the blood to the surface, and thus aids in relieving the congestion within.

HOW TO AVOID THE DISEASE
Evidence seems to prove that this is a germ disease, spread principally by human contact, chiefly through coughing and sneezing. So avoid persons having colds—which means avoiding crowds—common drinking cups, roller towels, etc. Keep up your bodily strength by plenty of exercise in the open air, and good food. Above all, avoid colds, as colds irritate the lining of the air passages and render them much better breeding places for the germs.

KEEP FREE FROM COLDS
Use Vick's VapoRub at the very first sign of a cold. For a head cold, melt a little VapoRub in a spoon and inhale the vapors, or better still, use VapoRub in a benzoin steam kettle. If this is not available, use an ordinary tea-kettle. Fill half-full of boiling water, put in half a teaspoon of VapoRub from time to time—keep the kettle just slowly boiling and inhale the steam arising.

Note—Vick's VapoRub is the discovery of a North Carolina druggist, who found how to combine, in saliva form, Menthol and Camphor with such volatile oils as Eucalyptus, Thyme, Cajeput, etc., so that when the salve is applied to the body heat, these ingredients are liberated in the form of vapors. VapoRub is comparatively new in New York State and New England and a few Western states where it is just now being introduced, but in other sections of the country it is the standard home remedy in more than a million homes for all forms of cold troubles. Over six million jars were sold last year. VapoRub can be had in three sizes at all druggists. It is particularly recommended for children's croup and colds, since it is externally applied and therefore can be used as freely as desired without the slightest harmful effects.

THIS ARTICLE expounding the use of Vick's VapoRub as a treatment for influenza appeared in The Tawas Herald. In 1920, the public health department severely criticized physicians for "failing in their duty to their profession and to the public by calling the disease 'grippe' or some other name and for failure to report their cases in order to protect some favorite families from quarantine and thus exposed the entire community."




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This Theatre has agreed to cooperate with the Department of Health in disseminating the truth about Influenza, and thus serve a great educational purpose.

All public gatherings were canceled during the epidemic.



COMMUNITY EVENTS

MARCH 23-29
Wednesday, March 23-
Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, 7:30 a. m., chamber building.
Tawas Area Senior Citizens, noon catered dinner (reservations necessary), East Tawas Community Building.
Tawas Area Rotary Club regular meeting, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.
Irene Rebekah Lodge No. 137, 8:00 p. m., Odd Fellows Hall, East Tawas.
Huron Shores Jaycees, 8:00 p. m., Michigan Consolidated Gas Company conference room, East Tawas.
Thursday, March 24-
Tawas City Businessmen's Association, 12 o'clock noon, Dutch Kitchen Restaurant, Tawas City.
Jesse Hodder Post No. 189, American Legion, and Auxiliary, 6:30 p. m. pot-luck, 7:30 p. m. meeting, American Legion Hall, North Street, Tawas City.
Tawas Bay Artists, 7:30 p. m., Art Gallery, East Tawas.
Baptist Women's Missionary Society, 7:30 p. m., multipurpose room, First Baptist Church, Tawas City.
Sweet Adelines, 8:00 p. m., Tawas Area High School.
Tawas Council No. 2709, Knights of Columbus, 8:00 p. m., K of C Hall, East Tawas.
Saturday, March 26-
Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:00 p. m., Iosco County Building, Tawas City.
Monday, March 28-
Quota Club of Iosco County, 7:30 p. m., home of Margaret Prescott.
Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 5678, 8:00 p. m., VFW Hall, Tawas City.
Tuesday, March 29-
Tawas Kiwanis Club regular meeting, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.
TOPS Chapter No. 979, 6:00 p. m. weigh in; 7:00 p. m. meeting, East Tawas City Hall.
MARCH 30-APRIL 5
Wednesday, March 30-
Tawas Area Rotary Club regular meeting, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.
Thursday, March 31-
Tawas City Businessmen's luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Dutch Kitchen Restaurant, Tawas City.
Sweet Adelines, 8:00 p. m., Tawas Area High School.
APRIL 6-12
Wednesday, April 6-
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 Restaurant, East Tawas.
Thursday, April 7-
Tawas City Businessmen's Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Dutch Kitchen Restaurant, Tawas City.
TAWAS, 7:30 p. m., Alibi Inn, Tawas City.
Tawas Area Modulators, 7:30 p. m., East Tawas Community Building.
Sweet Adelines, 8:00 p. m., Tawas Area High School.
Saturday, April 9-
Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:00 p. m., Iosco County Building, Tawas City.
Monday, April 11-
Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 5678, 8:00 p. m., VFW Hall, Tawas City.
Tawas Area Board of Education, 8:00 p. m., high school library.
Tuesday, April 12-
Tawas Kiwanis Club regular meeting, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.
TOPS Chapter No. 979, 6:00 p. m. weigh in; 7:00 p. m. meeting, East Tawas City Hall.
Tawas Area Lions Club, 6:30 p. m., Tawas Golf and Country Club.
Tawas United Methodist Women, 8:00 p. m., fellowship hall.
Royal Arch Widows, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple, Tawas City.
Royal Arch Masons, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple, Tawas City.
APRIL 13-19
Wednesday, April 13-
Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce, board of directors, 7:30 a. m., chamber building.
Tawas Area Rotary Club, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant.
Tawas Area Senior Citizens, noon sack lunch, East Tawas Community Building.
Nanciannes of Tawas Elks Lodge No. 2525, 7:30 p. m., 124 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.
Irene Rebekah Lodge No. 137, 8:00 p. m., Odd Fellows Hall, East Tawas.
Tawas.
Huron Shores Jaycees, 8:00 p. m., Michigan Consolidated Gas Company's conference room.
Thursday, April 14-
Tawas City Businessmen's Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Dutch Kitchen Restaurant, Tawas City.
Iosco Intermediate Board of Education, 7:30 p. m., board room.
Sweet Adelines, 8:00 p. m., Tawas Area High School.
Knights of Columbus, Tawas Council No. 2709, 8:00 p. m., K of C Hall, East Tawas.
Iosco Chapter No. 71, Order of the Eastern Star, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple.
Saturday, April 16-
Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:00 p. m., Iosco County Building, Tawas City.
Monday, April 18-
East Tawas Garden Club, 1:00 p. m., home of Carrie Mielock.
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, April 19-
Tawas Kiwanis Club regular meeting, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's Restaurant, East Tawas.
TOPS Chapter No. 979, 6:00 p. m. weigh in; 7:00 p. m. meeting, East Tawas City Hall.
Iosco County Firefighters Association, 7:00 p. m.
Tawas Area Newcomers Club, 7:30 p. m., Cal-pine room, Lixey's Restaurant.
Tawas City Chapter No. 303, Order of the Eastern Star, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple.
Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525, 8:00 p. m., 124 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.
Restaurant, East Tawas.
TOPS Chapter No. 979, 6:00 p. m. weigh in; 7:00 p. m. meeting, East Tawas City Hall.
Iosco County Firefighters Association, 7:00 p. m.
Tawas Area Newcomers Club, 7:30 p. m., Cal-pine room, Lixey's Restaurant.
Tawas City Chapter No. 303, Order of the Eastern Star, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple.
Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525, 8:00 p. m., 124 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.
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