

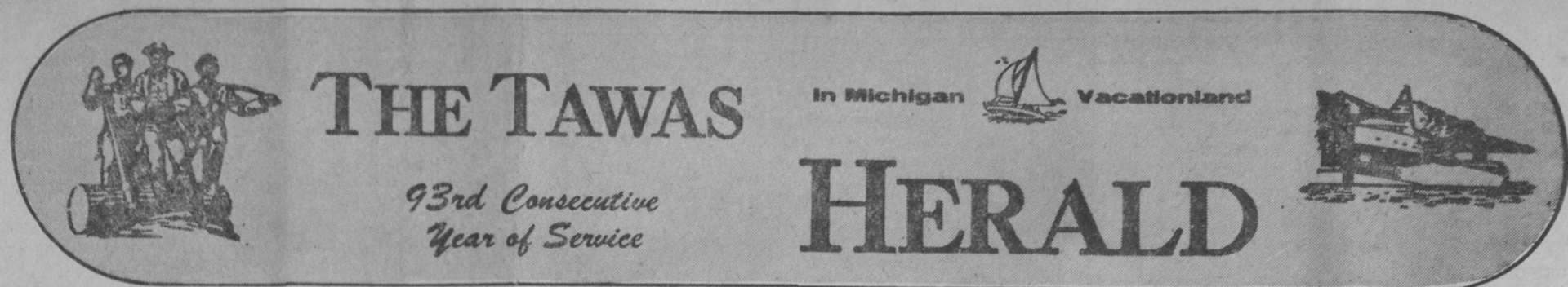
Slippery Roads Caused Crashes

Two persons were injured in traffic accidents caused by slippery roads last week in Iosco County.

June E. Daniels was treated at Tawas Hospital following a collision with a car driven by Clarence F. Horak on Imperial Drive, Grant Township.

Lillian MacNicol, Hale, was injured when she lost control of her car on Curtis Road.

Iosco Sheriff's Department investigated 16 property damage accidents and nine car-deer accidents during the week.



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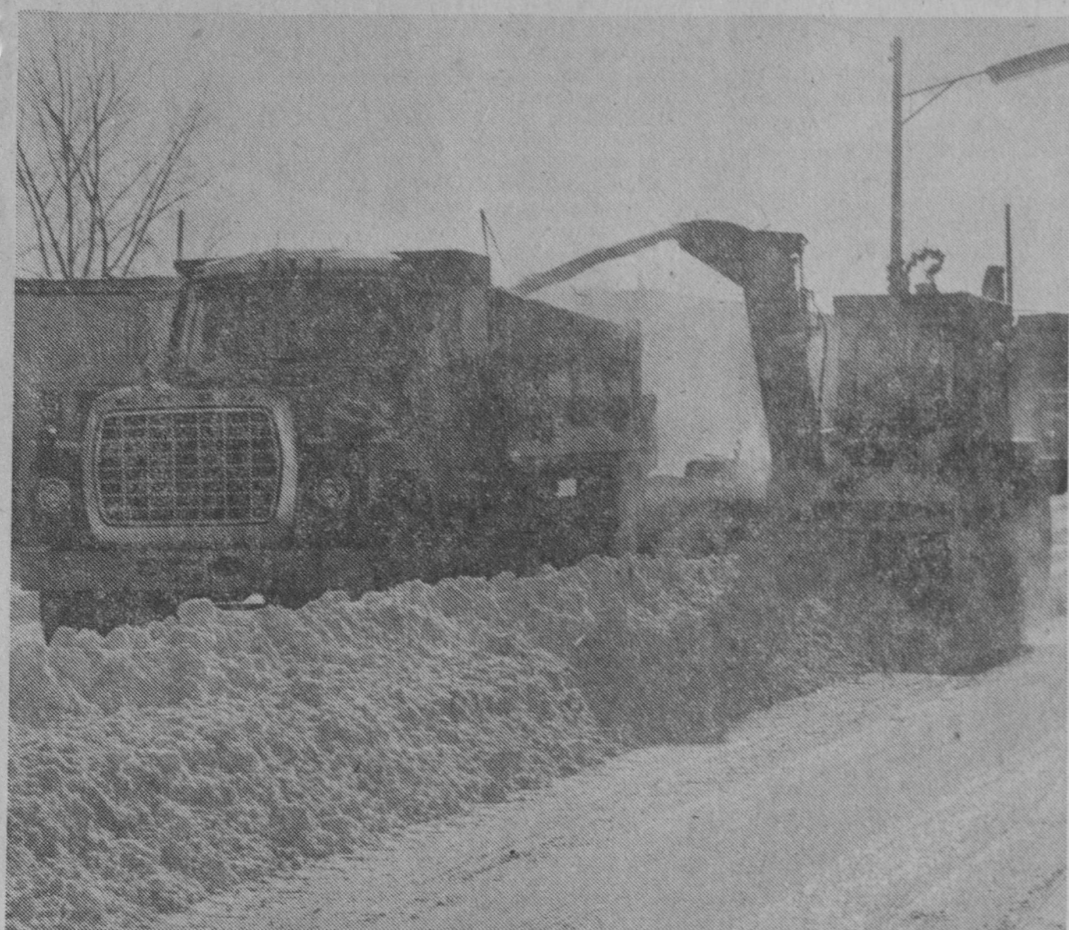
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NORTHEASTERN MICHIGAN had its first real taste of winter the day after Thanksgiving when a snowstorm plugged roads to send city and county snowplow crews out to keep traffic moving. There was much showing of cars and shoveling of snow by hand as most drivers had forgotten how to handle their vehicles on slippery roads—it did not take long to remember. Police agencies were kept busy with fender bender property damage accidents, but the area escaped any serious accident. This picture shows the start of the cleanup Saturday morning.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Medical Staff's Program Seeks Doctors for Area

Dr. Norman Payea, chief of staff of Tawas Hospital, announced Tuesday night that a new resident-in-training program in cooperation with Saint John Hospital, Detroit, would commence in January.

Under sponsorship of the local medical staff and hospital, at least one resident physician in his final year of family practice training at Saint John Hospital will come to the Tawas area to finish residence in association with local physicians.

Payea said it was the hope of the medical staff that the program would provide means of exposing family practice physicians to this area and to encourage their location here.

He said that the visiting physicians, who are licensed by the State of Michigan, would be in their seventh year of training, including four years of medical school, two years of residency and one year of specialty training.

The family practitioners to be working at the hospital and working in offices of local physicians. Each doctor would stay here only two to three months.

The idea being developed is to get doctors in their final year of residency away from the big city hospitals for training in rural sections. Local doctors would provide assistance in their final months of family practice training.

Payea said the program has been developing for a number of years and the local medical staff made its first contact last August with Saint John Hospital concerning the cooperative effort.

He said it would give the area three or four different doctors each year who would be exposed to the community, as well as assisting local physicians and working in the hospital's emergency room.

At the present time, there are eight physicians in the Tawas area, three at Oscoda and one at Au Gres. There are two radiologists working out of the hospital and a Saginaw pathologist is an active staff member here.

There are two physicians at Hale who are active at Tolfree Hospital, West Branch.

DPW Meets Thursday on Water Delay

A delay in pressure testing and sanitizing new water mains extending through Baldwin Township and the Tawas could result in a penalty for the prime contractor on this project, GGL Contractors of Belleville.

It was learned Friday that Edmands Engineering Company, consulting engineer on the project, had contacted the bonding company concerning the delay.

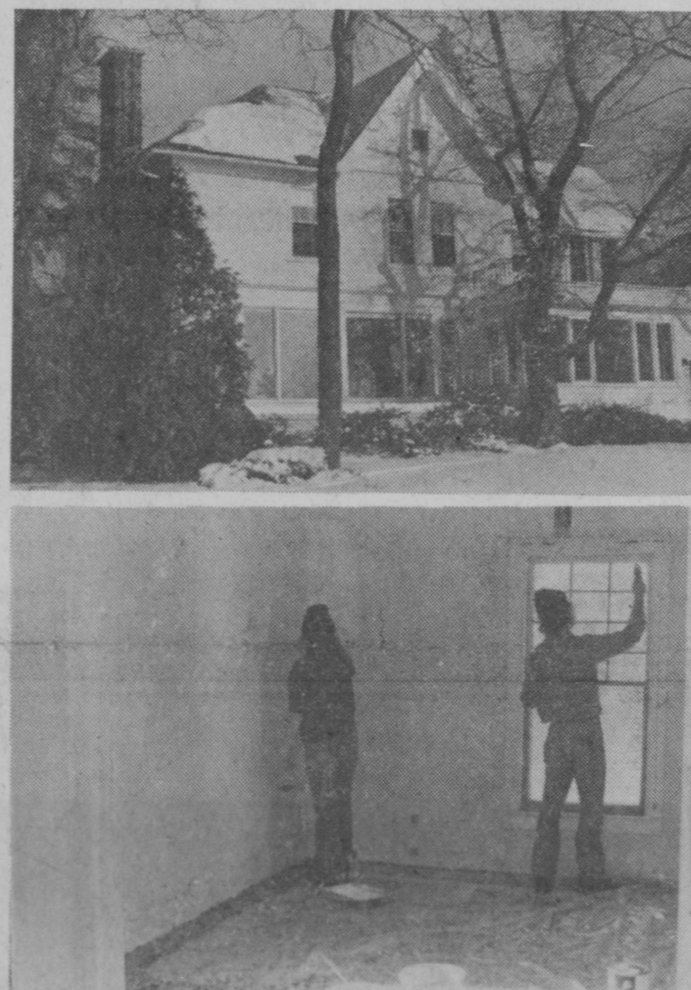
The Belleville firm had until October 1 to complete the work, but pointed out earlier this month to the Iosco County Board of Public Works that unfavorable fall weather had delayed the project. In addition, there were construction changes in the contract and the City of East Tawas asked for a delay in construction along Sawyer Street until after the tourist season ended.

The firm made excellent progress on construction of the main from the industrial park in Baldwin Township through East Tawas and Tawas City, but has not completed the pressure testing and sanitizing. A leak in the line in Baldwin Township has not been located.

In the meantime, a meeting has been called by the county DPW for Thursday morning. Requested to attend have been the contractor and a subcontractor who is to furnish the testing.

One of the problems under consideration will be who will pay for running a water line from Third Avenue in Tawas City to serve the boiler of the new Provincial House nursing home under construction on North Street.

Water had been promised there by December 1 and the City of Tawas City is prepared to run a copper line to serve the boiler on a temporary basis.



TAWAS BAY ARTISTS made the move Saturday to a new location at East Tawas to be shared with the county museum. The picture at top left shows the former residence of L. G. McKay Sr. on Bay Street which has been purchased for a museum-art gallery. The



lower picture shows two CETA employees giving one room a coat of paint. The picture at right shows a member of the art group removing drapes for cleaning. Many weeks of work are in store for workers on this project.—Tawas Herald Photos.

Let the Game Begin



COACH PAT CASEY of the girls varsity basketball team is shown at top right talking with members of the squad prior to meeting Ogemaw Heights Monday night to open the district basketball tournament here. Tawas was eliminated in the first round by Ogemaw Heights girls. Turn to page 4 for pictures and details.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Chest Met 1977 Goal Last Week

Tawas - Whittemore - Hale Community Chest went over its goal by 1.4 percent last week, collecting a total of \$19,644.60. The campaign had been extended in order to meet 100 percent of the goal.

Residential contributions totaled \$3,708.72, businesses contributed \$3,020.95, professional persons added \$2,301, government and institutions gave \$1,222.60 and industry contributed \$6,190.21.

Contributions were as follows from residential areas: Alabaster, \$164; Baldwin, \$568.95; East Tawas, \$1,365.94; Tawas City, \$644.86; Grant Township, \$256.70; Tawas Township, \$279.41; Wilber Township, \$257.86; Singing Bridge area, \$171.

Business contributions included: Baldwin Center, \$362; East Tawas, \$1,002.50; Tawas City and Alabaster, \$1,656.45.

The Whittemore area contributed \$751.85 and the Hale area contributed \$2,449.27.

Halle Recommends Filling Jr. High Principal Vacancy

Supt. Robert Halle recommended Monday night that Tawas Area Board of Education fill the vacant position of junior high school principal. Formal recommendations from the superintendent are expected at the December 12 board meeting.

The position has been vacant since the last week of September when Robert McDonald resigned as junior high school principal here to become the new junior and senior high school principal at Hale Area School.

Halle recommended in September that Jerry W. Youngs, assistant high school principal, fill both positions on a temporary basis. After a trial period working under two administrators rather than three, the superintendent said he would come back to the board with a recommendation.

Halle told board members Monday night that the number of students in the high school and junior high school, the span in ages and grades and the physical size of the school building made it an impossibility to be managed efficiently by two administrators.

"Too many problems arise and make it impossible for two people to do the job," said Halle. "The building is well managed, but not as well as before. There are too many youngsters who need communication with the principal, as well as contact with parents and the staff by the principal."

Youngs told the board of education that there was a shortage of counselors for the high school and, while this was not part of his regular duties, he has often counseled students. With his combined job with the junior high school, he does not have time to provide this service.

At the present time, Youngs attempts to allocate one-half of his time in the junior high school and the remainder in the high school. Too often, he said, he is not available to meet with students and staff when problems arise.

Other duties of the junior high school principal include supervision of federal programs, curriculum coordinator and career education supervisor, which formerly had been handled by McDonald.

The board of education and administration have been discussing the possibility of expanding the federal program work, but Youngs felt the first priority should be the student body and the teaching staff. He felt that additional responsibility could saddle the junior high school principal with an impossible situation.

Because of the added load from the combined jobs, Youngs said he could not name 20 freshman students and, by this time, he would have known each student by name; on the other hand, he has been unable to get to know anyone in jun-

ior high school. He felt that discipline would be a major problem if the work is handled by one administrator.

The superintendent said he would include a job description for the junior high school principal's position in his recommendations at the next meeting.

Youngs had expressed an interest in filling the junior high school position and, if appointed, naming of an assistant high school principal would be required, said Halle. The positions would first be posted with the local staff.

Westcott Heads Transportation

David Westcott, formerly associated with Forward Oil Company in Tawas City, has been named new transportation director of Tawas Area School.

Announcement of his appointment was made at a work session of the board of education Monday night. Formal action is to be taken at the December 12 meeting.

He is to succeed the late Edward Poppe of East Tawas, who was in his second year as transportation director when he died October 23.

In other discussion Monday night, a determination is to be made at the next regular meeting of the number of school buses to be purchased for the 1979-80 school term. At the present time, the fleet numbers 21 buses with four spares. Seven new buses were purchased this year. It is expected that two or three new buses would be purchased after July 1, 1978.

Also to be discussed at the next meeting will be the possibility of hiring two persons to fill one reading position. Sue Weaver is expected to return from a one-year leave of absence and desires employment only on a half-time basis. Her position has been filled by David Niles, who also serves as driver training instructor.

A report from the high school principal's office indicated that the school would receive \$28,150 in vocational funds, plus \$4,500 from other schools for shared time training in nursing and building trades offered by this school.

A special meeting is to be held Monday, December 5, to discuss future goals of the district.

Rites Held for Thomas J. Smith

Graveside rites were held in Lansing for Thomas Johnson Smith, former summer resident of



Help fight air pollution: Join a car pool; be sure your car is well-tuned; drive as little as possible.

A life and breath reminder from the Michigan Lung Association, the Christmas Seal People

Big Island Lake since 1955, who died Thursday, November 24, at Tulsa, Oklahoma. Born August 28, 1888, in Tuscola County, he married the former Hazel I. Winam in 1925 at Lansing.

A 1915 graduate of Michigan State College, he was employed at Wyandotte Chemicals for 36 years, retiring in 1953. He was a member of Masonic Blue Lodge of Sebewaing; Masonic Chapter in Wyandotte; Consistory of Detroit; Shriners of Detroit; Tawas City Chapter No. 303, Order of the Eastern Star, and Tawas United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Walter Smith of Oxnard, California, and Bruce W. Smith of Elgin, Illinois; two daughters, Barbara S. Anderson of Tulsa and Eunice C. James of Wichita Falls, Texas; 12 grandchildren, and seven great grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials to Tawas United Methodist Church.

AMERICA'S HERITAGE

Treasures Of The Yukon

Thousands of men and women with a lust for gold made the Yukon famous in the 19th century. They were a special breed made legendary by their wilderness adventures. Four modern adventurers will follow the paths blazed by those fortune seekers of the last century in the season's first National Geographic Special, Dec. 5, on public television stations.

"Yukon Passage" is the story of Keith Tryck, surveyor; Bob Clark, photographer; Paul Crews, professional skier; and Jerry Wallace, logger, as they make their way over snow, through wild waters and across ice. It's narrated by James Stewart and hosted by E. G. Marshall. The special, made possible by a grant from Gulf Oil Corporation, is jointly produced by the National Geographic Society and WQED/Pittsburgh, a PBS production center.

Covering 1,800 miles through the wild terrain of Canada and Alaska on a raft 38 feet long and 20 feet wide, the men make their way along the Yukon River. Swift currents, snags and low-hanging sweepers posed a constant danger. Why do they do it?

"As Keith Tryck says, 'We are four men with a common goal: To see the Yukon as others had seen it more than three-quarters of a century before. . . . We hope

A TEN-TON RAFT carries four men for eight months on 1,800 miles of the Yukon River.

to experience some of the adventures and challenges of that era.' Eight months after they set out, their wish comes true.



THE ADVENTUROUS LIFE OF THE Yukon returns each year during Klondike Days, when dance-hall girls participate in the parade on "Yukon Passage," a TV special.

Travel-Adventure Series Continues

In its third program of a travel and adventure series, Whittemore-Prescott Community Education Department will present Romaine Wilhelmson on Wednesday, December 14, 7:30 p. m., at Whittemore-Prescott Area High School.

A resident of East Lansing, Wilhelmson attended St. Joseph's College for two years and graduated from Pasadena Playhouse. He left the stage for a life of adventure and exploration and his success has been phenomenal.

Wilhelmson has not only found lost cities, missions and forts, but treasure, weapons of war and armor that had not been seen by white men for centuries.

His unsurpassed adventure and exploration films, excellent photography, combined with his stimulating narrative, help make him one of the country's most interesting and successful travel and adventure artists.

Wilhelmson's film visits Colombia, a treasure chest of adventure that is crisscrossed by lofty Andean ranges, villages and dense tropical forests. He probes this fascinating region and the legends of an ancient era.

Included will be a trip down the Amazon River, where he explores the rain forest and seeks out a strange tribe of shy Indian nomads, living in the exotic background of colorful jungle animals and luxuriant forests.

The film will visit the unexplored southern mountains where Wilhelmson was shot in a gunfight with bandits, then visit the Valley of the Giants where huge 12-foot stone statues stand in the mountains, defying all attempts to identify them.

By Jeep and pack train, the viewer will follow this mystery into the back country, see the strange underground tombs and the remains of a vanished civilization yet to be investigated by an archaeologist.

Beginning in January, a newsletter designed especially for small households will be published monthly by Michigan State University Extension Service, according to Susan B. Lambrecht, Isosco County extension director. To focus on choosing and buying food as well as planning and preparing meals, the publication is available through cooperative extension service at 362-3449. Subscription deadline is December 10.

Mental Health Board Meeting

Isosco-Ogemaw Community Mental Health Services Board will hold its regular board meeting on Monday, December 12, 7:30 p. m., in the circuit room of the Isosco County Building, Tawas City.

Area coverage of this board consists of the Counties of Isosco, Ogemaw and Oscoda.



Crush those smokes . . . Folks!

HOMEMADE CRANBERRY SAUCE GIVES OLD-TIME PLEASURE TO HOLIDAYS



Boil the water and sugar together for five minutes. Add the berries and boil, without stirring, until skins burst. Pour, boiling hot, into sterilized Ball jars, leaving 1/8-inch head space. Adjust caps and process for 10 minutes. Yield: about 6 pints.

Note: A stick of cinnamon or a few whole cloves may be cooked with this sauce for added flavor. Remove spices before packing sauce.

JELLIED CRANBERRY SAUCE
4-1/2 cups berries (about 1 pound)
1-3/4 cups water
2 cups sugar

Wash, sort and stem berries. Boil the berries and the water together until skins burst. Press through sieve or food mill. Add sugar to pulp and juice. Boil almost to jelling point, which is just as the mixture begins to show signs of sheeting from a spoon. Pour, boiling hot, into sterilized Ball jars, leaving 1/8-inch head space. Adjust caps and process for 10 minutes. Yield: about 2 pints.

WHOLE CRANBERRY SAUCE
8 cups berries (about 2 pounds)
4 cups sugar
4 cups water

Wash, sort and stem berries.

Funeral Held for Dan J. McKenna

Funeral services were held Saturday, November 26, from St. Joseph's Catholic Church, East Tawas, for Dan J. McKenna of Baldwin Township, who passed away Tuesday, November 22, at a Saginaw hospital. A Christian wake was held Friday evening at Jacques and Kobs East Chapel. The Rev. Fr. Francis Murphy officiated and burial was in the church cemetery.

He was born December 3, 1904, in Trenton, New Jersey, and moved to the Tawas area 11 years ago from Saginaw where he had been employed at Chevrolet Transmission Plant for 31 years. He married the former Alto Abbott in 1939. He was an active member of United Automobile Workers Local No. 467 and served in the United States Merchant Marines during World War II. He worked on the AuSable River Queen No. 2 from 1967 until 1975.

Besides his wife, he is survived

by one daughter, Mrs. Wilber (Donna) Buxman of Bay City, and two grandchildren.

Tawas Hospital

BIRTHS—Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Appler, Tawas City, November 22, a daughter, Jillian Nadine, weight nine pounds, 13 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kus, Tawas City, November 27, a daughter, weight seven pounds, 3 1/2 ounces.

ADMISSIONS—Tawas City: Rosa A. Schmidt, Sheryl Appler, Victor Lake, Faye Freel, Christopher Jacobs, Anne Minard.

County: Mabel Secrist, Kim Allen, Hale; Florence Young, Darian Bonnell, Helen Kleckler, Marilyn Hoemke, Oscoda; Hamilton Hutchinson, Whittemore.

Other communities: Myrtle Schenck, Delaware, Ohio; Helen Bushart, William Bonner, Greenbush; Andrew Friend, Glennie; Jennifer Keiser, Haslett; James Combs, Davisburg.

Sand Lake News

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dyer for the holiday were their son and family, the Kenneth Dyers of Mt. Clemens, and their daughter, Mrs. Sharon Bauer, and family of Royal Oak.

Mrs. Constance Bruggeman is a surgical patient at Wyandotte Hospital.

Visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bearrs, for the holiday were their son, Dale Smith, and Dale Jr. of Troy, and their daughter, Mrs. Norman Orrs, and family of Royal Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Snow spent some time in Seattle, Washington, where they visited her father, Mr. Otis.

Friends were grieved last week at the passing of Joseph J. (Cap) Howell. Condolences are extended to the family.

Attending Thanksgiving festivities at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Reeside were their daughters, Miss Jean Reeside of Tawas City and Mrs. Ronald Stewart of Warren, and her family; Miss Karen Sherer of Tawas City; Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Sendelweck and Sarah of Indianapolis, Indiana; Mrs. Florence Hatfield, Round Lake, and the Vincent Wades.

Mitchell Lenczewski spent a few days at home during his holiday break from Northern Michigan University, Marquette.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Topolewski journeyed to Bloomfield Hills last week where they spent a few days with their daughter and family, the Tony Mascaris.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Aspin spent Thanksgiving Day in Bay City where they were guests of their daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Niver have returned from a nine-day stay in Hawaii.

Sherman News

The Thomas Cataline family of Flint spent the week-end with Wilhelmina Cataline and son, Gregory.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Florian Stamoran, who passed away last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Cataline and daughters are moving into the former Henry Hicks home near Whittemore.

Several from here attended the 25th wedding anniversary celebration for Mr. and Mrs. Russell White at Chamber of Commerce Building, Skidway Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Grabow and family of Birch Run enjoyed the holiday week-end with her mother, Wilhelmina Cataline, and Gregory.

Jack McKenna of Drayton Plains is enjoying some time at his home here.

Several relatives from here attended the wedding and reception of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Groat at Flint Saturday. Mrs. Groat is the former Arlene Schlager, granddaughter of the George Smiths.

Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mrs. Helen Smith were the Stephen Lewicki family and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith and children.

Lillian Smith entertained guests for Thanksgiving Day dinner. Mi-

chael Smith left Friday night for an extended trip to include San Francisco, California, and Thailand and other points in the east.

Former TC Postmaster Died Nov. 24

A former postmaster at Tawas City, Martin C. Musolf of Bay City, passed away Thursday, November 24, at General Division of Bay Medical Center following a lingering illness. Born November 23, 1895, at Tawas City, he was postmaster from 1920 until 1936 when he became railway mail clerk until his retirement in 1961.

He married the former Mildred Hinman in June 1920 and they lived in Bay City for the past 33 years. A member of Immanuel Lutheran Church, Bay City, he was also a veteran of the United States Navy in World War I.

Services were held at Immanuel Lutheran Church Monday, November 28, with the Rev. Leslie D. Tyvela officiating. Burial was in Floral Gardens Cemetery.

Survivors besides his wife include two sons, William of Bay City and Martin of Midland; two daughters, Mrs. Charles (Norma) Kobs of Tawas City and Mrs. Mari- on Slocum of LaMesa, California; 10 grandchildren; four great grandchildren; a brother, Julius of Sandusky, and three sisters, Mrs. Elsie Samson of Pennsylvania, Mrs. Freida Neurminger of Saginaw and Mrs. Celia Klenow of East Tawas.

Memorials may be made to Immanuel Lutheran Church or American Cancer Society.

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Ogemaw Overcame Lead

TA Bravettes Lost Tourney Opener

Tawas Bravettes lost in the opening round of the district basketball tournament Monday night. A strong Ogemaw Heights team came out on top, 66-46.

Ogemaw took a 12-10 margin at the end of the first quarter, but Tawas came back to take the lead, 26-25, at intermission.

It was all Ogemaw Heights after that as the winners held a 10-point lead, 46-36, at the end of the third quarter and then upped the difference to 20 points at the final buzzer.

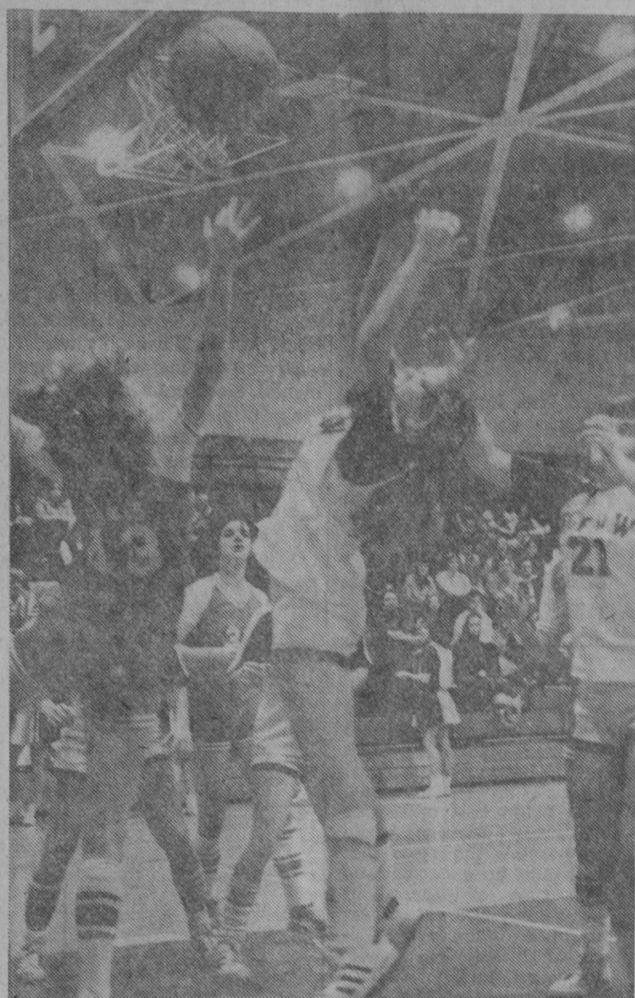
Ogemaw had four players scoring in double figures led by Laurie Burgin and Kim Shelton with 12 points apiece. Brenda Kingen had 12 points and Cindy Webb meshed

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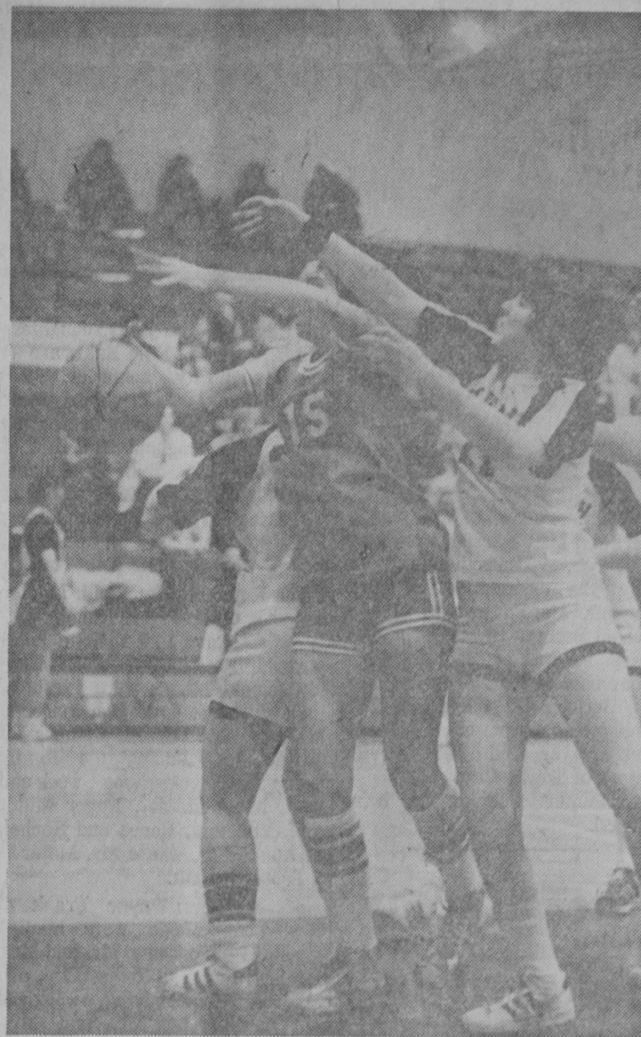
For Tawas, Kari Allen and Meg Peterson were top scorers with 14 points apiece. Kim McKenzie and Cathy Davison had eight points each. Allen led on rebounds with 19, followed by Davison's 11.

The Bravettes finished the season with a record of nine wins and 12 losses.

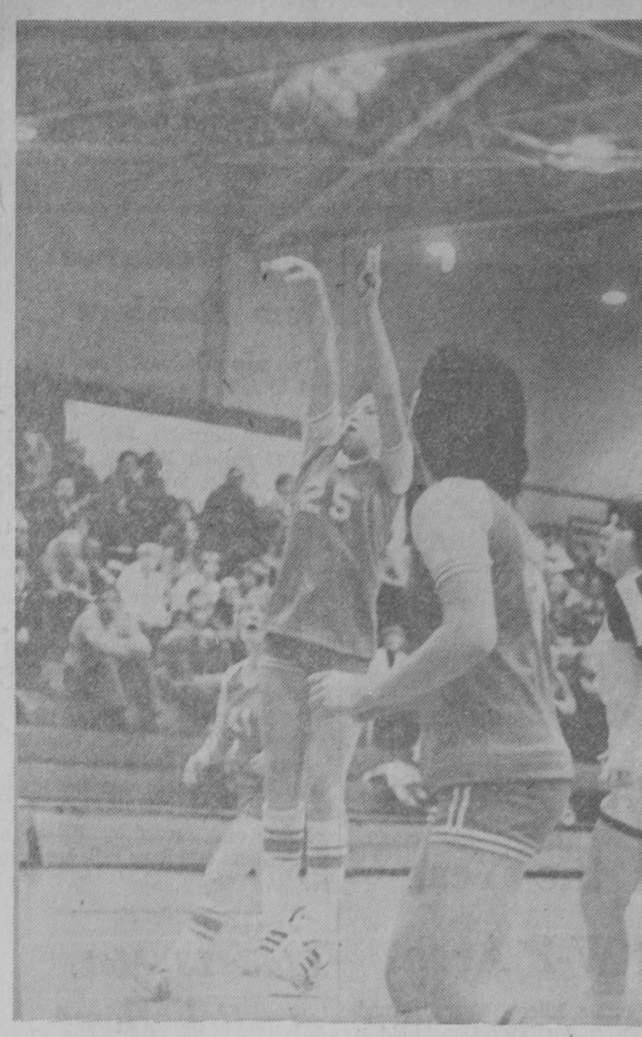
Standish-Sterling and Pinconning were to meet in the second game of tournament action Tuesday night at Tawas Area High School. Oscoda is to meet Ogemaw Heights Wednesday night and the winner of that game will meet the winner of the Tuesday night game on Saturday, December 3, 5:30 p. m., in the championship game.



JUMPING FOR THIS REBOUND is Cathy Davison of the Tawas Area Bravettes. Davison (43) had 11 rebounds during the night and meshed eight points. The Bravettes finished the season with nine wins and 12 losses.—Tawas Herald Photo.



LAUREL MINARD (15) tries to drive between two Ogemaw Heights players, but was stopped on this play in front of the basket. She meshed seven points during the night and pulled in seven rebounds. The Ogemaw Heights player at right is Brenda Kingen.—Tawas Herald Photo.



MARY PETERSON tries a jump shot early in the first quarter against Ogemaw Heights. In the foreground is Kari Allen, who had 14 points during the night for Tawas. Peterson meshed 14 points to tie for team scoring honors. Kim McKenzie is shown behind Peterson.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Bowling ...

HALE CREEK LANES	
Sunday Snowbirds	W L
C-B Kids	30½ 17½
Thayer-Kolb	26 22
Hendrickson-Reid	26 22
Blust-Brandal	24 24
Brandt-Kolb	24 24
Slosser-Sestak	23½ 24½
Stevenson-Richardson	20 28
Gotts-Wayne	18 30
Team High Series: Thayer-Kolb, 2397; C-B Kids, 2374; Brandt-Kolb, 2371.	
Team High Single: C-B Kids, 852; Thayer-Kolb, 839; Stevenson-Richardson, 834.	
Individual High Series: Craig Follette, 689; Fay Thayer, 651; Don Stevenson, 633.	
Individual High Single: Craig Follette, 248; Mildred Reid, 243; Fay Thayer, 237.	
Hits & Mrs.	W L
Evergreen Resort	31 17
Keystone Bar	30 18
Prescott TV	30 18
Hard Hat Bar	24 24
Whittemore Milling	23 25
Hale Flowers	21 27
Trading Post	19 29
June's Grill	14 34
Team High Series: Evergreen Resort, 2358; Prescott TV, 2271; Hard Hat Bar, 2270.	
Team High Single: Hard Hat Bar, 801; Evergreen Resort, 798; Prescott TV, 767.	
Individual High Series: George Kosnak, 615; Norm Foco, 612; Duane Wright, 605.	
Individual High Single: Jack Hempstead, 226; Duane Wright, Shirley Robson, Norm Foco, 225.	
Mixed Doubles	W L
Hale Bank	33 15
Ice Cream Shop	30 18
Hale Hardware	29 19
Hale Heating	26 22
Pearsall Hardware	24 24
Scotfield Insurance	18½ 29½
Scotfield Realty	17½ 30½
Hale Auto Parts	14 34
Team High Series: Hale Bank, 2460; Ice Cream Shop, 2367; Scotfield Insurance, 2301.	
Team High Single: Hale Bank, 845-833; Ice Cream Shop, 816.	
Individual High Series: Wayne Wilson, Dale Humphrey, 631; Judy Pfahl, 625.	
Individual High Single: Barbara Wilson, 232; Marilyn Reed, Frank Leiva, 222.	

Bowling ...

TAWAS LANES

Braves & Squaws		W	L
Commanche	32½	15½	
Navajo	28½	19½	
Blackfeet	28	20	
Mohawk	28	20	
Chippewa	27	21	
Mohican	21	27	
Apache	19	29	
Sioux	19	29	
Cherokee	19	29	
Iroquois	18	30	
Team High Series: Cherokee, 2379; Commanche, 2363; Mohawk, 2225.			
Team High Single: Cherokee, 825; Commanche, 820; Navajo, 805.			
Individual High Series: J. Wemert, 633; J. Monpetit, 629; O. Smith, 623.			
Individual High Single: J. Wemert, 245; P. Baker, 240; J. Wilson, 234.			
Guys & Dolls		W	L
Saints & Sinners	34	14	
4 Ls	30	18	
Oscoda State Savings	29	19	
That Other Team	27	21	
All Stars	21	27	
Coasters	21	27	
Krumi Kids	20	28	
Screwballs	20	28	
Rookies	20	28	
Optimists	18	30	
Team High Series: Saints & Sinners, 2316; 4 Ls, 2292; Screwballs, 2244.			
Team High Single: 4 Ls, 804; Saints & Sinners, 799; Rookies, 776.			
Individual High Series: Paul Beauparlant, 632; Marv Gingerich, 627; Chum Lorenz, 622.			
Individual High Single: Marv Gingerich, 233; Bob Smith, 227; Steve Shaver, 225.			
Minor		W	L
Schaaf Lumber	34	14	
Andrew & Fekete	30	18	
Tawas Furniture	26½	21½	
WIOS	25	23	
K of C No. 1	25	23	
Methodist Men	23	25	
Woodward Realty	23	25	
East Tawas Recreation	20	28	
K of C No. 2	17	31	
Kiwanis	16½	31½	
Team High Series: K of C No. 1, 3009; WIOS, 2930; Andrew & Fekete, 2903.			
Team High Single: K of C No. 1,			

1048; Kiwanis, 1025; K of C No. 2, 1003.			
Individual High Series: A. Miller, 643; E. Phillips, 642; J. Miknyocki, D. Westcott, 629.			
Individual High Single: J. Davison, 247; E. Phillips, 237; J. Moeller, 234.			
Mommas & Poppas		W	L
Lucky Strikes	34	10	
K&K Supermarket	31	13	
Hell Raisers	22	22	
No Names	22	22	
Schu-Pats	22	22	
Boozers	21	23	
Higgins Bottoms	20	24	
Zeros	19	25	
Streakers	19	21	
Moonchild	15	25	
*Postponed.			
Team High Series: Lucky Strikes, 2340; Higgins Bottoms, 2312.			
Team High Single: Higgins Bottoms, 838; Lucky Strikes, 831; Zeros, 810.			
Individual High Series: Leif Ericksen, 663; Rich Bell, 622; Steve Call, 618.			
Individual High Single: Pat Whitford, 261; Leif Ericksen, 258; Steve Call, 247.			

(See BOWLING, page 4, sec. 2.)

A. W. Colby Died Tuesday in Arizona

Archie Colby, retired Tawas City rural mail carrier, died Tuesday, November 29, at Sun City, Arizona, where he was spending the winter with his son, Charles.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Born January 10, 1887, in Tawas City, he served as a rural mail carrier here from February 1, 1913, to December 1955.

He was a member of First Baptist Church; was past worthy patron of Tawas City Chapter No. 303, Order of the Eastern Star; a member of Tawas Lodge No. 274, Free and Accepted Masons.

Besides his son, he is survived by his daughter, Evelyn Birkenbach of San Diego, California; a step daughter, Evelyn Jones, San Antonio, Texas; eight grandchildren; 30 great grandchildren and three great, great grandchildren.

During Mark Twain's days as a newspaperman, he was editor of a small Missouri paper. One day he received a letter from a subscriber, stating that he had found a spider in his paper, and asked if this was an omen of good or bad luck.

Twain replied: "Finding a spider in your paper is neither good nor bad luck. The spider was merely looking over our paper to see which merchant was not advertising so that he could go to that store, spin his web across the door, and lead a life of undisturbed peace ever afterward."

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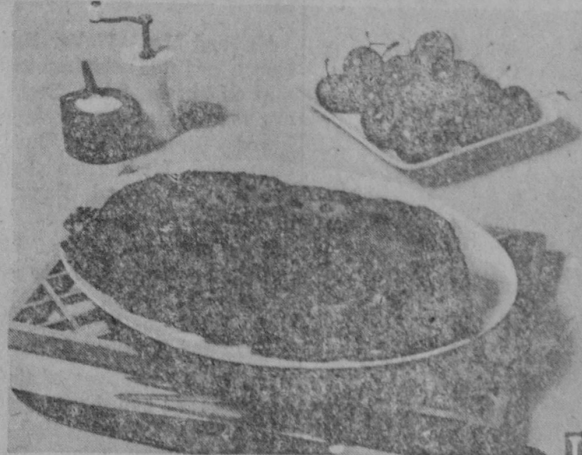
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HEARTY HOLIDAY GLAZED HAM LOAF
2 1/2 pounds ground canned ham

2 eggs
1 cup cracker crumbs
2/3 cup milk
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1 recipe glaze

Mix together ham, eggs, cracker crumbs, milk and pepper. Shape into loaf and place in baking pan. Bake in a 300°F. oven for about one hour, basting occasionally with glaze. Makes 8 to 10 servings.

Glaze: Stir together 3/4 cup dark corn syrup, 1/3 cup vinegar and 2 teaspoons dry mustard in a small saucepan. Stirring occasionally, bring to boil and boil two minutes.

WINTER'S COMING!

Remember the blustery winter of '76? In many parts of the country, a trip to the supermarket was put off until the cupboard was bare. Those cold weather memories are reason enough to be prepared this winter with a pantry survival kit.

Shelf stable, versatile food is the answer. Buttermilk complete pancake & waffle mix, for example, is one such item to keep on hand when sub-zero temperatures keep you inside all weekend long. Just add water for tender, flavorful pancakes; buttermilk, egg and shortening are already in the mix.

There's more to buttermilk complete pancake mix. It can be used as a recipe ingredient, too. Try these 3 recipes, and you'll undoubtedly see the near necessity for this new mix — breakfast, lunch or supper.



HONEY-ORANGE COFFEE CAKE

Topping:
3/4 cup buttermilk complete pancake mix
3/4 cup chopped nuts
1/3 cup sugar
1/4 cup butter or margarine, melted

Cake:
3/4 cup orange juice
1/4 cup honey
1 egg, beaten
3 tablespoons vegetable oil

1 tablespoon grated orange rind
2-1/2 cups buttermilk complete pancake mix
Honey-Orange Drizzle:
2 cup confectioners sugar
2 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted
3 to 4 teaspoons orange juice
1 tablespoon honey
1/2 teaspoon grated orange rind

For topping, combine all ingredients, mixing until crumbly. For cake, add combined orange juice, honey, egg, oil and orange rind to mix; beat until smooth. Spread into greased 13x9-inch baking pan. Sprinkle topping evenly over batter. Bake in preheated moderate oven (350°F.) about 18 minutes or until wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean.

For honey-orange drizzle, combine all ingredients, mixing until smooth. Drizzle icing over warm cake. Cut into squares; serve warm. Makes 13x9-inch cake.

SUPER CINNAMON WAFFLES

Apple Syrup:
1 to 1-1/2 cups maple-blended syrup
2 medium-sized apples, coarsely chopped
1/2 cup butter or margarine
2 tablespoons coarsely chopped pecans

Waffles:
2 cups buttermilk complete pancake mix
1-1/3 cups water
1 tablespoon vegetable oil
1 teaspoon cinnamon

For apple syrup, bring syrup to a boil in heavy saucepan. Cover, simmer 5 minutes. Remove from heat; stir in apples, butter and pecans. Keep warm until ready to serve.

For waffles, combine all ingredients; stir until batter is fairly smooth. For each waffle, pour scant 1 cup batter onto hot waffle iron. Bake in hot waffle iron until steaming stops. For each serving, pour about 1/2 cup syrup over 1 waffle. Makes 2 to 3 servings.

BEEF STEW 'N DUMPLINGS

Beef Stew:
1 lb. round steak, cut 1/2 to 3/4-inch thick
1/2 cup coarsely chopped onion
2 tablespoons vegetable oil
One 16-oz. can tomatoes
1 cup water
One 6-oz. can tomato paste
One 4-oz. can mushroom slices
1 tablespoon parsley flakes
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon oregano leaves

1/4 teaspoon garlic powder
1/4 teaspoon thyme leaves
1/8 teaspoon pepper
One 9-oz. pkg. frozen Italian-style green beans

Dumplings:
1-3/4 cups buttermilk complete pancake mix
2/3 cup water
2 tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese
1 teaspoon parsley flakes
1/4 teaspoon garlic powder

For beef stew, cut meat into strips about 1/4-inch thick. Brown meat and onion in oil in 4-1/2-qt. Dutch oven or 12-inch skillet over medium-high heat; drain. Add tomatoes, water, tomato paste, mushrooms, parsley, salt, oregano, garlic, thyme and pepper. Cover; simmer 30 minutes. Add frozen green beans. Cover; simmer 15 minutes.

For dumplings, combine all ingredients, mixing just until ingredients are moistened. Bring stew mixture to boil; drop dumpling mixture by rounded tablespoonfuls onto stew. Cover; reduce heat. Simmer about 20 minutes. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

Confections to Cheer You!

Nothing is more impressive during the Christmas holidays than entertaining with your own homemade candies and sweets. Many cooks won't tempt a try at such confections, but here are 2 anyone can do!



MINT-PUFF CANDY SQUARES

4 cups puffed rice
1/2 cup crushed hard peppermint candy
3 cups miniature marshmallows

2 tablespoons butter or margarine
One 6-oz. pkg. (1 cup) semi-sweet chocolate pieces, melted

Bake puffed rice in shallow baking pan in preheated moderate oven (350°F.) about 10 minutes. Combine cereal and peppermint candy in well greased large bowl. Melt together marshmallows and butter in saucepan over low heat, stirring occasionally until smooth. Pour over cereal mixture, stirring until evenly coated. Press into well greased 9-inch square baking pan; spread chocolate evenly over top. Chill; cut into squares. Store in refrigerator. Makes 9-inch square pan of candy squares.

MAPLE-WALNUT CRACKLE CANDY

1 cup maple-blended syrup
1/2 cup sugar
2 teaspoons lemon juice

1 cup coarsely chopped walnuts
2 teaspoons soda

Combine syrup, sugar and lemon juice in 2-qt. heavy saucepan. Bring mixture to a boil over high heat, stirring until sugar dissolves. Continue cooking without stirring to hard crack stage (300°F.) or until mixture separates into hard brittle threads when dropped into cold water. Immediately remove from heat. Quickly stir in nuts and soda; mix well. Pour into greased 9-inch square baking pan. Cool; break into pieces. Makes about 1 lb. candy.

Paul J. Korbely Died Nov. 26

Paul J. Korbely of Detroit, formerly of Tawas, died Saturday, November 26, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Flint, at the age of 44. He was born August 17, 1933, in Washington, Pennsylvania.

Surviving are two sons, Paul and Michael Korbely, Harrisville; two daughters, Cheryl and Lynn Korbely, Harrisville; his father and step-mother, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Korbely of Tawas City and Mission, Texas, and one sister, Mrs. John (Rose M.) David of Detroit.

Services will be held Wednesday (today), November 30, from Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Tawas City, with the Rev. Fr. Lawrence Boks officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. A Rosary service was conducted Tuesday evening from the Jacques and Kobs East Chapel, East Tawas.

Funeral Held for Ruth G. Jansen

A Hale resident, Ruth G. Jansen, formerly of Bay City, died Thursday, November 24, at Saginaw Osteopathic Hospital. She was born in Saginaw July 18, 1911.

Funeral services were held Monday, November 28, at Hale Baptist Church with burial in Evergreen Cemetery.

Surviving are two sons, Newell Jansen of Hale and William Jansen of Twining; five daughters, Mary White, Maxine Lee and Johanna Garnett of Hale, Joyce Burr of Saginaw and Tanya Nuttall of Oscoda; 28 grandchildren; two great grandchildren, and one sister.

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Mclvor News

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jordan and family of Flint spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan, and Charles Jordan. They also visited other relatives while here.

Mrs. Josephine Draeger was a Thanksgiving dinner guest at the East Tawas home of her grandson, Gary Ulman, and family. Mr. and Mrs. William LaFramboise of Munger spent the past week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parent, and enjoyed some hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder Monday afternoon.

Wilber News

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Garment and family of Columbus, Ohio, returned home Friday after spending a couple of days visiting at the Norman Harris home. William Kosloski of Lansing spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hunt. The Charles Brookins family of Jenison came Wednesday night to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Linda Alda and family.

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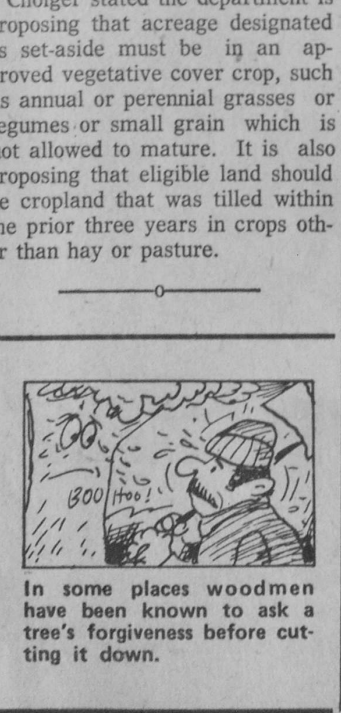
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Advertisement for 'Nice Things For Your Home from The Village Shop' featuring a Christmas tree illustration and contact information.

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The United States Department of Agriculture has conditionally announced a 10 percent set-aside of corn, sorghum and barley. A 20-percent set-aside for wheat was announced last fall.



In some places woodmen have been known to ask a tree's forgiveness before cutting it down.

Build A New House For The Holidays

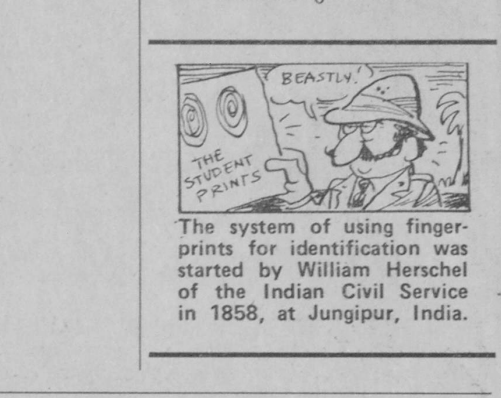
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GRANOLA BAR HOUSE recipe and construction instructions with diagrams for SIDE SECTION, FRONT SECTION, BACK SECTION, ROOF SECTION, and ROOF TRIANGLES.

Reno News

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Redmond entertained their children and families on Thanksgiving Day. They are as follows: Edward from Big Rapids, Samuel from Flint, William and Linda from Saginaw, Karen from Grand Rapids and James from Reno.



The system of using fingerprints for identification was started by William Herschel of the Indian Civil Service in 1858, at Jungipur, India.

Hale Area News

Legion Auxiliary Met November 16

Glen Staley Unit No. 422, American Legion Auxiliary, held its regular meeting Wednesday, November 16, with Grace Gotts presiding.

Alpha Shrine Held Meeting

Alpha Shrine No. 62, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, met in regular session Thursday, November 17.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bannister of Bay City...

Mr. and Mrs. William Bannister of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. Ray J. Bannister of Grand Ledge, Brent Mann and Vida Bannister enjoyed a belated Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bannister and family on Saturday evening, November 26.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Short Thanksgiving Day...

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Short Thanksgiving Day were their daughter, Brenda, and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ahearne and family. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ranger entertained the following guests for Thanksgiving dinner: Troy Matthews of Flint, Mrs. Sally Ranger and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ranger and Vicki, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Helms and Kristi.

TIPS FOR HOMEOWNERS

Snow Thrower Safety. Don't let the snow freeze out your fun. A snow thrower can clear a path to a clean yard. Here are some tips on how to use a plan-type model from experts at the Outdoor Power Equipment Institute.

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Large advertisement for Keiser's Drug Store featuring various products like Excedrin, Johnson's Odor-Eaters, SUDAFED, Norelco, Crazy Baby Hair Styler, Vitamin B and C tablets, and Twinkle Light Sets.

Chamber of Commerce Asks Financial Aid from County

Taking issue with a recent letter to the editor by Carlton Merschel, chairman of the county board of commissioners, representatives of Tawas Chamber of Commerce again have recommended a permanent line item be established in the county budget to provide funds to county chambers.

Only two weeks ago, Merschel took issue with a chamber of commerce-sponsored advertisement which stated the commission had "abandoned" chambers of commerce.

Pointing out that the county commission had contributed more

than \$100,000 in federal revenue sharing money to area projects, Merschel said that the county board had spent so much public money promoting business and industry that money was lacking for necessary services to people of the county.

Attending Wednesday's session of the county board of commissioners was Richard Stevens, chamber president, and the entire board of directors. Included were four past presidents of the chamber of commerce and Merschel noted that he, too, had served in that capacity. Also attending were representa-

tives of Oscoda Chamber of Commerce.

In a position paper read by Marilyn Eaton, past president, the chamber of commerce took note of the fact that the commission had funneled federal revenue sharing funds into such worthy areas as the county's industrial parks, recreational parks and various other municipal projects on a county-wide basis.

"We know it has not been an easy task to choose what projects should be the beneficiaries. We feel compelled to point out, however, that these federal tax dollars

returned to the county must be plowed into areas such as those itemized and consequently do not constitute county budget line items where the choice of the distribution of local tax dollars is more varied. Most of the 'over \$100,000 in 1977' referred to in the (Merschel) letter falls within the mandatory expenditure provisions of the federal revenue sharing program," stated the position paper.

The chamber also felt that Merschel's statement to the effect that the county supplied a CETA employee in the chamber office "was a little misleading in that, again, this program is totally a federally funded effort. It is even administered internally. The commissioners' only role is one of authorization of recipients of service."

The position paper said that the CETA employee allowed the chamber to extend hours of community service, but it has maintained the regularly paid receptionist-secretary until the recent resignation of that employee for a better paying job.

The position paper went into the history of past financial requests by chambers of commerce. In 1974, the county commission approved an expenditure of \$10,000 for a full-time executive director split between Tawas and Oscoda.

"Representatives of both chambers who were active in those negotiations recall that it was never their intent that the commissioners' participation be on a one-time basis and never received the impression that the final agreement was to be considered as such," stated the position paper.

"By 1975, the Hale Chamber of Commerce had opened a service office and the reduced money of 1975 was rightly split evenly between the now three active county chambers. Then, in 1976, all direct chamber funds were eliminated from the commissioners' preliminary budget. Those commissioners who participated in the preparation of that budget will recall that a multi-chamber group appeared and appealed in vain; the final 1976 budget contained no chamber fund provisions."

The position paper stated that the dues structure of the Tawas Chamber of Commerce had to be increased substantially in an attempt to maintain the status quo.

"This quite predictably lost some members which reflected in income. We found our year-end deficits growing beginning with 1975."

The chamber representative said that the only other direct contribution to chambers from the county was the current agreement to underwrite the printing cost of a county-wide promotional pamphlet created, designed and distributed by the joint efforts of the Whittemore, Hale, Oscoda-AuSable and Tawas Area Chambers as well as the Sand Lake Heights Men's Association. The chamber allocated \$3,000 to printing the brochure.

The chamber asked the question: "Would any well managed business consider a \$3,000 advertising budget adequate to meet a market whose potential is \$25,000,000 annually?" The chamber suggested that the commissioners might recover that investment annually through increased tax revenues as tourism grows. "Unless the commissioners plan upon establishing their own chamber-type agency, TACC asks who is better geared and qualified than the existing county chambers to meet this advertising challenge?"

In listing its accomplishments, the chamber said that heading the list was its efforts on the area water supply project involving Baldwin Township, East Tawas and Tawas City. "We stand proud to say that our now deceased good friend, W. D. 'Mike' Nunn, acting as executive director of TACC, quietly provided the catalyst and almost single-handedly obtained the prospective job documentation re-



PARTICIPANTS in Tawas Area School's cross country team were honored at a banquet November 21 at the high school commons. Shown above in the front row from left are Henry Lahti, Al Porter, Kevin Rogers and Tom Hutch-

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I-W Singers Plan Concert at TAHS

Iosco-Wurtsmith Singers will present a Christmas concert Sunday, December 4, at Tawas Area High School under the direction of Lt. William Penix. Accompanying the group is Melanie LaVack. The afternoon performance will begin at 2 o'clock.

Feature production of the chorus will be a cantata by John W. Peterson, "Down from His Glory." A medley of Christmas songs will also be sung and a sing-along with audience participation.

The program will also be presented at Oscoda Area High School Sunday, December 11, 2:00 p. m., and at Wurtsmith Air Force Base Chapel Sunday, December 18, 7:00 p. m.

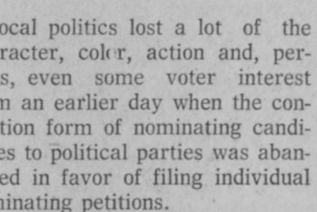
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WHEN THE PACK FACTION TOOK OVER COUNTY POLITICS



Local politics lost a lot of the character, color, action and, perhaps, even some voter interest from an earlier day when the convention form of nominating candidates to political parties was abandoned in favor of filing individual nominating petitions.

Ostensibly, the "antiseptic" petition method has placed nomination of local candidates at the highest level "in the hands of the people." In the process of improving our democratic form of government, election costs have risen through frequent primaries, which most voters seem to avoid like they were a plague, the latest example being Michigan's presidential primary.

Lost, too, were those not-so-lowly political caucuses held in city wards or townships (Tawas City's First Ward always had a "blinger" and at East Tawas there was the "bloody third"), followed by the hectic city convention. There is still a county convention for political parties, but today's bland deliberations have been purified since the days of the smoke-filled back room.

Far and away the most hectic political convention ever held in Iosco County was in October 1896, when the "Pack faction" from Oscoda took over the Republican convention held at the old Iosco County Courthouse in Tawas City.

A brief explanation is necessary for the reader at this point. The giant Pack, Woods and Company had closed its sawmill operation at Oscoda for good in 1895, having cut the last of millions of board feet of white pine which had literally flown through the jaws of its gang and circular saws for 18 years. Most of the 800 or more workers of that firm, along with now unemployed sawmill hands of three other large mills, had deserted Oscoda-AuSable for jobs in Michigan's Upper Peninsula and the Far West.

Those men remaining in the twin towns had trouble finding employment. This is the story of one man who turned to politics and how some of his former fellow workers at the Pack and Woods mill helped to get him elected sheriff.

Peter E. Shien was born February 14, 1848, at Almira, New York, and came to Michigan in 1852 with his parents, who were pioneer settlers at Holly, Oakland County.

Shien left home in March 1862, being 15 years of age, and made his way to Abraham Lincoln's Army of the Potomac, serving as a drummer for over a year. On January 23, 1864, when he reached legal enlistment age, he enlisted as a member of Company K, Fifth Michigan Infantry, and was assigned to mounted orderly duty on a later serving staff.

Later serving as orderly to Generals Grant and Hancock, it was Orderly Shien who carried Grant's instructions to General Ambrose



THE OLD Iosco County Courthouse in Tawas City was the scene of a hot Republican convention in 1896 when Peter Shien was nominated as a candidate for county sheriff. Forever after during the lifetime of the participants, it was remembered as the year the Pack faction from Oscoda temporarily took over the party. This picture shows delegates posing on the front steps of the courthouse at a later Republican convention. (One of the original pictures is on display at Freel's Barber Shop in Tawas City.) The arrow points to Peter Shien standing in the back row. An extreme blowup of Shien from that picture is shown in the top heading.

Burnside before the famous Petersburg mine explosion.

Some time after this engagement, President Lincoln reviewed the Union Army south of Petersburg and Shien was assigned to drive the carriage of the president. Later in Washington, Shien again met the president at his headquarters and when the president was told of the exploit of carrying Grant's message to Burnside, Lincoln appointed a meeting for the next day. That night, Lincoln was shot and the purpose of the appointed meeting remained a mystery.

Shien was mustered out of service on August 16, 1865, spent the fall and winter as a store clerk at Fenton and moved to AuSable in the spring of 1867, where he was for a time engaged in the fishing business.

He then embarked in the lumbering business and was actively associated with it for 38 years. An expert timber cruiser, he also managed the shipment of vast quantities of lumber and timber. During 1876-77, he managed the Lee House at AuSable.

In 1878, at the beginning of Pack, Woods and Company's operation at Oscoda, he entered their employ, managing the general lumbering and logging interests.

Shien made many friends in his managerial capacity in the lumbering business, which did not hurt his later political aspirations. He was a 32nd degree Mason and a member of that influential organization of war veterans, the Grand Army of the Republic. His association with Pack, Woods and Company finally came to an end in 1895 and he turned his attention to county politics.

Two giants of nineteenth century politics, William McKinley and William Jennings Bryan, captured most of the headlines during the summer and fall of 1896 in that epic presidential race over the "full dinnerpail" and prosperity of Republican McKinley vs. the silver campaign of Democrat Bryan.

The national presidential campaign was contagious and, here in Iosco County, the Republicans and Democrats leveled verbal broadsides at each other through a hot newspaper campaign.

But, before the local campaign could begin in earnest, each political party had to select candidates in the county conventions held the first week in October. Only a month of campaigning remained between the county convention and the general election, a far cry from today's nomination system which requires candidates to file petitions

with the county clerk in June for an August primary election.

"For some time, it had been known that upon the office of sheriff there would be a hard struggle," said a report in the Iosco County Gazette at East Tawas.

C. R. Jackson, editor-publisher of the Gazette, was chairman of the Iosco County Republican Committee; Leonard Patterson, editor-publisher of The Tawas Herald in Tawas City, was active as a member of the Iosco County Democratic Committee.

Little did Jackson know what "hard struggle" he faced when he banged the gavel at 2:00 p. m. to open the Republican convention at the courthouse. Nominations of candidates for county offices moved along smoothly until time came for a vote on the sheriff's office. Sheriff Thomas Cox was to retire at the end of the year, which threw the political gates open to name a successor.

Oscoda Township had more than 500 votes and, "with not a name on the ticket two years ago, she asked for only this place this time. Their 10 delegates voted solidly for Shien's nomination from start to finish," stated the Gazette's account of the convention.

Three other strong candidates and a scattering of lesser names sought the nomination of sheriff on the Republican ticket. A. J. Urquhart, harness manufacturer at East Tawas, and Shien each commanded 14 votes from the delegates, while Charles Curry, an East Tawas businessman, and James Quinn each garnered 10 votes into their folds. The remain-

ing votes were scattered among the weaker candidates.

No break in the tie vote between Urquhart and Shien could be induced until the 50th ballot, when Shien jumped to 17 votes in his favor. He gradually gained until the 61st ballot, when he received 27 votes and Urquhart had only 19 votes.

Shien was declared the nominee "amidst great cheering and applause" of tired convention delegates at 1:30 a. m. the next day. The remaining offices on the ticket were quickly filled by the convention delegates, who had to return home at an early hour.

"For sheriff, Peter E. Shien of Oscoda won out in the hardest fought nominating contest ever known in the county," said the Gazette's news story. "The contest was fair and above board. Any reports to the contrary are false and misleading. Others were close in the race and, had any of them received the requisite number of votes, they would have been heartily supported as well as Mr. Shien."

The party chairman wrote that "Mr. Shien is an able man; he has been knocked down in several nominating contests in the county heretofore and always stood defeats smilingly and seemed to be urged on to do ever better service for party success. He has a war record, a business record and he will go on record as the next sheriff of Iosco County."

A. J. Urquhart, who lost the regular nomination in the convention, apparently did not accept defeat (See CONVENTION, page 6.)



THIS PICTURE reduced from an original eight by 10-inch glass plate negative is believed to be the former Peter Shien home in Tawas City. It still stands next to Inglis Ford Sales.



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Editorial—

Elected Officials are 'Watchdogs' of Tax Spending--and for a Reason --They are Answerable at the Polls!

This newspaper said so a number of years ago and will again repeat: Local tax dollars should not be used to operate chambers of commerce in Iosco County. We believe in and support chambers of commerce, but financial support of those organizations is the responsibility of the business community which benefits from chamber activities.

The primary function of a chamber of commerce is with the business community, despite the fact that Tawas Chamber of Commerce, for instance, has attempted to expand into other fields. In its position paper read before the county board of commissioners Wednesday, the chamber of commerce appeared to take credit for a number of accomplishments in this area which actually resulted from the combined efforts of many local governmental organizations and individuals—the chamber of commerce did its part, but no more than some others.

We agreed with Carlton Merschel, chairman of the county board of commissioners, when he wrote two weeks ago that it appeared the commission had been spending a little too much public money to promote business and industry—the county is now facing problems in meeting its 1978 budget. In addition, the county has made considerable financial contributions to the community through expenditures of more than \$100,000 in federal revenue sharing money; the county has also made a substantial contribution to the entire county through operation of Old Orchard Park and in the field of area industrial development.

Representatives of the chamber of commerce have minimized that support by stating that the money came from federal revenue sharing and that it was "mandatory" to make such an expenditure. Anyone—including Marlin Eaton—who read such a statement on behalf of the chamber of commerce does not know what he is talking about. It is doubtful if any other county commission in the state shared revenue sharing funds like Iosco County did with other local units of government.

The county board of commissioners could have spent the federal revenue sharing money received by Iosco on projects selected entirely by the commission, rather than to invite and encourage participation by other units of local government in the final allocation of funds.

Organizations and individuals seeking additional tax dollars are reminded that the county budget is "locked in" by allocated millage and any increase in property valuation is practically offset by inflation. Any new expenditures—ranging from financial support to chambers of commerce, sanitary landfills, ambulance service—would require additional tax millage approved by the people—and the only additional tax millage approved by Iosco voters in recent years has been to benefit senior citizens.

It is also pointed out that, despite the statement made Wednesday that "some of the best managers to be found in the county sit on our respective chamber boards at various times," it must be remembered that those members are not elected by the people. This is not meant to belittle their good work, but chamber of commerce directors are not responsible to the people when tax dollars are being considered for expenditure—that is the responsibility of such elected officials as members of the county board of commissioners, who are accountable to the people at the polls.

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TODAY'S Meditation

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(Read Psalm 119:65-71)

"It is good for me that I have been afflicted; that I might learn thy statutes." (Psalm 119:71)

Some time ago, I was feeling severely depressed and was told later that I had been classified as "suicidal." I felt as though I were merely existing and not really alive at all.

Two matches, each one lighting one of the pockets on my shirt, were all it took for me to tempt the hand of fate.

I spent the next several months in the hospital in agony and severe pain from the second and third-degree burns that covered over half of my body. But the incident opened my eyes to an encouraging reality. For the first time, I realized all the reasons I had to strive to be a victor in life instead of being the defeated one.

Most important of all, it opened up my heart to receive God's love. Suddenly, miraculously, I was a new creation. Now I am more aware of the cries for help of others and not just in tune with my own problems.

PRAYER

Eternal God, we thank Thee for Thy love and forgiveness for all our sins. Help us to use what we have learned from our mistakes as a better foundation for the future. In Christ's name. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY With Christ, my life is a challenge, not a battle.—Ruth Ariene Reiff (New Jersey)

Lutheran Church Women Met Here Nov. 17

Lutheran Church Women of Hannah Unit met at Grace Lutheran Church Thursday morning, November 17, for a business meeting, social and sewing activities. The Rev. William Graf introduced the group to the new hymnals and conducted a Bible discussion.

Preceding the meeting, dessert was served in the fireside lounge by Leona Benson and Pearl Rose, hostesses, in a setting of Thanksgiving motif.

December 15 meeting will be a noon Christmas pot-luck at the home of Mrs. Edwin Anderson.

Finances

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quired. We might also add that TACC paid travel expenses for two commissioners to go to Chicago to help sell the program. An accompanying TACC board member arranged for his own expenses."

Also noted were efforts on resurfacing of Monument Road, F-41 construction, pressure in upgrading of US-23, construction of signs on I-75 publicizing the county, its efforts at the Wurtsmith Air Force Base closure hearing, development of the county economic development corporation.

The chamber's position paper maintained that the foregoing points were county-wide in value and broad in their beneficiaries. Tourist-oriented activities of the chamber are handled by Tawas Area Promotions (TAPS) and Tawas Area Winter and Summer (TAWAS), although the chamber originated the 1977 brown trout der-

by, helped to organize the King Salmon Derby, as well as handling thousands of contacts annually from the tourists, job hunters, potential home buyers, industrialists and retailers.

Merschel told representatives of the chamber that "he did not intend to get into any push and shove" over the position paper, but he felt that it was worded rather strongly. He pointed out that the county operation was pegged at 4.95 mills by the people and that in 1974, the former county tax allocation board had taken issue with the county commission over the fact that \$10,000 had been included as a line item for chambers of commerce.

President Stevens of the chamber of commerce said that he felt there had been a communications gap between the commission and the chambers of commerce in the past and hoped that it might be improved in the future. "By no means are we saying you are not doing a good job, but in the future we hope to have better communications," said Stevens.

Chamber representatives announced that there were four local enterprises interested in participating in the new Iosco Economic Development Corporation's program. It was indicated that three firms in the Tawas area and one in the Oscoda area had indicated interest in expansion with a total valuation in excess of five-million-dollars.

Bargain Hunters Are Bagging Their Limit With Tawas Herald Classifieds!

Hale Area High School Lists 1st Marking Period Honor Roll

Hale Area High School has released the following honor roll for the first marking period with an asterisk denoting all A grade candidates:

Ninth grade—Dee Dee Barnes, Darla Bissonette, Kim Boughner, Susan Case*, Dan Dear, Kristi Hart, Kristin Ketzler, Lynn Lanphear*, Judy McKenzie, Chris Millard, Susan Millard, Steve Salyers, Jim Schulte, Missy Sharp, Mary Sutch, Mike Turnbull, Donna Wallace*, Rick Williams, Kurt Wilson*.

Tenth grade—Jill Annstead, Alan Baker, Bonnie Bell, Beth Bellville, Mary Braun, Cyndi Carr, Bill

Lists Advent Season Schedule

The Rev. Kenneth Tousley has announced the following schedule for the Advent season at Tawas United Methodist Church:

On December 4, the second Sunday in Advent, his sermon topic will be "The Preparation." Prepare the way of the Lord.

December 11, third Sunday in Advent, the Rev. Allan Rice speaking for MICAP will present the message, "Prepare The Way!" The Lord your God is in your midst.

The sanctuary choir will present its Christmas cantata, "Joy To The World!" at 7:00 p. m. Tuesday, December 13, Tawas United Methodist Women will host the annual Christmas tea. "The Child We Honor" is the title of the program to be presented in the sanctuary at 8:00 p. m. followed by the serving of tea in the fellowship hall.

December 18, fourth Sunday in Advent, the "Christmas Family" worship will be presented by church school children with a program, "Come To Christmas."

December 24, Christmas Eve message, "A Gift For Jesus," is to be presented in a candlelight service at 8:00 p. m.

December 25, Christmas Day worship sermon is "The Potential" And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us.

Sunday morning worship service begins at 10:30 o'clock and is preceded by church school at 9 o'clock.

LOOKING BACKWARD—

Sportsmen's Club Builds Clubhouse

15 Years Ago— November 28, 1962—A dream of several years standing will soon be realized by members of the Iosco Sportsmen's Club. To be completed sometime during the next month is the organization's new clubhouse on US-23 near the city limit of East Tawas.

More than 300 turkey dinners were served last Wednesday at the Tawas City Elementary Unit, according to Mrs. Clinton Ulman, chief cook.

Wayne Shawl of South US-23, Tawas City, bagged a coyote while hunting deer in the Cooke Dam swamp.

Tawas Area Board of Education expressed full support to the administration in its effort toward curbing rowdiness reported on bus No. 5. It was stated that unruly passengers would not be allowed to ride school buses.

25 Years Ago— November 28, 1952—A break in the Saginaw-Midland water line and a temporary interruption of Consumers Power service over the week-end occurred when a high tension transmission line east of Mio was severed by a hunter's bullet.

Elaine Moehring, 14, East Tawas, has been named one of the finalists in Pillsbury's fourth grand national baking contest.

Zubek Motor Sales on M-55 is

the new dealer for Packard Motor Car Company.

Plat of Goldsmith's Addition to Tawas City east of Fifth Avenue was approved by the city council.

William DeLosh and son, Claude, were among deer hunters reporting opening day success. Claude brought home a seven-point buck and his father shot a spikehorn.

35 Years Ago— November 27, 1942—Capt. Carl F. Siglin of East Tawas, an officer in the armored forces in North Africa, has been promoted to major for "demonstrating high qualities of leadership in action."

Officers of the new student council at Tawas City School are Lyle Hughes, president; Linda Libka, vice president; Neil Libka, secretary.

The railroads have been negotiat-

ing with the schools and colleges to extend the Christmas holiday period so that it will begin before the usual Christmas home-going dates and extend beyond the usual returning dates. The purpose is to get rid of the school and college traffic before taking on the burden of the furlough movement of soldiers, going home for Christmas.

Mrs. A. P. Jerome, state trustee of Michigan and past regent of the Bishop Gallagher Circle of Bay City, is organizing a Daughters of Isabella Circle at East Tawas.

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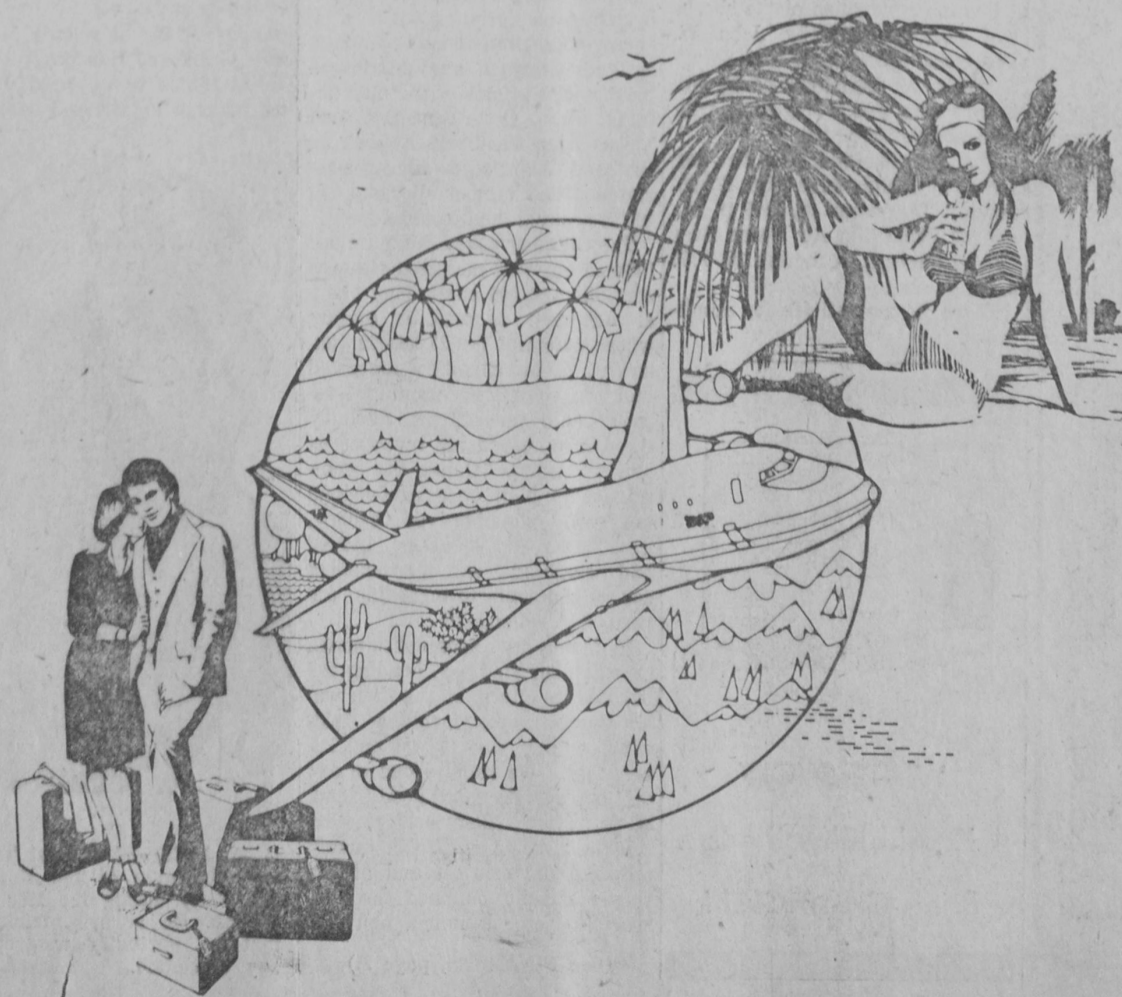
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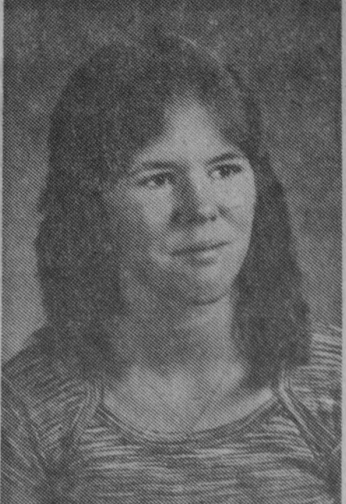
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TODAY'S TEEN at Hale Area High School is Kelli Hart, 17-year-old senior. Her subjects this year include United States Government, English, needle craft and she also serves as an elementary school aide. Her hobbies include biking, hiking, swimming, camping and sewing. She is interested in becoming a social worker and plans to work at another job after graduation to help earn enough money to attend college. She received a science achievement award and frequently is listed on the honor roll. She is the daughter of Franklin and Linda Smith.



TODAY'S TEEN at Whittemore-Prescott Area High School is Julianna Alejski, a senior. Julianna has been a member of Future Homemakers of America for three years, was vice president of her class in her junior year and is treasurer as senior. She was a member of the student council during her junior year and has been on the yearbook staff for two years. Her subjects this year include typing II, office aide, United States Government, psychology, physical education and sociology. She has been on the honor roll since her sophomore year. Her hobby is bike riding. Although her plans are indefinite, she hopes to get a good paying job and perhaps go on to college.

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+ Girl Scout Activities +

Leaders Held Get-Acquainted Dinner Nov. 4

A get-acquainted spaghetti dinner for girl scout leaders and their husbands was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hetterman Friday, November 4. Leaders for the coming year are Barbara Sharma and Patricia Shotwell, Brownie Troop No. 219; Glyda Vernier and Mrs. Hetterman, Brownie Troop No. 660; Katharine Wasylik and Kathleen Curry, Brownie Troop No. 762; Sandra Chapman and Betty Warner, Brownie Troop; Gina Durant and Debra Newkirk, Brownie Troop.

Elaine Bayer and Rosemary Davidson will lead Junior Troop No. 412; Jackie Stoddard and Patricia Conklin, Junior Troop No. 960; Edith Kovacs and Joan Lorenz, Junior Troop No. 250; Elizabeth Rodgers and Joyce Beck, Junior Troop No. 608. Cindy Bishop has been named leader of Cadette Troop No. 743 and Patti Clement will serve as leader of a new Senior Troop.

Visited Call of Wild Museum

Saturday, October 29, Junior Troop No. 412 with Rosemary Davidson, Glyda Vernier and William Bayer, leaders, visited The Call of the Wild Museum, Gaylord. Traveling to Grayling, they went hiking and held their investiture at Hartwick Pines State Park.

Invested were Carolyn Sutton and Michelle Rapp. Rededication was held for Laura Bayer, Kelly Curry, Ann Dalbec, Patti Davidson, Debra Hester, Sue Kendall, Heidi Kuntz, Kelly Landry, Monique Neimeyer, Dawn Pike, Melissa Reitler, Ann Russo, Michelle Sher-

man, Jodie Spencer, Teresa Vernier and Susan Hetterman. The trip earned part of the gypsy badge for the girls.

Investiture Held for Brownie Troop

The chapel of Christ Episcopal Church was the setting for investiture for a new brownie troop, headed by Sandra Chapman and Betty Warner. The ceremony included songs sung by the girls, The Brownie B's explained by Nancy Harten, Julie Chapman and Caryse Williams. Reciting the promise and law and receiving their brownie girl scout pins were Miss Williams, Shelly Brackenbury, Debbie Flower, Jody Brackenbury, Miss Harten, Cindy Boden, Jennifer Meyer, Carlisa Selander, Karen Collins, Miss Chapman, Missy Warner and Marcie Ollie.

The ceremony closed with the friendship squeeze and the Brownie Smile Song.

Girl Scout Adults Held Meeting

Tuesday, November 22, was the first association meeting for Iosco County girl scout adults. Twenty-five people from the area, including Oscoda and Hale, were present.

Lorrie Barber, president of the Mitten Bay Girl Scout Council, was present to explain the corporate goals of Mitten Bay for the years, 1978-1983, and to discuss the association plan and other problems facing troops and service units.

A variety of task groups were presented. Troop program quality was chosen by Elaine Bayer and Patricia Hetterman of Tawas and Doris Horten of Oscoda. Creative bridging was chosen by Edith Kovacs. These task groups comprise people from the 13 counties in the Mitten Bay area.

The new association chairman for Iosco County, Mrs. Hetterman, was appointed by Mrs. Barber for a two-year term. The slate for the nominating committee is Beverly Rand of Oscoda, Patricia Conklin of East Tawas, Marjorie Kerney of Oscoda, Ann Holzheuer of Hale and Debra Newkirk of East Tawas.

Junior Troop Held Investiture

Investiture was held Thursday, November 3, for Junior Troop No. 251 at the American Legion Hall. Edith Kovacs and Joan Lorenz, leaders, conducted the ceremony in which Becky Law and Kristi Keeler were welcomed into girl scouting.

Girls participating in a rededication ceremony included Jennifer Barnes, Beth Dalbec, Julie Foss, Maria Foy, Julie Kendall, Patty Kennedy, Colleen Phillips, Sunday Sherman, Kelly Trahey and Sabrina Winchell. Receiving their girl scout pins for the first time were Terri Lynn Beaubien and Jackie Raleigh.

The ceremony closed with parents and girls joining in a friendship circle and singing "Taps."

Ten Girls Join Brownie Troop

Thursday, October 27, was the date of investiture for Brownie Troop No. 660 with Glyda Vernier and Patricia Hetterman, leaders. Girls joining the ranks of brownies for the first time were Lisa Caplis, Kim Davidson, Becky Hicks, Sandy Hicks, Melissa Hubbard, Sara Beth Kinstry, Lynn Landry, Angela Lappin, Deana Schirmer and Dawn Gollinger. Reinvested were Wendy Hartley, Gail Hetterman, Barbara Niemeier and Karrie Watts.

Coffee and cake were served to the parents following the ceremony.

Ceremony Held at Tawas City School

Brownie Troop No. 742 held its investiture ceremony on Wednesday, November 2, at the Tawas City Elementary School. Girls joining the troop were Amy Russo, Tracy Burghy, Denise Schultz, Shannon Wainwright, Michelle Phillips, Tina Hunke, Susan Walker, Lori Whitmire, Christine LaFaive, Caryn DeWise, Christine LaBerge, Robin Look and Lisa Gerber. Second year brownies, Laura Wasylik and Lynn Schultz, assisted Katharine Wasylik and Kathleen Curry, leaders, with the ceremony. The girls then introduced their mothers and served cookies and punch.

In other activities this fall, the troop has sold girl scout calendars, taken a nature hike, made nature plaques and learned Indian lore.

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PEANUTTY CHOCO-CHEVS

One 18-oz. pkg. oatmeal cookie mix
Two 1-oz. squares unsweetened chocolate, melted
1/3 cup water
3/4 cup finely chopped peanuts

Combine mix, water and chocolate; mix well. Drop by rounded teaspoonfuls into nuts; toss to coat evenly. Shape to form 1-inch balls. Bake on lightly greased cookie sheet in preheated moderate oven (350°F.) about 12 minutes. Makes about 3 dozen cookies.

YULETIDE FRUIT BARS

One 18-oz. pkg. oatmeal cookie mix
1/2 cup chopped nuts
3/4 cup chopped dates
2 teaspoons grated orange rind
1/3 cup orange juice

Combine mix, dates, juice, 1/4 cup nuts and orange rind; mix well. Spread into greased 9-inch square baking pan. Sprinkle remaining nuts evenly over batter. Bake in preheated moderate oven (350°F.) about 25 minutes. Cool; cut into bars. Makes 9-inch square pan of bars.

GOLDEN OAT DROPS

One 18-oz. pkg. oatmeal cookie mix
One 8-oz. can crushed pineapple, well drained
One 4-oz. pkg. (1-1/3 cups) shredded or flaked coconut
1 egg

Combine all ingredients; mix well. Drop by rounded teaspoonfuls onto lightly greased cookie sheet. Bake in preheated moderate oven (350°F.) 13 to 15 minutes or until golden brown. Cool 1 minute on cookie sheet; remove to wire cooling rack. Makes about 3-1/2 dozen cookies.



Lower Hemlock

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Grove and children, John and Mary, of Grand Ledge enjoyed the holiday week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Alexander. Mrs. Alexander accompanied them home for a few days.

Martin Musolf, father of Mrs. Charles Kobs, died Thursday, November 24, at Bay City. Sympathy is extended to the family.

Joan Juhl of Detroit was a Friday overnight guest at the William Blackmore home.

Last week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Duro and family of Saginaw were guests of her grandmother, Mrs. Charlie Simons Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Anschuetz were Thanksgiving guests of their daughter, Mrs. Alice Lipka, and girls.

Joseph McCardell of Hazel Park was a Saturday overnight guest of his aunt, Mrs. Rose Gackstetter.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blust of Bath enjoyed the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Lydia Galliker, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Blust Sr.

Mrs. Florence Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Biggs and son, Randy, spent Thanksgiving with the Walter Champion family at Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Migrants of Port Huron were holiday guests at the Rollie J. Gackstetter home.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Hattie Faughn. She is a sister of George Biggs.

The Harold Frye family of Bay City enjoyed Thanksgiving week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frye.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Frank and the Orville Strauers were Thanksgiving guests at the Larry Frank home in Corunna.

Dr. and Mrs. William Laidlaw and daughters, Anna and Susan, of Grand Rapids spent Thanksgiving week-end at the Laidlaw farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kujawa and family of Clio and the Michael Blust Jr. family were Thanksgiving dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Blust Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Simons of Bay City have been at their McArdle Road home for a week. His mother, Mrs. Charlie Simons Sr., enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with them.

Hattie V. Faughn Died Nov. 23

A former resident of the Tawas area, Hattie V. (Biggs) Faughn, died Wednesday, November 23, at Tolfree Memorial Hospital, West Branch. She was born August 7, 1906, at Mio and had recently resided at Rose City Nursing Home. Funeral services were held Saturday, November 26, from Jacques and Kobs West Chapel, Tawas City. Burial was in Pioneer Cemetery with the Rev. William Wright of Hemlock Road Baptist Church officiating.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Lewis of Flint; three grandchildren; two brothers, George and Raymond Biggs of Tawas City, and two sisters, Mrs. Clara Rickles of Tekonsha and Mrs. Alice Umphrey of National City.

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Convention

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with the same sangfroid as Shien. Urquhart declared himself a candidate for the general election and hit the campaign trail.

The Republicans were big winners in 1896, McKinley winning over Bryan and heading to another destiny with a bullet five years later at Buffalo, New York. Shien won over William Elliott, the Democratic candidate, 1,005 to 880, but Urquhart had 502 votes in his favor, which could have hurt the Republican cause in a different year.

Shien and his wife, Jennie, moved to Tawas City and took up housekeeping and public duties at the jail. Two years later, the Republicans met in what was to be known as the "Loud" convention, which required 42 ballots and saw John Mark of AuSable nominated for county clerk over the regular Republican incumbent.

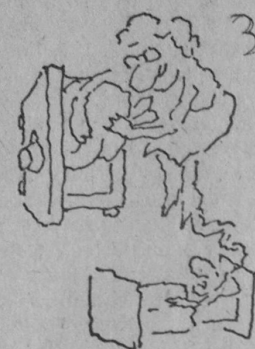
Shien was renominated by Republican acclamation for sheriff in 1898, he won the general election that November and served until 1900. He and his wife then moved to their large home overlooking Tawas Bay. The house was later moved back from the roadway of present day US-23 by Orville Leslie and covered with brick. It stands west of Inglis Ford Sales.

Shien was an extremely popular man in Tawas City and he once donated land near the present day Tawas Hospital for use as a baseball field, known for many years as Shien Park.

"Taps have again sounded and the venerable and beloved figure of Peter E. Shien, Civil War veteran and prominent lumberman of the old days of Iosco County, becomes a memory, to be cherished by his many friends," wrote The Tawas Herald in 1926.

His obituary states: "Mr. Shien passed away at 15 minutes after 5 o'clock Monday afternoon, May 24. His health had been failing for a number of years, he having seldom been seen on the streets during the past year, but his strong spirit was never broken."

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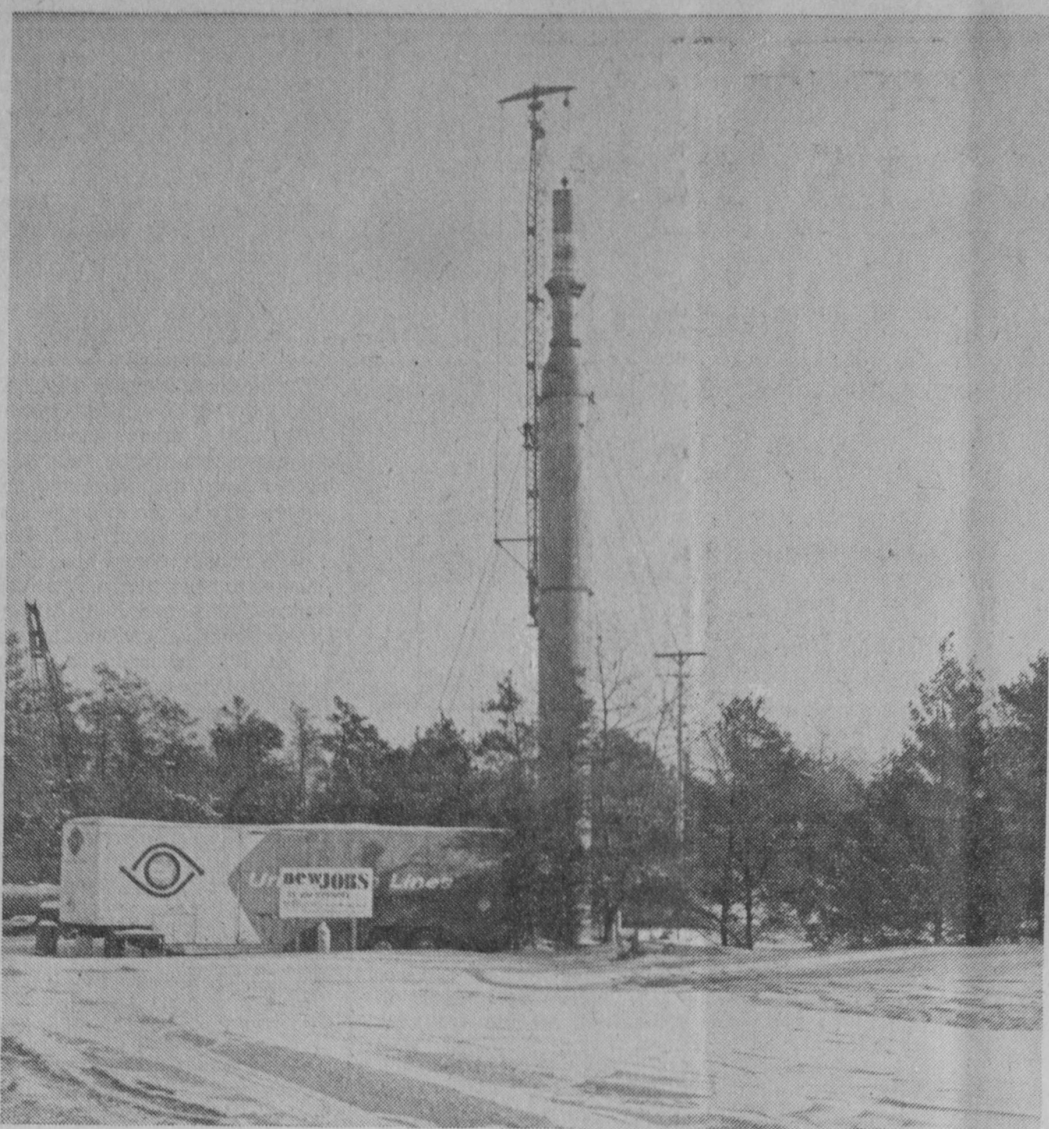
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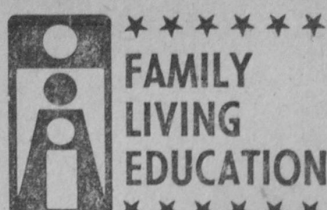


UNDER CONSTRUCTION at the Tawas Area Industrial Park on Aulerich Road, Baldwin Township, is this 500,000-gallon water storage tank which is part of the area water expansion program. This tank and a similar structure in Tawas City will provide water pressure on the system which will serve Baldwin Township, East Tawas and Tawas City.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Real Estate Transfers

Huntley N. Crocker, et al, to Henry J. Zetzar and wife, Part of the SW 1/4 of Section 36, T22N, R7E. Terry L. Good and wife to Joseph P. Moore, Lot 1 of Joe's Acres. Theodore S. Dobson and wife to Robert Dobson and wife, Part of the SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 21, T22N, R5E. Flora M. Laidman to Madalene E. McLeod, Part of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 21, T22N, R6E. William Borsch and wife to Grafton Moore and wife, Part of Lot 7 of Riverview. Grafton Moore and wife to Wanda Myshock, Part of Lot 7 of Riverview. Norton Stadler and wife to Joseph Egresics and wife, Lots 202 and 203 of Kokosing Subdivision. Frances M. Crowder to Kenneth L. Skinner and wife, Parcel in Government Lot 4, Section 7, T24N, R9E. Kenneth L. Skinner and wife to Lindsay D. Mertz, Parcel in Government Lot 4, Section 7, T24N, R9E. Anna J. Worden to Clark J. Spidle and wife, Lot 8, Block 2 of Wade's Plat of Sand Lake. Kenneth J. Weaver and wife to Thomas A. Ballard and wife, Lot 74 of Weir Pines No. 1. Thomas A. Ballard and wife to Hildred M. Blanchard, Lot 74 of Weir Pines No. 1. Stephen H. Longair and wife to Sharon L. Savin, Lot 90 of Interlake Park Subdivision. Marian Small to Russell M. Small and wife, the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 15, T22N, R8E, and the E 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Section 10, T22N, R8E. Donald H. Jordan and wife, et al, to Robert H. Brezewski, Lots 62 and 63 of Tate's Pinecrest Subdivision. Donald H. Jordan and wife, et al, to Merl D. Christensen, et al, Lot 73 of Tate's Pinecrest Subdivision. Clarence R. Betz and wife to David Lorincz and wife, Lot 2 of Supervisors Plat of Merchantville. George Murphy and wife to Charles R. Jaynes and wife, Lots 47 and 48 of Block 3 of Supervisors Plat of First Addition to Timbered Shores. Lillian D. Farrar, et al, to Walter D. Heddy, Lot 1, Block 3 of Avalon Beach Subdivision. James M. Pitts and wife to Kenneth J. Miller and wife, Lot 256 and the S 1/2 of Lot 255 of Jordanville Subdivision. Elmer M. Winchell and wife to David E. Winchell, Part of the S 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Section 11, T21N, R6E. Charles Koepke and wife to LaVerne Koepke and wife, Part of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 23, T22N, R7E. Vida L. Troge to Leland L. Philpot and wife, Part of the N 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Section 36, T22N, R7E. M. Donald Lipko and wife to William L. Barkholz and wife, Part of the E 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Section 15, T22N, R5E. Ira T. Scofield and wife to William S. McKulsky and wife, Part

of the W 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 22, T23N, R5E. Joseph E. Lubaway Jr. and wife to Gary Packard and wife, Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 5 of Lubaway's Subdivision. Violet Slavinski to Violet Slavinski, et al, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Block B of the Map of Tawas City. Robert Earl McElheron and wife to East Tawas Assembly of God, Part of Lots 5 and 6, Block 29 of the Plan of the Village (now City) of East Tawas. Thomas G. Crybsky and wife to Irene L. Lorenz, Lot 21 of North Park Acres. Boynton V. St. James and wife to Harry B. Cook and wife, Lots 58 and 60 of AuSable Point Beach No. 2. James E. Zuehlke and wife to Eugene L. Edwards and wife, Lot 67 of Brewster Park Subdivision No. 2. Gordon H. Schultz and wife to Roy E. Silvers and wife, Part of Lot 10 of River Road Estates. Thomas S. McDonald and wife to Robert C. Newman and Angelina Newman, Lot 15 of Merkelville No. 1. Martin A. Kur and wife to Frank M. Kur, Part of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 12, T23N, R5E. Howard L. Taylor and wife to Joe Pear and wife, Lot 23 of Vantann Creek Estates. Johnstone Development Company to Robert E. Hetherington Jr. and wife, Lots 129 and 130 of Sherwood Forest Subdivision. Gerald Mosher and wife to George R. Stoddard and wife, Part of Lots 459 and 509 and Entire Lot 508 of Lakeside Heights Subdivision. Charles Kessler and wife, et al, to Robert A. Fisher and wife, Parcel in the SE 1/4 of Section 2, T24N, R8E. Walter H. Niles and wife to Alice Makinen, Lot 7 of Supervisors Plat of Alabaster Heights. Gordon B. Moody and wife to Robert Papak and wife, Lot 450 of Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club No. 4.



By SUSAN LAMBRECHT County Extension Director

CHILDREN'S SANTA STAGES

Understanding more about the stages of a child's development should help decide what and when to tell a child about Santa. Betty Garlick, Michigan State University Extension child development specialist, has some suggestions that may help.

Christmas means very little to the extremely young child. Up to the age of two, the man with the oversized tummy, a deep laugh and a wool beard produces fear. Do not be surprised if a child hides behind parent's coat or howls a protest upon seeing the Santa Claus at the local toy store. This stranger, in a strange outfit, threatens the security of a small child whose world still awes him.

About the age of two, children become more aware of Santa Claus, but the noise and confusion that surrounds Santa may still create fear. They become more interested in Christmas, but not the way one would like. They are absorbed with presents and what they are going to get. They may go to the decorated tree several times a day to ask: "This one's mine?" They selfishly guard all that belongs to them. Both the two and the three-year-old begin to show more interest in the wrapping and unwrapping than in the gifts.

The three-year-olds begin to show a mild interest in Santa, recognizing that he delivers toys. They get excited by the holiday season and are pleased with their gifts. By the age of four, children believe in "jolly, old St. Nicholas"—complete with flying reindeer—and want all the details of the story. At this age, they also confuse the story with the details of Baby Jesus.

The real Santa Claus ages for children are five and six. A youngster in this age group usually has an all-encompassing belief in the story. The wonder and enjoyment the child experiences at these ages offset any temporary disappointment that may come later.

The five-year-olds believe Santa is a real person. They like to write or dictate letters telling Santa what they want for Christmas. They plan to visit Santa and they also start to become interested in giving as well as receiving.

The six-year-olds respond basically the same way as the five-year-olds. However, they begin to hear "doubting talk" from friends. They

usually fiercely reject all suspicions and remain firm in their belief. They may imagine every detail of the Santa Claus story and will describe the North Pole and the elves making toys in Santa's workshop.

While it is important to note these stages in a child's development, it

is equally important to be aware of the attitude that adults foster in children. If they see generosity in giving and receiving, genuine interest in making others happy and taking time to enjoy this important season, a valued and lasting good feeling about this time of the year for them will be made.

Warranty Must be Easily Understood

By LINDA JOY Executive Director Michigan Consumers Council

Many consumers see warranties as mysterious documents, written in language only an attorney could understand, but this attitude should change with the federal warranty law. Warranties must now be easy to understand and readily available for inspection so consumers can know exactly what is covered by the warranty before buying the product.

While the Magnuson-Moss Warranty Act does not require warranties, products which do have written warranties must follow its provisions if they cost more than \$15. Under the Act, there are two types of warranties, full and limited. A full warranty guarantees a defective product will be fixed or replaced without charge or unnecessary delays regardless of who owns the product. Under a full warranty, a product must also be replaced or a refund given if it cannot be repaired after a reasonable number of attempts. The refund, however, may be decided on the basis of how long ago the product was bought.

On the other hand, a limited warranty may only cover the original buyer of the product and could pay for parts but not labor. It could also require the consumer to pay

shipping and handling charges. Full warranties are obviously preferred by consumers but check carefully what parts of the product are actually fully covered. For example, a television may have a full warranty only on the picture tube while the rest of the parts may be covered by a limited warranty.

Since consumers who buy products with full warranties do not have to return warranty cards to the manufacturer to make the warranty effective, it is important to keep the sales slip or the receipt attached to the warranty. The slip shows when the product was bought and can be used to prove a product is still under warranty.

In addition, state law gives consumers some implied warranties on products. Consumers have the right to expect a product is fit for its ordinary use. For example, a watch should keep time. Consumers also are protected if they follow a seller's advice that a product can be used for a specific purpose. For example, if a salesperson says a certain sleeping bag will be comfortable in zero-degree weather, it should be warm in cold temperatures.

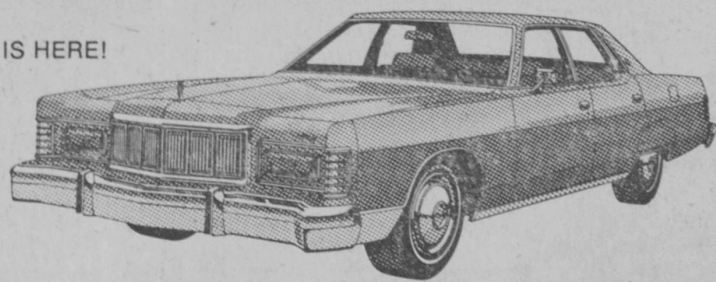
For more information on product warranties, contact the Michigan Consumers Council, 414 Hollister Building, Lansing, MI 48933, or call (517) 373-0947.

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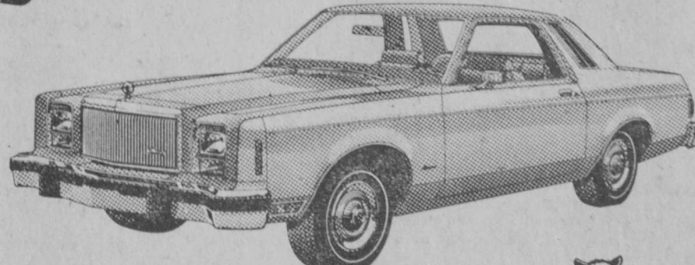
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