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**Baptist Women Held Meeting**

Baptist Women's Missionary Society of First Baptist Church, Tawas City, held its regular monthly meeting in the church multipurpose room Thursday evening, October 20. A business session was con-

ducted by Mrs. Paul Beyer, president. Mrs. Douglas Ferguson dedicated the love gift.

Fifteen members enjoyed an interesting program, "Women of God, Yes, Yes, Yes," presented by Mrs. Beyer. A skit, "Women of Faith and Courage," was given by Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Henry Frye, Mrs. Marion Norris, Mrs. George Westcott and Mrs. Paul Sayles.

Refreshments were served by the Rachel Circle hostesses, Mrs. Ferguson and Mrs. Lloyd Finley. Table prayer was given by Mrs. Norris.

**Welcome Pastor at Open House**

An open house will be held Sunday afternoon, October 30, at the parsonage of East Tawas Church of the Nazarene to welcome the Rev. and Mrs. Daryl Burt, new pastor of the congregation. Address of the parsonage is 112 Evans Street, East Tawas, and everyone is welcome between the hours of 3:00 and 6:00 p. m.

The new pastor is a native of Michigan, living in Lansing until attending Olivet Nazarene College, Kankakee, Illinois, in 1966. He also attended Nazarene Theological Seminary, Kansas City, Missouri, and served as youth pastor at First Church of the Nazarene, North Platte, Nebraska, until moving to Springfield, Illinois, in 1976. He left Springfield to come to the Tawas area.

**TODAY'S Meditation**

from The World's Most Widely Used Devotional Guide



(Read Isaiah 11:1-10)  
"Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us." (Matthew 1:23)  
"American Indians train their

sons for future leadership. At the proper time, a young Indian boy is commanded to spend the whole night all alone in the darkest and densest forest. He faces the challenge with faith and courage and stays the whole night until early dawn. As he prepares to report back to his father, what does he see but his own father with ready bow and arrow, quietly guarding his son through the night lest some misfortune befall him. The dark hours of the night are transformed into a smiling dawn.

So are we never alone. We do not even pray alone. Jesus Christ prays with us and for us. His name is Emmanuel. He is with us.

**PRAYER**

Dear Lord, we thank Thee for

Thy love and assurance. Indeed, we are never alone. Christ is with us. May we live as though we truly believe it. Amen.

**THOUGHT FOR THE DAY**  
"Lo, I am with you always."  
—Charles S. Khyalie (Moradabad, India)

**Altar Society Named Officers**

New officers named at the Thursday, October 20, meeting of St. Joseph Christian Mothers Altar Society were Rose Link, president; Jeannine Pietszak, vice president; Peggy Busha, treasurer; Dorothy Hackborn, secretary.

Upcoming bazaar was the principal discussion topic. Everyone

was urged to supply baked goods. A beautiful bedspread, hand-painted picture, a plaque and a clock will be among the money-raising items. There will be plants, white elephant, candy, Christmas decorations and handmade items from which to choose. Individuals with something to donate are to have it in the social center before November 5 with its price on it. Mass for deceased members will be held November 2.

Tax proposal was discussed and brochures and petitions were passed around. This has approval of Diocese of Gaylord.

The Rev. Fr. Francis Murphy brought out some good ideas as expressed at a special meeting called September 29 at the rectory for increasing membership.

This will be a discussion item at the November 17 meeting.

Jackpot was won by Ann Kulka. Hostesses were Mrs. Busha, Mildred Bielecki, Anna Look and Mrs. Hackborn.

**Clubs Met at Whittemore**

Whittemore Women's Club entertained the Burleigh Rural Club Wednesday, October 19, with a friendship program. Fifteen members and nine guests were present. Mrs. Adele Brown reviewed the club collect. A report of the conservation meeting in Wisconsin was given by Ida Dorcey followed by a quiz.

Plans were made for eight or 10

members to attend the Northeastern District club meeting at Alpena October 25.

Refreshments were served by the social committee.

**IHM Women Met Thursday**

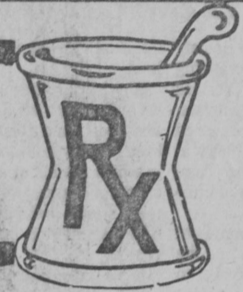
The October meeting of Immaculate Heart of Mary Council of Women was held Thursday evening at the parish hall. Discussion included a drive in November to aid Indians at Peshabtown. Plans for a chili dinner Saturday, November 12, were made. Saturday, December 3, was the date set for the Christmas bazaar.

Members enjoyed a lunch served by the committee.

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Bowling...

Table with bowling scores for various leagues including Hale Creek Lanes, Kenyon's Resort, and Mousseau's Body Shop.

Table with bowling scores for Blust-Brandal, Hendrickson-Reid, and other bowlers.

Hale Area News

Halloween Party Slated October 31

Annual Halloween party for Hale area children is planned for Monday evening, October 31, 6 until 8:30 o'clock at Hale Area Elementary School.

This event, sponsored by Hale Home and School Association, was developed to eliminate the traditional trick or treating in the community.

Cub Scouts Held Meeting

Cub Scout Pack No. 990 held its monthly meeting Monday evening, October 24, in the Hale Community Building.

and Wendy Kesler, assistant, for den three; Laura Kaiser, leader, den five; Priscilla Seward, leader, den six; Gregory DeNio, leader, webelos den.

The following boys were inducted into the webelos den: Michael Case, Jeffrey Salyers, Patrick Reilly, Ray Briggs and Robert LaPeer.

A surprise birthday party was held for Wanatta Buck at her home October 13 by members of the Birthday Club.

Carrie Shedenhelm has returned from a vacation in Texas. William F. Bernard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bernard, has received the Eastern Michigan University Campus Leader award for the year.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sturtevant Sr. had a short southern vacation. They visited Williamsburg, Virginia, and some points in Kentucky.

Reno News

Mr. and Mrs. Will Waters and Florence Latter called on the following last week: Fred Latter, John Kohlmann and James Leslie at Geriatric Village, West Branch; Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Hutchison and Mrs. Laura Armstead, Whittemore, and Cora Davis and Lloyd Johnson, East Tawas.

James H. Paul Died October 18

James H. Paul, who moved to the Hale area from Flushing about four years ago, passed away Tuesday, October 18, at Allen Park Veterans Hospital.

Services were held Saturday, October 22, at Forshee Funeral Home, Hale, with burial in Pioneer Cemetery, Sand Lake.

Alpha Shrine Held Meeting

Alpha Shrine No. 62, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, met in regular session Thursday, October 20, at Tawas Masonic Temple, Tawas City.

Business topics for the evening included having a card party and a bake sale and several other items. A vote was taken and passed to send letters to each member concerning the bake sale and a donation to be sent to the worthy scribe by November 15.

served in the dining room after the meeting.

Legion Auxiliary Held Meeting

Glen Staley Unit No. 422, American Legion Auxiliary, held its regular meeting October 19, with Grace Gots, president, presiding.

A hunter's supper will be sponsored by the unit Saturday, November 19.

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Eagles Still in Tie

Hale Area Eagles defeated Arenac Eastern, 34-0, Saturday to continue in a tie for leadership of the North Star League.

The Eagles go against the Mio Thunderbolts at home Friday night and meet Hillman in two weeks.

Hale and Hillman have identical records of four wins and no losses, while Mio has four wins and one loss.

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his brother, Percy, and wife at Lupton on Thursday, Tuesday, their son, Dale of Bay City, visited them.

Monday afternoon, October 31, at 4:15 o'clock, there will be a special meeting at the Reno Baptist Church. The Rev. Phillip Gage, a missionary from Thailand, will give the message.

Michael Bailey spent a few days visiting his parents. He is stationed at Ft. Belvoir, Virginia.

Ronald Williams from Spring Arbor College spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Williams.

Walter H. Abbott Died October 13

Walter H. Abbott of Leoville, Saskatchewan, Canada, passed away October 13 at the Leoville Hospital. He was born January 30, 1887, in Wilber Township and moved to Saskatchewan in 1913.

Iosco Democrats Meet October 27

Iosco County Democratic Party will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday, October 27, at 8:00 p. m. in the Plainfield Township Hall, Hale.

Bowling...

Table with bowling scores for Friday Night Ladies, including McIntosh-McKay, Tawas Bar, and Tawas Bay Glass.

Table with bowling scores for Team High Series, including Strauer's Market, H&B Trucking, and Tawas Bar.

Table with bowling scores for Individual High Series, including Lottie White, Eileen McArdle, and Marcia Cuny.

Table with bowling scores for Team High Single, including Sioux, Commanche, and Faye Whitford.

Table with bowling scores for Individual High Series, including Faye Whitford, Dave Baker, and Bill Shover.

Table with bowling scores for Individual High Single, including Hughes, Lorenz, and Pehrson.

Table with bowling scores for Team High Single, including K of C No. 2, 1017, and WIOS.

The Chamber of Commerce Wants to Work for You!!

The Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce wishes to thank all of its loyal members for their continuing support. Membership and dues receipts are at an all time high level but due to inflation and increased advertising costs, the receipts received do not match our projected budget.

The following supporting members would like to invite everyone to attend the annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet:

- List of supporting members including Thomas Huck, Atty., Huron Building Supplies, Huron Postal Service, Mary Church, Ingelright and Associates, and many others.

The time and location of the banquet will be on Wednesday, November 2, 1977, at 7:30, at the Holland House. Cash Bar-Cocktails at 6:30. Bring a friend and we will see you there. Tickets are available at the Chamber Office at \$7.50 per person.

TAWAS AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Advertisement for King's Market featuring sausage, chuck roast, and pork chops. Includes an image of a pig and contact information for Ed. Freel's King's Market.

Advertisement for Lyle E. Healey, Councilman of Tawas City, with a portrait and text encouraging voters to elect him for the November 8, 1977 election.

Advertisement for The Joy Shop featuring a 'Harvest Sale' on pants, coats, sweaters, and purses. Includes an image of a woman in a suit and contact information for the store.



# Braves Defeated S-S Panthers in Overtime to Win NEM Crown

Tawas Braves turned aside Standish-Sterling, 20-14, Friday night in overtime to win the Northeastern Michigan Conference football title with a record of five wins and no losses.

According to preseason predictions, Tawas was expected to finish behind both Pinconning and Standish-Sterling and could have been tied by those two schools if it had lost Friday night. The Braves finished in second place last season behind Gladwin.

As it turned out, Pinconning finished in second place with its only loss being to Tawas, 6-3, earlier in the season. Standish-Sterling had two losses.

Both the Braves and the Panthers were unable to get an offense going in the first half of Friday night's championship game and all the excitement was saved for the second half.

Tawas had two drives stopped by fumbles in the first half and Bill King had one pass intercepted by the host school. The Panthers threatened on three occasions when they penetrated deep into Tawas territory, but the Braves' defense stopped one drive while Shawn Hunt and Jerry Gracik intercepted Panther passes.

The Panthers opened the scoring on the first series after the opening kickoff of the second half. Barry Bell capped the nine-play series with a 10-yard touchdown run. The Panthers took an 8-0 lead on a two-point conversion pass to End Mike Grier.

Tawas' offense came to life and roared right back to score a touchdown. The Braves moved from their own 35 to Standish-Sterling's 15 in 13 plays and Andy Mayer bulled his way over for the touchdown with two minutes, 34 seconds remaining in the third quarter. The all important try for a two-point conversion was stopped by the Panther defense and Tawas trailed, 8-6.

Hunt turned in another key pass interception to set up what appeared to be the winning touchdown. Hunt returned the ball to the 30 and a Panther personal foul moved the ball to the 45. Eleven plays later, Jerry Gracik ran the final yard for a touchdown to give Tawas a 12-8 lead. Mayer ran the two-point conversion to boost Tawas' lead to 14-8.

Larry Hughes booted a long kickoff into the Panther endzone and the Braves appeared to have everything going their way in the fourth quarter. The Panthers took to the air and riddled Tawas' pass defense. On fourth down and 29 seconds to play in the game, the Panthers surprised Tawas with a 45-yard pass play, the ball going from Don Szostak to Bill Gulvas, who passed to Grier in the endzone with two Tawas defenders in front of him.

That touchdown tied the score and the Panthers had a chance to put the game away right there, but Tawas' defense blocked the conversion attempt and the score was tied at 14-14.

With only 29 seconds left in the game, each team had the ball for one play and each team was to come up with a pass interception. Bill Gracik snared the interception for Tawas.

The Braves had a definite advantage in the overtime period with two strong running backs, Mayer and Gracik. Standish-Sterling had the first chance to score the tie breaker from the 10-yard line, but Hughes recovered a fumble on the first play.

## Junior Braves Defeated S-S JV, 12-0

Tawas Area Junior Braves defeated Standish-Sterling Thursday night by a score of 12-0.

Both touchdowns were scored in the second quarter. Jim Gracik returned a punt 55 yards to the S-S one-yard line and Bryant Wilkie ran the final yard for the touchdown. The PAT attempt was missed.

The second touchdown was scored by Grant Mousseau on a three-yard run which was set up by a 60-yard run by Wilkie. The try for PAT was again missed.

In the fourth quarter, Gracik had a 40-yard touchdown run nullified by a holding penalty.

Tawas played a strong defensive game, spearheaded by Hugh Ho-facer, Mousseau, Wilkie, Scott Klemish and Tony Mayer.

The Junior Braves now have a four and one league record and have five wins and two losses overall.

The Junior Braves play host Thursday night to Oscoda. Game time is 7:30 p. m.

## Tawas Frosh Lost, 12-8

The Tawas freshman squad lost to Standish-Sterling by a score of 12-8. Tawas scored the first time it had its hands on the ball and threatened to score several more times, but was stopped by time running out or by mistakes.

Jay Grabow scored Tawas' only touchdown of the night and turned in 13 tackles on defense. He also passed the ball six times for 119 yards to Brian Lansky, Chuck Byrd, Jeff Wojahn and Cam Rath. Scott McDonald had 109 yards in 19 carries for the Tawas squad.

Defensively, Bob Hester had 13 tackles for Tawas, followed by 14 tackles for Rick Mousseau. Mike Gotcher and Mike Larson each had 10 tackles.

The ninth grade squad's next and last game is Thursday night at Oscoda.

## Sand Lake

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Clark one day last week were her sister, Mrs. Floyd Gibson, Boise, Idaho, and her brother and family, the Jack Allens of Flint.

At the Sand Lake Heights Men's Association meeting last Monday evening, officers elected were Vincent Wade, president; Ray Lenczewski, vice president; Robert Kendall, secretary, and Donald Warner, treasurer.

A teen masquerade dance will be held at the community building Saturday, October 29, 8:00 p. m. til midnight.

Mrs. Gertrude Nellett has returned after attending funeral services for her sister, Mrs. Louise Sistinowsky, who passed away last week in Bay City.

At the retirees' pot-luck dinner and advisory board meeting last Thursday, John Carroll Jr., radio station WIOS general manager, presented an enjoyable program of taped radio voices and program excerpts from the past. Prize winners at a drawing were Bea Roberts, Mr. Carroll, Vernon Weisenbaugh and Kay Doebler.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bauman, Fairfield Glade, Tennessee, are currently visiting his sister, Mrs. Agnes Middleton, and family and brother, Reuben Bauman, and Mrs. Bauman.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sheridan have returned from Minnesota where they spent some time visiting his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. David Jenkinson, Gaylord, spent some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schulz, last week.

A welcome is extended to Mrs. Juanita Churchill and her mother, Mrs. Bessie Hooper, formerly of Royal Oak, who moved to the area last week. Mrs. Churchill is the sister and Mrs. Hooper, the mother of Glenn Bearss. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bearss this past week-end was their daughter, Mrs. Norma Orr.

## Football Action



PHIL LIXEY of the Tawas Braves caught two passes Friday night thrown by Quarterback Bill King. He is shown above being tackled after one pass reception.—Tawas Herald Photo.



JERRY GRACIK of the Tawas Braves scored a touchdown and turned in some key defensive plays in Tawas' victory over the Standish - Sterling Panthers Friday night.—Tawas Herald Photo.



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ANDY MAYER bulled his way over for two touchdowns in Friday night's game and he is shown above scoring the winning touchdown in overtime to clinch the Northeastern Michigan Conference title for the Braves. Tawas finished the league season with a record of five wins and no losses.—Tawas Herald Photo.

## McIvor News

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wood were Sunday evening guests of the Orville Strauers.

Mrs. Wilfred Youngs and Lloyd Katterman of Tawas were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hill spent last week visiting relatives in Detroit.

The Larry Jordan family of Flint enjoyed last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan, and visited other relatives while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Faria of Royal Oak were called to their home here due to their barn burning.

The Ronald Featheringill family visited Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beckley and son last Friday evening. Albert Kelchner and mother, Mrs. Jenny Kelchner, were guests of Mrs. Josephine Draeger Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ranger were at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Dennis Viele, and family in Swartz Creek over the week-end.

Ray Norrington and Kevin Jordan were callers in Tawas Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cholger and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan, and her brother, Larry Jordan, and family, who were here for the week-end.

Mrs. Herbert Schroeder visited with her daughter, Mrs. Linda Youngs, in Bay City Friday.

Mrs. Mary Jordan has been entertaining relatives from California this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ranger.

The Leighton Kohn family of Flint enjoyed a few days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luce of Bay City spent a few days at their cabin here.

## Won Golf Title

Oscoda High School's golf team finished first in a 21-team field to win the state class B tournament Saturday at the Portland Country Club. The Owls nipped East Grand Rapids, 321-322, to win the title.

# McINTOSH-McKAY AND THE NEW CHEVROLET

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<p>1976 FORD 1/2 TON PICKUP . . . V-8, stick. AM/FM Radio. Nice Truck. "SEE DON IRWIN."</p>	<p>1975 MONTE CARLO . . . Black w/black vinyl top . . . Sharp! "SEE KEN ROBERTSON."</p>	<p>1974 BLAZER CHEYENNE . . . 4 WD, styled wheels. "SEE FLOYD DYE." \$3,995</p>

## Preliminary Budget of \$1,638,378 Adopted for 1978 County Operation

A \$1,638,378 operational budget for 1978 was adopted Wednesday by the Iosco County Board of Commissioners. This figure represents an increase of \$163,767 over the current year's budget. Included in the budget is a contingency fund which is to be used for expected raises to county employees.

According to information at Wednesday's meeting, the county commission was prepared to offer a six percent pay increase to employees when negotiations start on a new contract.

At the present time, sheriff's department deputies are represented by the Teamsters Union, but that may change later in an election requested by the deputies. The Fraternal Order of Police is bidding to become the new union representative. County building employees, excluding district court and circuit court personnel, are represented by the United Steelworkers Union.

Public safety is the largest single expenditure in the county budget, advancing from \$443,164 during

the current year to \$474,113 in 1978, which awaits salary increases to 29 1/2 persons.

Sheriff's department wages, fringe benefits and expenses at the present time under the new budget amount to \$307,797. This includes \$204,487 for direct labor, \$37,160 for personnel fringes and department expense of \$66,150.

The sheriff's salary was increased from \$15,143 paid during the current year to \$16,051, plus a housing allowance of \$1,800. The undersheriff's salary was boosted

from \$14,143 to \$14,991. Rate of pay during the current year for officers includes \$12,089 each for a uniformed detective and uniform sergeant, \$11,743 each for 11 deputies, along with salaries of \$10,994, \$10,961 and \$10,676 for three more deputies. A secretary deputy is paid \$9,500 and one-half pay for marine deputy amounts to \$5,872. One deputy was added to the department.

Cost of operating the jail amounts to \$107,665. This includes (See BUDGET, page 4.)



Congressman  
 GEORGE A. LOUD

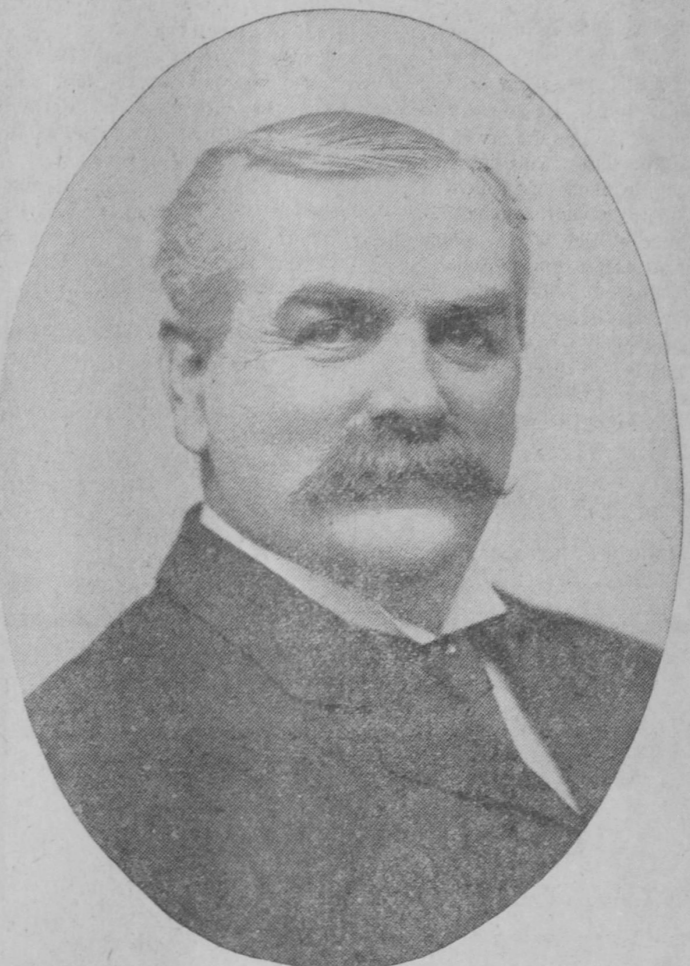
## ADMIRAL DEWEY CALLED HIM: 'THE NAVY'S BEST FRIEND'

The only Iosco County man ever to represent Michigan's 10th District in the halls of congress was George Alvin Loud. Back in the days when lumbering was the principal industrial occupation of this state, it became fashionable for scions of such wealthy families to turn their attention to political pursuits and lumbermen packed the state legislature for years.

In the case of Loud, he apparently never sought political office at the local or state level but jumped directly into national politics after being actively involved in his fa-

ther's lumbering business here for most of his life. This was not too difficult an undertaking for Loud was one of the best known and most popular men in Northeastern Michigan.

Born at Braceville, Ohio, on June 18, 1852, the son of Henry Martyn Loud, he came from Puritan stock and on his paternal side was a descendant of Elder William Brewster of the Mayflower. (He was an officer of the Michigan Chapter of Mayflower Descendants and a member of the Sons of the Revolution.) It is important to note that, on his maternal side, he was a "connection" of Lester A. Beardsley, rear admiral, United States Navy, commander in chief of the United States Pacific Forces, 1895-97, and a member of the Perry Expedition.



THIS HANDSOME "gentleman of the old school" is George A. Loud, AuSable lumberman, who was elected 10th District congressman in 1902, the only Iosco County resident ever to receive that honor. This original halftone engraving was used in his political campaign of that year and the metal plate shows some oxidation. His monument in Northeastern Michigan is the Huron National Forest, establishment of which came through congressional legislation introduced by Colonel Loud.

Loud's father was a Methodist minister and preached in several New England towns until he came to AuSable in 1865 to enter the lumber business as one of the pioneers in this state. Following his graduation from Patterson's School for Boys at Detroit and the Ann Arbor High School in 1869, he entered the lumber business with his father.

During all the time he was engaged in business at AuSable-Oscoda, it was the province of George to attend to the lumbering department—getting out of the logs in winter, hauling them to the river and, in the spring, looking after the drive which brought the logs to the mills at the mouth of the AuSable River.

There would be numerous camps to look after and numerous jobs which contracted to get out smaller lots of logs and other forest products. Other duties in his department included the buying and selling of land, paying property taxes and purchase of equipment.

When the timber adjacent to the AuSable River had been lumbered and a 100-mile narrow gauge railroad acquired from the defunct J. E. Potts Salt and Lumber Company, he was the general manager of the railroad. When the Loud Company began disposing a portion of its output in the shape of long timber, he superintended the rafting and tugs used in towing the timber to its destination.

The H. M. Loud and Sons Lumber Company was one of the largest firms in Northern Michigan, owning steam boats, tow barges, tugboats, a railroad, two large sawmills on the AuSable River, large blocks of land, as well as stores, buildings and other property at AuSable-Oscoda. In 1892, its output was 89,578,922 board measure feet of lumber, logs and long timber; byproducts included 30,774,000 shingles, 142,000 cedar railroad ties and 43,585 cedar telegraph poles.

The Loud firm was to continue in business until the fire of 1911, but definitely not at the same frantic pace as in earlier years when Michigan lumbermen rushed madly to harvest its white pine. As a result of this tapering off of lumbering activities, Loud had time for other pursuits.

When 45 years old in 1897, George was appointed a member of the staff of Gov. Hazen S. Pingree and it was during this time he acquired the rank or title of colonel. It was in the fall of this same year that the government had completed the building on the Atlantic seaboard the cutter, "Hugh McCullough." This ship was for service on the Pacific coast and a Captain Hodgson was commissioned to take it from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

This event commenced an adventure for Colonel Loud, to use his newly acquired title, which was to have an important effect on the rest of his life. Loud was a close friend of Captain Hodgson, who had been commander of the revenue cutter, "Fessenden," stationed on the Great Lakes. Loud was invited to journey around the world on the McCullough.

The McCullough was proceeding leisurely on its way when the United States warship, "Maine," was blown up in Havana harbor and Captain Hodgson received orders

in April 1898, to hasten to join Admiral Dewey's fleet, then stationed at Hong Kong. Colonel Loud had been commissioned by the treasury department to act as paymaster for the voyage of the McCullough, but he surrendered this duty when the cutter was transferred from the United States Revenue Department to the United States Navy as a dispatch boat for the fleet.

Loud's request to stay with the McCullough was granted and he was present at the battle of Manila Bay on May 1, 1898, for which he later received the Dewey Medal. Soon after this, he returned to his home in Michigan and the fact that he was with Dewey at Manila Bay was to be a valuable political asset in future years.

During the Spanish American War, he was detailed by Governor Pingree to Montauk Point, Long Island, to meet and bring home the sick and wounded Michigan soldiers. He was put in charge of the hospital train organized for that purpose.

Called one of the "gentlemen of the old school" by his contemporaries, he was exceptionally brave and courageous in the face of danger. He once jumped off a high pier into deep water at Oscoda to save a drowning workman, who had fallen in and could not swim. He had worked alongside his men in the woods, sharing their dangerous occupations and he formed friendships which were to last for many years—his friends remembered him later when he ran for political office.

With the family lumbering business requiring less of his time, Loud sought a new outlet for his energies. At the urging of local friends, he threw his hat in the ring for Michigan's 10th District congressman.

For years, the northern portion of the congressional district had just cause to complain because its interests did not receive the proper attention which citizens believed was warranted, until Bay County appeared to embrace the entire district.

"The opportunity is now offered whereby a man outside Bay County can be sent to Washington," stated The Tawas Herald. "Col. George A. Loud is an able, conservative businessman and his election would be a credit to Iosco County and the 10th District." Meeting in convention in May 19-

02, Iosco County Republicans adopted a resolution of preference for Loud as the party's next congressional candidate and instructed its delegates "to use all honorable means consistent with Republican principles to secure the nomination of Mr. Loud." Members of the county committee included Temple Emery of East Tawas, G. A. Prescott of Tawas City, M. J. Comie of AuSable and L. B. Smith of Tawas City. Three of the above men were lumbermen.

Following a lively canvass in the district by Loud and the incumbent, "Tip" Applin of Bay City, Loud won the nomination, 47-35. "Colonel Loud was highly successful in uniting the counties outside of Bay and, for the first time in years, broke the vice-like grip of the Bay Republicans on the congressional nomination," reported the Herald.

Loud opened his election campaign with meetings at Grayling, Gaylord, Standish and East Tawas. "The meetings were successful and set before people George A. Loud in a new aspect. He proved to be a capable and convincing speaker. This is not surprising to those who know the ability, the versatility of Colonel Loud, but as he never made campaign speeches before, being new to the platform, the excellence of his speeches came as a surprise," stated the Herald.

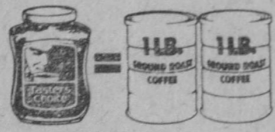
Meetings followed at Harrisville, Whittemore, Prescott, Rose City, Pinconning, Alpena, Potoskey and other communities. The largest demonstration took place at Bay City, where Loud was joined by Gen. Russell A. Alger, another lumberman and candidate for the United States Senate, along with other state and local candidates. Loud was inducted as a member of the Lawton Command, Spanish American War Veterans, in recognition of his service as a volunteer officer on the McCullough at the battle of Manila Bay.

"He is indefatigable and day and night is active in his campaign. He has large meetings everywhere and his speeches are instructive and satisfying. For one new to the stump, the 10th District has never before had a speaker so acceptable," said the Herald.

Despite its support of other Democratic candidates, the Herald urged Iosco County residents to vote for Loud. "It is of no use to (See LOUD, page 6.)



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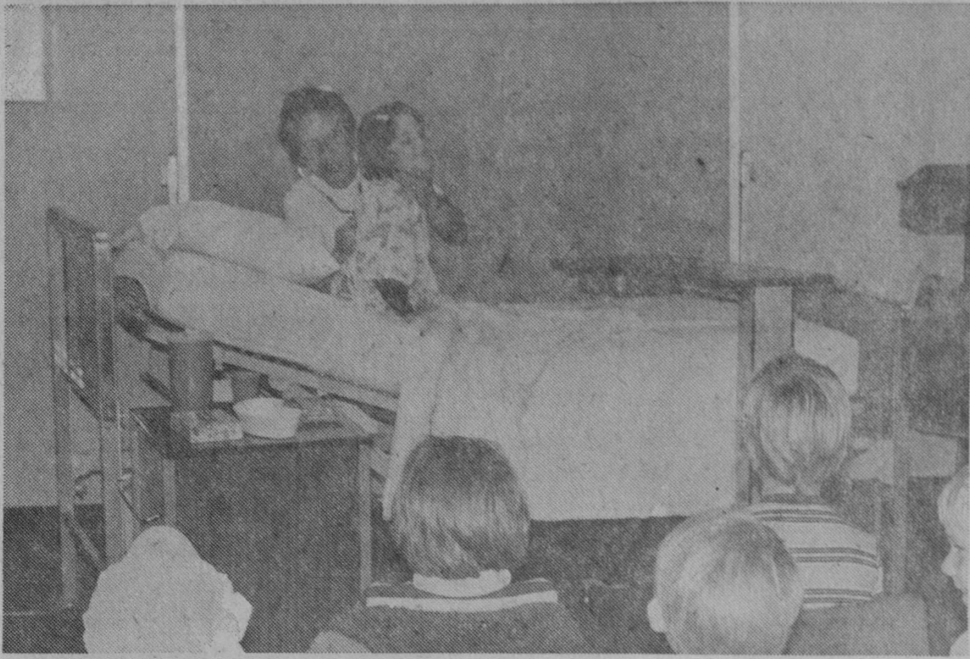
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FIRST GRADERS of Iosco County are to participate in a program which will acquaint them with what goes on at a hospital and to meet hospital personnel in order to eliminate some of the frightening experiences they may encounter when they become ill or suffer an injury and require admittance for medical treatment. The first session in this new program was held Thursday with Beverly Boetcher, RN, a nationally recognized instructor from Wisconsin conducting the session. Besides demonstrating to children that the doctor's stethoscope is an instrument that will help, not hurt them, Nurse Boetcher was also training members of the

hospital staff in continuing this program. Youngsters participated as "patients" in the 90-minute program and Beth Ann Kinstrey is the "patient" in the top picture. The picture at top right shows Greg Dahstrom, X-ray supervisor at the hospital, explaining how an X-ray machine works and how the film it produces is read by the doctor. In the bottom photo, Nurse Boetcher demonstrates equipment used for reading the blood pressure of a patient. This program is to be held annually at the hospital and is expected to be one of the most valuable public relations activities in the hospital's history. —Tawas Herald Photos.



French fried like shoestring potatoes or handled just like baked potatoes, but we like them mashed.

To mash, just pare and dice a rutabaga and drop into boiling water. Make sure, if they have been waxed as a preservative, that all the wax is removed. It will take about one hour to cook. Use a potato masher or electric mixer and

add up to six tablespoons of butter when mashing.

To make them a little different, serve with butter to which a generous amount of lemon juice and chopped parsley have been added. You might also try adding sour cream and a little nutmeg.

After mashing, another garnish is to add one cup of chopped mushrooms which have been sautéed in butter until they are very dark in color and almost dehydrated.

Try some of the variations. Maybe this is the year your child "learns to like rutabaga."

# CLEAN-UP TIME

## CITY of TAWAS CITY CLEAN-UP DAY

### Tuesday, November 1

Place discards and rubbish in containers out next to the street before this date. Brush, limbs and trees shall be cut in five foot lengths. Anything set out after this date or after your street has been picked up will be left.

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LOOKING BACKWARD—

### Romney Makes Stop Here on Political Trail

15 Years Ago—  
October 24, 1962—More than 300 Northeastern Michigan residents are expected to attend an early morning breakfast here Saturday for George Romney, Republican gubernatorial candidate. Elmer Werth, chairman of the Iosco Republican Committee, reports that the breakfast is to be held at the Holland Hotel and is a complete sell out.

Paul M. Simons of Tawas City has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the United States Air Force.

Louis C. Awalt and Mrs. George

Tuttle, co-chairmen of the Iosco County Blood Bank, remind all Iosco citizens of the fall bloodmobile visit next week.

Rose Marie Gackstetter, 14-year-old Tawas Area High School freshman, is a successful archer during the current deer hunting season. She bagged a buck at a distance of 25 yards.

25 Years Ago—

October 24, 1952—Nine candidates filed petitions for trustees on the board of education of the newly reorganized Tawas Area School District. Candidates include: Walter Niles, C. Warren Wagner, one year; Russell McKenzie, Randall Fox, Harold Gould, two year; Waldo I. Curry, Earl M. Wight, Thomas Neltie, Dr. Leslie Lambert, three-year term.

Two steel slides have been obtained from the Grayling winter sports area and are to replace

wooden toboggan slides at Silver Valley.

Tawas City received delivery on its new dragline. The equipment is expected to greatly reduce costs on the city's water and sewer projects.

An amendment to the state constitution would apportion the state senate on a population basis. Voters are asked to vote "no" on the proposal and it would give control of both houses of the Michigan legislature to a four-county area.

35 Years Ago—

October 23, 1942 — Volunteer workers are needed to assist in registration for fuel oil and gasoline rationing.

An "E" Flag is now proudly displayed at the Rowley Assembly Company plant in Tawas City. One hundred percent of its employees are purchasing 10 percent or more of their wages in War Savings Bonds.

Members of Emanuel Lutheran Church celebrate the 65th anniversary of the organization and the 60th anniversary of the church dedication at services next Sunday.

T. George Sternberg, Iosco County prosecuting attorney, has 143 convictions out of 143 cases started and carried through to conclusion, according to his political announcement seeking re-election.

Pvt. A. J. Featheringill of Tawas City is now stationed at Buckley Field, Colorado.

Congress has approved the recommendation that the minimum draft age be lowered to 18. Gen. George Marshall has declared that some older men already inducted are a burden on the army because of physical handicaps and their lack of training. He said that many of these men may have to be discharged from the army.

What's Cooking in Michigan—

### Rutabagas Are in Michigan Markets Now

By CARL OLSON  
Michigan Department of Agriculture

Did you hear about the parent who responded to a questionnaire from school which asked, "What are the five most important things you want your child to learn this school year?" One parent answered, "Confidence, living with other people, courtesy, responsibility and to like rutabagas."

As a Norwegian, I could fully understand as a child why the English called rutabagas "Swedes."

Now, it is a different story. We add them to soups and stews and have them mashed with assorted "garnishments."

While production figures are not kept, the Michigan Department of Agriculture says rutabagas are on the market now through the end of November, with some available until January.

Irma Rombauer says in "Joy of Cooking" that rutabagas can be

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### Menus

IOSCO COUNTY DROP-IN CENTERS

Thursday, October 27—  
Pork cutlet, whipped potatoes and gravy, green beans, roll and margarine, cranberry gelatin dessert, coffee, tea, milk.

Friday, October 28—  
Fish, parsley buttered potatoes, cole slaw, assorted bread and margarine, old fashioned rice pudding with raisins, coffee, tea, milk.

Monday, October 31—  
Swiss steak, whipped potatoes and gravy, buttered spinach, roll and margarine, pumpkin dessert with whipped topping, coffee, tea, milk.

Tuesday, November 1—  
Macaroni and cheese, stewed tomatoes, tossed salad, assorted breads and margarine, ice cream sundae, coffee, tea, milk.

Wednesday, November 2—  
Roast beef, whipped potatoes and gravy, cabbage salad, roll and margarine, plums, coffee, tea, milk.

# THE SPIDER

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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### Budget

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wages of \$46,972 to four deputies, plus wages of \$5,765 each to two cooks. Wages to be paid to three matron clerks after CETA expires amounts to \$5,450. Personnel fringes total \$12,053 and departmental expenses amount to \$28,650.

Other items under public safety include marine safety, which totals \$18,418, as compared to \$16,946 last year. Animal control amounts to \$32,413, which includes \$19,409 for direct labor. Emergency services amounts to \$7,320, a \$1,320 increase.

The remainder of the budget appears to be completed. Health and welfare totals \$280,385, as compared to \$264,145 during the current year. This includes \$49,310 for the building department, as compared to \$47,565 during the current year. Total direct labor amounts to \$36,837, of which \$12,500 is paid to the department head, an increase of \$2,000. One inspector is paid \$9,375, an increase of \$530 and a second inspector is paid \$8,662, an increase of \$490. Salary of the department clerk is listed at \$6,300, which is the same pay as this year.

Other expenses under health and welfare are social services, \$12,000, down \$3,000; medical care facility, \$31,000, up \$9,000; medical examiner, \$6,000, same as last year; drain commissioner, \$3,000, same as last year; veterans' burials, \$10,000, up \$1,200; state institutions, \$30,000, same as last year; district health, \$85,000, up \$3,000; mental health, \$17,820, down \$180; child care, \$28,975, up \$975; communicable disease, \$500, same as current year; veterans' counselor, \$5,000, up \$2,000; apiary inspector, \$280, same as current year; aging, \$1,000, and soil conservation, \$500, both new items.

Cost of civil and criminal justice administration advanced from \$265,485 to \$303,107. This includes \$19,368 for friend of the court, up \$411. Salary of the friend of the court is \$5,936, an increase of \$336. Total direct labor amounts to \$15,161, including one clerk and part time help. Departmental expenses amount to \$1,885 and fringes total \$2,322.

Operation of the prosecuting attorney's office was increased from \$54,465 to \$72,065. Salary of the prosecuting attorney remains at \$25,043 and the county commission authorized hiring of an assistant prosecutor at a salary of \$12,500.

Operating expense of the probate court was reduced from \$42,358 to \$40,201. Wage paid to the probate judge was reduced from \$16,584 to \$11,602, which represents \$6,000 at the statutory salary and \$5,285 county supplement. The judge receives a supplemental salary from the state. The register's salary remains at \$8,208. Departmental expenses were increased from \$12,500 to \$15,325.

District court expense advanced from \$93,688 to \$99,678. Total direct labor cost is \$53,215, as compared to \$50,090 during the current budget. Remaining unchanged is the judge's supplement of \$5,056; recorder, \$8,872; magistrate, \$12,552; clerk, \$7,225. The probation officer salary dropped from \$11,885 to \$10,514. Personnel fringes amount to \$8,184 and departmental expenses total \$38,279, up \$3,865.

Operational cost of the circuit court advanced from \$48,467 to \$67,095. Wages remain the same as under the current year, \$7,200 for the judge's supplement, \$8,625 for the stenographer, \$4,252 for the assignment clerk. A \$4,000 salary for bailiff is a new item, while \$1,272 paid to the circuit court clerk was eliminated. Departmental expenses advanced from \$22,300 to \$38,300.

Other expenses under civil and criminal justice includes \$2,700 for probation office, down \$300, and \$2,000 for jury commission, up \$450.

Under community services, expense of the cooperative extension office was listed at \$32,917, as

compared to \$27,865 under the current budget. This included \$14,217 in direct labor, up \$3,150; departmental expenses, \$11,900; 4-H, \$3,900, up \$300.

Cost of operating the airport is listed at \$12,117, as compared to \$11,917 under the current budget. Wages of the airport manager remains at \$4,725 and departmental expense was advanced \$200.

Other costs under community services include library, \$20,000; department of public works, \$3,600; parks and recreation, \$3,000; CETA, \$3,000; planning commission, \$3,000; building authority, airport and garage lease, \$10,000; county fair and miscellaneous, \$1,000. No increases were given under these categories and \$500 under historical was eliminated.

Administration and financial administration of the county totals \$492,739, a \$74,206 increase over the current year.

Cost of operating the county board of commissioners was set at \$28,600, same as last year, although \$6,243 was allowed for a confidential secretary and \$1,810 in fringe benefits for that employee. Remaining unchanged are salaries to be paid to the board of commissioners, total of \$12,600; 26 meetings, \$3,900; committee meetings, \$8,100; travel, \$4,000.

Professional services to the county, including legal and engineering, amount to \$15,000. County memberships amount to \$6,619.

Expense of operating the courthouse and grounds amounts to \$76,266, as compared to \$73,231 under the current budget. Salary of the head custodian was raised from \$7,841 to \$8,311 and salary of the custodian was increased from \$7,654 to \$8,113. Fringes total \$3,642.

Other items listed in the budget and remaining unchanged include departmental expense, \$7,000; building maintenance escrow, \$12,000; rentals, \$4,200; workmen's compensation, \$10,000; bonds and insurance, \$6,000. Advertising and state publications were increased from \$4,000 to \$4,500, while utilities were increased from \$11,100 to

\$12,500. Salaries of the three elected officials, treasurer, register of deeds and clerk, were advanced from \$14,143 to \$14,991. The county clerk receives a circuit court supplement of \$1,272. Because of the fact that negotiations have not been held on a new contract, wages remain the same as last year for other employees.

Treasurer's office, total expense increased from \$48,737 to \$50,710. This includes direct labor and fringes of \$41,585 and departmental expenses of \$9,125, up \$1,125.

Register of deeds office, \$56,568, as compared to \$54,655 under the current budget. Total labor and fringe benefits amount to \$46,103 and departmental expenses of \$10,465, as compared to \$8,800 under the current budget.

Clerk's office, \$64,510, as compared to \$61,640 this year. Total labor and fringe benefits amount to \$55,560 and departmental expenses total \$8,950 as compared to \$8,200 during the current year.

Cost of operating the equalization department office increased from \$83,787 to \$90,187. The director's salary was advanced from \$15,000 to \$15,900. Total labor and personnel fringes for the department amount to \$65,587. Departmental expenses of \$24,600 are \$5,500 higher than under the current budget.

Other costs under county administration and financial management include: Employer's share of retirement cost, \$40,204, as compared to \$36,668 under the current budget; births and deaths, \$200; elections, \$14,000, up \$12,800; inventory control, \$350; plat board, \$180; unemployment compensation, \$5,000, up \$1,000; contingency fund, \$36,292.

The contingency fund and a portion of antirecession income of \$85,000 will be utilized to pay for anticipated increases to employees.

Revenues listed under the budget include: Tawas City police service contract, \$33,000; Michigan State Income tax, \$165,000, up \$5,000;

property taxes, \$927,378, up \$45,767; single business tax rebate, \$1,000; fund balance from previous year, \$21,000, up \$1,000; fees, receipts, and reimbursements, \$374,000, up \$118,000.



MEMBERS of the CETA staff in Tawas City include Diana Dykes and Margaret Meiswick, counselors (standing), and Tammy Ilicin, seated. The office is located in the former Tawas City post office on Lake Street and serves the entire county.

## Local CETA Office Provides Efficient Program Supervision

A CETA (Comprehensive Employment Training Act) office, staffed with personnel employed by Region 7B Employment and Training Consortium, has been opened in Iosco County. Similar offices have been opened recently in each of the nine counties served by Region 7B.

"These offices have been established to provide local supervision and more efficient service of Title I programs to the residents of each county," said Roberta Volker, administrative director of Region 7B.

The office is located in the former post office building, 438 Lake Street, Tawas City. This building also houses the Iosco County Department of Building and Safety Inspection and the Cooperative Extension Service.

The staff includes Diana Dykes and Margaret Meiswick, counselors, and Tammy Ilicin, aide.

Purpose of this CETA program is to provide job training and employment opportunities for economically disadvantaged, un-

employed and under employed persons. Personnel in the office in each county will be supervising youth in-school and out-of-school programs, SPEDY (Summer Program for Economically Disadvantaged Youth), as well as work experience, vocational education and classroom training for youth and adults.

The in-school program is designed to assist economically disadvantaged high school youths (ages 14-21) with supplementary academic training, counseling and work experience. This opportunity enables these students to remain in school and enhance their employability in the future. They will earn a minimum wage during an eight to 10-hour work week.

Economically disadvantaged youth with less than a high school education are eligible for the out-of-school program. They will work up to 25 hours a week, receiving

the minimum wage scale.

The Summer Program for Economically Disadvantaged Youth involved placing 1,073 youths in over 200 work sites in the nine counties over a 10-week period last summer.

Adult work experience activities includes part time or short term employment for the chronically unemployed, retired persons, recently discharged military personnel, handicapped individuals, institutional residents and inmates, plus others who have not been working in the competitive labor population for an extended period of time.

Region 7B, with headquarters on the campus of Mid Michigan Community College, Harrison, serves the Counties of Arenac, Clare, Gladwin, Gratiot, Iosco, Isabella, Midland, Ogemaw and Roscommon. Wayne Bates, Midland County commissioner, is chairman of the consortium administrative board.

## Fall Driver Training Starts Today at Tawas Area School

Fall driver education instruction is to start Wednesday (today) at Tawas Area High School, reports Prin. John Alexander. Instruction is to be held daily from 7:30 to 8:30 p. m. for 35 students.

Alexander said that candidates for the class must be 15 years of age or older and the seniority system will be used to select students. Hopefully, everyone born in 1961 and prior years will have completed

driver training with this class. The instructor is to be David Niles, who also teaches junior high school social studies and English. Alexander said the school was awaiting delivery on its new car.

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### Parents Have Opportunity to Confer With TA Teachers

Parent conferences are to be held Wednesday and Thursday, November 9-10, at Tawas Area School. School is to be dismissed each noon, although elementary and junior high school students will eat lunch before returning home.

Hours for the conferences on November 9 are from 6:30 to 9:30 p. m. Hours on November 10 are from 12:30 to 3:30 p. m.

Parents may visit with any teacher concerning their child's progress. This program is held twice each year at the school.

Report cards for the first marking period are to be available at the conferences.

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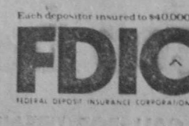
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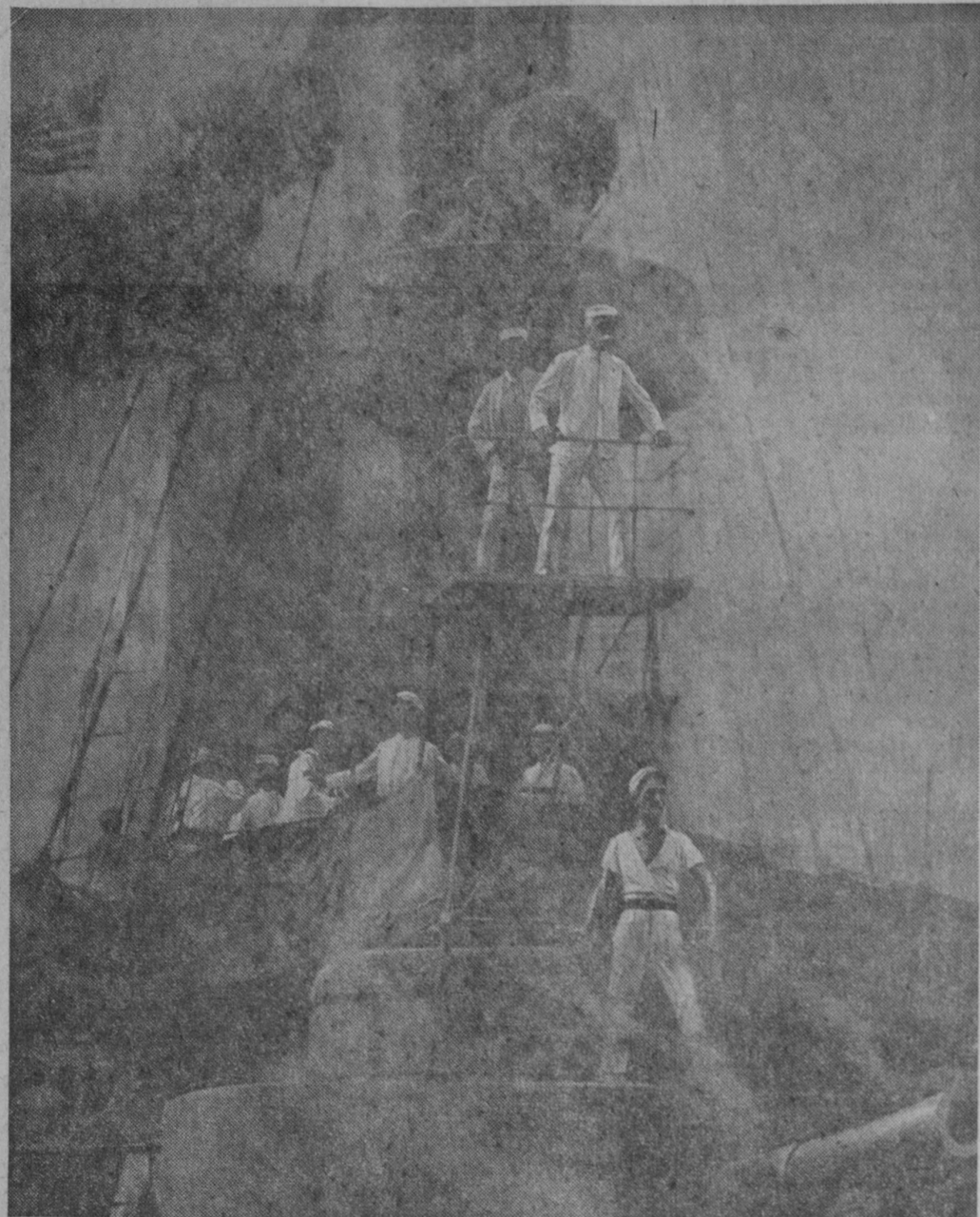
## Peoples State Bank

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WHEN COMMODORE (later Admiral) George Dewey issued his famous order, "You may fire when you are ready, Gridley," to open the battle of Manila Bay (above), George A. Loud of Au-Sable was aboard another ship as a "volunteer" officer in Dewey's American Asiatic Squadron. Loud's heroic participation in that Spanish American War battle of 1898 was not lost on Northeastern Michigan voters in 1902, when he was elected to his first term in congress. Admiral Dewey later called Congressman Loud "the navy's best friend."

## Loud

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send a man to congress for ornamental purposes, when there is so much to be done to keep things progressing for our public and personal welfare," stated the Herald. "The best willed Democrat is at a woeful disadvantage in a Republican congress and with a Republican administration. Therefore, elect George A. Loud to congress and with a vote that will back him up gloriously."

The November "off year" election in 1902 resulted in a very light vote being polled, but the state went Republican by about 67,000 votes. Loud defeated Michael O'Brien, Democratic candidate from Alpena, by a majority of nearly 5,000 votes, carrying every county in the district except Alpena.

Loud was to represent the 10th Michigan District from 1902 to 1912, being defeated that year by Roy O. Woodruff, a member of the Progressive Party. That was the year that Theodore Roosevelt split the Republican Party by forming his own "Bull Moose Party," resulting in a landslide victory for Woodrow Wilson as president. He was re-elected in 1914, but was defeated again in 1916 by Gilbert A. Currie. He withdrew from politics that year.

During his entire tenure of office, he served on the important naval committee. He loved the navy and served it faithfully, being seated at Admiral Dewey's right at a dinner for the officers who had served at Manila and he was referred to by the admiral as the navy's best friend in congress.

He worked with New Englanders in congress to save from scrapping the old "Constitution." He was instrumental in bringing back to this country the bodies of those killed in the explosion of the Maine. He also secured the appropriation that

brought the body of John Paul Jones back from France and was given credit for securing an adequate appropriation to build the crypt for it at Annapolis.

In 1905, Loud was a member of the so-called "Taft party" sent by Pres. Theodore Roosevelt to inspect this country's newly acquired possession, the Philippines, and pay a courtesy visit to Japan. He made several visits to the Panama Canal Zone and was well informed concerning the work on the canal and its progress.

Loud's monument in Isoco County is the Huron National Forest. He first brought this project to the attention of congress in 1908 and labored for it until it became a reality a year later. Should a visitor's center ever be developed at the Lumbermen's Monument, the United States Forest Service should erect a plaque there in memory of this tireless friend of conservation.

Following his retirement from

political life, Loud moved to Myrtle Point, Oregon, where he again entered the lumbering business. On November 13, 1925, Loud was a passenger in an automobile owned by the Western Lumber Company which struck a disabled truck on a

highway near Marshfield, Oregon. The former Isoco County lumberman and congressman was killed in the crash.

He lies buried in the Oscoda Cemetery among his "old friends of long ago."

## Sew-In to be Held Oct. 29 at Oscoda Area High School

Sew-in '77 is the name of the all-day program for home sewers scheduled for Saturday, October 29, by the Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service. To be held at Oscoda Area High School, the sew-in is open to all area home sewers, with no pre-registration required. A small donation is requested to help defray expenses.

Workshop topics to be offered during the day include the following: Lingerie sewing techniques,

plaids and stripes-making them match, finishing touches-the inside story, embroider with your sewing machine, sewing winter outerwear, if you are not a perfect size, first aid for sewing machine, do not throw that away-recycle!

In addition to the workshops, there will be retail store displays and educational and commercial brochures to take home. Check with local sewing retailers for a complete schedule or contact the Cooperative Extension Service at 362-3449.

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