

THIS BRIDGE on Whittemore Street has been closed to traffic since November 18 when a motorist crashed into a railing and damaged the support structure. The city council authorized temporary repairs Monday night.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Bridge Repair OK'd by Council

Tawas City Council voted unanimously Monday night to make temporary repairs to the Whittemore Street bridge in order that residents of that area are not inconvenienced. At the same time, the council asked the city planning commission for a recommendation concerning possible future construction of a bridge at that point.

The more than 65-year-old bridge which crosses the Tawas River northeast of the city hall was put out of commission November 18 when a motorist slammed into the north railing. The railing was welded to a steel beam supporting the bridge's road surface, which collapsed into the river.

Following an inspection of the damage, Edmands Engineering Company of Bay City presented three different alternatives for consideration of the council, the first of which was not to make major repairs to the structure.

The council accepted a third alternative to reinforce the damaged area with heavy timbers and construct a wooden railing to replace the one which was knocked into the river. However, such a plan will make the one-lane bridge dangerous when slippery as about two feet of the road surface will be unusable.

The second alternative suggested by the engineer was unacceptable to the council at the present time because of a time factor. The engineer reported that state funds could be available on a matching basis and the city should apply next September 1 for assistance in construction of a new bridge. An expenditure of \$690 would be required for engineering and, if approved by the state, the city could be eligible by 1980 for matching money on a 75-25 percent basis, with the state paying the larger amount.

A conference call was conducted Monday between the engineer, acting city manager, the city foreman, mayor and two councilmen.

Mayor Herbert Cholger said the engineer had not recommended repairs to the bridge because of the status of the city's current damage claim with the motorist's insurance company.

Coun. Hugo Keiser said the planning commission at one time considered converting the bridge for pedestrian traffic only and utilization of that section of Whittemore Street from the bridge to US-23 for parking.

Arnold V. Guilford, a resident of Fourth Avenue, appeared before the council and stated that it was a great inconvenience to residents not to have the bridge open to traffic. He pointed out that it was the "center bridge" in town and believed something should be done to reopen it.

Harold Moeller, whose mother's property is located east of Whittemore Street, said that a surprising amount of traffic used the bridge

East Tawas Deeds Land for Ramps

Final approval to deeding on-shore and offshore property owned by the city to the State of Michigan was given Monday night by the East Tawas Council, thus opening the way for start of a \$300,000 project to construct a boat launching ramp and parking facility.

Long in the negotiation stage, the city property turned over to the state includes the present city garage property east of the state police post, plus title to a bottom land lease in Tawas Bay formerly owned by Gordon MacAndrew and purchased by the city.

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources expects to construct this project in phases and the first phase will see a bid opening next spring.

City Clerk Clyde Soper said that the boat launching ramps are expected to be ready for use in August for the fall fishing season.

Other phases of the project will include construction of a rest-room building and possibly paving of the parking lot.

In other business, the council's lands and streets committee was to have held a special meeting Tuesday night to consider a request from the Iosco County Road Commission concerning the transfer of city streets presently within the confines of the former road commission property on Westover Street. City streets had never been vacated in this block of land, although it is enclosed by a fence. The road commission seeks to sell the former county garage and property.

A letter was sent to Tawas Area School indicating the council's concern over a request to install a sign at the corner of Newman and Lincoln Streets prohibiting right-hand turns on a red signal. The council pointed out that not allowing right-hand turns may result in a dangerous situation for pedestrians crossing to the elementary unit. The street committee and police chief are to meet with school authorities.

Recent action by the planning commission reducing the minimum size for residential lots from 12,000 to 10,000 square feet is to go before a public hearing on January 4.

William Smith, superintendent of public works, was appointed deputy coordinator for emergency services.

and felt it should be reopened.

Coun. Jerry Cotter expressed the opinion that the bridge should not be closed for a year while awaiting possible state participation. He said that the estimated cost of making temporary repairs to the bridge was \$5,000 and that permanent repairs would cost \$10,000.

He said the people of Tawas City were not at fault for the damage and that the driver responsible was liable for making both temporary and permanent repairs to the bridge, regardless of what future action might be taken by the city to replace the structure.

The planning commission is to study the feasibility of replacing the bridge, possibly with state assistance, as well as to investigate a service drive along the river in the two blocks between Mathews Street and First Street.

Christian Enters Not Guilty Plea

Mark A. Christian, 19, Pinconning, entered a plea of not guilty when arraigned Monday before Iosco Circuit Judge Allan C. Miller. Pretrial examination has been set for January 18.

Christian is charged with felonious assault for allegedly spraying the Sportsmen's Bar, Whittemore, with 22 caliber rifle fire on November 11. Two patrons of the bar received minor injuries.

Christian is being held at the Iosco County Jail.

Opposition Heard to Paying Architect's Fee but Council Finally Approves Bill

City 'Pot' Still Boiling

Authorization to pay \$3,340.76 for preliminary architectural sketches for the proposed city complex, which was turned down by only 11 votes at the general election, was unanimously approved by the Tawas City Council Monday night, but not before there was a renewal of antagonism over the defeated project.

At the same time, indications are that two separate committees have been appointed—one by the mayor and one by the fire chief—to study construction of a new fire hall.

Discussion began with reading a letter from the Tawas City Building Authority stating it was ready and willing to serve the city council in any future undertaking. Attached to the letter was a bill dated November 8 for \$3,340.76, representing work on preparing sketches by the architectural consultant. It was stated that the above was the only cost incurred by the building authority.

Mayor Herbert Cholger and Coun. Robert Rollin questioned the authority for paying the bill, claiming that the council had never authorized the building authority to make such an expenditure.

In addition, the mayor was of the opinion that the sketches had been ordered by someone, he did not know whom, prior to formation of the building authority in May, without approval by the council.

Coun. Jerry Cotter said that a committee appointed by the council more than a year ago to study the city hall question had authorized some preliminary sketches, but that more detailed preliminary sketches for presentation to voters were authorized by council action. That fact was substantiated by a review of council minutes for June 19, which indicated that authorization was given under a three to two roll call.

Also approved at the June 19 meeting was authority for the city to exercise an option on adjoining property for expansion of the proposed new city complex.

In referring to the defeated city hall complex, Cotter said, "it is a dead horse, but that is beside the point." He pointed out that the majority of the council had directed the building authority to proceed with plans at the June 19 meeting.

Both the mayor and Councilman Rollin, in voting to pay the bill, said they were doing so "with reluctance."

During his appearance before the council on another matter, Fire Chief Herbert Blust said he had

Medical Facility Finance Discussion

Representatives of the Iosco County Department of Social Services are to meet Wednesday with the Iosco County Board of Commissioners concerning the need for an additional appropriation of \$4,100.44 to meet a deficit in the operation of the medical care facility at the end of November.

Several weeks ago, a projection was made that the medical care facility would end the year with a balance of approximately \$15,000 in its budget. On October 27, the county commission authorized a \$5,500 transfer to correct a cash flow problem in operation of the medical care facility.

During 1978, the county has made three different appropriations to the medical care facility totaling \$45,500. As of October 31, the facility has expenditures of \$769,372.56 and revenue of \$751,700.36. One year ago at the same time, expenditures totaled \$707,379.09 and revenue was \$708,581.79.

The county treasurer indicated Friday that there was a \$62,000 increase in expenditures for operation of the medical care facility and \$43,000 less in revenue.

Operational costs are expected to jump by about \$62,942 annually effective January 1 through an eight percent increase in salaries and fringe benefits granted to medical care facility employees.

Commissioners believe that the anticipated cost of the county's share of the medical care facility operation may reach \$128,000 next year.

However, officials are awaiting word from Lansing on a new legislation which would provide 100 percent funding of the facility by the state.

Judge Denies Motion; Board Approves New Road District

A motion asking a writ of mandamus and temporary injunction restraining the Iosco County Road Commission from work on two roads in Alabaster Township was denied Monday by Circuit Judge Allan C. Miller.

A suit brought by a group of property owners sought to compel the road commission to hold another public hearing to determine a special assessment district and to hear objections from interested persons.

At a special meeting of Alabaster Township Board Monday night, authorization was given to establish the special assessment district for blacktopping of Alabaster Road for approximately 1,320 feet and approximately 1,000 feet on Benson Road.

The \$60,000 project would be financed through a cost sharing basis, with 25 percent paid by benefiting property owners, 25 percent by the township and 50 percent by the road commission.

Persons opposed to the project indicated Monday night that petitions would be presented Friday demanding another hearing on the project.



CO-CAPTAINS of the Tawas Area Braves football squad, Brian Norton, left, and Bill King, right, are shown here with Coach Richard Look following Friday night's banquet held at the immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall. Nearly 200 persons attended the event. King was named the most valuable player on the football squad and Norton holds the co-championship trophy won by the Braves during the past season.—Tawas Herald Photo.



OFFICIALS of the district basketball tournament at Ogemaw Heights are pictured here trying to figure out where an error was made in the scoreboard, which had Tawas fans quite excited for about 15 minutes. Finally, the error was found and the Tawas Area Bravettes were declared district champion, something which fans knew at the final buzzer when the Bravettes led Osgoda, 48-46. Turn to page 6 for details.—Tawas Herald Photo.

City to Retain Consultant for City Manager Selection

Donald Oakes of Grand Rapids, a professional consultant who assisted in the drafting of Tawas City's charter, is to be hired by the city council to aid in selection of a new city manager.

This action came Monday night on recommendation of Coun. Hugo Keiser, who suggested the action at the council's last meeting. Keiser said that Oakes was familiar with the needs of this community and had considerable experience as a city manager.

Acting City Mgr. Rachel McCrea

Visiting Judge to Decide Seifert Case Jurisdiction

A ruling on whether the district court or circuit court has jurisdiction over a \$78.20 suit brought by Edward Seifert Jr. against the county board of commissioners is to be decided by Judge Joel Miller of the 82nd District Court of West Branch on or before December 15.

Judge Miller is hearing the case on the bench of the 81st District Court of Iosco County, replacing Judge J. Richard Ernst, who disqualified himself.

Seifert, who is the appointive friend of the court for Judge Allan C. Miller in the 23rd Judicial Circuit, entered suit against the county board of commissioners for its refusal to pay a \$78.20 voucher which he submitted for travel expense.

At Friday's preliminary hearing, Atty. Timothy Weaver, representing the board of commissioners, brought to the attention of the visiting district judge two state laws relative to claims against a county board of commissioners.

Weaver cited a statute which he said required a claimant to appeal commission action within 20 days to the circuit court, plus bonding and notification provisions. Weaver said the law provides that procedures could not be waived and that it was obvious to him the circuit court had jurisdiction in the matter.

Seifert, who acted as his own legal counsel at Friday's hearing, responded by stating that his own review of the statutes cited by Weaver indicated the word "may," rather than "shall," prefaced the above stipulation and he believed his suit could properly be heard by the district court.

After setting the time for the next hearing, the visiting judge said both the attorney for the commissioners and Seifert would have 15 days to file briefs on the matter, should he decide the district court has jurisdiction.

dy is to contact Oakes to arrange a meeting as soon as possible to review present applications for the position.

The acting city manager said 16 applications had been received through placement of two advertisements in state and national publications.

In answer to a question from the council, Mrs. McCready said she had not submitted her application for the position. She said she was enjoying the work, but really did not feel she was qualified for the position and that she did not want a full time job.

It was indicated at the meeting that only one of the applicants for the position vacated recently by Reginald Bublitz was a qualified waste water treatment plant operator.

The city had operated its plant under direction of Bublitz, who was a certified operator, but has no certified person at the present time.

Authorization was given to the acting city manager to send Richard Pfeiffer, a city employee, to a seminar on waste water treatment being conducted by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, plus the possibility of his attending a 15-week course at Saginaw Valley College. Members of the council felt that a second city employee should also participate in this program, if possible.

The acting city manager said that attendance at the seminar and training course was necessary in order for Pfeiffer to write an examination to become a certified operator.

The acting city manager was named a deputy disaster coordinator for emergency services under the county disaster plan. The sheriff's department is coordinating agency for the county.

Emergency Lights Stolen at Bridge

Theft of two emergency flasher lights from a barricade at the Whittemore Street bridge was investigated last week by the Iosco County Sheriff's Department. Two barricades were thrown into the Tawas River.

Falling Elm Tree Interrupted Power

An electrical short circuit caused by a tree falling over a power line on Alabaster Road caused a brief power interruption in the Tawas Saturday morning.

Michigan State Police from East Tawas were called upon to investigate the matter by Consumers Power Company as unknown persons had cut the eight-inch elm tree and left when it fell on the power line.

Power company officials said two lines were fused together, causing the electrical short circuit.

IN THE SERVICE—

REPORTS FOR DUTY AT MARINE CORPS AIR STATION

Lt. Ted G. Wasilewski, whose wife, Margaret, is the daughter of Joseph Ahearne, National City, has reported for duty at the Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, North Carolina.

A 1976 graduate of Embry Riddle Aeronautical University, Daytona Beach, Florida, he joined the United States Marine Corps in June 1976.

RETURNS FROM MEDITERRANEAN TOUR

Terrance T. Walsh, navy chief boatswain's mate, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Walsh of East Tawas, has returned from an extended deployment in the Mediterranean Sea.

He is a crewmember aboard the guided missile destroyer, USS Dewey, homeported in Charleston, South Carolina, and operating as a unit of the United States Sixth Fleet.

During the 6½-month cruise, his

ship participated in various training exercises with other Sixth Fleet units and those allied nations, including the major NATO exercises, "National Week XXV," "Dawn Patrol," "Trident" and "Display Determination." Port visits were made in several Mediterranean coastal cities.

The Dewey is 512 feet long and carries a crew of 377 officers and enlisted men. She is outfitted with guns, torpedo tubes and an anti-submarine rocket launcher. Walsh joined the navy in April 1964.

(See SERVICE, page 2, sec. 2.)

Three TA Buses Were Vandalized

Vandalism of three buses at Tawas Area School was investigated last week by Isco County Sheriff's Department. Seat cushions were damaged in one bus, while a fire extinguisher was stolen from another bus and a hole was punched in the radiator of the third bus, permitting the antifreeze to run out on the ground.

Hale Area News

CUB SCOUTS HELD PINWOOD DERBY

Cub Scout Pack No. 990 held its annual Pinewood Derby Monday evening, November 27. Winning first, second and third places were Rodney Scofield, Matthew Reed and Tyson McGinnis. Workmanship awards went to McGinnis, Chad Holley and Nolan Katterman.

Winners in design were Brent Kesler, David Schulte and Jon Taylor with Charles Carroll, Douglas Seward and Scott Eden in painting. Winning in den one were Reed, Gregory VanderVeen and Ryan Parkinson; den two, Lance Worden, McGinnis and Raymond Durham; den three, Scofield, Daniel Hughson and Calvin Hewitt; den four, Katterman, Kyle Shellenbarger and Jeffrey Kolb; den six, Earl Ruppert, Taylor and Joseph Rudde; webelos, Robert Graves, Carroll and Eric Hendrickson; advanced webelos, Mark Parkinson, Seward and Darin Kreiner.



RECEIVING recognition during Friday night's football banquet were Gary Birkenbach, left, winner of the Douglas Evans citizenship award, and Donn Rakestraw, winner of the Reynold Mick scholarship award. At right is Coach Steve Sventko, who made the presentations.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT SUNDAY BY BAND-CHOIR

Annual Christmas concert by Hale Area School's senior band and choir is to be presented Sunday, 3:00 p. m., at the high school gymnasium. Miss Jacquelyn Bergey will direct the program. Following the 45-minute program, a reception will be held and art students will display their work.

MASONS TO HOLD OPEN INSTALLATION

Hale Lodge No. 518, Free and Accepted Masons, will have open installation Friday, December 15, 7:00 p. m., at the Masonic Hall in Hale.

Alpha Shrine No. 62, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, will meet in regular session followed by a Christmas party Thursday, December 14, at the Tawas Masonic Temple. Members are to bring a \$2 exchange gift.

Friday afternoon, Phyllis and Barbara Harvey and Mary Terry were in Bay City.

Convict Airman; Did Not Know AWOL Was Crime

An airman basic was recently convicted of being absent without leave. (AWOL) for 29 days, at a special court-martial held at Wurtsmith Air Force Base.

At a pretrial hearing, the accused stated that he did not know that his absence constituted a crime. The military judge ruled that ignorance of the law was no defense for being AWOL. The accused requested a jury trial.

The jury, after reviewing the facts, found the accused guilty of the AWOL charge. He was sentenced to 60 days restriction to the base and forfeiture of \$50 per month for six months. The conviction gives the airman a federal record.

Lucille J. Stitt Died Nov. 30

Lucille J. Stitt of East Tawas passed away at the age of 48 years Thursday, November 30, at Little Traverse Hospital, Petoskey. She was born February 24, 1930, at Tawas City and was an employee of Tawas Industries, Incorporated.

Services were held Monday, December 4, from Jacques and Kobs East Chapel, East Tawas, with the Rev. Kenneth Tausley officiating. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery.

Survivors include her husband, Donald; two sons, Jerry of Tawas City and Terry of East Tawas; three grandsons; two brothers, David Sims of Tawas City and William Sims of Chattanooga, Tennessee; two sisters, Mary Baker and Virginia Procnunier of Tawas City.

Council Authorizes New Special Assessment Sewer

First step to establish a special assessment district for serving six lots near the former Marathon station on South US-23 with sanitary sewer was authorized Monday night by the city council.

The engineering consultant is to prepare specifications and plans for determination of an estimated cost to be spread on assessment rolls of a special assessment district.

Property involved in the district would be lots 5, 6, 7, 14, 15 and 16 of Elms Garden.

Allan McCall, formerly of Ohio, appeared at the meeting and said he was the new owner of the former Marathon station. His plans are to convert the building into a restaurant, opening next spring.

He asked permission to begin work on remodeling the interior of the building, requiring approval of the acting city manager, who serves as zoning administrator. A restaurant is permitted in that area under the zoning ordinance and a site plan is to be submitted to the planning commission for its review.

A letter asking establishment of the special assessment district for sanitary sewer had been submitted to the water board by McCall and

State Approved Water Rate Hike

Two small water companies have been granted rate increases by the Michigan Public Service Commission, Department of Commerce.

Huron Pure Water Supply and Service Company of Tawas City, which serves the Whitney Township area of Arenac County, was granted an increase of \$7,250. The firm had asked for \$9,650.

An average residential customer using an estimated 87,000 gallons of water per year will pay \$82, or \$10 more than the present annual rates.

Winterized cottages and trailers will be charged the same rates as year-around homes in the company's service area. Huron's 350 customers last received a rate increase in 1973.

The second rate increase was granted to Goetz Water Company of Bay City, which serves 265 customers in Monitor Township of Bay County. The firm was granted an increase of \$3,008, but had applied for \$9,981.

Carl Babcock.

Discussion at the meeting indicated that the per foot cost of sewer assessment would be based on the bid price, the same procedure used in other special assessment districts.

In other business, the acting city manager reported that only seven inoperable vehicles remained in the city since enforcement of the city ordinance. The city attorney and sheriff's department are handling the enforcement.

The acting city manager was appointed street administrator to file Act 51 reports to the state and to be the city's representative in all dealings with the state highway department.

Fire Chief Herbert Blust was given authorization to make application for state funds to purchase two new Scott air packs and two reserve tanks for the fire department. If approved by the state, the city would be eligible for a grant to pay one-half the total cost of \$1,400.

Blust said he expected that new regulations would require an air pack for each member of the fire department due to the toxic fumes from modern building materials.

A resolution was adopted authorizing acquisition of surplus government property from the General Services Administration.

The council went on record endorsing a resolution from East Michigan Tourist Association urging the state to give consideration to improving US-23.

A letter from the Isco Historical Society asked city support of the county's historical museum at East Tawas. Under a previous arrangement, the city had allocated funds annually to the Tawas Bay Arts Council, which formerly shared the museum building, but now has its own location at the Graystone. Harris Barkman, president of the historical society, said that all governmental units of the county were being asked to participate in support of the museum by allocating tax millage, in Tawas City's case about \$150 a year. The matter was tabled for further consideration.

Renewal of a \$9,650 note at five percent interest requested by the water board was authorized. The board recently retired an \$18,500 note for water line construction.

Hale Eagles Scored Win Over Cards

Hale Area Eagles pulled their home opener out of the fire Friday night by turning back the Whittemore-Prescott Cardinals, 68-61.

The Eagles jumped off to a 14-6 lead in the first quarter over the Cards, but then fell apart as Whittemore-Prescott hit the hoops with ease in the second and third quarters.

The Cards outscored the Eagles, 25-10, in the second quarter to hold a 31-24 lead at intermission and then continued the slaughter with a 20-17 margin in the third quarter.

Whittemore-Prescott used a good press defense throughout the game and the Eagles were guilty of 36 turnovers. The only saving factor was that Hale had 14 steals to compensate for the mistakes.

Hale switched to a man-to-man defense in the fourth quarter and turned things around as the Eagles scored 10 quick points and took over the lead, 53-51, before the Cardinals could get on the board. It was an entirely new game in the fourth quarter as the Eagles connected on 69 percent of their shots as compared to 35 percent in the first half.

Top scorer for the winners was six-foot, two-inch, Ed Seward, who had nine buckets and four charity tosses for 22 points. Vern Reed was close behind with 20 points on eight field goals and four free throws.

Herb Hall and Bill Rase each had 16 points for the Cardinals, followed by 13 points for Todd Horn. The Eagles travel to Fairview Friday night to open play in the North Star League.

HALE	FG	FT	TP
Bernard	1	1	3
Wood	3	2	8
Seward	9	4	22
Clements	2	2	6
Reed	8	4	20
Lesneski	1	1	3
Robson	3	0	6
	27	14	68

WHITTEMORE-PRESCOTT	FG	FT	TP
Horn	4	5	13
Graham	4	0	8
Hall	5	6	16
Rase	8	0	16
Fritz	2	4	8
	23	15	61

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Social

New Auxiliary Reports Success

Iosco County Medical Care Facility Auxiliary, a newly organized group, reported a successful bazaar December 2 with prizes given to Doris Schlicker, white macrame owl; Doris Schatz, macrame tree, and Elaine Stewart, pine cone wreath.

Proceeds from the bazaar will go toward enlarging the patio at the facility and roofing it with the existing structure. The group hopes to purchase a gas operated grill for patients use during summer cook-outs.

Ruth Bergh New Leader of Sweet Adelines

Prospective Tawas City Chapter of Sweet Adelines, Incorporated, under the new leadership of Ruth Bergh, meets Thursday evenings at Tawas Area High School band room in preparation for entertainment at dinners, meetings and other gatherings during the Christmas season and throughout the year. Inquiries may be directed to Barbara Mandrygal, 362-6763, or Sandra Lemcoo, 739-3931.

Membership in the organization is open to any women with an interest in barbershop harmony, the education in this form of art and a love of singing. Extensive musical knowledge is not necessary to sing with this group.

Engaged



Mr. and Mrs. Rassic Carswell of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, announce the engagement of their daughter, Nadine Beth, to James Stephen Sweterlitsch. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sweterlitsch, also of Pittsburgh.

Miss Carswell is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Strauer of Tawas City and a senior at Concordia Lutheran College, Ann Arbor. Wedding plans are indefinite.

this... that and the other

Harold Ellsworth of Tawas City, hunting in the Hubbard Lake area Wednesday, shot a spike horn buck to fill his deer hunting license for the 21st consecutive year.

Eleanor Donahue of East Tawas returned Friday from two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Bernard Klein, and family of Brighton. Joining the family for Thanksgiving Day were Mrs. Donahue's two sons from Clio and Saginaw and their families and a granddaughter from Iowa.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Montgomery of Tawas City, accompanied by their aunt, Miss Alma Johnson of East Tawas, enjoyed a family party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Johnson, Bay City. Tuesday, the Montgomerys left for White Cloud, Florida, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Matilda Jarvela of East Tawas has returned home from a visit with her daughter and family in Bay City.

Mrs. Emily Rich hosted a family dinner at her Tawas City home following the baptism of her granddaughter, Kellie Sue Rich, at Tawas United Methodist Church Sunday, December 3. Kellie Sue's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rich of Lansing. Joining in the dinner were her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Beauoin of East Tawas.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sterling and family of Tawas City attended the funeral of Mr. Sterling's mother in Center Line.

Mrs. Ruth DeMetrick of East Tawas has returned from Bay City where she spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Donna VanDenBosch.

Mr. and Mrs. James Butler have sold their home on Fox Street, East Tawas, to Nellie Newell and Theresa Roiter. Mr. and Mrs. Butler are moving to Punta Gorda, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bublitz and sons and the Thomas Humpert family, all of Reese, spent Saturday and Sunday at their cottage and visited the Alton Longs of Tawas City.

Cindy Bishop has returned to East Tawas from Matawan, New Jersey, where she visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnston, and family.

Mrs. Allen Rouiller and Mrs. Felix Hartman of East Tawas were Bay City visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Joseph Stepanski is residing at the Provincial House, Tawas City. She has been with her son, Gerald Stephen of Saginaw, for the past year but recently suffered a stroke.

Mrs. Leo Gartland of East Tawas is visiting her daughter, Ruth Ann Gartland of Lansing, for a few days.

William Goupil has sold his home on East Lincoln Street, East Tawas, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coleman.

Joseph Walter of East Tawas is a patient at the Burns Clinic, Petoskey.

Saturday, Mrs. Robert Richter and daughters, Roberta and Marjory, of East Tawas visited the former's brother, Dr. Otis Smith, and wife in Bloomfield Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Herrick and children, Heather and Chad, of East Tawas spent the week-end in Detroit.

Mrs. Alvera Burrell of Tawas City and Mrs. Carl Thunberg of East Tawas spent Monday in Bay City.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gartland of East Tawas during the hunting season were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kushuba, and their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kushuba of Birch Run, also of Joseph Kushuba Jr. of Grand Blanc.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gorton have returned to East Tawas from Union Lake where they spent the holidays with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lynn, and family. They visited in Flint before returning home.

Residents at Bay Park Tower and friends enjoyed a movie in the community room Monday evening. Shown was "Wuthering Heights," a feature classic by Emily Bronte, starring Merle Oberon and Lawrence Olivier.

Dean Kobs of East Tawas spent the week-end with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Klenow, and family at Norway.

Grand Matron Conducted School of Instruction

School of instruction was held Friday, December 1, at Iosco Chapter No. 71, Order of the Eastern Star, by Janet Cheney, grand matron, for members of the host chapter and guests from Pine Tree Chapter No. 264, Oscoda. Present for instructions were 16 officers from the local chapter and 15 officers from Oscoda.

Mabel Shaw, past grand matron, was introduced as well as five grand officers, four grand representatives, four worthy matrons, two worthy patrons and four AIA officers.

Beulah Western was assisted by the committee from Pine Tree Chapter in serving refreshments from tables decorated in the colors and emblem of the presiding matron, Bonnie Byrd.

Regular meeting of Iosco Chapter will be held Thursday, December 7, with a gift exchange by members.

Tawas Hospital

BIRTHS—
Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. David Anschuetz, East Tawas, November 27, a son, Chad David, weight seven pounds, 12 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Verlac, East Tawas, November 28, a daughter, Julie Anne, weight five pounds, 4 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Griffiths, Oscoda, November 28, a daughter, Heather Sue, weight seven pounds, 7 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Lawlor, Oscoda, November 29, a son, Brian Raymond, weight nine pounds, 5 1/2 ounces.

ADMISSIONS—
Visiting Hours: 1:00-8:00 p. m.
Tawas City: Elizabeth Hunt, Naomi Wilson, Cleo Freel.

East Tawas: Walter Moeller, Helen Ferguson, Cora Davis, Hattie Rapp, Clyde French, Louie Torz.

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Other communities: John Berg, AuGres; Hazel Jackson, Isabel Lake, Julia Rundell, Glennie; Ruth Orr, Taylor; William H. Munyon, Harrisville; Alta M. Pfeiffer, Greenbush.

Open House Planned Dec. 9

An open house is to be held Saturday, December 9, from 2:00 until 5:00 p. m. for Gladys Klassen at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moffit, 513 Tawas Street, East Tawas. The affair is planned for friends to wish Miss Klassen well before she leaves December 11 for Swift Current, Saskatchewan, Canada, where she will reside with her family.

Christmas Party at Weisl Home

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Weisl of Oscoda will host Iosco County Republican Women at their home for the annual Christmas celebration Sunday, December 10, 4:00-6:00 p. m. Retiring Rep. George Prescott will be the honored guest.

Tickets for the affair are available from Elizabeth Utter, 362-8596, or Joyce Myles, 739-7541. Proceeds will be directed to community service projects.



Kreh-Montgomery Vows Exchanged at East Tawas

Arrangements of white chrysanthemums and blue carnations formed the floral background in Grace Lutheran Church, East Tawas, for the marriage Saturday, December 2, of Kim Montgomery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Montgomery of East Tawas, and Michael Kreh. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Welch of Burton.

The Rev. William Graf performed the double ring service and Mrs. Charles Nash was organist at the 4 o'clock ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an Empire waist gown of shimmering peau de soie over polyester satin crepe. Medallion lace panel continued from the bodice to the front of the full skirt flowing to a train edged with embroidered scallops. Shiny Venice lace trimmed the fingertip veil and she carried a cascade bouquet of white daisy chrysanthemums with blue carnations and babies breath.

Mrs. Jeffrey Welch, matron of honor, wore a light blue sleeveless gown with lace jacket. A ring of babies breath worn in her hair enhanced her attire and she carried a bouquet of yellow carnations and white daisy chrysanthemums.

Jeffrey Welch of Davison, brother of the bridegroom, was best man and Randy Linn of Flint and Kirk Montgomery, brother of the bride, seated guests.

For her daughter's wedding and reception for 100 guests, held at the Holland House, Mrs. Montgomery chose a light green polyester gown with lace overlay. Mrs. Welch wore medium green with capelet overlay. Their corsages were comprised of yellow roses and babies breath.

New Program Operating in Iosco-Ogemaw

The alcoholism and drug abuse program which was recently assigned to the Iosco-Ogemaw Community Mental Health Board became operational December 1, according to Floyd Smith, director of the agency.

Crisis services had been provided prior to the effective date by program staff. Additional services available as of Friday include outpatient counseling, alcohol highway safety education and community educational services regarding alcoholism and drug abuse.

The mental health board expects to offer substance abuse counseling services at locations in Tawas City, West Branch, Mio and Skidway Lake.

Staff of the program includes Stanley Laskowski and Robert Buyse. Laskowski, director of the unit, comes to the mental health board from a position as program director for the Gladwin Hospital Substance Abuse Program. He holds a master degree in counseling psychology from Ball State University.

Buyse recently retired from the Detroit Police Department, where he developed and worked for several years in a specialized unit which provided alcoholism counseling for members of the police department.

Services offered through the substance abuse program may be obtained by telephoning 362-8636 in Tawas City, or 685-2451 in Rose City.

Guests Attended OES Meeting

Guests from Bay City, Ellsworth and East Tawas attended school of instruction Saturday, November 25, held by Opal M. Hastings, grand Electa, for Tawas City Chapter No. 303, Order of the Eastern Star.

Plans for the Christmas party were reviewed by Grace Weeden, worthy matron. Members will exchange cookies.

Lemon cake, coffee, tea, mints and nuts were served by Isabelle Ballinger, Helen Frisch and Isabelle Leslie.

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Miss Denise Cary, daughter of Mrs. Dean Cary of Fayetteville, Arkansas, was married December 2 to Charles A. Pinkerton III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Pinkerton Jr. at their home on Tawas Beach Road, East Tawas.

The Rev. Kenneth Toutsley performed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Pinkerton will make their home in Tawas City.

Trust Fund Has New Agent

Thomas H. King, chairman of the Michigan Veterans Trust Fund, Iosco County Committee, has announced the appointment of John Reifschneider as committee authorized agent. Reifschneider will take veterans trust fund applications at the American Legion Post, 214 North Avenue, Tawas City, Tuesday and Thursday of each week from 10:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.

The county committee is the administrative arm of the Michigan Veterans Trust Fund Board of Trustees. Since October 1, 1977, the county committee has granted financial assistance to qualified Iosco County veterans and their legal dependents in an amount equaling \$9,164.28.

In addition to King, the other members of the county committee are Jacob C. Montgomery, who represents the American Legion, and Joseph Roberts, who represents the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

VFW Auxiliary Christmas Party

Iosco County Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 5678, convening for a short business session Monday, December 11, 8:00 p. m., will follow the meeting with a Christmas party. Members are to bring a \$3 gift for exchange.

A joint party with post members is planned for Saturday evening, December 16, with a pot-luck dinner served. All members and their spouses are invited to attend.

Flees Home During Burglary

Doni Smith, 121 Tenth Avenue, Tawas City, was interrupted by a burglar while talking on the telephone last week to her father at Flint. She heard a noise in the bathroom and fled the house with her baby after seeing a man in the bathroom.

Iosco County Sheriff's Department investigated and it is believed that the prowler left through the bathroom window.

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Gays & Dolls	W	L
Misfits	38	14
Saints & Sinners	34	18
That Other Team	28 1/2	23 1/2
Jokers	28	24
Quartet	28	24
Should-A-Been	25	27
Screwballs	23	29
Pickups	20	32
Pretenders	20	32
Leftovers	14 1/2	37 1/2

Team High Series: Saints & Sinners, 2450.
Team High Single: Saints & Sinners, 885.
Individual High Series: P. Beuparland, 671; C. Pierson, 627; J. Werth, B. Banaszek, 611.

Individual High Single: P. Beuparland, 250-238; B. Banaszek, 237.

Saturday Morning

High Rollers	W	L
Church St. Quad	34	14
The Tyrants	33 1/2	14 1/2
Four Musketeers	28 1/2	19 1/2
Team 7	20	28
Bad News Bowlers	19	29

Team High Series: Team 7, 2284; High Rollers, 2246; The Tyrants, 2245.
Team High Single: High Rollers, 791; Church St. Quad, 789; Team 7, 773.
Individual High Series: Robert Brown, 666; Erin Beck, 610; Witt Call, 605.
Individual High Single: Scott Penman, 240; Robert Brown, 239; Mike Larsen, 230.

Friday Night Ladies

H&B Trucking	W	L
Strauer's Market	39	13
McIntosh-McKay No. 1	35	17
North Star Motel	33	19
Tawas Bay Glass	33	19
Barbier Oil	26	26
Tawas Bar	24	28
Dairy Queen	23	29
McIntosh-McKay-East	7	45
Squires Wheel Alignment	6	46

Team High Series: H&B Trucking, 2951; Dairy Queen, 2907; McIntosh-McKay No. 1, 2847.
Team High Single: H&B Trucking, 1040; McIntosh-McKay No. 1, 979; Strauer's Market, 965.
Individual High Series: Georgia Unke, 662; Donna Taylor, 641; Mary Ann Michalski, 639.
Individual High Single: Donna Taylor, 259; Pat Whitford, 245; Barb Bergstrom, 236.

Individual High Single: D. Michalski, 253; O. Revord, 246; T. Nelkie, 243.

Trios

High & Mighty	W	L
Charisma Salon	30	18
Vern's Texaco	28	20
Smoothies	27	21
Kendall Brothers	24 1/2	23 1/2
Captain Coney	23	25
Alley Cats	21 1/2	26 1/2
Troubles	19 1/2	28 1/2
Huron Auto	18 1/2	29 1/2
Hit & Miss	15	23

Team High Series: Vern's Texaco, 1917; Kendall Brothers, 1817; Hit & Miss, 1785.
Team High Single: Vern's Texaco, 697; Kendall Brothers, Hit & Miss, 640.
Individual High Series: Fran Beaubien, 692; Rose Ryan, 660; Rich Bell, 640.
Individual High Single: Fran Beaubien, 258; Irene Hughes, 243; Louie Kendall, 236.



Holiday Food Program Set Dec. 11 at Hale

Gale Baumgardner from Michigan State University's Department of Dairy Science will be presenting the program in Holiday Happenings with Dairy Foods Monday, December 11. This program will be conducted at the Plainfield Township Hall, Hale, from 1:00 p. m.-4:00 p. m., and at the Ogemaw Heights High School in the home economics room on M-33 in Ogemaw County.

Participants will have an opportunity to taste a variety of dairy foods including impossible pie, peanut butter kisses, chocolate cheese and homemade ice cream. Everyone attending will receive a resource book of ideas and recipes. There is no cost to the participants.

This program is sponsored by the Michigan Milk Producers Association and the Cooperative Extension Service. Plan to attend one of these free sessions and learn more about dairy foods.

Sherman

Helen Eckstein had Thanksgiving dinner with her daughter, Mrs. Donald Schuster, and husband. Their son, Donald, was also home.

The Fred Verville family and Mary Lou Magalski spent the weekend with the Fred Verville family in Detroit.

Harvey Smith, Walter, Amy and Helen Smith called on Doris Smith at the West Branch hospital Friday evening.

Mrs. Helen Smith returned home Friday after spending a couple days with her daughter and family in Bay City.

Thanksgiving callers of Shirley Cottrell were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cottrell and son; Rhea, Gail, Shawn, Coleen and Brian Petri, and Janice and Angela Perkola.

Bowling . . .

HALE CREEK LANES

Ups & Downs	W	L
Kenyon's Bar	35	17
Jack of all Trades	31	21
Desi's Taco Lounge	29	23
Hale Asphalt	28 1/2	23 1/2
Daeschlein Realty	26 1/2	25 1/2
Mary's Team	24	28
Timber Steak House	24	28
Team No. 7	10	42

Team High Series: Mary's Team, 2457.
Team High Single: Mary's Team, 853.
Individual High Series: Del Dunham, 652; Aggie Habermehl, 632.
Individual High Single: Del Dunham, 252; Aggie Habermehl, 239.

Snowbirds

Kolb-Gawne	W	L
C-B Kids	33	19
Blust-Brandal	27	25
Reid-Hendrickson	26	26
Brandt-Kolb	26	26
Gotts-Wayne	25	27
Slosser-Sestak	23	29
Stevenson-Bernard	20	32

Team High Series: Kolb-Gawne, 2447; Reid-Hendrickson, 2397; C-B Kids, 2395.
Team High Single: Kolb-Gawne, 873-850; Reid-Hendrickson, 839.

Individual High Series: Ray Hendrickson, 694; Don Stevenson, 665; Jim Gawne, 664.

Individual High Single: Pete Jensen, 249; Dale Blust, Don Brandt, 244; Ray Hendrickson, 242.

Breakfast Club

Bowlsby Oil	W	L
Hale Hardware	35	17
Hale Bar	30	22
Long Lake Bar	26	26
Lee Cory Realty	26	26
Jack & Esther	24	28
Wicker Hills	24	28
Eagle Park Grocery	13	39

Team High Series: Jack & Esther, 2951; Bowlsby Oil, 2898; Wicker Hills, 2887.
Team High Single: Jack & Esther, 993; Wicker Hills, 975; Bowlsby Oil, 973.
Individual High Series: Nancy Launstein, 646; Virginia Copas, 629; Nellie Shell, 624.
Individual High Single: Judy Morgan, 254; Nellie Shell, 229; Nancy Launstein, 227.
(See BOWLING, page 6.)

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Friday Mixed

M&M's	W	L
Goof Balls	33	19
Wood Splitters	32	20
Chaperones	30	22
Lucky Whips	27 1/2	24 1/2
Miller Shoes	27	25
Zig-Zags	25 1/2	26 1/2
Doobers	24	28
Gator & The Ades	21	31
Coyle's	10	42

Team High Series: Doobers, 2371; M&M's, 2365; Lucky Whips, 2342.
Team High Single: Lucky Whips, 855; M&M's, 848; Chaperones, 825.
Individual High Series: Bryce MacKersie, 691; Gailya Hunt, 644; Linda Koehn, 641.
Individual High Single: Bryce MacKersie, 264; Gailya Hunt, Linda Koehn, 242; Pam Koepke, Barry Murray, 235.

Braves & Squaws

Mohawk	W	L
Commanche	31	21
Sioux	28 1/2	23 1/2
Cherokee	27	25
Blackfeet	26	26
Mohican	25	27
Apache	25	27
Navajo	22	30
Iroquois	22	30
Chippewa	19 1/2	32 1/2

Team High Series: Mohawk, 2431; Chippewa, 2350; Commanche, 2347.
Team High Single: Mohawk, 848; Apache, 844; Sioux, 822.
Individual High Series: D. Barr, 696; C. Lee, 692; N. Wingle, 646.
Individual High Single: D. Barr, 264; C. Lee, 262; N. Wingle, B. Shover, 243.

Minor

WIOS	W	L
Mitch's Pizzeria	33	19
Kiwanis	27	25
K of C No. 2	27	25
Tawas Furniture	26	26
K of C No. 1	26	26
Arless Woodward	23	29
Methodist Men	23	29
Barnacle Bill's	19	33
Schaaf Lumber	19	33

Team High Series: Mitch's Pizzeria, 2958; Kiwanis, 2853; K of C No. 1, 2839.
Team High Single: Mitch's Pizzeria, 1031; K of C No. 1, 995; Kiwanis, 975.
Individual High Series: Lyle Healey Sr., 638; Don Youngs, 637; Jerry Moeller, 628.
Individual High Single: Don Youngs, 249; Jerry Moeller, 237; Lyle Healey Sr., 231.

Commercial

Whitney Studio	W	L
Tawas Golf & C. Club	32	20
Seymour Carpets	31	21
Wojahn Floor Covering	28	24
Riley-Gamble	26	26
Tawas Bar	25	27
Merschel Hardware	24	28
Hester's IGA	21	31
Jefferson Trucking	21	31
Schmidt's	17	35

Team High Series: Tawas Golf & Country Club, 3030; Jefferson Trucking, 2938; Whitney Studio, 2870.
Team High Single: Tawas Golf & Country Club, 1045; Whitney Studio, 1012; Jefferson Trucking, 1011.
Individual High Series: D. Michalski, 670; J. Koehn, 664; R. Rabideau, T. Nelkie, 648.

Whittemore News

Mr. and Mrs. George Goupil are vacationing in Florida and expect to arrive home in time for Christmas. Mrs. Alice Goupil is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Octave St. James while they are vacationing.

Joseph Price and Robert Curtis returned from Hot Springs, Arkansas.

The Richard Schultz family of Lansing had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Octave St. James then returned to Bay City to spend the day with the Schultz family.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Provoost entertained their family during the Thanksgiving week-end.

Lower Hemlock

Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nelkie and two sons of Flint were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Nelkie.

Members of the Blust family enjoying Thanksgiving dinner at the Joseph Blust home at Tawas Lake were Mr. and Mrs. Michael Blust, Howard Blusts of Bath, the Michael Blust Jr. family of East Tawas, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kujawa of Flint and Mrs. Edwin Bellinger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Richards of Bay City were in the area to attend the funeral of Barbara Berger. While here, they visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Randall Proudfoot.

Reno News

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Samson had the following guests this past week: Their sons, Gerald of Sault Ste. Marie, Richard from Belleville and Dale of Bay City, and families; their grandson, Paul Samson, and friend, Jon Sellers, from Sault Ste. Marie, and Gerald Lyons, Flint.

Tuesday, Louis Wendelburn was transferred from Tawas Hospital to Iosco Medical Care Facility.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Latter and son, Byron, of Grand Blanc and Mrs. Dorothy Smith of Flint were dinner guests on Saturday at the home of Myrtle Waters and Florence Latter.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sturtevant returned Tuesday evening after visiting their daughter and family in Iowa.

Florence Latter and Myrtle Waters accompanied Miss Beatrice Barnum to Sage Lake where they visited Floyd Killely, who is in poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Samson called on her mother, Mrs. Kathryn Pesik, at New Lothrop on Thursday.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Robinson entertained their daughter and family from Bay City.

Frank Rice Died in Florida

A former businessman at Foote State, Frank Rice, died at Ft. Myers Community Hospital, Florida, Thursday, November 30. He had operated Rice's Cabins since 1945.

Born November 18, 1900, in Czechoslovakia, he moved to the United States at the age of seven years. He married the former Mary Swinkey at Monroe in 1922. She predeceased him in 1975.

Services were conducted at Bennett Funeral Home, Oscoda, Monday, December 4, with burial in Pinecrest Cemetery.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Donald (Irene) Schaner of Mason; two sons, Frank Jr. of Allen Park and Jerry of Brooksville, Florida; nine grandchildren; three brothers, and two sisters.

Council on Aging Meets Dec 12

Iosco County Council on Aging will meet Tuesday, December 12, 1:30 p. m., at Grant Township Hall, according to Alice Friebe, secretary.

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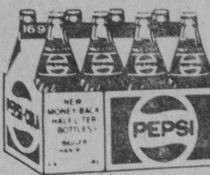
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Individual High Single: Shirley DeShano, 250; Pearl Riess, 221; Lucille Peters, 211.	



DISTRICT CHAMPION—Tawas Bravettes won a thriller over Oscoda Saturday night, 48-46, and was crowned champion of the district tournament at Ogemaw Heights High School. Members kneeling from left include Lori Gracik, Ronda Hall, Coach Pat Casey, Maria Pintowski, Kim McKenzie and Barb Stonehouse. Standing from left are Michelle Tyler (trainer), Joyce Hatcher, Meg Peterson, Laurel Minard, Kari Allen, Cindy Wood, Jan Johnson and Coach Jim Blair.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Scorekeeper Confused at End of Game

48-46 Thriller Won by Tawas Bravettes for District Trophy

Tawas Bravettes added further laurels to their 1978 basketball season by winning the district basketball championship game Saturday night at Ogemaw Heights High School. The Tawas girls were undefeated in the regular conference season and walked off with the NEM trophy two weeks ago.

Saturday night's championship game was a bell ringer from start

to finish and it was not determined officially until 15 minutes or more after the final buzzer that Tawas had turned aside a strong Oscoda Owl team, 48-46.

In the excitement of the game's dramatic finish and with only eight seconds to go, the tournament's official scorer credited a foul shot meshed by Tawas' Cindy Wood to an Oscoda player. Although Tawas had a 48-44 lead, Oscoda's Ellen Jocks meshed a two-pointer just before the buzzer to make the final score, 48-46—on the scoreboard.

but Oscoda again tied the game, 38-38, with less than five minutes to go. Two straight foul shots gave Oscoda a 40-38 lead, but Meg Peterson's shot again tied the game, 40-40. A bucket by Sharon Frysinger put Oscoda out in front, 42-40.

Peterson's field goal again tied the game and Gracik put Tawas in front for good, 44-42, with a field goal. Johnson's field goal gave Tawas a 46-42 bulge and her charity

toss upped the margin to 47-42. An Oscoda field goal with less than 10 seconds remaining cut the margin to 47-44 and Wood contributed her free throw to give Tawas a 48-44 lead on the scoreboard, but not in the scorebook. Jocks meshed her final basket just before the buzzer and the game was over, except for the post-game confusion.

Oscoda had three players in double figures, but Tawas coun-

Peterson	4	1	9
Allen	7	0	14
Johnson	3	3	9
Gracik	2	0	4
Stonehouse	1	0	2
Pintowski	0	0	0
Hall	0	0	0
20 8 48			
OSCODA	FG	FT	TP
Muhr	1	0	2
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BREAKING down the floor against the Oscoda defenders at right is Laurel Minard of the Tawas Area Bravettes. Tawas came from behind in the second half to win the championship game.—Tawas Herald Photo.

While the Bravettes and fans were whooping up their victory at the center of the floor, officials quickly stopped the Tawas girls from removing the nets as a tabulation of the official scorebook showed the game ended in a 47-47 tie. Although the Oscoda girls had departed for the showers, it appeared as though a tie-breaker period might have to be played, although everyone at the Ogemaw Heights gymnasium knew Tawas had won the game.

Because of the din of excited Tawas fans, the tournament manager, official scorer, Tawas coaches and Bravettes retired to the locker room where an inspection of the scorebook revealed that Wood's charity toss had been improperly credited to Oscoda and the correction coincided with the running totals on the scoreboard.

The final celebration and trophy presentation was an anticlimax but the Tawas girls finally had the opportunity to remove the nets—which has become traditional for a district winner.

Oscoda girls had their own designs on the district trophy and came within a whisker of turning aside Tawas Area. Oscoda had sidelined Pinconning, 50-48, and Tawas claimed a 48-42 decision over Standish-Sterling, both games being played Thursday night. The Bravettes defeated host Ogemaw Heights on the opening night.

Both teams were cold in the first half and had turnovers aplenty. Tawas held a 10-8 margin at the end of the first quarter, but Oscoda rattled the Bravettes with a good press defense in the second quarter. Tawas was held to only five points while Oscoda meshed 12 and the Owls jumped to a 20-15 lead at intermission.

With two minutes, 47 seconds remaining in the third quarter, Tawas' Jan Johnson hooped a field goal to put the Bravettes out in front, 27-26, and Laurel Minard meshed a charity toss to give Tawas a two-point margin.

Ellen Jocks connected on a free throw and Julie Muhr canned a field goal to put Oscoda in front, 29-28, followed by another field goal by Jocks and Oscoda held a 31-28 margin.

Kari Allen closed the gap, 30-31, with a key Tawas goal and a costly Oscoda turnover saw Barb Stonehouse getting a field goal to put Tawas in front, 32-31, at the end of the third quarter.

Oscoda tied the game, 32-32, with seven minutes, 29 seconds gone in the final quarter and took the lead on Jocks' field goal. Two Tawas baskets, the last by Lori Gracik, put Tawas in front, 36-34,

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Fire Marshal Cites Holland House Owner Into Court Over 'Deficiencies'

Hearing on a complaint brought by the state fire marshal against Hartford International, Incorporated, owner of the Holland House at East Tawas, and Peoples State Bank, mortgagee of the business, has been rescheduled for December 29.

The show cause hearing was to have been held Wednesday, but additional time was given to the owner to answer the complaint. On petition of Det. Lt. Robert Huddy, Third District fire marshal, a complaint had been filed against the East Tawas business place by

Stephen H. Naegele, county prosecuting attorney. According to the complaint filed in Iosco County Circuit Court, the fire marshal made a determination that the building constituted a fire hazard. Following an inspection October 6, the fire marshal had given

the owner 30 days to advise of his intention to comply with an order to make corrections. No action was taken by the owner.

According to the fire marshal's October 6 inspection, the old building lacked fire escapes, fire alarms, fire extinguishing equipment, was equipped with defective electrical wiring and defective heating equipment.

The fire marshal noted 17 deficiencies in the building and the Michigan Department of Labor's building inspection division noted 63 different electrical deficiencies.

The fire marshal claims that conditions in the building could cause "a fire or explosion that may endanger other property or be dangerous to public peace, security and safety."

The three-story brick building was constructed at the southwest corner of Newman and Bay Streets in the early 1890s and operated as the Holland Hotel for about three-quarters of a century. When constructed, it was considered the show place of Northern Michigan's infant resort business.

Over the years, the old building has undergone numerous remodeling and renovation projects, including exterior changes in the 1940s and major interior structural changes in the mid-1950s. Changing times saw discontinuance of renting rooms as a hotel and the upper two

into circuit court to show cause why deficiencies found during a recent inspection should not be corrected.—Tawas Herald Photo.



THE HOLLAND HOUSE, a landmark at the intersection of Bay and Newman Streets at East Tawas, has been declared a fire hazard by the state fire marshal and the owner has been cited



Controversy Over POWER DAMS

Harnessing of the AuSable River to provide Northeastern Michigan with dependable electrical power commenced with the initial operation of Cooke Dam on February 9, 1912, but it was not until four years later that the Tawas and other Iosco County communities first began to utilize this remarkable development of the twentieth century. Women, who did not gain the electoral franchise in Michigan until the state constitution was revised in November 1918, even had a hand in bringing AuSable River-generated electricity to the Tawas.

Viewed 66 years later, it seems incredible that even four years had to elapse before this area took advantage of electricity in sufficient quantity to power even the smallest motor. High tension lines of East Michigan Power Company, later to be called Commonwealth Power Company and finally Consumers Power Company, helped to industrialize the Saginaw Valley—but Iosco County communities continued to utilize electricity generated by municipal generators or they went without this modern convenience.

This situation resulted from a number of factors, one of the most important being that the power company was hard pressed to complete its service to large downstate industrial users; in addition, there was a prevailing local fear that large corporations were taking over control of the country.

The belief that sinister monopolistic corporations and trusts were gaining a stranglehold on the nation was a national political issue and had resulted in enforcement of the Sherman Antitrust Act of 1890. Pres. Theodore Roosevelt, in 1902, was the first to invoke this act against a railroad trust opening a new "progressive era" in the country.

Congressional debate over railroad rebates to such corporations as Standard Oil Company drew national attention and were closely watched by Iosco County residents. Some of the arguments used nationally were applied locally to the power company when it sought franchises from local townships and municipalities to construct tower lines from AuSable hydroelectric dams to reach Bay City.

The first mention of local discontent over establishment of hydroelectric dams on the AuSable River is noted in the February 5, 1909, issue of The Tawas Herald. While the editor commented that vast possibilities were in prospect for all the counties tributary to the stream "and the project ought to be fostered and not hindered by the state," the newspaper took note of some local opposition.

"From certain quarters there comes a criticism regarding the action of the several local boards of supervisors for giving the right to dam the stream. It is claimed the county has given away millions of dollars worth of valuable rights that ought to be left for the people and that the state should develop the water power."

The editor pointed out, however, that "the land through which the



MANY IOSCO COUNTY residents of the early 1900s resented the fact that the beautiful AuSable River was being dammed for electrical generation. Millions of feet of white pine logs had been rolled down the steep banks and into the narrow stream below, but that era was now

history and the mighty river was to become a major source of hydroelectric power for Northeastern Michigan but the stream was irrevocably changed in the process. Several years were to pass after construction of Cooke Dam in 1912 before Iosco County utilized the power.



CONSTRUCTION OF THE DAMS provided employment for hundreds of men and the structures added an immense valuation to Iosco

County. The picture above shows preliminary work at the site of Five Channels Dam.

AuSable runs is of little value save for flowage purposes; there are no valuable farming lands along the river, nothing but a dreary stretch of waste jack pine plains, much of which will never be of value for anything. (This was many years before the recreational value of the land was recognized.)

"The talk of the county giving away anything is regarded as absurd, as nothing is being given away, for the river is valueless without the expenditure of an immense amount of money. It is contended that if the proposition is carried through, it will mean a revival of business along the eastern shore of Michigan such as it has never seen," maintained the editor.

In January 1909, the Sherman Township Board refused to grant a franchise to East Michigan

Power Company which would have permitted the firm to use highways for construction of its power line.

In defense of Sherman Township's action, E. V. Esmond of Plainfield Township stated in a letter to the Herald that "the right to lay rails or pipes and to string wires in the streets of any city or in the highways of a township is decidedly more valuable in dollars to private corporations than the services of that corporation can possibly be to the people. After the service is established, the people are called up to pay for it, at a rate that will not only support the business, but pay a good dividend to the stockholders," argued Esmond.

"In my opinion, it is all right for this company to furnish electricity to the Cities of Saginaw, Bay City and Alpena, but why should the people of Iosco County place them-

selves in a position where they would have to pay tribute to this company if they desire to use electricity, when nature has furnished a much better and cheaper means of procuring what electricity they may need."

Esmond suggested that individual townships such as Wilber should make arrangements to establish a public power generating plant on Silver Creek through the purchase of Rodman's Dam. He also believed that Plainfield Township could harness Smith Creek, while Reno, Grant and Sherman Townships could make the East Branch of the AuSable River furnish light and power. "The inhabitants of this county could leave an inheritance to their children that they would be proud of—it is a simple question of who will receive the profits, the stockholders of the company or yourselves."

Despite this initial opposition to development of hydroelectric dams on the AuSable River, East Michigan Power Company promoted by the Louds of AuSable were to receive franchises later from Sherman and other townships to construct high tension lines for transmission of power to the Saginaw Valley.

Here in the Tawas, however, no provision was made to utilize power generated by the AuSable River dams and the two communities chose to continue to generate their own electricity.

Electricity first came to Tawas City in 1905 when the city council entered into a contract with the Thorne Construction Company of Bay City and the Tawas Manufacturing Company for the installation of a lighting plant for commercial and street lighting purposes. Cost of the plant was \$3,493.50 and was

(See POWER, page 6.)



CONSTRUCTION of high tension power lines through Iosco County to reach the Saginaw Valley was opposed by numerous residents and Sherman Township rejected the power company's

first proposed franchise to utilize township roads for location of towers. Officials later relented and the work proceeded.

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Editorial—

Surcharge Would be Wormwood to Those Persons Conserving Energy

A recent newspaper-television report had disturbing news for home owners attempting to save energy—and money—through the use of alternative heating methods. According to one source, major utilities of an adjoining state are seeking a rate adjustment on electric and natural gas bills for those homes utilizing wood or solar energy in conjunction with present heating equipment.

The utilities seek to add a surcharge to the bills of those home owners to make up the loss of revenue being experienced because gas and electrical power consumption has been reduced.

It takes a lot of gall to attempt something like this, but the monopolistic utilities have plenty of it, judging from their past showings at Michigan Public Service Commission rate increase hearings.

(This newspaper checked with both the Michigan Public Service Commission and state attorney general's office Thursday and learned that no utilities have filed a similar rate increase request in this state for a surcharge on alternative heating methods. Rumors to that effect have been heard locally, but officials at Lansing emphasized that they had no word of any such movement.)

The need for conserving natural gas and electrical sources of energy has been stressed by the federal government for several years and those pleas have not gone unnoticed

by many consumers, who have been hard hit by questionable heating rate increases granted by the state public service commission.

In response to ever inflating heating costs, many home owners have installed wood burning stoves and furnaces as a means of conserving energy. During the early winter months, some home owners rely entirely on fireplaces or wood stoves for home heating in order to save money to pay those horrendous bills to come later in the winter. Unless one is able to cut his own wood supply, the saving is negligible.

According to the utilities, those persons not relying entirely on wood burning equipment or other alternative energy sources should be penalized.

All consumers have been hard hit by rate increases granted to utilities. In recent years, the practice has been for the consumer—not the utility company stockholder—to pick up the tab for losses resulting from mismanagement of those utilities.

This latest move is just one more attempt to saddle the public with an unjustified rate increase and it should be just so much wormwood for those persons who have sweated over their chain saws and axes for months in order to obtain a supply of fuel for the winter. The request for a surcharge is just not reasonable!

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After arriving in Texas, I called home but call after call went unanswered. I was dumbfounded when my family finally called me in the early morning indicating that life-and-death surgery on my son was in progress. My rejoicing had been short-lived.

After a night of agony and prayer, I was again reassured by the news that the operation was a success. I decided to stay in Texas and keep my commitment to the lecturership. But, each day was a real struggle. Through it all, the meaning of the Scripture text provided assurance and its meaning undiminished every effort. Never before had I so vividly experienced the presence and power of God guiding me through each day.

PRAYER

God of the living, who provides daily sustenance along our pathway, be forever near. Enter into our every thought, word and deed, and provide strength for each day. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
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CHRISTMAS IN CHURCH

Tawas United Methodist Church
Church of Tawas United Methodist Church will present "The Nativity" at the Christmas cantata Sunday, December 10, 7:00 p. m. It is under the direction of Dianne Knight and will feature 30 voices. Organist is Kaye Phelps, assisted by Patricia Hoppe.

A Christmas tea is to be held by United Methodist Women Tuesday, December 12, 8:00 p. m. Reservations may be made before December 8 by calling the church office, 362-4288, or Lois Trafelet, 362-2989.

Sunday, December 17, 10:30 a. m., the church school Christmas program will be presented.

Junior choir will be featured in the 10:30 a. m. service Sunday, December 24, with presentation of "The Procession," followed at 7 o'clock in the evening by a candlelight service with a message by the Rev. Kenneth Tousley.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
Members of St. Joseph's Catholic Church will join members of Immaculate Heart of Mary at 7:30 p. m. December 21 for communal penance. Confessions will be heard by the Rev. Fr. Francis Murphy Christmas Eve from 6:00-6:45 o'clock. Children's choir will present a program of caroling beginning at 6:30 p. m. and during the 7 o'clock Mass. During the midnight Mass, members of the youth choir will participate.

Regular Mass will be held Christmas morning at 8 and 11 o'clock.

Grace Lutheran Church
Midweek Advent vespers will be prayed Wednesday evenings, December 6, 13, 20, 7:30 o'clock, at Grace Lutheran Church, East Tawas, according to the Rev. William Graf. A coffee and fellowship hour will follow each service.

The liturgical choir will lead worship Sunday, December 10, during the 10:30 a. m. service and at all worship services during Advent season. Sunday school is slated for 9:15 a. m.

Sunday, December 17, children of the church school and of confirmation age will conduct the service of the Word with readings and songs prepared during lessons. Coffee and fellowship will follow the 10:30 a. m. service.

The fourth Sunday in Advent, December 24, Liturgy of the Word will be heard at the 10:30 a. m. service following 9:15 Sunday school. A candlelight service with Holy Communion is slated at 10:30 that evening. Christmas Day, the Nativity of the Lord will be celebrated at 10:30 a. m. and the Holy Eucharist.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church
Christmas Eve services at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church are slated for 7 o'clock and include a pageant by the children, according to the Rev. Fr. Lawrence Boks. Christmas Day, regular Masses will be celebrated at 8:00 and 11:00 a. m.

Hemlock Road Baptist Church
Advent services scheduled at Hemlock Road Baptist Church will begin with an address Sunday evening, December 17, 7 o'clock, by a missionary appointee to the land of Bangladesh to remind members that Jesus was born, lived and died.

Sunday morning, December 24, the Rev. William Wright will bring a special Christmas message with the annual Sunday school program in the evening at 7 o'clock. The title of the program to be presented is "None Other Name" by Gladys Doonan.

The watch night service is slated for Sunday evening, December 31, and will continue from 8:30 until midnight. Planned are testimonies, singing, a message and a time of Christian fellowship.

Zion Lutheran Church
The Rev. Bernhard Kube of Zion Lutheran Church, Tawas City, announces the following schedule of events for the Advent season:

Vespers are to be held Wednesday, December 6, 13 and 20, 7:30 p. m., with Holy Communion celebrated at the December 13 service.

A family carol and hymn service is slated for Christmas Eve, December 24, 7:30 o'clock followed by a Holy Communion celebration at the 10:00 a. m. Christmas service.

At 7:30 o'clock New Year's Eve, Holy Communion will again be served.

been contacted. I was overcharged about \$100 on car insurance until I made a phone call to the office.
Winnie Hatton.

Wilber News

Steven Hyzer returned to Grand Rapids Sunday after spending the week-end with Mrs. Cleona Hyzer. Mr. and Mrs. George Hyzer visited them Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth O'Brien went to Saginaw Monday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Graham. Mrs. Frieda Cholger returned home after visiting the Wilbert Gugels and accompanying them on a trip to Atlanta, Georgia, to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Newberry and John and the John Newberrys were supper guests Saturday at the Robert Lynch home in Oscoda.

Sunday, Herbert Phelps visited Mrs. Anna Webster at Iosco Medical Care Facility.

Mrs. Donald Aida and Mrs. Linda Aida made a trip to Bay City Wednesday.

Karen Cholger, student at a business college in Lansing, spent the week-end at her parental home.

Wednesday, Mrs. Bertram Harris and Mrs. Lula Aida visited Mrs. Pearl Simmons and Mrs. Elizabeth Simmons at Iosco Medical Care Facility.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brown spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Clare Herriman.

New Solon to Address GOP Women

Representative-Elect Thomas Aley of West Branch will address members and guests of Iosco County Women's Republican Club at the regular noon luncheon meeting to be held Tuesday, December 12, at Lakewood Shores Country Club, Oscoda.

Reservations may be made by calling Janet Ernst, 362-5616. The public is invited to attend.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:
Senior citizens are encouraged to keep their own homes, be tax paying citizens and not be a drag on the community. For the last few years, I have been trying to do just that with little help from local businesses.

A painter, after naming a price and getting started, doubled the price which I had to pay. My driveway needed gravel, it was looked over and a promise made to be back to do the work. It still needs gravel. A carpenter promised to do some work so I could have a window air conditioner, he never returned. A state utility company named (on my bill) a local company to insulate my attic. His worker collected my check, but when the boss examined the work, he said it was not finished—it was never finished. I have asked a roofing company for an estimate on a new roof, need I say I have not

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IN THE SERVICE—

Returns from Western Pacific

Roger W. Horak, navy aviation electronics technician third class, son of Clarence F. Horak, National City, recently returned from an extended deployment in the Western Pacific.

He is assigned to Tactical Electronics Warfare Squadron 134 (VAQ-134), based at Whidby Island Naval Air Station, Oak Harbor, Washington. While deployed, his squadron was embarked aboard the aircraft carrier, USS Enterprise, and operated as a unit of the United States Seventh Fleet.

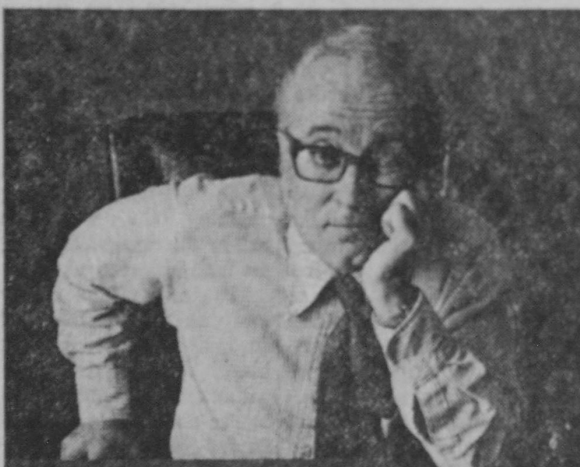
During the seven-month cruise, VAQ-134 participated in various training exercises with other Seventh Fleet units and those of allied nations. Port visits were made in Australia, the Republic of the Philippines, Hong Kong and Singapore. VAQ-134 flies the EA-6B "Prowler," an all-weather electronic countermeasures aircraft. Additionally, they conduct electronic warfare (jamming) operations. Horak joined the navy in September 1976.

Women's Club Viewed Slides

Whitmore Women's Club viewed slides of Germany at the regular meeting Wednesday, November 29, shown by Gail Tappin, who recently toured part of the country with a musical group. She displayed a scrapbook of mementos from the trip and during a social hour after the meeting, answered questions about the country.

The last session of the year will be a pot-luck Christmas party at noon Wednesday, December 13. Members are reminded to bring an exchange gift, mittens for the children and canned goods for the Christmas baskets.

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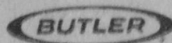
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Arts Council Sets Opening at Graystone

Tawas Bay Arts Council will formally open its new home at the Graystone building, located on US-23 at the river bridge in Tawas City, with its third annual Christmas tea and bazaar Saturday, December 9, from 10:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m.

Co-chairmen for the affair are Helen Hertzler and Paula Peterson. An invitation is extended to the public to stop in to view the gallery and take advantage of the arts and crafts, baked goods and decorations available.

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John Bouchard Named DAR Good Citizen

John Bouchard, a senior at Tawas Area High School, has been selected as the School's 1978-79 good citizen of the year in conjunction with a program conducted by the National Society of the Daughters of American Revolution, River Aux Sables Chapter.

Since 1934, the NSDAR has conducted a good citizens contest in schools of each state to select one student in the senior class who demonstrated the best qualities of a good citizen.

Qualities of a good citizen nominee are dependability, service, leadership and patriotism. Representatives of each school are eligible to enter state competition in January and top entries will be guests of the Michigan DAR at its state awards day meeting. The state winner receives the state good citizen pin, plus a \$100 bond from the national society and \$50 from the state society. The second place winner receives a \$75 bond and 10 runners-up receive \$25 bonds.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bouchard of Tawas Township, John is a member of the National Honor Society, has participated in forensics and was a county winner in the soil conservation art contest sponsored by 4-H Clubs.

He has won two letters in football and was an outstanding half-back on the Tawas Area Braves football squad which was conference co-champion during the past season. He also participates in baseball.

John plans to attend Michigan State University to study toward a degree in electrical engineering.

Thomas Pinkowski, guidance counselor, said that two other candidates nominated for this school's good citizen award were Donn Rakestraw and Julie Konenske.

TA Wrestlers Opened Season Tuesday Night

Tawas Braves' wrestling teams were scheduled to open their 1978-79 season here last night (Tuesday) by playing host to the Oscoda Owls.

Heading up the squad is Jerry Lauwers, a senior in the 191-pound class who was third in the district last season, was undefeated in conference competition and is expected to be a state qualifier this season.

Others on the 12-member squad include Chris Toska, junior, 178-pound class; Joe Paitl, junior, 165-pound class; Mike Larsen, sophomore, 155-pound class; Dave Healey, sophomore, 145-pound class; either Andre LaPalme or Chuck Byrd, sophomores, 138-pound class; Leo Krass, senior, 132-pound class; Keith McCready, junior, 126-pound class; Steve Leslie, sophomore, 119-pound class; Terry Brown, sophomore, 112-pound class, and Mike Clark, junior, 98-pound class.

Tawas is in its fourth year of wrestling competition and Coach McTaggart has been working with most of the above members for the past three years. At the conference meet last season, Tawas beat the Whittemore-Prescott Area Cardinals, but lost to Pinconning and Ogemaw Heights. Pinconning was the conference champion.

Cards Prepare for NEM Opener

Coach Larry Burns' Whittemore-Prescott Cardinals are scheduled to open the Northeastern Michigan Conference season December 15 by playing host to the Tawas Braves. The Cards opened the season with three nonconference games November 28, December 1 and December 5.

Five seniors, six juniors and a sophomore comprise the Cardinal varsity roster.

Seniors include Dave Fisher, guard; David Elymer, Allan Marckel and Tim Fritz, centers; Bill Rase, forward.

Juniors include Todd Horn, guard; Dave Seivers, Carl Scharfner and Herb Hall, forward; Bill White, center.

The lone sophomore on the squad is Jim Graham.



THREE MEMBERS of Hale Area High School's girls basketball team received recognition in the North Star League's all-conference selections last week. Brenda Morawa, left, a junior, was picked as the most valuable player in the conference, while Jill Armstead, center, was also named to the all-conference squad, Val Gibbs at right received honorable mention.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Honor Roll Announced by TA School

Students at Tawas Area High School named to the all A honor roll during the last marking period include John Caplis, Kim Kalinowski, Phil Petrach, ninth grade; Lynn Pawloski, 10th grade; Keith McCready, 11th grade; Sue Alexander, Joan Hughes, Diana Klenow, James Pawloski, Peggy Schultz, Linda Werth, JoAnn Youngs, 12th grade.

The following students were named to the B honor roll:

Ninth grade: James Alexander, Susan Anschuetz, Tami Bauer, Cheryl Becker, Rene Bensinger, Lisa Bielby, Randy Biggs, Kathryn Bolen, Kellie Brockenbrough, Kim Brown, Tonya Cable, Diane Chamberlin, Kimberly Chaney, Bill Dalbec, Jackie DeRosia, Wendy Earl, James Huck, Mark Jurczyk, Nancy Kohn, Lisa Konenske, Mary Martin, Keri Marx, Ken McCready, Dianne Miscisin, Kelly Moffatt, James Narey, Linda Nelkie, Wendy Ordiway, Nikki Painter, Toni Penman, Maureen Phillips, Stephanie Royster, Todd Torrey, Rebecca Wojahn.

Tenth grade: Tina Allen, Jill Barry, Sue Bischoff, Bruce Bolen, Mark Calabrese, Kelli Carlisle, Shelly Gilskey, Judith Gracik, Danette Halle, Lee Anna Kehoe, Terry Nelkie, Tamora Nickell, Gerald Nivison, John O'Neil, Linda Phillips, Kenneth Rapp, Gina Salamony, Jill Sias, Roseanna Small, Lisa Strelecki.

Eleventh grade: Kenneth Branham, Sally Burtzloff, David Campbell, Michael Clark, Anne Cotter, Diane Erickson, Donald Finley, James Gracik, Theresa Gracik, Ann Kasichke, Sally Kasichke, Deborah Knight, Beth Lockwood, Kraig Moffatt, Dan Penn, Maria Pinkowski, Sandra Salamony, Julie Snoblen, Gary Stephan, Susan Ullman, Elizabeth Williams, Kimberly Wilson.

Twelfth grade: Amy Barnes, Lindsey Bielby, John Bouchard, Shelly Brown, David Butler, Bryan Chaney, James Dubovsky, Mary Galavage, Brenda Gotcher, Sandra Goupil, Lori Grabow, Dawn Hester, Stanley Humphrey, JoEllen Johnson, Stephen Kennedy, William

King, Janice Kitchen, Patti Klenow, Dennis Libka, Brian Lutz, Kathleen Machleit, Richard Metcalf, Julie Nivison, Pamela Novik, Margaret Peterson, Robert Petrach, Donn Rakestraw, Lynette Rapp, David Rich, Roberta Richter, Jane Schriber, Beverly Staudacher, Tammy Thomas, Scott Tousey, Suzanne Watts, Amy Wood.



DECEMBER 6-12
Wednesday, December 6—
Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, noon sack lunch, East Tawas Community Building.

Tawas Area Rotary Club regular meeting, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's China House.

Iosco Sportsmen's Club, 7:30 p. m. clubhouse in Baldwin Township. All interested persons welcome.

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

Thursday, December 7—
Tawas City Businessmen's Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Midway Restaurant.

Exceptional Friends of Iosco County, 7:30 p. m., American Legion Hall, Tawas City.

Sweet Adelines, 7:30 p. m., Tawas Area High School.

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

Monday, December 11—
East Tawas Garden Club, home of Kay Kendall, gardening gift exchange.

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 5678, 8:00 p. m., VFW Hall.

Tawas Area Board of Education, 8:00 p. m., high school.

Tuesday, December 12—
Tawas Kiwanis Club, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's China House.

Tawas Area Lions Club, 6:30 p. m., Holland House.

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

Christmas concert, grades one-four, 7:30 p. m. Tawas City Elementary Gymnasium.

Tawas United Methodist Women, Christmas tea, 8:00 p. m., fellowship hall.

Royal Arch Masons, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple, Tawas City.

Royal Arch Widows, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple, Tawas City.

Hale Lodge No. 518, Free and Accepted Masons, 8:00 p. m., Hale Masonic Temple.

DECEMBER 13-19
Wednesday, December 13—
Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, 7:00 a. m., chamber building.

Tawas Area Rotary Club, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's China House.

Tawas Area Senior Citizens, noon catered dinner, reservations necessary, Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall.

Christmas concert, East Tawas grades one-four, 7:30 p. m., Tawas Area High School.

Nanciames of Tawas Elks Lodge No. 2525, 7:30 p. m., 124½ Newman Street, East Tawas.

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

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

Thursday, December 14—
Tawas City Businessmen's Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Midway Restaurant, Tawas City.

St. Joseph's Council of Catholic Women, 6:30 p. m. pot-luck, social center.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Council of Women, 6:00 p. m. pot-luck.

Iosco Historical Society, 7:30 p. m., museum, East Tawas.

Sweet Adelines, 7:30 p. m., Tawas Area High School.

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

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

Saturday, December 16—
Tawas Area High School Bands' Christmas concert, 7:30 p. m., gymnasium.

Monday, December 18—
Tawas City Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.

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

Tuesday, December 19—
Tawas Kiwanis Club, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's China House.

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

Iosco Firefighters Association, 7:00 p. m.

Tawas City Chapter No. 303, Order of the Eastern Star, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple.

Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525, 8:00 p. m., clubrooms, East Tawas.

DECEMBER 20-26
Wednesday, December 20—
Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, 5:30 p. m. dinner, Bear Track Inn, reservations necessary.

Tawas Area Rotary Club regular meeting, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's China House.

Christmas concert, grades five-six, 7:30 p. m., Tawas City Elementary Gymnasium.

Ladies Literary Club, Christmas party, 8:00 p. m., home of Mrs. Herman Moehring.

Twentieth Century Club, noon Christmas pot-luck, home of Mrs. George Stalker.

Tawas Braves Booster Club, 8:00 p. m., Tawas Area High School.

Glen Staley Post No. 422, American Legion and Auxiliary, 7:00 p. m. pot-luck, 8:00 p. m. meetings.

Thursday, December 21—
Tawas City Businessmen's Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Midway Restaurant, Tawas City.

DECEMBER 27—JANUARY 2
Wednesday, December 27—
Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, 7:00 a. m., chamber building.

Tawas Area Rotary Club regular meeting, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's China House.

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

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

Iosco County Citizens for Life (non-denominational), 8:00 p. m., Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall. Public invited.

Thursday, December 28—
Tawas City Businessmen's Association, noon luncheon, Midway Restaurant.

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

Monday, January 1—
Happy New Year!

Tuesday, January 2—
Tawas Kiwanis Club, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's China House.

Tawas City Garden Club, 1:30 p. m., home of Hattie Eyril.

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

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

Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525, 8:00 p. m., 124½ Newman Street, East Tawas.

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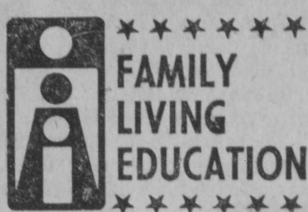
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By SUSAN LAMBRECHT
County Extension Director

GIVING YOURSELF AT CHRISTMAS

"A little of us comes wrapped in each Christmas package we give." That was the title of a magazine article I came across in my Christmas box. The box, resurrected from a dark closet each year around Thanksgiving, contains holiday ornaments, treasured Christmas cards, magazine and newspaper articles about Christmas, ribbons and wrappings—all the raw materials necessary to get holiday spirit in high gear. This particular article, and several others in the same vein, suggested some alternatives to the expensive or elaborate purchased gift. Sometimes, we need to be reminded what makes a gift special. The best gifts are ones which reinforce valued connections between ourselves and others. They are visible signs of invisible bonds.

Special gifts need not be expensive. The most significant expenditures are those of time and thought, rather than money. In the era of rapid change, gifts can reinforce the bonds of tradition. Gifts that represent family history or tradition can help build bridges between generations. For families with no traditions, holiday gift giving offers an opportunity to start them. For example, one grandmother gives each grandchild a special Christmas ornament each year. The ornaments are used on the family trees and will eventually become the cherished beginning of each child's own Christmas box.

It is easy to talk in generalities about giving of ourselves but it may be hard to come up with specific ideas for family members and friends. Here are some suggestions to start creative thinking. Remember, though, to focus thinking on the recipient, considering personality, aspirations, habits, preferences and idiosyncrasies. A list of possibilities include an automobile tune-up; three terrific, no-fail jokes; a recorded cassette of exercise instructions; a gift given in their name or spirit to another; a special cartoon or greeting card, framed for hanging; lessons on how to do something you do well—baking pies, pruning trees or whatever; pasting photos in an album; a list of "10 Reasons why I like (the recipient)"; a family tree; the recipient's favorite saying or quote immortalized on a T-shirt or tote bag; the promise to stop smoking (or whatever your worst habit is), a gift appropriate only if promise is kept; a set of family-oriented trivia questions; a gourmet or diet meal, prepared and frozen, for the recipient's freezer.

To quote from the article by Janice Harayda that started me thinking about all of this, "Finding exactly the right gift for a beloved friend is a high, matched by few others (except, maybe, for receiving exactly the right gift from a beloved friend). The reason is simple: Gifts are, above all, symbolic of who we are; they are emissaries of the spirit."

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Holland House

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floors were used for a brief period of time for a computer business. Name of the building was changed to the Holland House by Dean Parrish, president of Hartford International, Incorporated, when the property was purchased in the early 1970s. Under the new ownership, exterior and interior changes have been extensive and have included the addition of a number of shops fronting on Bay and Newman Streets, through enclosing of areas formerly used for piazzas or porches in the original structure, along with utilization of the basement for businesses.

While a restaurant and bar still occupy the main portion of the first floor, the upper two floors have been converted into apartments.

Real Estate Transfers

Clifford L. Johnson and wife to Jack H. Perry, et al, Lot 27 of Block 6 of Ottawas Beach.

Don E. Rower and wife to John Heuss, Lots 4, 5, 6 and 7 of Block 1 of Woodside Acres Subdivision.

J. T. Robinson and wife to Gerald W. Johnson and wife, Lot 16 and Part of Lot 17 of River Road Estates No. 1.

Genevieve Kennedy to John Crossdale, Lot 25 of Supervisors Plat of VanEtan Lakeside Subdivision.

Marathon Oil Company to Emro Land Company, Lots 5, 6 and 7 of Second Addition to The Elms of Tawas City.

James C. Robertson Jr. and wife to Richard W. Kalinoski and wife, Lot 78 of North Park Acres Subdivision.

vision. Helen E. Wendt to Clare E. Earl and wife, Part of Outlot 1 of Trustee's Addition to the Village (now City) of East Tawas.

Clare E. Earl and wife to John C. Verlac and wife, Part of Outlot 1 of Trustee's Addition to the Village (now City) of East Tawas.

William J. Wieden and wife to Michael E. Larkin, Lots 3, 4 and 5 of Huron Shores Subdivision and Lot 2, Block B of First Addition to Huron Shores Subdivision.

Ben Karbowski and wife to Clarence R. Castle and wife, Part of Lot 60 of Luce & McKay's Indian Waters Subdivision.

Leon King to Leon King, et al, Lot 22 of Cedar Haven Subdivision.

Earl L. Stone and wife to Christopher Stone, Part of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 20, T21N, R5E.

Jerry D. Sugerman and wife to Golden Campbell and wife, Lot 273 of Lakewood Shores No. 3.

Clarence E. Nickell and wife to Calvin E. Nickell and wife, Part of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 14, T21N, R5E.

Farmers and Merchants State Bank to Doss T. Netherton and wife, Part of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 5, T23N, R7E.

Ruth E. Koerber, et al, to Edward F. Bissonnette and wife, et al, Part of the S 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 12, T23N, R5E.

V-M Construction and Realty to Rodarte Builders, Incorporated, Lot 13 of North Park Acres Subdivision.

Rodarte Builders, Incorporated, to James W. Sullivan and wife, Lot 13 of North Park Acres Subdivision.

Raymond T. Beneteau and wife to Gerald T. Beneteau, Part of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 16, T24N, R8E.

The Grand Lodge of Masons to Fredrick C. Fogelberg, Lot 18 of Huron Shore Subdivision.

Doris M. Sermon to David C. Thunberg and wife, the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 30, T23N, R7E.

Mildred A. Cooper to Wayne E. Vaughan and wife, Lots 5 and 6, Block 64 of the Map of Trustee's Addition to the Village of East Tawas.

Thomas B. Huck and wife to Richard A. Burris and wife, Part of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 15, T22N, R7E.

John Wilhelm and wife to Ronald Adams and wife, et al, Lot 30, Block B of Sylvan Shores Subdivision.

Lakewood Resort Developers, Incorporated, to Robert W. Haslett and wife, Lot 458 of Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club No. 4.

Lakewood Resort Developers, Incorporated, to Erie Henderson Jr. and wife, Lot 995 of Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club No. 8.

Lakewood Resort Developers, Incorporated, to Daniel J. Mayville and wife, Lot 12 of Lakewood West.

Lakewood Resort Developers, Incorporated, to Daniel J. Mayville and wife, Lot 13 of Lakewood West.

Lakewood Resort Developers, Incorporated, to John R. Miller and wife, Lot 53 of Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club.

Lakewood Resort Developers, Incorporated, to Allen L. Moose and wife, Lot 61 of Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club.

A. Newell Trask and wife to Patrick R. Winter, et al, Undivided 1/2 Interest in Part of Lot 1 of Wallace Clark's Bay Shores No. 1.

Margaret M. Stilson to Patrick R. Winter, et al, Undivided 1/4 Interest in Part of Lot 1 of Wallace Clark's Bay Shores No. 1.

Lawrence James Simmons Estate by Executrix to Matthew F. Pelts and wife, Outlot A of Supervisor Plat of Wallace Clark's Bay Shores and Part of Lot 1 and Lot 16 of Wallace Clark's Bay Shores No. 1.

Louis G. Pittman and wife to Dale F. Dankert and wife, Lot 141 of Assessor's Plat of Evergreen Glades Subdivision No. 4.

Terry Winchell to Richard F. Klatt and wife, Lot 10 of The

Hacienda. The American Legion Post No. 274 to Oscoda United Methodist Church, Lot 8, Block 18 of the Map of the Village of Oscoda.

Francis E. Ulman and wife to Casimir M. Cybula and wife, Lot 9 and Part of Lot 10 of the Plan of Newman's Addition to the Village of East Tawas.

Richard E. McKnight and wife to

Donald C. Conway and wife, Part of Lot 5, Block 1 of the Map of the Village of Oscoda.

Charles S. Killingbeck and wife to Daniel J. Mumaugh and wife, Lot 85 of Lakewood South No. 2.

James G. Campbell and wife to Ronald L. Warner and wife, Part of Lots 11 and 12, Block 45 of the Plan of the Village (now City) of East Tawas.

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COMING EVENTS

BINGO SUNDAY

Knights of Columbus Hall 821 Newman St. East Tawas EARLY BIRD at 6:30 P. M. 17-tfb

AFTERNOON BINGO EVERY THURSDAY

12:30 P. M. AMERICAN LEGION POST, 189 North Street Tawas City 42-tfb

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ALCONA MEDICAL CLINIC, LINCOLN, MICHIGAN—Is accepting applications for a medical assistant with some X-ray skills. Duties will include taking simple X-rays, assisting the physician and the physician's assistant with patient flow and performing specific procedures and technical skills in patient care. Send resume to: Alcona Medical Clinic, 177 North Barlow, Lincoln, MI 48742 by December 15, 1978. 48-2b

PUBLIC NOTICE

COMMISSION ORDER

(Under authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, as amended)

PROHIBITING SPEARING - MUSKELLUNGE LAKES

The Natural Resources Commission, at its July 14, 1978, meeting, under the authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, as amended, ordered that all spearing be prohibited throughout 1979 on the following waters except Chicago Lake and the Center Chain of Lakes where spearing is prohibited during January and February only.

Table with 2 columns: Lake, County. Lists lakes like Kingston, Dumont, Osterhout, Clear, Crooked, Upper and Lower Thornapple, Cornwall Impoundment, Caribou, Budd, Sawyer, Bass, Long, Lansing, Long, Chicago, Emily, Iron, Robinson, Runkle, Stanley, Swan, Center Chain of Lakes, Campeau, Dean, Neppesing, Whitmore, Woodland, Brevort, Bass, West Twin, Brooks, Heron, Tispico, Big Bear, Clear, Long, Murphy, Bankson, Three Legged, Round and their respective counties: Alger, Allegan, Barry, Barry, Cheboygan, Chippewa, Clare, Dickinson, Gogebic, Grand Traverse, Ingham, Iosco, Iron, Iron, Iron, Iron, Iron, Jackson.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 49-3b

PUBLIC NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made on the part of the mortgagors in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage given by: TERRY L. GOOD and JANET E. GOOD, husband and wife, to First Savings and Loan Association of Saginaw, Michigan, a Michigan corporation, bearing date the 9th day of April, 1976 as recorded April 12, 1976 in Liber 246, page 537, Iosco County Records.

Because of said default, said Association, by virtue of the option given it in said mortgage, has heretofore, and does now, declare the entire principal sum secured to be paid by said mortgage to be due and payable, and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid thereon the aggregate sum of: Eleven Thousand Five Hundred Thirty Eight and 60/100 (\$11,538.60) Dollars and as of the date of sale, the sum of not less than Eleven Thousand Six Hundred Forty One and 23/100 (\$11,641.23) Dollars, plus costs of sale and authorized disbursements, and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law to recover said sum, the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, which has become operative by reason of said default and the statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises described therein sold at public auction to the highest bidder, by the Sheriff of said County, on the 15th day of December, 1978, at two o'clock in the afternoon at the front door of the Court House in the City of Tawas City and County of Iosco, Michigan; said Court House being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said County, which premises are situate and being in the Township of Plainfield, County of Iosco, State of Michigan, and described as follows:

Lot 7 of PLAT OF JOE'S ACRES The period of redemption is six months. Dated: October 27, 1978

FIRST SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION OF SAGINAW, MICHIGAN, a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco JOSEPH L. BISSONNETTE and BETTY E. BISSONNETTE, his wife, Plaintiffs, vs. TERRY L. GOOD and JANET E. GOOD, his wife, and JACK E. LAURIA and LUCILLE E. LAURIA, his wife, Defendants.

File No. 78-63028 CH John D. Hamilton (P 28067) Attorney for Plaintiffs Brent R. Babcock (P 23533) Attorney for Defendants Jack E. Lauria and Lucille E. Lauria

NOTICE OF SALE In pursuance and by virtue of a

LEGAL NOTICE

decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco, State of Michigan, made on November 13, 1978 and entered on November 16, 1978 for a certain cause therein pending, wherein Joseph L. Bissonnette and Betty E. Bissonnette, his wife, were Plaintiffs and Terry L. Good and Janet E. Good, his wife, and Jack E. Lauria and Lucille E. Lauria, his wife, were Defendants. Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public sale, to the highest bidder, at the Iosco County Court House on the 10th day of January, 1979, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, the following described property, viz:

Lot Numbered Six (6) of JOE'S ACRES, a recorded plat of Iosco County, Michigan. D. KEITH PAPAS Iosco County Clerk 48-6b

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Iosco In the Matter of Ethel Joan Stevens

TAKE NOTICE: On the 19th day of December, 1978, at 1:30 P. M., in the Probate Courtroom, Iosco County, Michigan, before the Hon. William H. McCready, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held concerning the Petition of Ethel Joan Stevens to change her name to Joan Ethel Stevens. Dated: November 17, 1978

ETHEL JOAN STEVENS Petitioner 233 Hemlock Street Tawas City, Michigan Attorney for Petitioner: Robert J. Eppert 437 Lake Street Tawas City, Mich. 48763 Phone 362-6196 47-3b

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO PLAINFIELD TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS The Plainfield Township Board will meet December 12 (Tuesday) at 8 P. M. instead of December 13, 1978 (Our regular Board Meeting). BETTY TIMMER Plainfield Township Clerk 48-2b

There will be an open meeting of the Grant Township Zoning Board of Appeals at the Township Hall on December 14, 1978, at 8:00 p. m.

The subject of the meeting is the issuance of permits to allow the Bay City Y. M. C. A. to 1) demolish one fire damaged building, and 2) to construct barrier-free access to other buildings.

WALTER SNOW Secretary Zoning Board of Appeals 49-2b



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PUBLIC NOTICE

Iosco County Road Commission Summary of Regular Meeting

November 6, 1978 10:00 A. M.

Meeting called to order: Present; Commissioners' Aulerich, White, Conley; Engineer-Manager Delahanty; Secretary-Clerk Ferguson. Also parties interested in the Public Hearing on the Special Assessment District for Alabaster and Benson Roads. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Old Business:

- 1. F-41 Project: There was a discussion on the reopening of F-41. 2. South Branch Road Bridge: Motion by Commissioner Conley, supported by Commissioner White to sign the Title Sheet for the South Branch Bridge Project. Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried.

3. Birch Grove Trail: The engineer-manager read a letter from Ernest Koponen requesting more information on Birch Grove Trail. New Business:

- 1. Public Hearing: The engineer-manager read the description and cost estimate for the proposed Alabaster and Benson Road Project, and asked for objections from those present. None offered. Motion by Commissioner Conley, supported by Commissioner White to proceed with the project. (Information on file). Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried. 2. Road Tour: The monthly road tour was scheduled for November 9

PUBLIC NOTICE

at 11:00 A. M.

3. National City Road: The engineer-manager read a petition to have a portion of National City Road, north of Old State Road, designated a National Beauty Road. A hearing was scheduled for December 18.

4. Agreement: Motion by Commissioner White, supported by Commissioner Conley to sign an agreement with Sherman Township for snowplowing non-certified roads. Roll call vote, all yeas. Agreement signed.

5. Bills and payroll: Motion by Commissioner White, supported by Commissioner Conley to sign the bills and payroll as presented. Roll call vote, all yeas. Bills and payroll signed.

6. Adjournment: Upon motion made and supported, the meeting adjourned at 12:00 Noon.

A. J. AULERICH Chairman STEPHEN D. FERGUSON Sec.-Clerk 49-1b

MISC. SERVICES

SQUIRES WHEEL ALIGNMENT—Will be closed December 15 to March 19. 48-tfb

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be conducted on December 18, 1978 at 10:00 A. M. at the office of the Iosco County Road Commission, 3939 W. M-55, Tawas City, Michigan, 48763. The purpose of the hearing will be to consider the petition for designation of portions of National City Road in Grant and Plainfield Townships to be designated as a National Beauty Road in accordance with Act 150 of the Public Acts of 1970.

A copy of the petition giving a detailed description of the portions of National City Road to be designated as a National Beauty Road is on file with the Iosco County Road Commission at the above listed address.

A. J. Aulerich, Chairman Ralph T. White, Vice-Chairman Henry M. Conley, Member 49-2b

INVITATION TO BID ON BOOKMOBILE

Sealed bids will be received by the Iosco-Arenac Regional Library Board of Trustees until 4:30 p. m. on Thursday, December 14, 1978, at the Iosco-Arenac Regional Library, 951 Turtle Road, Tawas City, Michigan on the following:

One 1970 bookmobile with Gerstenslager body and international chassis.

This vehicle may be seen at the Regional Library Headquarters, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. A 5% deposit must accompany all bids with all but the successful bidders' deposit being returned. Bids will be opened at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday, December 14, 1978. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Contact person: MARK J. AMES, Director, 362-2651 49-1b

NOTICE

RENO TOWNSHIP

Notification of Availability

Form R. S. 9E (1978 Survey of Local Government Finances, Municipalities and Townships)

For General Revenue Sharing and Antirecession Fiscal Assistance Data. This report and supporting documentation can be examined at the clerk's office. Leonard Robinson, Clerk, 799 N. M-65, Whittemore, Mich. 48770. Hours: 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. weekdays.

LEONARD ROBINSON, Clerk 48-2b

COMMISSION ORDER GREAT LAKES SPEARING REGULATIONS

The Natural Resources Commission at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, as amended, renewed its order of August 10, 1973, for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1979, that on the Great Lakes and connecting waters it is unlawful with spear or bow and arrow to take (a) wall-eye, sauger, Atlantic salmon, coho salmon, chinook salmon, pink salmon or splake; (b) perch except on Lake St. Clair during January and February; (c) northern pike except during January and February; (d) muskellunge except during January and February on lakes Superior, Michigan, Huron, and the St. Marys River; (e) sturgeon except during February.

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COMMISSION ORDER REGULATIONS ON TIGER MUSKELLUNGE

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under the authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, as amended, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that hybrid muskellunge, commonly known as the "tiger muskellunge," shall be deemed a muskellunge, and it shall be unlawful to take or possess tiger muskellunge except in accordance with laws, rules, and regulations governing muskellunge, for a period of five years effective January 1, 1979.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 49-3b

COMMISSION ORDER LAKE TROUT SPEARING - STATEWIDE BAN

The Natural Resources Commission, at its July 14, 1978, meeting, under the authority of Sections 1 and 2, Act 230, P. A. 1925, as last amended by Act 82, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that no person shall take lake trout by means of a spear or bow and arrow from any of the waters over which this state has jurisdiction for a period of five years effective January 1, 1979.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 49-3b

COMMISSION ORDER STURGEON SIZE LIMIT

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, as amended, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that no sturgeon may be taken or possessed from the waters of this state of a length less than 50 inches for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1979.

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Power

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to be paid off by the city over a five-year period.

By 1907, Tawas City electrical users were dissatisfied with service provided by the local plant. "The city has been paying for electrical light service for the past year and more and, as yet, it has not had one month of satisfactory service," commented the local editor. "The users of commercial lighting are never sure of lights when night comes and, as far as the street lights are concerned, they are not in service one-half of the contract time. The consumption could be increased if good service was given."

In December 1914, the City of East Tawas expanded its steam generating facilities through installation of a new boiler. The generating equipment had been in operation for 10 or more years as part of the municipal water plant constructed in the late 1880s.

"The steam outfit is now in a safe and substantial condition and perhaps in as near perfect working order as it is possible to make it," commented the Iosco County Gazette. Despite the above improvement, service was only provided at night for operation of electric lights in homes and stores.

Tawas City became so angry over service provided by the local plant that the city council, in December 1909, decided to enter into an agreement with East Tawas to provide electrical service. Under that plan, East Tawas provided patrons of Tawas City with power for incandescent lamps, but no power was provided for Tawas City street lights.

Agitation in the Tawas to make use of the vast electrical potential provided other areas of Northeastern Michigan by hydroelectric dams on the AuSable River began in 1914. The local steam generating plant located near the present site of the community building provided adequate power for residential and commercial lighting, but not one electrical motor operated in the communities.

In May 1915, the East Tawas Council named C. W. Luce, ex-mayor, as a committee of one to negotiate with East Michigan Power Company "to bring electrical power into our city for commercial and industrial use."

Contract negotiations were protracted because of the requirement that voters must first approve a franchise to permit installation of poles and lines on city streets. In addition, this was in the days before establishment of a real public service commission to control rates and the state railroad commission was supervising these initial attempts at providing service by utilities.

In the meantime, East Tawas decided to operate its generating plant for the first time during daylight hours on Tuesday and Friday afternoons each week.

"This service began on Tuesday last," commented the Iosco County Gazette on August 7, 1915, "and it has certainly been of great con-

venience. And, after a short time, when people become accustomed to using it, it will be almost indispensable."

"The housekeeper can, by the use of electric washer and iron, do the family washing and ironing; and by the use of the electric vacuum cleaners, the rugs, carpets, etc., can be cleaned and made sanitary each week; the machinist, printer and other mechanics can use electrical motor power to run their machinery; and while the expense will be comparatively small, it is believed the city will find some profit in the new departure and will continue to give the extra service indefinitely."

A. G. Jackson and C. E. Phillips installed the first electrical supply store at East Tawas in August 1915. Their Huron Electric Company sold 20 electric flatirons during the first two weeks of operation.

"There is a much greater demand here for electrical appliances than we had supposed and, since the day service (two half days each week) was started by the electric plant, the demand is greatly increasing," commented the local editor.

Residents who had purchased those new electrical appliances now wished to use the twentieth century conveniences every day, rather than to be limited to only Tuesdays and Fridays. Tawas City patrons were complaining, too, that they were paying a higher rate for electricity than the East Tawas consumers.

Finally, both Tawas City and East Tawas began intensifying negotiations with Consumers Power Company, successor to two previous power companies, to give that firm a 30-year franchise for use of streets and alleys for placing poles and stringing wires in connection with furnishing lights and power to the communities. Consumers Power Company agreed to pay Tawas City \$1,000 for the city's existing plant, which had not operated for a number of years.

"The schedule of rates offered by the company is much lower than that now in effect and would make the expense of electric lights so much cheaper that every house in the city could afford to use the electric lights in preference to lamps," commented the Herald.

"Another excellent feature of the proposition is that it will furnish us with unlimited light and power at all times of the day and night, which we do not have at the present. This will give an opportunity to those who wish to do so to install electrical appliances in their homes to lighten the work and will furnish a cheaper and more desirable power to our local industries. It will also enable us to offer better inducements to outsiders wishing to locate here and start industries of any kind."

Although not eligible to vote in other elections, women who owned property in the city were eligible to vote on the power company franchise through a state constitutional amendment which took effect that year.

"The general sentiment of the proposition seems to be so strong that there is little doubt but that it will carry; but nevertheless, every

person in favor of it is urged to get out and cast their vote, that there may be no chance of its defeat through the neglect of its supporters," commented the Herald.

The Herald editor's fears were unfounded. Citizens, who had forgotten earlier arguments about sinister corporations and even the novel idea of providing electrical power through township-owned dams on local streams, had enough of municipally-owned power generating plants.

With the support of women voters, who enjoyed new freedom through the convenience offered by new electrical appliances, Consumers Power Company was granted

its 30-year franchise. In East Tawas, the proposition carried by an overwhelming margin of 396 to 11!

Consumers Power Company received several carloads of poles in March 1916 and work was commenced on constructing a new line to the power dams on the AuSable River.

On September 26, the new service

went into use for the first time and the Herald editorialized that "the improvement in the lights over the old system is about 100 percent."

The Herald quickly made use of this new source of power, noting on October 20, 1916, that the first electric motor to be installed in Tawas City was attached to its Linotype machine.

"It is giving excellent service and we venture to say that anyone having once used the electrical power would not willingly use any other kind," stated the editor.

Gasoline engines previously used to run power equipment at various shops in the twin communities were quickly retired—a new era had arrived.

Menus

IOSCO COUNTY DROP-IN CENTER

Thursday, December 7—

Beef ribs, potatoes, broccoli, roll and margarine, pears, coffee, tea, milk.

Friday, December 8—

Chop suey on rice, cottage cheese, lime-pear gelatin salad, peas, assorted bread and margarine, oatmeal cookies, coffee, tea, milk.

Monday, December 11—

Chicken a la king, carrots, tossed salad, biscuit and margarine, mixed fruit cup, coffee, tea, milk.

Tuesday, December 12—

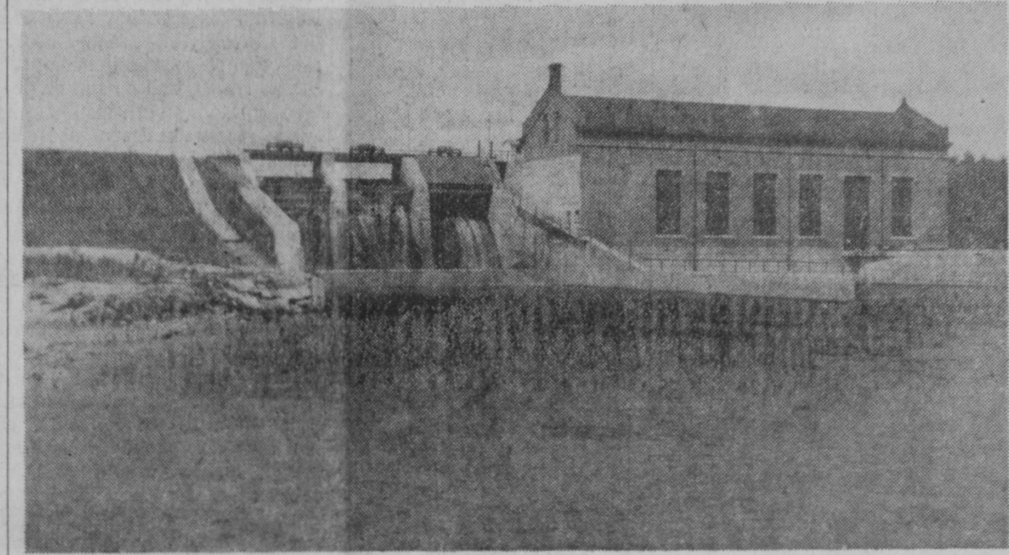
Salisbury steak, potatoes and gravy, Brussels sprouts, assorted bread and margarine, plums, coffee, tea, milk.

Wednesday, December 13—

Fish, parsley buttered potatoes, coleslaw, assorted bread and margarine, tapioca and fruit, coffee, tea, milk.



MANY HANDS and beasts were needed to move heavy equipment to the sites of dams under construction. These men are skidding a 10-ton section of a generator to the site of Cooke Dam.



NO EXPENSE was spared in the engineering and construction of hydroelectric dams on the AuSable River and the dams are still structurally sound and are providing an important source of electrical power to energy-hungry Northeastern Michigan. Five Channels Dam (above) has not changed much in appearance since it was constructed 65 years ago.

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Library Receives Microfilm Reader

Iosco-Arenac Regional Library has recently received a microfilm reader which will be used in conjunction with the Iosco County Gazette microfilming project soon to begin at the office of the register of deeds.

The microfilm reader will also be used with microfilms of the census records of Iosco and Arenac Counties dated 1820-1890 presently on order from the National Archives and Records Service.

Microfilms of newspapers and census records of other geographical areas are available from the State Library, Lansing, and can also be used in conjunction with this microfilm reader.

A portion of the \$500 cost of the reader was defrayed through donations from the efforts of Mrs. Lyle Adams of Tawas City. Including Mrs. Adams, contributors were David Dickman, Robert Curry, Chris Bush, Marilyn Linton and Sandra DeLage of Tawas City; Hennigar's Department Store, Family Home Furnishings, O'Connor's Pendleton Shop and the Mutual Savings and Loan Association of East Tawas;

Mrs. Eilert Barnes and the Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Hale.

A library spokesman stated, "For the immediate future, the microfilm reader will be housed at the regional library headquarters. We hope that an adequately sized library will someday be located in the Tawas area so that the microfilm reader can be located more conveniently for our library users."

For further information, call the Iosco-Arenac Regional Library at 362-2651.

Learn About Cross-Country Skiing Dec. 7

Residents of Iosco County will be offered a chance to learn the fundamentals of cross-country skiing Thursday, December 7, when the United States Ski Association's mobile ski van comes to the Tawas.

The van is part of the Bill Koch Ski League, a youth recreation program, and is part of the 1978-79 tour expanding the league in the Midwest.

Hal Lier, coach, will conduct a cross-country skiing program and lesson at Tawas City Elementary School from 3:00 to 4:30 p. m. This will include a demonstration on a portable synthetic ski track.

USSA is the nation-wide consumer-oriented skiers' organization, the national governing body for amateur ski competition and the largest supplier of recreational skiing benefits in the country.

Participants will be invited to try their skills using the skis, boots and poles carried in the specially-equipped van and to watch a film about the Bill Koch Ski League. These free clinics will provide an introduction to cross-country skiing for people of all ages.

The Bill Koch Ski League is named for the young skier from Vermont who won a silver medal at the 1976 Winter Olympics at Innsbruck, Austria. That was America's first Olympic medal in cross-country skiing.

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