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SHOWN with the new LEIN machine at the Iosco County Jail are Sgt. Michael Fischer, seated at the machine, and Sheriff George Westcott. The equipment is connected with a computer at East Lansing providing valuable information concerning criminal investigation.—Tawas Herald Photo.

## LEIN Machine Aids Crime Fight

Iosco County Sheriff's Department is now part of the Law Enforcement Information Network and a teletype machine installed last week at the county jail is to go into operation today.

The LEIN machine provides instant communications with a computer at East Lansing, furnishing printouts on wanted persons, criminal histories, stolen vehicles and prior ownership of weapons, to name a few of the services provided by the LEIN Council.

Sheriff George Westcott said his department had been attempting to be included in this service for about five years and the Iosco County Sheriff's Department is one of the few in Northern Michigan to be selected.

The sheriff's department had been provided this service by the Michigan State Police Post at East Tawas, but Westcott's department had run 4,000 criminal investigation checks through the East Tawas post last year and had sufficient volume to warrant its own machine.

Five members of the sheriff's department are to attend a three-day school in February conducted by the LEIN Council at the Michigan State Police officer training academy at East Lansing. Desk sergeants attending the school will be Michael Fischer, Carl Lange, Lloyd Michaud, James McBride and Deputy Debra Welsch.

Undersheriff Basil O'Dell said that use of the LEIN communications equipment will also be made available to sheriff's departments of Arenac and Ogemaw Counties.

## Parked Cars Hamper DPW Snow Plows

Motorists were warned Monday night by the Tawas City Council that city ordinance prohibits parking of cars on Lake Street between the hours of 2:00 a. m. and 6:00 a. m.

This ordinance was adopted several years ago to provide access to streets during snow removal. Owners of several cars and trucks disregarded signs posted in the block between Mathews and Whittemore Streets and snow removal during last week's storm was hampered.

The council requests cooperation from business places in the removal of snow from sidewalks immediately after a storm, according to terms of a city ordinance.

It was suggested by Coun. Robert N. Rollin that the council consider adoption of an ordinance to prohibit parking on all city streets between the hours of 2:00 a. m. and 6:00 a. m. to facilitate snow removal. He said this was the normal practice in most communities.

along with other law enforcement agencies in the area.

In addition to information stored in the computer at East Lansing, the LEIN Council has access to computerized criminal records in 48 other states.

## Rollin Thinking About Resignation

Robert N. Rollin, veteran Tawas City councilman, said Monday night that he was considering resigning his seat on the council for personal reasons, but said reports that he intended to submit his resignation Monday night were premature.

He said he would bring up the matter at a future time after meeting with the acting city manager concerning his recommendation for a successor to be presented to the city council for approval.

## Backwash System Set for Discussion

A special meeting of the East Tawas Council is to be held Thursday night, 7:30 o'clock, to discuss bids on the proposed new system to divert backwash from the water filtration plant into the sewer system.

Under original design of the water filtration plant, backwash had been returned to Tawas Bay, but this is no longer permitted under state law.

The council will also discuss removal of the old water tank at the city park, which no longer is used in the water distribution system

## Rescinds Action; Commission Looks Anew at WC Insurance

Rescinding its action of December 20, Iosco County Board of Commissioners Wednesday voted to renew its workmen's compensation insurance policy provided by the Michigan Accident Fund through Tawas Bay Agency, Incorporated, East Tawas.

The board had canceled its policy with the local agent effective January 1, intending to join a new self-insurance group plan being fostered by the Michigan Association of Counties.

After submitting a check for partial payment of the new insurance plan, the commission learned that the state association's proposed program would not take effect until March 1. Iosco was the only county submitting payment to the new carrier and word from the state attorney general's office was that membership by 10 counties would be required before adoption of the plan would be permitted.

During discussion, John Webb, newly-elected chairman of the commission, expressed the opinion that immediate action was not necessary as the county still had 22 days of coverage under its old policy.

Commissioners Carlton Merschel and Marian Ulman pointed out, however, that rescinding action was necessary as the county could be without workmen's compensation insurance after expiration of the old policy.

Merschel said that the existing policy should be extended for a year in order to give time for a complete study and discussion on the proposed new plan. He felt that an opportunity should be given to representatives of both insurance programs to appear before the board of commissioners in order for the commission to have full information available before making a decision.

Commissioner Ulman, who declared she was in favor of free enterprise and was not particularly favorable toward government-sponsored insurance programs, felt the board was not in a position to make any decision on the MAC program

due to the lack of information. The new Fourth District commissioner and Merschel are members of the board's new buildings and grounds committee handling insurance matters and pointed out that the county had an excellent record concerning workmen's compensation insurance and did not have to seek alternative programs at this time.

David George, Second District commissioner, agreed that further discussion should be held on the matter before action is taken. James Stech, First District commissioner, said he would abstain from voting on the matter as he was in no position to make a decision, inasmuch as this was his first meeting.

Webb said he had not made up his mind concerning either program—stating, "I could vote one way or the other"—but agreed that additional information should be obtained. He said he would make arrangements to have a representative of MAC appear before the commission on January 10 (today).

Workmen's compensation insurance cost the county approximately \$16,000 last year.

Webb felt the county could eventually save money on its workmen's compensation insurance under the new program and believed the commission should work with the state association to develop the self-insurance program.

## Board Gets Report on K9 Drug Sniffer

A new program for detecting drugs and marijuana in schools, to be instituted soon by the Iosco County Sheriff's Department, was outlined Monday night to Hale Area Board of Education by Det. Michael Welsch.

The department's narcotics "sniffing" dog is presently in the final phase of training and the dog, accompanied by its handler, will soon be visiting Iosco County's four high schools.

An assembly is to be held in the near future at Hale Area School to explain the program to students. Welsch told board of education members that the handler would bring the dog unannounced into school to check school lockers. The dog is being trained to detect four or five different types of drugs and marijuana and the owner of a locker found to contain such a substance would be given a warning.

On the second offense, the locker occupant would be subject to prosecution. Supt. Wayne Case said the pro-

gram was not intended, necessarily, to arrest students, but was designed to keep drugs off school premises.

In his comments to the board of education, Welsch said that Hale Area School does not have a drug problem when compared to schools in metropolitan areas, but a realistic look indicates that the drug problem here is about average with other rural areas.

In other business, the board authorized purchase of a dust collector for the wood shop at a cost of \$6,200. Purchase of such a unit had been under consideration for the past seven months.

Prin. Robert McDonald discussed study hall procedures and secondary school scheduling. Effective next year, seventh, eighth and ninth graders will not have study halls, although classroom teachers may permit the last 20 minutes of a class for study.

At the recommendation of the superintendent, study halls the last period of the day are to be eliminated.



HALE AREA WINTER CARNIVAL opens Iosco County's snow season festivities this week-end. This banner across M-65 greets visitors to the

Hale area. Turn to page 4, sec. 2, for details of this and other upcoming winter events in the area.—Tawas Herald Photo.

## TA School Board Continues Bus Communication Study

Equipping its bus fleet with transmitter-receiver radio equipment is being seriously considered by Tawas Area Board of Education as a safety precautionary means, as well as to improve bus routing and operating.

As of Monday night's meeting, however, the board of education was undecided as to which system—citizens band or UHF—would be more economical or suitable for this district.

During discussion, David Westcott, transportation director, and Robert Curry, committee chair-

man, pointed out that provision of such radio equipment in school buses is expected to be mandated in the near future by the Michigan Department of Public Education.

Cost of installing UHF communications equipment in Tawas' buses has been estimated at up to \$20,000. While CB radio equipment could be purchased at less cost, some members felt this type of equipment would not have the power to adequately serve buses operating on the outer fringe of the district, as well as the problem of extreme use of CB channels.

The committee and transportation director are to continue the study by checking with other schools using bus communications equipment, including Oscoda Area School and the Iosco Intermediate School District.

In other business, Kim Wickert was appointed to the new position of ninth grade girls volleyball coach.

The board of education approved a leave of absence for Kathy Reddick, elementary teacher, effective from March 5 to the end of the school year.

## City Would Update Parks-Recreation in Master Plan

Updating of parks and recreational portions of Tawas City's 1965 master plan was recommended Monday night to the Tawas City Council by Boynton (Bud) St. James of the city's parks and recreation board.

St. James told councilmen that bringing the master plan up to date to reflect current and future thinking was necessary in order to be considered for proposed funding of river mouth and park projects through state agencies.

The council recently approved an application for Land, Water and Conservation funds administered by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources to develop the mouth of the Tawas River with a marina and boat launching facilities.

In order to be eligible for 50 percent LWC funding, along with 30 percent funding by the Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission, St. James said it was necessary to take immediate steps to update the master plan.

The city parks and recreation board is to outline its recommendations at a meeting Thursday and St. James has arranged a meeting next Monday with DNR officials to discuss proposed master plan revisions. That information will then be submitted to the city's planning commission for its study and suggestions and would be presented in about three months to the city council.

At the suggestion of Coun. Hugo Keiser, St. James is to contact the city's planning consultant, Vilicain-Leman and Associates, prior to the

planning commission's meeting on January 18. Charles Leman is to be here that day for the quarterly meeting between the planning commission and the city council.

St. James expressed optimism over the city's chances at obtaining LWC funding and that two different applications were to be made, one for park development and the second for the marine facility.

The acting city manager reported that the owner of the property on the west side of the river mouth had been contacted concerning a 20-foot public easement along that side of the river. While the owner stated that he wished to have additional information concerning the

river mouth project before making a commitment, he indicated he would cooperate with the city because of the importance of the project.

In the second phase of the proposed river mouth-parks and recreation program, the council adopted a resolution authorizing a preliminary application for a Housing Urban Development (HUD) grant. Officially known as the Tawas City Resources and Economic Development Comprehensive Grant, the city is seeking more than one million dollars in HUD funds for recreational activities to benefit low and moderate income residents.

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## Plat Board Idle; No Subdivisions

Iosco County Plat Board did not hold a single meeting during 1978, according to a report Monday by County Treas. Edward Nelkie. There was no need to hold a meeting because, for the first time in many years, there were no new subdivisions submitted for approval.

Nelkie said that the reason for no new subdivisions probably could be traced to the high cost of development with utilities, underground wiring and hard surfaced roads being among the state requirements for approval.

As an alternative to subdivision development, Nelkie said that 10-acre parcels of land were selling at a higher rate than ever before in history. After 10 years, the purchaser can divide the 10 acres into five parcels.

Nelkie said that 10-acre parcels selling at an average price of \$2,500 to \$3,000 five years ago now had an average sale price of \$7,500, in some instances going as high as \$1,000 an acre.

Members of the plat board include the county treasurer, register of deeds and county clerk.



SURVEYING the damage caused early Sunday when vandals opened a fire hydrant behind Tawas Area High School is Merlin Look, superintendent of public works of Tawas City. A fire hydrant was also opened Sunday at East Tawas causing a flooded condition on Lincoln Street.—Tawas Herald Photo.



# Water - Sewer Main Hookups OK'd by Council

Installation of water and sewer service to a house constructed by Ray Abbott east of Fifth Avenue was authorized Monday night by the Tawas City Council.

Abbott had applied and paid for the service on November 13, two days before the city's winter deadline for construction. Severe cold weather and other problems resulted in delaying the work.

At the present time, there is about three feet of frost in the roadway which will require the use of an air hammer to open a trench.

The opinion was expressed by councilmen that the city, in accepting the \$900 application, had an obligation to provide the service rather than waiting until spring.

It was suggested that a hood and gas-fired unit used to melt ground frost for opening graves at the cemetery be used in this project.

In other business, the acting city manager reported that the cost of repairs thus far for reopening the Whittemore Street bridge was \$1,281.17. Steps were taken to make temporary repairs to the bridge after a car crashed through a railing in November. Cost of repairing the roadway in the spring and temporary repairs to the bridge struc-

ture are to be billed to the motorist's insurance company.

Because of the fact that the outer two feet of the roadway was damaged, barrels have been placed on the bridge warning motorists of the hazard.

Mayor Herbert Cholger and Coun. Donald Hayes are to attend a meeting of the Northeastern Michigan Economic Development Council to be held January 16 at the West Branch Country Club. The council is to consider establishment of a subcommittee for the benefit of Isco, Oscoda, Ogemaw, Roscommon and other counties in this area.

The council adopted a resolution naming the city manager as the authorized agent for signing documents in a sewer facilities plan application by Tawas City, East Tawas and Baldwin Township.

The acting city manager reported that engineering and cost estimates for proposed sewer extensions had been received and that a time for public hearing on establishment of a special assessment district would be set at the next council meeting.

Due to the one week delay in holding Monday night's council meeting, the next meeting is to be held Monday, January 22.

## William Pickran Died January 8

Funeral arrangements for William J. Pickran of East Tawas, who passed away Monday, January 8, at Isco County Medical Care Facility, are pending at Jacques and Kobs East Chapel, East Tawas.

Mr. Pickran was born June 26, 1888, in Germany.

**\$2,308,988**

## Valuation of Construction

Valuation of new construction in Tawas City during 1978 amounted to \$2,308,988, according to permits approved by the Isco County Department of Building and Safety Inspection.

Sixteen new homes were constructed with a valuation of \$454,550. Nine homes received new siding at a cost of \$14,238, five home additions amounted to \$25,200 and five home remodeling projects had a valuation of \$12,454.

There were 10 residential garages constructed with a valuation of \$29,069, six storage sheds valued at \$3,946 and one fence with a cost of \$150.

One new commercial building for Holst, Incorporated, had a valuation of \$40,000. Additions to Tawas Hospital amounted to \$1,470,334, two additions at Tawas Industries, Incorporated, and Baylock Manufacturing Company amounted to \$66,000.

Concrete, foundations and partial construction on five buildings amounted to \$153,767, one building was relocated at a cost of \$10,000, four buildings were demolished with a cost of \$1,100, one modular was displayed with a valuation of \$22,000, a radio shelter and tower was constructed with a valuation of \$6,180.

## Discuss Activities for Coming Year

During the annual meeting of Tawas City Garden Club Tuesday afternoon, January 2, discussion of activities for the coming year highlighted the business portion. Sixteen members answered roll call with winter memories at the home of Hattie Evril. Isabelle Leslie, president, presided at the session.

Committee reports were heard and Mabel Liske, treasurer, gave a resume of funds. Alvera Burrell, secretary, read a review of past events.

Dessert of pineapple upside-down cake was served by Sophie Roach, hostess, assisted by Edith Thornton.

## ET Council

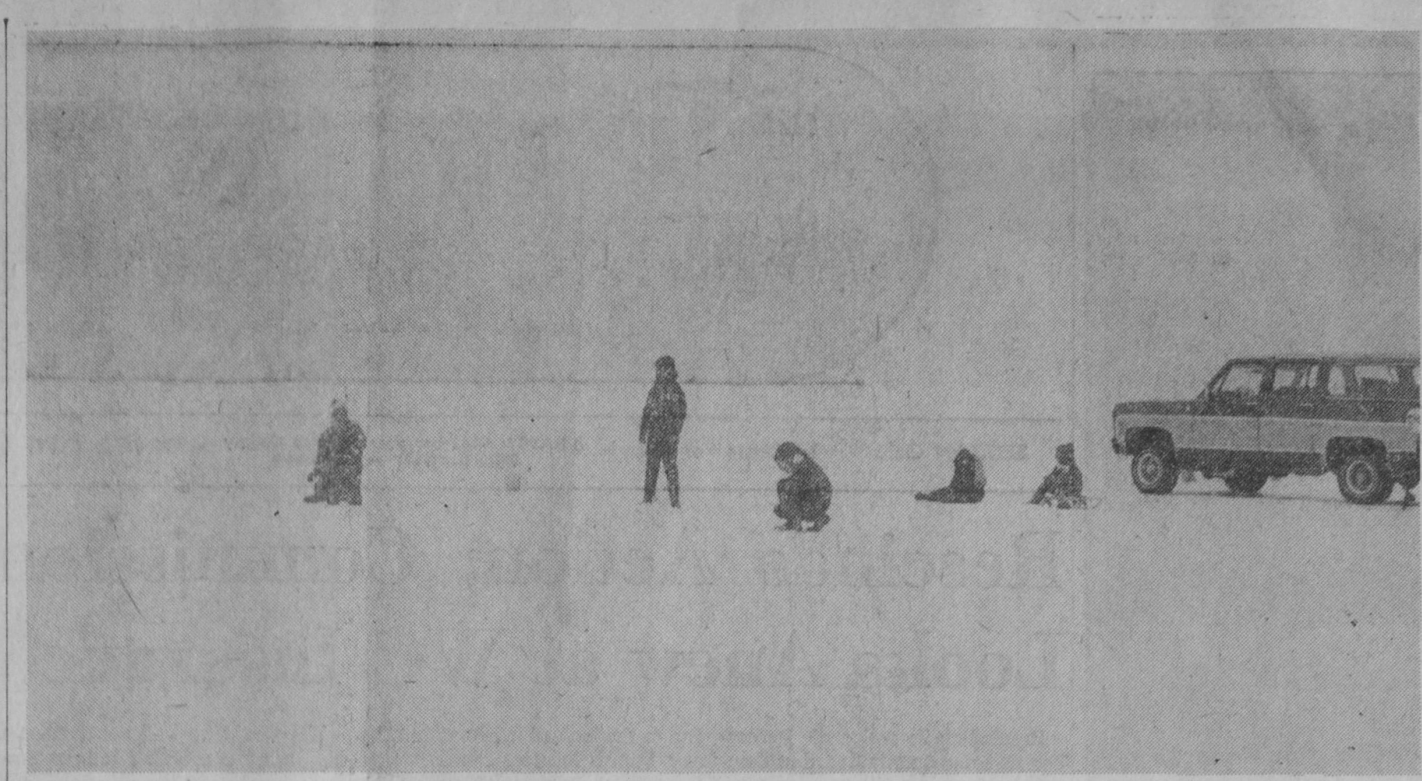
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plete curb-to-curb cleanup until about two days after a major storm. If snow is permitted to remain on the sidewalks, the property owner is a pay for removal.

A study is to be made concerning improvement of parking conditions in the block of Newman Street between State and Lincoln Streets. The postal service is to be requested to provide a letter drop box in the downtown area.

The lands and buildings committee was directed to meet with James Delahanty, engineer-manager of the Isco County Road Commission, concerning city acquisition of the former county garage on West Westover Street.

The road commission had requested the city to consider vacating several city streets in the enclosed area of the property, but the city council authorized making an offer of \$35,000 for the city's purchase of the county-owned property.



THIS FAMILY of fishermen was trying its luck Sunday morning on the ice of Tawas Bay near the coast guard boathouse. Luck of fishermen close to shore was not good, but those fishing in deeper

water reported excellent catches of perch. Weather was extremely cold, but this family was warmly dressed and all seemed to be enjoying the fun.—Tawas Herald Photo.

# 48 Fire Calls Had Loss of \$69,650 During 1978

Forty-eight calls were answered by the Tawas City Volunteer Fire Department during 1978, an increase of 11 over the previous year.

Firemen answered 19 house fires, five commercial fires, seven car fires, nine grass fires and eight fires in a miscellaneous category.

There were 23 fires in Tawas City, including eight houses, three commercial buildings, five car

fires and five listed as "other." Firemen answered four house fires in Alabaster Township and two grass fires.

Tawas Township had seven house fires, two commercial fires, two car fires, seven grass fires and one fire in the miscellaneous category for a total of 19.

The miscellaneous category included four false alarms, one assist to East Tawas, two sewer

smoke tests and one call to burn a boat.

The department had 23 practices during the year.

Total estimated fire loss for the year was \$69,650. The largest loss indicated on the report was a \$35,000 fire at the Leo Wellna residence in Tawas Township on March 25. The second largest loss was \$12,000 damage to a motor home owned by Thomas Pruett on June 12.

## Lawrence Jones Died January 9

Lawrence (Bucky) Jones, resident of Tawas Township, expired Tuesday, January 9, at Tawas Hospital. He was born April 6, 1904, at Ada, Minnesota.

A veteran of World War II, he was a member of Audie Johnson American Legion Post No. 211.

Services for the deceased will be held Friday, January 12, 2:00 p.m., at Jacques and Kobs West Chapel, Tawas City, where friends may call after 7 o'clock Wednesday evening, January 10. The Rev. Kenneth Tousley will officiate and burial will be in American Legion Cemetery, East Tawas.

Survivors include his wife, Edna; three stepsons, Orville and Elmer Brown of Kalamazoo and David Brown of Detroit; two stepdaughters, Marguerite Eathorne of Romulus and Lorretta Brown of Battle Creek; nine stepgrandchildren; eight great stepgrandchildren; two brothers, Leslie Jones of Tawas City and Preston Jones of Wisconsin, and three sisters, Valley Reeds of Iowa, Thelma Dicus and Orva Hornsby of California.

## Two Hurt Last Week in Crashes

Two personal injury accidents were investigated last week by Isco County Sheriff's Department.

Wilma Boshaw, 60, National City, was injured Friday evening when the car in which she was a passenger struck a tree on Sand Lake Road. She was treated at Tawas Hospital.

A car driven by John L. Norris, National City, was stuck in a snow drift and the vehicle partially blocked the road. A witness at the scene, Floyd Aldrich, was standing in the road waving his arms to warn oncoming traffic but Earl J. Boshaw, 67, did not see the stalled vehicle in time. He swerved off the ice-covered road and his car struck a tree.

The second accident Saturday sent Thomas D. Moquin, 29, Saginaw, to Tawas Hospital for treatment of a leg laceration. Moquin was operating a snowmobile on a state forest trail in Oscoda Township. His leg struck a branch protruding over the trail.

## Funeral Today for William Bannister

Funeral services for William H. Bannister of Hale, who passed away Friday, January 5, in Oxnard, California, will be conducted Wednesday, January 10, at Forshee Funeral Chapel, Hale, at 1:00 p.m. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery.

He was born February 14, 1910, in Beaverton and is survived by his wife, Helen; five sons, George, Delbert, Albert, Louis and William, and 15 grandchildren.

## Five-Speed Bike Stolen

Theft of a five-speed bicycle owned by Jon Carey, 1103 Bay Drive, was investigated last week by Isco County Sheriff's Department. Carey parked his bicycle at Tawas Lanes and when he returned about one-half hour later it was missing.

## HOME BUYER



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An important step before completing the purchase of a home is determining whether the seller has good title to the property. This normally involves an expert search of the public records for information about the real estate, which culminates in assembling a history of its ownership.

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Sometimes the public records will contain an incomplete or an inaccurate history.

In one example, a residential developer died in an eastern state—some 40 years after immigrating from Europe and building up his business in a classic success story. He left a wife and son.

When newspaper accounts of his death reached Europe, a claim was filed against his estate by a woman who lived in his native country. The woman established that she was married to the developer before he immigrated, noting that he promised to send for her but failed to do so.

This claim left his American survivors defenseless, and similarly affected the buyers of homes that he sold in his developments.

Fortunately, some of the home buyers were covered by owner's title insurance obtained at the time of their real estate purchases. Their insuring title company settled the claim to protect them against financial loss.

Other buyers in the developments were not so lucky. They were covered only by lawyer searches and title certification—and this problem was not shown in the public records.

## The Secret Life Of The Forest

WHAT PART OF A TREE IS ALIVE?

**A tree breathes.** It draws nourishment from air and soil. It grows. But, only a small part of a living tree is actually alive.

Life can be found in the very tips of the roots. The leaves. The buds. The flowers. The seeds. And a single thin layer of cells that sheaths the entire tree from the tips of the roots to the buds on the ends of the smallest branches.

But those living parts of the tree—about one percent of its bulk—perform amazingly complex functions. They build a structure that can soar skyward a hundred feet or more and stand for centuries.

**The Roots**

A large tree has hundreds of miles of roots to anchor it to the soil but only the very tips of the roots are living, growing cells that push a protective cap of dead cells through the soil. Just behind the tip are the root-hairs, tiny, single-cell projections that absorb water and dissolved materials from the soil, and start it on its way up to the leaves.



A LARGE TREE has hundreds of miles of roots to anchor it to the soil, but most of that length is dead, woody matter.

**The Trunk**

Extending from the tips of the roots to the ends of the branches is a single layer of living cells—the cambium

layer. They are the only living cells in the trunk. In summer, when the tree grows, these cells divide continually—adding thickness but no height to the tree. The cells that form on the outside of the cambium layer become bark, those that form on the inside become wood.

**The Leaves**

The leaves—or needles in coniferous trees—make sugar out of water passed up from the roots and carbon dioxide in the air. In doing this they utilize the energy of light with the aid of chlorophyll. The sugar is passed back to the other living cells in the tree so that they can breathe. The leaf buds on the twigs are alive, too. It is their growth that gives a tree height, and extends its branches.

This article was prepared by the St. Regis Paper Company, which—along with the other members of the forest products industry—is vitally concerned with maintaining the beauty and usefulness of America's forests for the generations to come.

## Applications

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income persons through several proposed projects.

Thomas Jacques, the city's forestry consultant, is working with St. James on this application, which is to be submitted by January 15.

Jacques told councilmen that HUD officials had indicated that updating the city's master plan was not essential at this point for the city to be considered for invitation to submit a formal application. He said the preliminary application would be mailed Friday.

Under consideration in the HUD program is development of a campground, possibly through acquisition of additional property in the river mouth area, for 75 to 100 campsites. Jacques said that a number of other possible locations for park development were being considered in the community.

Another phase of the HUD program would be a comprehensive lake shore study. Jacques said that a theme would have to be developed for a long term look at the lake shore and private property owners would be involved.

He said the preliminary application would attempt to show that HUD funding would improve the economy of the area through increasing business potential as well as to provide recreational facilities to benefit local and moderate income families in this area and those visiting the community.

Assisting the city in making the LWC and HUD applications has been John Czarnicki of the state department of management and budget.

In other business Monday night, the council approved paying annual dues of \$330 to Tawas Chamber of Commerce.

A resolution was adopted requiring physical examinations for city employees at the time of hiring and biannual physical examinations for all employees.

Discussion was held on the fact

that some city employees were not making themselves available when needed for week-end overtime work during snow removal. The acting city manager is to report on possible corrections at the next meeting.

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## Nelkies Named Outstanding Dairy Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Nelkie Jr. of Tawas City were named district outstanding young dairy couple at a meeting of Michigan Milk Producers Association Friday, January 5, at Midland Convention Center.

The Nelkies will now be eligible for state honors and a week-long trip to Florida if they are chosen as state outstanding young dairy couple at the Michigan Milk Producers Association meeting in Detroit February 1-2.

## Memorial Held for Rhoda Wickert

At the regular meeting of Iosco Chapter No. 71, Order of the Eastern Star, Bonnie Byrd, worthy matron, presented gifts of appreciation to Alcona-Iosco-Arenac Association county officers. Included in the presentation Thursday evening, January 4, were Marjorie Lyon, president; Grace Weeden, second vice president; Beryl Lichtfusz, secretary, and Julia Oliver, treasurer.

A memorial was held for Rhoda Wickert and the charter was draped in her memory. Introduced were Margaret Sands, Ruth Walker and Nyda Bronson.

Sunshine committee reported 10 shut-in members received Christmas remembrances and gifts. Beulah Western was selected to serve as AIA chaplain for the 1979-80 period.

Refreshments were served by Marie Hennigar, Nettie Hester and Pearl Spencer.

## Marian Rose Received Past President's Pin

Presenting a past president pin to Marian Rose on completion of her term in office of Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, Wednesday, January 3, was Gertrude Reece, assistant state director.

Accepting roles as new officers were Mabel Smith, president; Donald Langley, first vice president; Emma Hatcher, second vice president; Clarabelle Eckman, recording secretary; Frank Hammond, treasurer, and Dorothy Wilson, assistant treasurer. Board members include Ervin Wilec, Marie and Ernest Hall, Florence Britton and Cleo Sommers.

Entertainment was under the direction of Fred Francis. Tawas Area Fun Band, directed by Eleanor Donahue, provided music with Thelma McGuire at the piano and James Roby on the ukulele. Glitter Bugs, a dance group, was led by Eleanor VanMeter. Roby and Joseph Greenway sang a duet and Greenway followed with refrains from 1918-30. Francis led the choraleers and invited the group to join in.

A pot-luck dinner and surprise will be featured at the Wednesday, January 17, noon meeting.



## New Trooper Assigned to East Tawas Post

Ralph R. Boudreau Jr. of Manistique has been assigned to the Michigan State Police Post, East Tawas, following graduation exercises Friday, December 29, at National Guard Armory, Lansing. Boudreau was among the largest class to be sworn in for duty when 133 trooper candidates completed the 95th recruit school which began September 25 with 214 candidates.

## this... that and the other

Mrs. Warner Pearson of Tawas City enjoyed Christmas dinner with her husband at Provincial House. Holiday guests visiting Mrs. Pearson and her husband were their daughter, Kay Michalek of Flint; granddaughters, Rita Michalek of Flint and Patricia Michalek of Lansing; grandson, the Rev. Daniel Michalek of Pennsylvania, and great grandson, Mark Michalek.

Miss Sheryl Metcalf, student at Grand Rapids, joined her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Metcalf, and sister and brother, Janet and Richard, for the Christmas holidays. The family celebrated the event with Mrs. Metcalf's brother, Jacob Dewald, and family of Augres.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ledsworth of Tawas City were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pagel, and family of Waterford and their son, Dennis Ledsworth, and family of Jenison.

Enjoying a holiday vacation with their mother, Mrs. Herbert Hertzler of East Tawas, were Mr. and Mrs. Darvis Ostrander and family of Columbus, Ohio, and the Richard Hertzler family of St. Louis, Missouri.

Former Tawas City residents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ulman and family of Eaton Rapids, enjoyed two weeks at Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Earl Authier, and husband of San Antonio, Texas.

Among guests at the Miller-Grandy wedding Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fraley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Fraley of St. Clair; James, Chris and Cheri Shaw of Ohio.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart of East Tawas included Dr. and Mrs. Donald Christian (nee Sandra Stewart) of Duluth, Minnesota; Douglas Stewart and Karla Miller of Mt. Pleasant; John A. Stewart of Ann Arbor, and the Lloyd Campbells of Flint. Ice fishing and skiing were enjoyed by the group.

Russell Leopard of Warren, son of Marie Leopard of Tawas City, has moved to 6010 South Randall Street, Tucson, Arizona 85706. Friends may reach him at this address.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Krueger and children of East Tawas arrived home Thursday evening from a 10-day trip to Florida. While there, they visited Disneyland and other points of interest.

Clarence Blaisdell of East Tawas was honored at a dinner party at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Quarters Sr., on the occasion of his 83rd birthday Thursday, January 4. Among guests were Mrs. Blaisdell; grandson, Charles Quarters Jr., and wife of Tawas City; granddaughter, Mrs. Gerald Moeller, and husband of East Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Serda and children, Lisa and Scott, have returned to their home in Farmington Hills after spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Clyde Evril of Tawas City.

Mrs. Lydia Sied of East Tawas has returned from Noblesville, Indiana, where she spent the holidays with her sons, James and Robert Ballenger.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rapp of Bay City were Monday guests of his mother, Mrs. William Rapp of Tawas City.

Mrs. Mae Ferguson is at her home in East Tawas after spending the past several weeks with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schultz of Chicago, Illinois.

Rudolph Heumann of Ypsilanti has returned home after spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Amanda Wresche of Tawas City.

Mrs. Matilda Jarvela of East Tawas spent two weeks with her daughter in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lansky of Tawas City enjoyed a two-week visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hughes of Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilkuski of East Tawas were guests of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Wilkuski of Evergreen, Colorado, for a couple of weeks.

A birthday dinner for family and friends honoring Miss Gayle Coyle was enjoyed Monday evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. Virginia Coyle of Tawas City.

Richard Carlson of Detroit is a guest at the East Tawas home of Mrs. Julie Fica for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wellna of Tawas City drove to Bay City to spend the day with her sisters, Mrs. Michael Posh of Bay City and

Mrs. Orison Proper of Mesa, Arizona. The Proper had flown from Arizona to enjoy the holidays with their children in Brighton.

Mrs. Christopher Wilson of East Tawas has returned from Saginaw General Hospital where she was a recent patient.

Friends are pleased to learn that Mrs. Leeta Schlaack has returned to her Tawas City home after fracturing a hip. She spent several weeks in St. Luke's Hospital, Saginaw, and Tawas Hospital.

Mrs. Mary Westerlund of East Tawas was a holiday guest of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Richardson of Birch Run.

Richard, Prescott Jr. of New York visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Prescott Sr. of Tawas City, over the holidays.

Mrs. Floyd Watts of East Tawas is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Ann Rollins of Roseville, and will visit her husband's mother, Mrs. Violet Radlick, in St. Clair Shores before returning home.

Mrs. Stanley Medalis is at her East Tawas home after spending the holidays with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Medalis, and family of Westford, Vermont.

Recent guests of George Hamilton of East Tawas were his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Little of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. David Francis (nee Cheryl Greenwood) and children have returned to their home in St. Louis, Missouri, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Greenwood of East Tawas.

Mrs. Ethel Speed of East Tawas has returned home after spending the holidays with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Manley Bell, and family in New Lothrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Konenski hosted a surprise birthday party Saturday evening at their Tawas City home honoring William Schultz on his 40th birthday.

Jeffrey Perkins of East Tawas visited friends in Alpena a few days last week.

Leslie Fraser of East Tawas is

recuperating at Room 205, Alpena General Hospital, following surgery to repair a hip fracture sustained in a fall at home New Year's Day. Cards would be appreciated.

Mrs. Bessie Toska returned Saturday to her Tawas City residence after visiting with her daughter, Darla, at Mayo Clinic during the holidays. Darla is recuperating at Methodist Hospital, Nursing Skill Center, Rochester, Minnesota, following surgery. She would appreciate hearing from friends in the area during her two to three-month confinement.

## VFW Auxiliary Finalizes Plans

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 5678 finalized plans for the dinner and honors awards for winners of Voice of Democracy contest sponsored by the organization. Members of the auxiliary and parents of the honorees are extended an invitation to attend. A pot-luck meal is to be served by members at 6:30 o'clock Saturday evening, January 13, at the post home. During the meeting held Monday,

January 8, Joan McKenzie was given a life membership in the National Home. Guest at the session was Susan Barnes, a member of the United States Navy on leave from Virginia Beach, Virginia. Theresa Roiter, president, presided.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Roiter and Lu Baker following the business session. Planning commission will convene at 7 o'clock Monday evening, January 22, preceding the regular meeting.

## IN THE SERVICE-

## Wayne Frank Promoted by CG

Wayne Frank of Sault Ste. Marie was promoted to petty officer second class January 1. He is serving duty with the United States Coast Guard as commander of a 41-foot search and rescue boat in the Sault Ste. Marie area.

Frank joined the coast guard in April 1977. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Frank of Tawas City. His wife, Debbie, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Harry Crawford, also of Tawas City.



## Mr. and Mrs. Cadorette Mark 50 Years of Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cadorette Sr. of Tawas City were honored at an open house Saturday, January 6, celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary. The former Frieda Krumm and Mr. Cadorette were married at Emanuel Lutheran Church, Tawas City, January 12, 1929, and have resided in the area

since that time. Hosting the affair were their family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cadorette Jr. of Tawas City, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cadorette of Belmont and Mr. and Mrs. James (Beverly) Fica of Turner. The couple has 11 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

## Tawas Hospital Miller-Grandy Marriage Vows at IHM Church

**BIRTHS-**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Brian Edwards, Oscoda, January 2, a daughter, Bethany Marie, weight seven pounds, 10 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Kobs, East Tawas, January 3, a son, Andrew Dean, weight eight pounds, 13 3/4 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gail Lyon, Oscoda, January 3, a son, Michael Milton, weight six pounds, 7 3/4 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bischoff, East Tawas, January 4, a son, Jason Scott, weight five pounds, one ounce.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Newkirk, East Tawas, January 5, a son, weight nine pounds, 9 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Harding, Oscoda, January 6, a son, weight seven pounds, 13 1/2 ounces.

**ADMISSIONS-**  
Visiting hours: 1:00-8:00 p. m. Tawas City: Tommy Smith, Irene Myrtle Wilson, Sophie Burch, Violet Elkins, Lydia Musolf.

East Tawas: Eunice Johnson, Sylvia Cyr, Joseph Trudell.

County: Marvel Stickney, John Mahler, Stanley Bolinski, Susan Scheidler, Roxanne Lake, Mary C. Wehrman, Stanley Skrzypek, Alma Burt, Marty MacLachlan, Oscoda; Timothy Anschutz, National City; Patricia Woyahn, Whittemore.

Other communities: Alton Efrick, Greenbush; Marie Hamlin, Glennie; Ronnie Nelson, South Branch; Herbert Krumbach, Harrisville; Henry Heinrich Jr., Augres.

In 6 o'clock rites at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Tawas City, Friday, January 5, the Rev. Fr. Lawrence Boks officiated at the double ring ceremony uniting Marie Grandy and Gene Miller.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grandy of East Tawas. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller, also of East Tawas.

The former Miss Grandy chose an A-line gown with Empire waistline and scoop neckline in powder blue polyester crepe. A lace cape flowed from a high neckline over the shoulders to form a flowing train. White and blue roses and chrysanthemums adorned a prayer book to complement her attire.

Beth Brown was maid of honor. She wore a green gown and carried a bouquet of white and yellow carnations and daisies. Serving as best man was Thomas Schultz of Tawas City.

White gardenias enhanced the gowns of the mothers and grandmother, Mrs. Robert Danford, as they greeted guests at a reception at East Tawas American Legion Hall.

The couple will reside at 1146 West Lake Street, Tawas City.

A shower honored the bride with Miss Brown and her sister, Judy, hosting the affair.



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### Bowling ...

#### HALE CREEK LANES

Thurs. Afternoon Women	W	L
Windarla Kennels	4	0
Bernard Lumber	4	0
Don Erb Builders	3	1
White Pine Realty	3	1
Lupton Garage	1	3
Atward's Market	1	3
Kocher's Market	0	4
Kenyon's Resort	0	4

Team High Series: Windarla Kennels, 2678; White Pine Realty, 2812; Don Erb Builders, 2777.

Team High Single: White Pine Realty, 1004; Windarla Kennels, 990; Bernard Lumber, 981.

Individual High Series: G. Hendrickson, 633; B. Bernard, 626; M. McKenzie, 610.

Individual High Single: M. McKenzie, 240; G. Hendrickson, 226; M. Dombrowski, 223.

Minor	W	L
Lupton Garage	6	2
Barnes Sand & Gravel	5	3
Powers Aluminum	4 1/2	3 1/2
Kenyon's	4 1/2	3 1/2
American Legion	4	4
L&L Ballard Builders	3 1/2	4 1/2
Bernard Lumber	3 1/2	4 1/2
Kocher's Market	1	7

Team High Series: Lupton Garage, 2950; Kenyon's, 2917; American Legion, 2908.

Team High Single: Kenyon's, 1036; American Legion, 1012; Lupton Garage, 1011.

Individual High Series: George Nichols, 667; Bert Carpenter, 651; Don Palmer, 645.

Individual High Single: Bert Carpenter, 246; Ralph Eisenmann, 245; George Nichols, Don Palmer, 236.

Commercial	W	L
Mousseau Body Shop	8	0
Trading Post	6	2
Dane Construction	4	4
Webb Well Drilling	3	5
Hale Pharmacy	3	5
Nathan's Upholstery	3	5
Scotfield Real Estate	3	5
Perry's Auction Service	2	6

Team High Series: Dane Construction, 3194; Nathan's Upholstery, 3119; Scotfield Real Estate, 3069.

Team High Single: Dane Construction, 1125; Webb Well Drilling, 1065; Nathan's Upholstery, 1064.

Individual High Series: Lloyd Springsteen, 764; Bud Bamister, 675; Nathan Nunn, 646.

Individual High Single: Lloyd Springsteen, 276; Ray Hendrickson, 269; Jim Holtz, 254.

Ups & Downs

Kenyon's Bar	W	L
Jack of all Trades	41	31
Daeschlein Realty	40 1/2	31 1/2
Desi's Taco Lounge	40	32
Timber Steak House	38	24
Hale Asphalt	36 1/2	35 1/2
Mary's Team	29	43
Team No. 7	14	58

Team High Series: Daeschlein Realty, 2418.

Team High Single: Jack of all Trades, 831.

Individual High Series: Charline DeWitt, 634; Joe Tomczak, 630.

Individual High Single: Kate Nichols, 229; Joe Zidick, 224.

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

## Hale Area News

### DOUGLAS BROWN HEADS DEMOCRATS

At a regular meeting of Iosco County Democratic Party Wednesday, January 3, Douglas Brown was re-elected chairperson. Other offices filled were Robert Pember, treasurer; Evelyn Brown, vice chairperson, and Alice Friebe, secretary. Term of office is a two-year period.

### HAL OES CHAPTER HELD REGULAR MEETING

Hale Chapter No. 482, Order of the Eastern Star, held its regular meeting Wednesday, January 3, at the Hale Masonic Temple with Alice Stevenson, worthy matron, presiding.

Introductions were Joyce Bellville, Robert Brandt and Helen Taylor.

Following the regular order of business, luncheon was served in the dining room.

Named to the February refreshment committee were Barbara and Phyllis Harvey, Stella Hudzinski, Agnes Herrick and Mary Terry.

### CAROL GRAVES HONORED AT NORTHWOOD INSTITUTE

Carol J. Graves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Graves, has been named to the chancellor's list for the fall term, announced Thomas J. Brown, chancellor of Northwood Institute. She was among 27 students achieving an "A" average.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lindberg of Long Lake were their daughter, Mrs. Michael McDonald; her husband, and children, Michael, Danny and Jill, of Moraga, California. Joining the family were their son, Terrance Lindberg; his wife, and children, Kiersten and Mark, of Stevensville.

Mrs. Mary Terry was a New Year's Day dinner guest of Phyllis and Barbara Harvey. The Harveys were recently in Bay City on business.

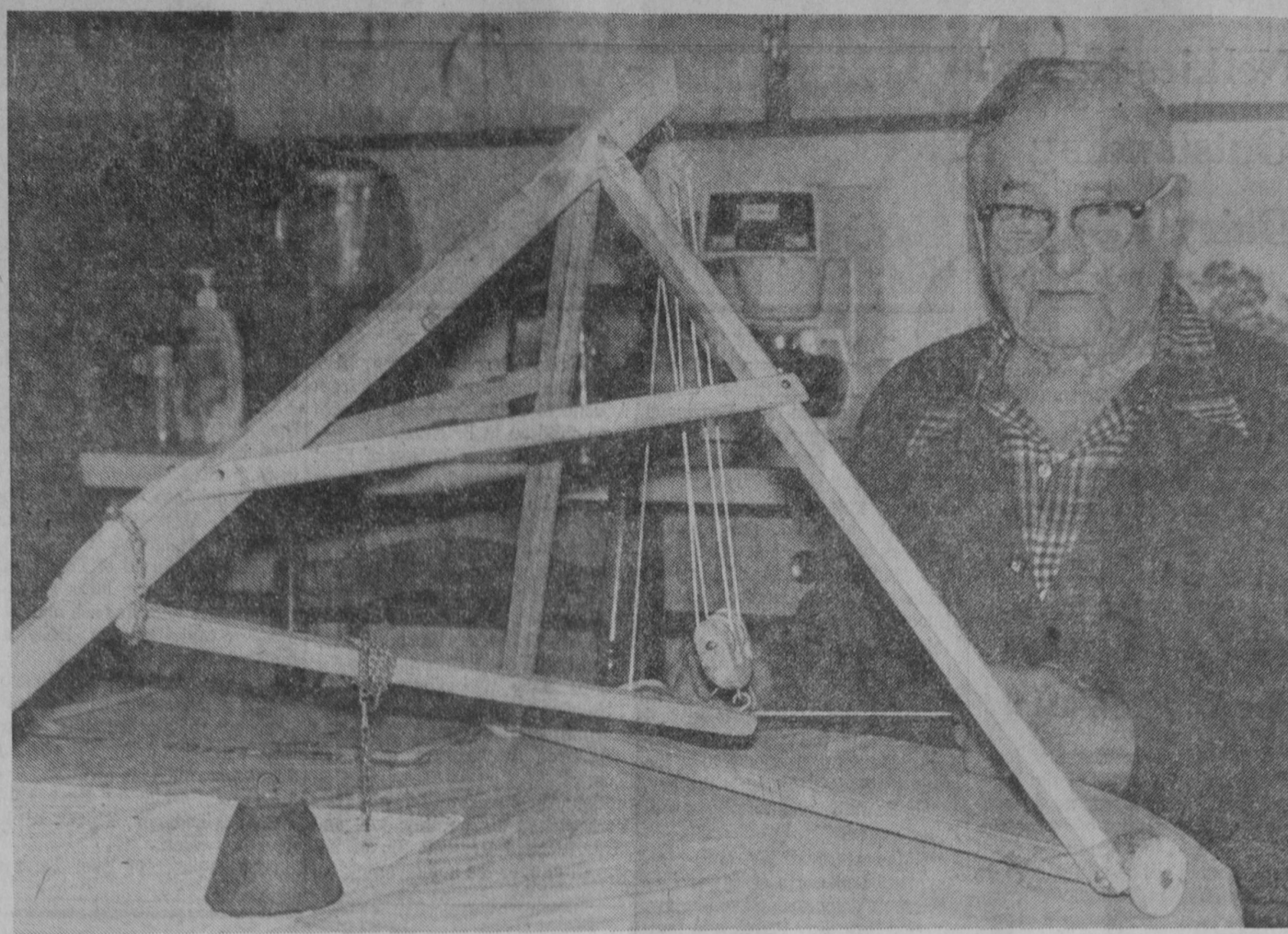
## Snowmobile Rally Set at Tawas G&CC

A snowmobile rally is scheduled for the week-end of January 19, 20 and 21 with headquarters at Tawas Golf and Country Club.

A moonlight ride and hot dog roast opens the program on Friday, January 19, at 10:00 p. m.

There will be a safari and trail cookout at 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, January 20. A 50-mile ride will be featured.

Sunday's program includes surprise events at 11:00 a. m.



AFTER READING an historical article recently in The Tawas Herald describing the work involved in removing white pine stumps from Iosco farmland, William A. Krumm, 85, Townline Road, went into his workshop and made a scale model of a stump pulling machine. "It is just like the one I worked on as a kid removing 15 to 20 stumps a day along the Meadow Road," said Krumm. A retired bait shop operator, Krumm returned to Tawas

City in 1944 after working many years in the experimental division of Briggs Manufacturing Company at Detroit. His working model features handmade pulleys in a block and tackle system which is powered by hand. In actual use with a regular machine, a team of horses would be hitched to the "line" held in Krumm's left hand. "Pulling stumps was a lot of hard work," he recalls.—Tawas Herald Photo.

## Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

The Iosco County Board of Commissioners would like to start out the New Year with an extra effort toward opening the door of communication between all the people of the county and ourselves.

We hold our regular meetings the first and third Wednesday every month; except during April and October when the date is set by statute. Our next meeting will be January 17, in the district court room. The public is always invited to attend. There will be time set aside at approximately 10:30 a. m. for anyone who wishes to address the board. All people are requested to limit their talk to five minutes. Anyone needing more time should first contact me by calling 362-4212 and request for time to be set aside on the agenda.

As public officials, we realize that a lot of our actions are covered by the news media. Sometimes emphasis is on that which makes the most exciting reading. We, representing various parts of the county, get many requests for different courses of action. Sometimes these requests are in opposition to each other. Sometimes these requests require taxpayers' money that has not been budgeted. Sometimes actions are either urged or discouraged by the public which seem clear on the surface but, of course, these ideas for action require research which we commissioners try to do before we act. As you probably realize, it is impossible to please everyone. We use our own judgment and make decisions which we feel are of the best interest to the whole county.

Sometimes resolutions are passed which may look like we are only thinking of ourselves, but I assure you most issues have two sides and we urge the public to contact their commissioners and discuss these controversial issues. Several of us commissioners are questioning long established procedures and uses of county money in the belief that reviews are part of our job and responsibility. These reviews will probably show, in most cases, that correct and efficient action is already taking place. We hope that no one is offended by the questions we ask or the seemingly ridiculous ideas we toss around; for by doing this, good ideas are known to develop.

I would personally like to thank the many people who are doing business with the county and hope I don't offend them as long as their business is to the best interest of the county as well as for themselves. I believe that no person or corporation doing business with the county should be treated as a "sacred cow," particularly if the best interest of the county points toward doing business with a different party, we should do so, regardless of the criticism we receive or even if someone's friend loses the county's business.

I again urge the people to speak with their commissioners to discuss, argue or best of all, an occasional pat on the back. I personally pledge to be open

with the public and to do my best for all the people of this county.

Sincerely,  
John D. Webb Jr.  
Chairman of the Iosco County Board of Commissioners

### Mrs. Anschuetz Died Jan. 5

Augusta L. Anschuetz of Tawas City passed away Friday, January 5, at Iosco Medical Care Facility at the age of 80 years. She was born November 19, 1898, in Wilber Township and was married to Arnold Anschuetz, who predeceased her in 1968.

She was a member of Emanuel Lutheran Church where services were conducted Monday, January 8, with the Rev. James Rockhoff officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Surviving are three sons, Clifford and Clyde of Alpena and Harold of Tawas City; four daughters, Arlene Olsen of East Tawas, Gladys Lemuel of Bay City, Shirley Benmark of Gladwin and Carol Brooks of Essexville. She also leaves 19 grandchildren; seven great grandchildren, and two sisters, Selma Thompson of East Tawas and Marie Kauer of Massachusetts.

### Funeral Held for Edward Krumm

Funeral services for Edward M. Krumm of Tawas City were held Sunday, January 7, at Jacques and Kobs West Chapel, Tawas City, with Elder Elmer Norton and the Rev. Kenneth Tousley officiating. He passed away Thursday, January 4, at Tawas Hospital. Interment was in Memory Gardens Cemetery.

He was born May 11, 1902, in Tawas Township and was married to the former Violet Ulman in 1925 at Tawas City. He was a member of the Farm Bureau and held the position of Blue Cross secretary for many years.

Besides his wife, he leaves four sons, Kenneth of Tawas City, Melvin of Utica, Lloyd and Dwayne of Flint; a daughter, Lulu Lacy of Tawas City; 19 grandchildren; six great grandchildren. He also leaves a brother, Reno of Delaware, and five sisters, Emma Holloway and Esther Hinze of Bay City, Meta Newark of Auburn, Irene Lapere and Della Strauer of Tawas City.

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## Bowling ...

### TAWAS LANES

Friday Mixed	W	L
Wood Splitters	7	1
Goof Balls	7	1
Miller Shoes	6	2
M&M's	6	2
Chaperones	5	3
Coyie's	3	5
Gator and the Ades	2	6
Doobers	2	6
Lucky Whips	1	7
Zig-Zags	1	7

Team High Series: Wood Splitters, 2551; Miller Shoes, 2361; Goof Balls, 2355.

Team High Single: Wood Splitters, 881; Goof Balls, 820; M&M's, 803.

Individual High Series: Dave Baker, 706; Pam Baker, 640; John Miknyocki, 638.

Individual High Single: Dave Baker, Pete Hupcik, 243; Pam Baker, 239; John Miknyocki, 236.

Braves & Squaws

Sioux	W	L
Iroquois	3	1
Mohican	3	1
Commanche	3	1
Chippewa	3	1
Apache	1	3
Blackfeet	1	3
Navajo	1	3
Mohawk	1	3
Cherokee	0	4

Team High Series: Chippewa, 2304; Mohican, 2275; Blackfeet, 2268.

Team High Single: Blackfeet, 810; Chippewa, 808; Mohican, 781.

Individual High Series: D. Foster, 657; B. Ross, 635; L. Mertz, D. Barr, 627.

Individual High Single: B. Ross, 247; D. Foster, 246; M. Cockburn, 241.

Friday Night Ladies	W	L
North Star Motel	7	1
Barbier Oil	6	2
McIntosh-McKay No. 1	6	2
Tawas Bar	6	2
Dairy Queen	5	3
H&B Trucking	4	4
Strauer's Market	4	4
Tawas Bay Glass	2	6
McIntosh-McKay-East	0	8
Squires Wheel Alignment	0	8

Team High Series: Tawas Bar, 2845; Barbier Oil, 2805; Tawas Bay Glass, 2751.

Team High Single: Barbier Oil, 1014; Tawas Bar, 964; Tawas Bay Glass, 963.

Individual High Series: Evelyn Taylor, 655; Karen St. James, 629; Lita Walsh, 612.

Individual High Single: Karen St. James, 245; Evelyn Taylor, 242; Pat Whitford, 238.

Guys & Dolls	W	L
Saints & Sinners	3	1
Jokers	3	1
Quartet	3	1
Pickups	2	2
Should-A-Been	2	2
That Other Team	2	2
Leftovers	2	2
Screwballs	1	3
Misfits	1	3
Pretenders	1	3

Team High Series: Saints & Sinners, 2322.

Team High Single: Saints & Sinners, 806.

Individual High Series: Jim Hilbert, 673; Pat Whitford, 641.

Individual High Single: Paul Beauparlant, 256; Pat Whitford, 240.

## Amish Families Buying Farms

Western Iosco County's new Amish community continues to grow, according to a report Thursday by Leon Putnam, Iosco County register of deeds.

Portions of the old W. T. Hill Ranch fronting on M-55 in Reno Township were sold to Amish families. A new road is to be constructed to serve two parcels of land.

A 320-acre parcel of Section 17, Reno Township, was sold by Thomas Bain Sr. of Howell to Richard Troyer and wife of LaGrange, Indiana. The sale price was listed at \$100,000.

Land transfers in the register of deeds office also indicated that 320 acres owned by Bain in Section 20 were sold to Ezra Miller and wife, also of LaGrange. The consideration for this parcel was listed at \$162,000 and includes the farm buildings.

Also recorded at the same time was the sale of 78 acres in Section 30 of Plainfield Township from Edwin B. White to Daniel H. Lambright. The sale price was \$29,000.

Several Amish families moved into Plainfield and Reno Townships last fall.

Lyle Adams sold a farm on Gallion Road to Ervin N. Miller and wife for \$100,912 and a 320-acre

parcel in the former Webber Ranch owned by the YMCA was purchased September 1 by Harvey J. Lambright and wife, also of LaGrange, at a price of \$182,000.

Putnam said that the industrious farming families had been given a welcome by their neighbors in the Hale area. The Amish families are conducting a school for their own children on the former Adams farm.

### Entries Open for Perchville Queen

Entry blanks are now available at Tawas Chamber of Commerce office for the 1979 Perchville-USA queen contest.

To be eligible, the candidate must be between the ages of 18 and 25 years, with a mailing address of East Tawas, Tawas City or Albaster.

The contest is also open to Tawas Area High School senior girls. Entry fee in the contest is \$15, which is to be paid by a business or individual sponsoring the candidate.

Deadline for filing is January 15 and further information may be obtained by telephoning 362-8509.

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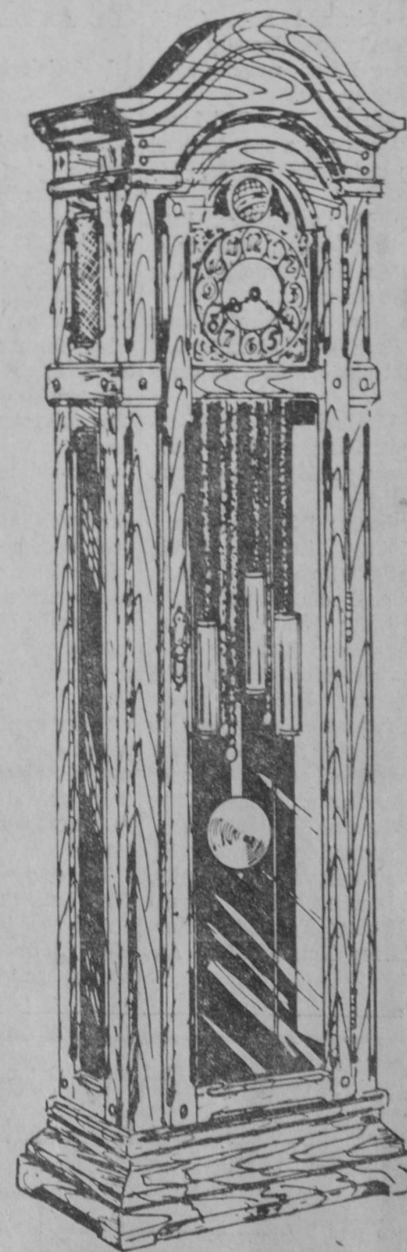
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MESS OF MUTTS—One of the featured attractions of Elf Khurafen Temple's 35th annual Shrine Circus to be held January 19-23 at the Saginaw Civic Center will be the zany act of the Moore family. With 20 dogs of unknown ancestry gathered from dog shelters all over the nation, they combine to make a most unusual act. Many of the dogs have appeared on television and in commercials and have appeared the past four Christmas holidays at Disneyland in Anaheim, California.

## Weather 'Lingo' Explained by NOAA Station at Alpena

With winter here, residents of areas where snowstorms and blizzards may occur need to brush up on their weather vocabulary, officials at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration believe.

The Alpena weather office believes residents need to know meanings of the numerous weather terms used by NOAA's National Weather Service in its forecasts.

The commerce department agency has provided a glossary of terms likely to be used in winter fore-

casts, as well as in watches—when severe weather may occur and, in warnings, when severe weather is almost certain to occur and may threaten life or property.

Unless qualified in a National Weather Service forecast by such words as "occasional" or "intermittent," a prediction of snow indicates a steady fall for several hours.

Snow flurries are short durations of snowfall at intermittent periods. Accumulation generally is small.

Snow squalls are brief, intense falls of snow accompanied by gusty surface winds.

Heavy snow warnings are issued when a fall of four inches or more is expected in a 12-hour period, or

a fall of six inches or more is expected in a 24-hour period.

Blowing and drifting snow generally occur together. Blowing snow reduces horizontal visibility, while the term drifting snow indicates that strong winds will cause significant drifts.

Blizzard warnings are issued when winds with speeds of at least 35 miles per hour are accompanied by considerable falling or blowing snow and visibility is dangerously restricted.

Travelers' advisories are issued to indicate that falling, blowing or drifting snow, freezing rain or drizzle, sleet or strong winds may make driving difficult.

## 1978 TA Graduates Sent Vocational Questionnaire

According to John Alexander, principal of Tawas Area High School, questionnaires are being mailed this week to last year's graduating class to determine the effectiveness of vocational training offered at the high school.

The survey will ask students if they are presently employed or unemployed, how well vocational training fitted them for employment and their own opinions concerning the school's vocational program.

Students continuing their education, in the military service or are homemakers will be asked how the school's vocational training program may have helped them and their opinions as to possible improvements.

The follow-up survey with graduates is a requirement of the state department of education.



JANUARY 10-16  
Wednesday, January 10—  
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 sack lunch, East Tawas Community Building.  
Nanciannes of Tawas Elks Lodge No. 2525, 7:30 p. m., 124 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.  
Irene Rebekah Lodge No. 137, 8:00 p. m., Odd Fellows Hall, East Tawas.  
Huron Shores Jaycees, 8:00 p. m., Michigan Consolidated Gas Company conference room.  
Thursday, January 11—  
Tawas City Businessmen's Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Midway Restaurant, Tawas City.  
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.  
Friday, January 12—  
Iosco County Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 5678, 8:00 p. m., VFW Hall, Tawas City.  
Hale Winter Festival.  
Saturday, January 13—  
Hale Winter Festival.  
Sunday, January 14—  
Hale Winter Festival.  
Monday, January 15—  
Tawas City Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.  
East Tawas Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.  
Tuesday, January 16—  
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.  
Singers, 7:30 p. m., Oscoda High School choral room.  
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.

JANUARY 17-23  
Wednesday, January 17—  
Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, noon pot-luck, East Tawas Community Building.  
Tawas Area Rotary Club regular meeting, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's China House.  
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, January 18—  
Tawas City Businessmen's Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Midway Restaurant, Tawas City.  
Immaculate Heart of Mary Council of Women, 7:30 p. m., parish hall.

1:00 p. m., county building, Tawas City.  
Monday, February 5—  
Tawas City Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.  
East Tawas Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.  
Aud e Johnson Auxiliary No. 211, 8:00 p. m., American Legion Hall, East Tawas.  
Tuesday, February 6—  
Tawas Kiwanis Club, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's China House.  
Tawas City Garden Club, 1:30 p. m., home of Isabelle Leslie.  
TOPS Chapter No. 979, 6:00 p. m. weigh in, 7:00 p. m. meeting, East Tawas City Hall.  
Singers, 7:30 p. m., Oscoda High School choral room.  
Tawas Lodge No. 274, Free and Accepted Ma.ons, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple.  
Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525, 8:00 p. m., 124 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.

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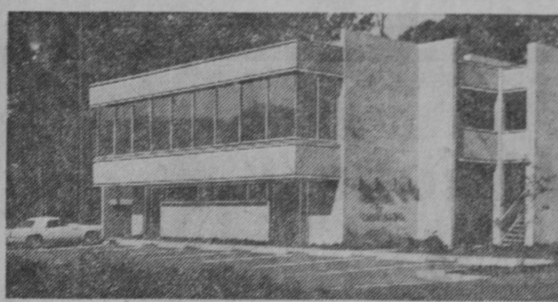
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TODAY'S TEEN at Whittemore-Prescott Area High School is Barbara Erickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Erickson. An all-around active senior with a 3.902 grade point average, her subjects include typing II, bookkeeping, cooperative education, United States Government and she assists with physical education in elementary schools. She was named to the all-conference second team in basketball in 1976-77 and to the first team in 1977-1978; was named to all-conference softball teams in 1976, 1977, 1978; received all-conference honorable mention in volleyball and received citizenship awards in 1977-78. She plans a future career as a physical education teacher. Her extracurricular activities include president of the Varsity Club, president of the senior class, treasurer of Future Farmers of America, secretary of the National Honor Society.

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# Braves' First Quarter Bulge Proved Margin

Despite a weak second half, Tawas Area Braves managed to salvage a 63-60 victory Friday night at Standish-Sterling Central. It was Tawas' second conference victory without defeat, but the Braves will be put to a real test this Friday night when they take on the Flying Gs at Gladwin, the team to beat in the Northeastern Michigan Conference.

The Braves absolutely dominated the backboards Friday night and had hot hands in the first quarter to roll up a 24-14 lead over

the Panthers. Kevin Grace meshed four buckets and a charity toss to lead the way in that quarter, followed by seven points turned in by Brian Norton.

The Panthers turned the tables on Tawas in the second quarter to outscore the Braves, 23-20, but Tawas maintained a 44-37 margin at intermission on the strength of Grace's six points, five by Norton, five by Jim Dubovsky and four points by Kraig Moffatt.

The Braves managed to outscore the Panthers, 13-11, in the third

quarter but were rapidly tiring. Bill King meshed two buckets to help Tawas' cause. Moffatt connected on one field goal and completed one of two technical foul charity tosses called against the Standish-Sterling coach and the Panthers.

Tawas lost the services of Dubovsky via the five foul route early in the fourth quarter. The Braves held an 11-point lead at one time during the eight minutes, but attempted to stall the game with slightly more than five minutes to go.

Moffatt canned two field goals early in the quarter, but Standish-Sterling took advantage of several turn-overs as Tawas attempted to play control ball.

The Panthers cut Tawas' lead to 61-60 and Moffatt made it 62-60 when he meshed another technical foul charity toss at the Panthers' expense. King made it 63-60 with a charity toss to put the game on ice.

Standish-Sterling drove in and missed the last shot of the game, despite the fact that Tawas defenders offered little resistance to avoid a foul shot.

Tawas had a well-balanced scoring attack with Grace leading the way with 17 points, although he tired in the second half and only meshed one bucket. Moffatt was next in line with 16 points, Norton had 14 points and Dubovsky had 10.

The Panthers had three players scoring in double figures, led by Duane LaClair's 18 points.

Tawas made only 50 percent of its free throws, canning 15 of 30 shots. The Panthers made good on 10 of 18 shots.

Tawas lost the preliminary game, 61-56, but the Junior Braves roared back in the fourth quarter to make it a contest. Standish-Sterling's junior varsity jumped off to an 18-8 margin in the first quarter, but Tawas held the upper hand, 18-14, in the second quarter. The winners had another 18-8 margin in the third quarter and Tawas came back with a 22-11 scoring edge in the fourth quarter.

Jay Grabow topped Tawas scorers with 16 points, followed by eight points each by Jerry Nivison and Jeff Wojahn, six points each by Brian Lansky and Rick Mousseau, five points by Bruce Bolen, three points turned in by Bob Hester and two by Jon Erickson.

TAWAS	FG	FT	TP
Dubovsky	3	4	10
King	2	2	6
Grace	7	3	17
Moffatt	7	2	16
Norton	5	4	14
Mousseau	0	0	0
	24	15	63

STANDISH-STERLING	FG	FT	TP
Gulvas	4	1	9
Jurek	4	3	11
Decatur	5	0	10
Schnetzler	4	0	8
LaClair	7	4	18
Trombley	1	0	2
LaBeau	0	1	1
McElrly	0	1	1
	25	10	60

**Cong. Davis' Rep. Holds Office Hours Today**

Northern Michigan Cong. Robert Davis announced that his Lower Peninsula district representative will hold office hours in Iosco County Wednesday (today), January 10.

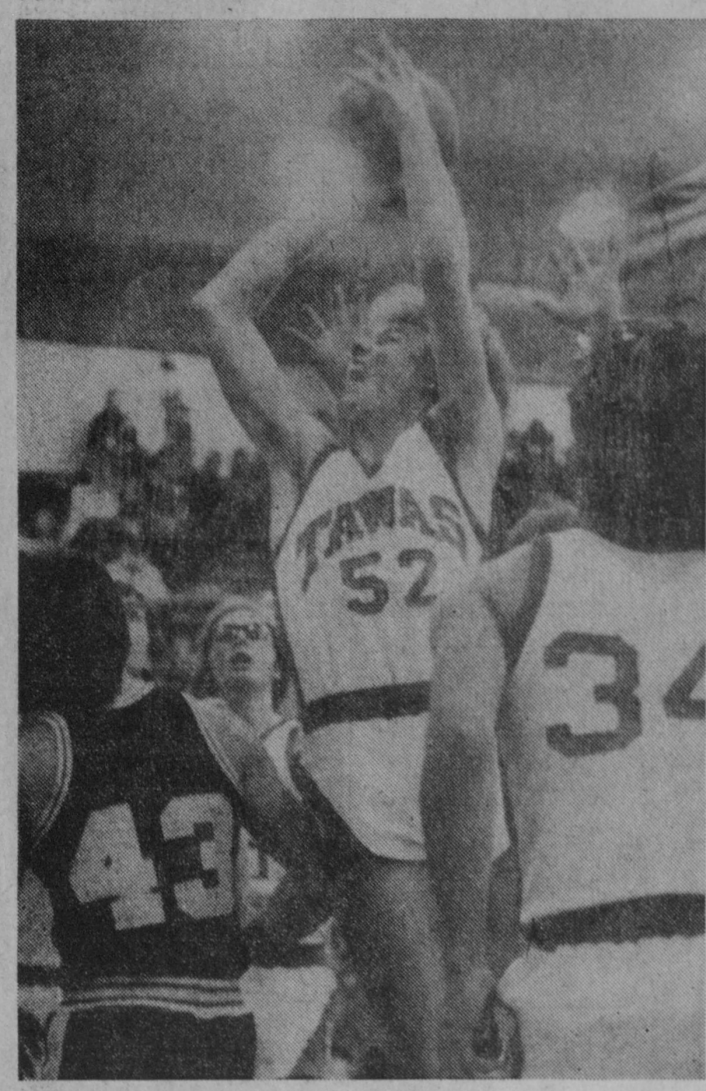
Jerry Newhouse has scheduled office hours from 10:00 to 11:00 a. m. at the Iosco County Building, Tawas City. Any area citizen wishing to discuss a matter involving the federal government is invited to visit at that time. No prior appointment is necessary.

**Class of 1959 Seeks Committee for Reunion**

Persons interested in helping to plan the reunion of the 1959 class of Tawas Area High School are asked to meet at Tawas Golf and Country Club Thursday evening, January 11, 8:00 p. m. Suggestions are welcome and if unable to attend, persons may call Mrs. Robert Watts (Joellen Fernet) at 362-6188 or Mrs. Thomas Reinhold (Sharon Klee) at 362-4343.



KRAIG MOFFATT'S steady performance in Friday night's game with the Standish-Sterling Panthers helped the Tawas Area Braves post their second conference win of the season. Moffatt (34) drives in for one of his seven field goals during the night.—Tawas Herald Photo.



BRIAN NORTON turned in a 14-point scoring performance Friday night against the Panthers and he completed this shot despite being hemmed in by Panther defenders.—Tawas Herald Photo.

## Foul Trouble for Hale Area Eagles

Visiting Posen won Friday night's game at the charity lanes, turning aside the Hale Area Eagles, 57-48. The visitors won both ends of the double-header as the Posen Junior Varsity downed Hale, 53-48.

Officials gave Posen 39 chances at the charity lines to only 11 for the Eagles. The winners meshed 25 free throws and Hale managed only six.

Posen jumped off to a 13-10 margin in the first quarter and held a 16-11 edge in the second. Hale came back with a 17-14 count in the third quarter and Posen held the upper hand, 14-10, in the final. With only one minute, seven seconds to go in the game, Hale was down by only one point.

The Eagles meshed 30 percent of their shots from the floor in the first half and 38 percent in the second half, but Pawelch controlled the backboards for Posen and that

meant the game.

Ed Seward was high scorer for Hale with 16 points. Kevin Romel and Miller paced the winners with 14 points each.

Hale was to meet Mio Tuesday night and is to play Friday night at Atlanta.

HALE	FG	FT	TP
Reed	2	1	5
Wood	6	0	12
Bernard	1	1	3
Clements	3	2	8
Seward	8	0	16
Robson	1	2	4
	21	6	48

POSEN	FG	FT	TP
Mesiak	2	4	8
Pawelch	0	4	4
Miller	4	6	14
Clarkowski	4	0	8
Romel	3	8	14
Schellie	3	3	9
	16	25	57

## Merschel Again Heads Iosco DPW

Reorganization of the Iosco County Public Works Department Thursday saw Carlton Merschel of East Tawas being re-elected chairman.

Other officers named were Henry Conley, vice chairman, and Harry Krueger, secretary.

Low bid of Urban Wrecking Company, Pinconning, amounting to \$7,000, for removal of the old water tank in Tawas City was given final approval after a review by the engineer.

This project is part of the over-

all water expansion program in the Tawas and Baldwin Township, which was completed last year. Work on removal of the tank is expected to take place 30 days after a letter of authorization is received from the Tawas City Council.

In other business, Kenneth Myles, the department's legal counsel, said that bonding companies of GGL Construction Company and Pittsburgh-Des Moines Company, contractors for water main construction and water towers, had been named parties defendant in the department's two lawsuits to collect damages for contract violations.

A bill was submitted by Edmands Engineering Company for \$26,000, representing additional work by the engineering firm as the result of the project not being finished by the time provided in the contract. The engineering firm is to meet with Myles to determine the amount to be charged against the project and the amount to be billed the bonding companies.

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## Meetings Would Train Farm Wives in Management

Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service is planning a series of dairy meetings designed to help the farm wife become more proficient in her management decisions.

There are 14 meetings planned throughout Michigan, beginning January 9 and concluding February 2. The meeting for farm women in Iosco County will be February 1, at Barn Door Restaurant, West Branch, with Rubeen Kaarre, host. The meeting runs from 9:30 a. m. to 3:30 p. m.

"On today's modern dairy farm, the wife is an important factor in the success of the entire business. These meetings, open to women only, are designed to help farm wives, especially dairy farm wives, become better business partners to their husbands," explains Martin Wilson, MSU Dairy Herd Improvement Association specialist. The meetings will concentrate on handling young stock and then

delve into estate planning. The young stock session looks at alternatives in calf feeding, needs for controlling environmental effects on young stock and reviews methods and benefits of proper calf identification.

"Estate planning is of great interest to women since it deals with the rights and responsibilities of the farm wife as a business partner. This portion of the program will contain some true-to-life examples of problems facing women in estate planning," Wilson says. Discussions of the proper methods of handling such items as property ownership, wills, insurance, taxes, estate transfers and important family papers will be provided. These are items of practical importance to all dairy farm wives and their children.

Details on enrollment or registration for one of these meetings can be obtained from the local county extension service host office.

### Sand Lake

Todd Grosin of New York City, New York, enjoyed the holidays with his grandmother, Mrs. Clyde Hunter. Mrs. Ray McDougall and daughter of Detroit spent several days at the Hunter home.

Joseph Topolewski has returned from several days spent in Bloomfield Hills with his daughter and family.

Mrs. Glenn Bearss has been transferred from Tolfree Hospital, West Branch, to Provincial House, Tawas City.

Lisa LaPalme, Oregon, spent several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marc LaPalme.

Mrs. Ida Sheridan has been discharged from Tawas Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Nance, Lincoln Park, spent some time in the area and visited his parents.

Mrs. Muriel Hartel has been discharged from Saginaw St. Mary's Hospital where she underwent surgery to correct a fractured hip suffered in a fall on December 23.

Sand Lake Heights Men's Association will meet on Monday, January 15, at 7:30 p. m.

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Annual Reorganization

Webb Heads Commissioners



IOSCO COUNTY Board of Commissioners meeting 1979 is shown above at its organizational meeting Wednesday. From left are John Webb (chairman), David George, Carlton Merschel (vice chairman), James Stech and Marian Ulman. —Tawas Herald Photo.

At its reorganizational meeting held Wednesday, John Webb, Fifth District commissioner, was elected chairman of the Iosco County Board of Commissioners.

Elected vice chairman of the commission was Carlton Merschel, who held the chairman position for past two years.

Action during the day saw approval of pay increases for all appointive committees and commissions. Effective January 1, the per diem paid to all appointive boards and commissions will be \$23 for meetings up to four hours and \$35 for meetings longer than four hours, the same pay received by elective commissioners.

David George, Second District commissioner, said it was the first pay increase for appointees in 7 1/2 years. The former rate of pay was \$20 for a four-hour meeting and \$30 for more than four hours.

A resolution adopted by the commission directed the Iosco Parks and Recreation Commission to renegotiate a lease with Consumers Power Company for operation of Old Orchard Park, which would permit the use of a percentage of receipts from that park at other parks in the county. The resolution stated that a primary concern of the parks and recreation commission should be development of more recreational opportunities for Iosco County residents.

In presenting the resolution, Commissioner George pointed out that Consumers Power Company had approved a new lease with Alcona County which permitted utilization of 10 percent of the revenue from a park on its property at other county parks.

During recent years, federal revenue sharing funds received by the county have been utilized for upgrading facilities at Old Orchard Park.

Four persons named to three-year terms on the county planning commission were Anthony Richardson, AuSable Township; Paul Hay, Grant Township; Robert Curry, Tawas Township; Bernard Bergeron, Oscoda Township. Curry and Bergeron had formerly served on the board. James Stech, First District commissioner, was named as the commission's representative.

Membership of the planning commission was changed in order to eliminate domination by the eastern side of the county. Not reappointed to the commission were Ralph Western and Neal Miller of East Tawas.

Other members of the commission include Warren Britt, Sherman Township; Vaughn Bell, Oscoda; Wilbur Roach, East Tawas; Wilfred Holzheuer, Hale; John Weible, Alabaster Township; Leo Gartland, Baldwin Township; Leslie E. Canaan, Oscoda.

Named to the parks and recreation commission were Edward J. Barry of East Tawas and John McArdle of Oscoda, both three-year terms. Marian Ulman was named the commission representative.

Warren Oakley of Plainfield Township was reappointed to a three-year term on the county board of public works. Carlton Merschel was named to replace Joseph Fox on the board and Webb is chairman by statute.

Bruce Myles of Oscoda was reappointed to the county building authority.

Named to the AuSable River Valley Mental Health Services Board were Robert K. Foster, Elizabeth Timmer, Robert Marsh, Sue Sweeney, Jane Zess and Merschel.

A resolution by the board calls for the chairman to appoint an ad hoc committee to seek alternate sites for a sanitary landfill. The committee is to report back to the commission in six months. Miller, former chairman of the planning commission, was appointed to head this new committee. Other members include Joseph Barnes, representing Western Iosco County, and Michael Drewett of Oscoda, an en-

(See COMMISSION, page 2.)

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Loud Tax Cases

LEN J. PATTERSON, editor of The Tawas Herald, was the "chief prosecutor" of the press in the Loud tax cases which proved a controversial issue for Iosco County at the turn of the century. A ballot included in his news columns is shown at upper left.

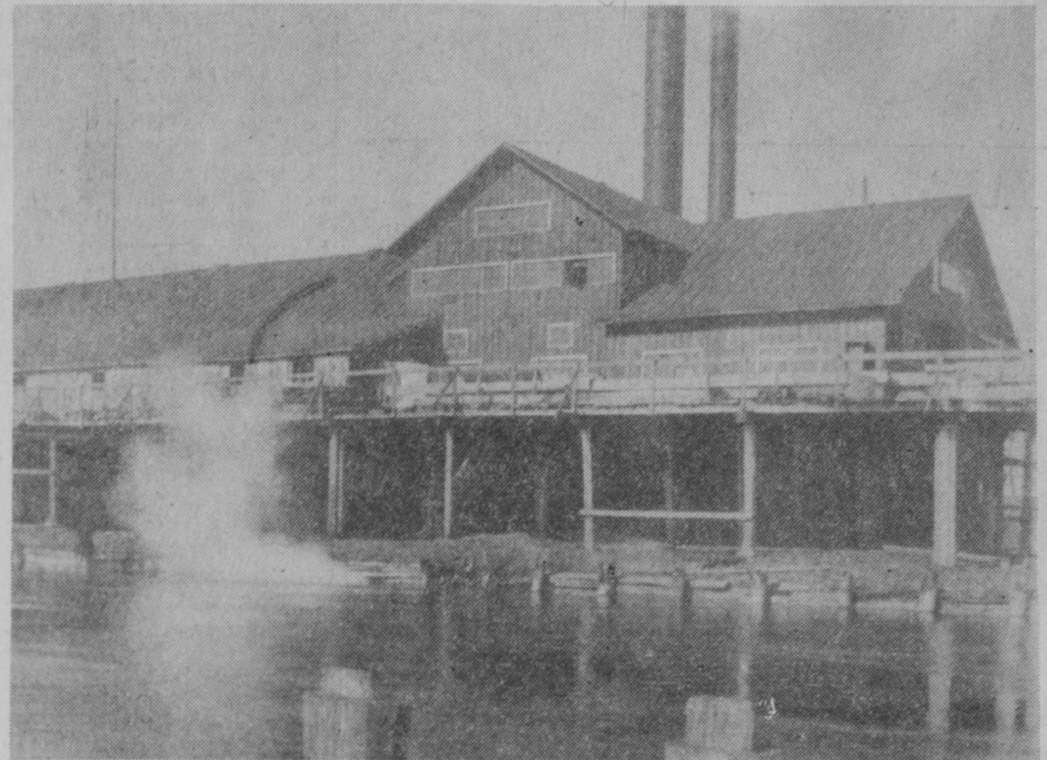
Before the turn of the century, Michigan was controlled by state lumbering interests—from the state house and legislature at Lansing down to county boards of supervisors and township offices, lumbermen had the influence and power to pick officials who would enact legislation benefiting lumbering interests.

Many successful schemes were devised by the lumber barons to avoid paying property taxes and, because of the importance of the industry and the thousands of jobs it provided in this state, there was no particular public outcry on tax cheating until the supply of white pine timber began to peter out and men began to lose jobs in sawmills.

By 1893, after millions of feet of timber had been harvested and sent down the AuSable River to be manufactured into lumber at the twin towns of AuSable and Oscoda, the handwriting was on the wall for the region's lumbering industry. This note in the August 25, 1893, issue of The Tawas Herald foretold of what was to happen: "H. M. Loud and Sons Mill, which closed down a week ago, started up this morning with a 25 percent reduction in wages. Over 500 men from the concern surrounded the mill and forced everyone to go out on strike. Violence is feared."

Through expansion of the former Potts railroad into the interior of the state, tapping still untouched stands of white pine, the Louds were to continue in the lumbering business for another 17 years. Railroad lumbering proved much more expensive than in former days when logs were driven to the mills by means of the mighty AuSable River. To improve the firm's profit picture, the Louds followed a scheme devised by lumbermen of Western Michigan—simply avoid paying property taxes.

One of the first schemes initiated was formation of a new firm, H. M. Loud Sons' Company, replacing the time-honored name of H. M. Loud and Sons Company. This change in the company title was devised as a means of not paying delinquent taxes on property owned by the original company. After due consideration, however, the state courts decreed that, regardless of the change in corporate title, the Louds were still responsible for paying taxes on their vast holdings. Recognizing the future potential of their frontage along the AuSable River, the Louds did not permit this property to revert to the state for nonpayment of taxes. In addition, they sought to colonize cutover lands along the AuSable and Northwestern Railroad by in-



OWNERS of this mill refused to pay taxes in 1896 and prohibited the township treasurer from removing lumber on nearby docks. A writ of replevin against the Loud Company was placed in the hands of the deputy sheriff for service, touching off the longest and most controversial tax case in Iosco County history. Delinquent tax laws throughout Northern Michigan were being circumvented in the courts by lumbermen.

teresting settlers in the development of farms.

In February 1896, the Louds developed another scheme to avoid payment of personal property taxes—they simply did not pay the tax and prevented the tax collector from seizing any property. This item in the February 28, 1896, issue of the Herald made note of the event.

"Treasurer Griffin yesterday morning made another seizure of the lumber on the Loud Company's docks and attempted to have the lumber which was seized removed, but was prevented from doing so, the Loud Company refusing to allow the men on their premises for that purpose. A writ of replevin was sworn out by Griffith and placed in the hands of Deputy Sheriff Blakely. Up to the time of going to press, nothing further has been done in the matter. The Loud Company will probably pay the taxes under protest."

The matter of nonpayment of taxes by the Louds came to a head in Iosco County in 1897 and eventually found its way to the Michigan Supreme Court.

On November 25, 1897, the Herald published the following editorial comment: "The Louds of AuSable are making a mighty howl because the board of supervisors saw fit to apportion the upper end of the county its just share of the taxes. For years, they elected men as su-

perisors for the express purpose of securing low assessments and saddling the tax on others. Yet when given a just proportion, they kick; such is life—with corporations."

Three weeks later, a new attempt at evading payment of taxes at the upper end of the county came to light. The Herald reported that in Oscoda Township, the treasurer failed to file his bond with the county treasurer and was disqualified from collecting the tax.

As provided by law, it became the duty of the sheriff to act as collector. Ironically, that duty fell on Sheriff Peter Shien, who had been superintendent of the Loud firm the previous year.

"The law is very plain as to the duty of tax collectors in cases where persons refuse or neglect to pay the taxes and it is hoped that Sheriff Shien will leave no stone unturned to bring those in line who refuse," stated the Herald. "Iosco County has been beat out of thousands of dollars in the past because tax collectors have been too slack in their efforts to collect."

The tax matter did not end with that episode as A. F. Dudgeon, AuSable Township supervisor, left the state without assessing the 1897 taxes and the township board refused to comply with an order of the supreme court to appoint a successor.

On February 11, 1898, the Herald reported that the state supreme court issued summonses to John Mark, W. A. Sinclair and George C. Walker, members of the AuSable Township Board, to "appear before that tribunal next Tuesday and show why they should not be held for contempt of court for failing to comply with the order of the court and appoint a supervisor in place of A. F. Dudgeon. Unless we miss our guess, someone will yet pay dearly for the attempt made to defraud the county and state out of the taxes in that township," editorialized the Herald.

The above township officers appeared before the supreme court to answer contempt charges and were represented by C. R. Henry, AuSable Township attorney. Pros. Atty. A. E. Sharpe represented the county.

On February 18, 1898, the Herald reported that the AuSable Township Board had appointed James H. McGillivray supervisor in place of Dudgeon, in compliance with the mandatory order of the supreme court. A. R. Wier resigned as treasurer and R. A. Rumford was appointed in his stead. A special meeting of the board of supervisors was called to approve the township's assessment roll.

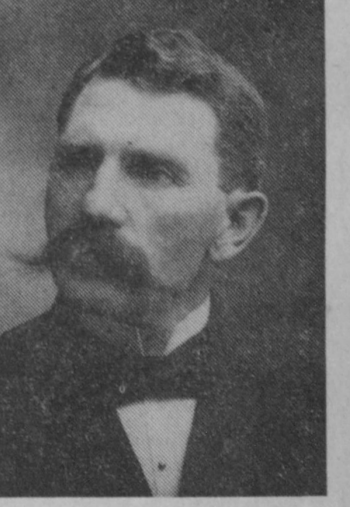
Dudgeon was re-elected supervisor of AuSable Township in April 1898, and it was suggested by the Oscoda Press that the board of su-

pervisors was "rebuked for the unjust equalization of that township." The Herald claimed, however, that Dudgeon was re-elected by his bosses. "How men could claim to be honest and who depend on the general public for support can lend their support to aid corporations to escape a just share of taxes is a mystery," editorialized the Herald.

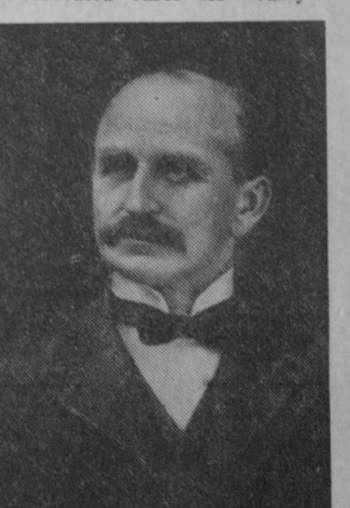
On August 5, 1898, the Herald reported as follows: "After deliberating 20 minutes, an Iosco County Circuit Court jury found Arthur F. Dudgeon, AuSable Township treasurer, guilty of willful neglect of official duties for refusing to spread taxes assessed in AuSable Township."

Despite court rulings of 1897 and 1898, tax matters at the upper end of the county were still not settled. On April 21, 1899, the Herald reported that the Iosco County Gazette and the Oscoda Press "are strongly urging the new board of supervisors to compromise the tax cases now pending against the Loud firm." In its editorial column, the Herald said its position on the cases was well known to its readers.

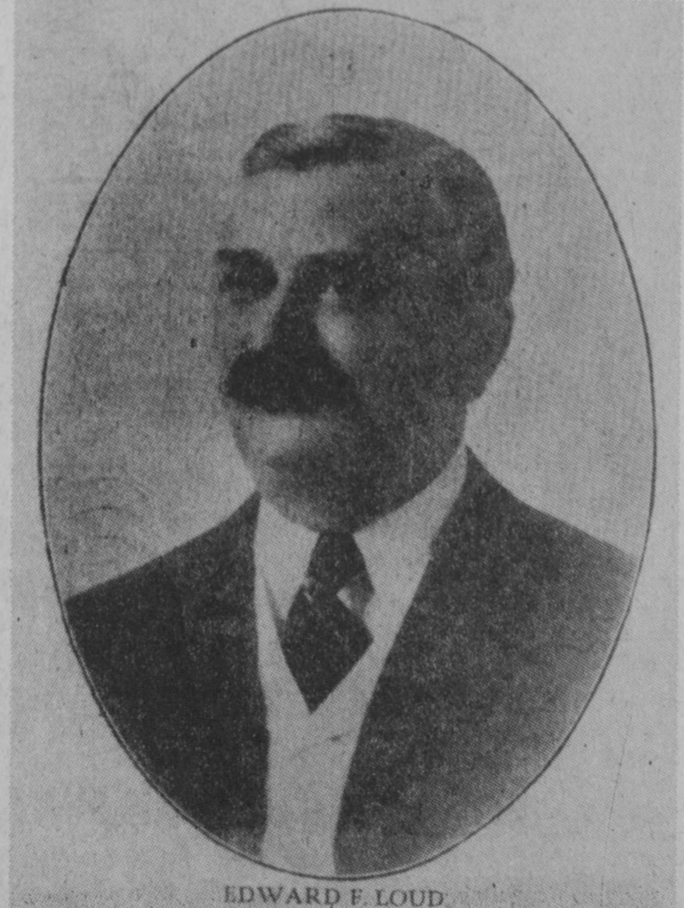
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A. E. SHARPE  
 Prosecuted cases for county.



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Editorial—



CHARLES A. PINKERTON JR. is shown above in a photo snapped two years ago when he was honored by the railroad.

'Man of the Year'

This should have been written several years ago, but if it had appeared earlier, the Herald editor would have been called on the carpet on publication day to answer to one of the most no nonsense men he has ever met.

It has always seemed strange to this corner that when "man of the year" awards and other plaudits were being handed out to worthy individuals, the Tawas always missed one who has done more in the way of providing our fellow citizens with jobs and one who has fostered area industrial development more than any other person in the history of Northeastern Michigan.

It is human nature to take someone for granted, but the community has neglected, sorry to say, to even say "thanks"—not for the jobs or industrial opportunities—but for many of the little things he contributed to the community without any big splash.

The editor would welcome the chance to be "chewed out" this morning before the polished mahogany desk of Charles A. Pinkerton Jr., veteran chairman of the board of the Detroit and Mackinac Railway, for writing this article, but Mr. Pinkerton is home with a serious illness.

Those persons 50 years of age and older, who remember the end of World War II, recall when Mr. Pinkerton returned to Tawas after serving in his country's military service for five years in Southeast Asia. In 1946, the railroad, its equipment and manpower were worn out after a long stint of wartime service.

Named general manager of the railroad by an aging board of directors, he infused new blood into the old D&M—his own and that of many a returning serviceman, whom he placed on the highest priority for hiring. His first major move was to completely revitalize the railroad with new rolling stock and motive power, the D&M becoming one of the very first lines

in the country to become completely dieselized.

Some gray heads wagged when speaking of the D&M in those days and the comment was heard, "he's going to put the old girl under," but time has proven that he was a man of the highest caliber of executive ability. Today, the "old girl" is one of the most profitable short lines in the country and one of the most diversified. It is safe to say that had it been possible to loan some of his executive ability to other roads, the railroad picture in this country might be different today.

It has been a demanding and rewarding job, but it has not been an easy one. For instance, this corner recalls the never-publicized effort of another railroad to take over control of the D&M a few years ago, which would have cost many jobs in this area through removal of the general offices. That crisis was averted by his purchase of additional stock to retain local control.

Like his own job, he demanded the best from the top executives whom he hired and paid well for their services. And, like one of our more distinguished former national presidents, the "bull" ended at his desk. It has always seemed to this corner that the operating crews—the men who keep things rolling on the tracks—have been his "favorites," perhaps harkening back to his own youth when he learned railroading from the ground up.

Today, the Detroit and Mackinac Railway is and has been one of the community's most important employers and all are pleased that a third generation of this railroad family, Charles A. Pinkerton III, has assumed a managerial role in the business.

The Herald editor, using this corner as a public forum, salutes Charles A. Pinkerton Jr. and nominates him as Tawas "man of the year"—something which should have been done years ago.

TODAY'S Meditation

from The World's Most Widely Used Devotional Guide



The Upper Room

(Read John 21:15-23) "When Peter saw him, he said to Jesus, 'Lord, what about this man?' Jesus said to him, 'If it is My will that he remain until I come, what is that to you? Follow Me.'" (John 21:21-22 RSV)

Shortly after we were married, my husband tried to boost my ego. He brought me a statuette of a dumpy lady holding the failure of a birthday cake with the inscription, "World's Greatest Cook." Gratefully, I received his gift but served him that evening's culinary flop.

No, I am not the world's greatest cook, nor the world's greatest housewife, nor the world's greatest mother. But I am trying with all the strength my Saviour gives to me to be all these.

In such a competitive world, it is hard to remember that God calls us to be the "greatest" at only one thing—being ourselves. So today, I will be what no one else can—myself. With God's help, I will be the world's greatest me!

The task is an impossible one if I flounder in the shadow of others. There is always someone with better skills than mine. Yet, living in the shadow of the Saviour's love, asking what He expects of my life, I can become the best me possible.

PRAYER

Lord, help us keep our eyes on You that this day will find us being our best selves. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

My goal is to be the world's greatest me.—Caroline Gilroy (Calgary, Alberta, Canada)

Menus

IOSCO COUNTY DROP-IN CENTERS

Thursday, January 11—Baked chicken, squash, cabbage salad, assorted bread and margarine, tapioca with fruit, coffee, tea, milk.

Friday, January 12—Beef stroganoff on noodles, cheese sticks, broccoli, tossed salad, roll and margarine, peaches, coffee, tea, milk.

Monday, January 15—Ham, scalloped potatoes, stewed tomatoes, roll and margarine, pears, coffee, tea, milk.

Tuesday, January 16—Beef stew with vegetables, cheese sticks, cabbage salad and fruit, biscuit and margarine, chocolate cake, coffee, tea, milk.

Wednesday, January 17—Roast beef, potatoes and gravy, broccoli, assorted bread and margarine, applesauce gelatin salad, coffee, tea, milk.

Lower Hemlock

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Klenow and family returned to their home in Norway after enjoying the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kobs, and other family members in the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Szatkowski and son arrived at Riverside, California, after enjoying a five-day trip. They will reside at 15916 Arnold Street and he will continue his military assignment at March Air Force Base Hospital. Mrs. Szatkowski is the former Vickie Groff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Groff.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin O. Bellinger entertained 32 family members at a gathering to celebrate Christmas. Dinner was served and visiting enjoyed.

Mrs. George Binder is a patient at Iosco Medical Care Facility. Cards and letters would be appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howe of Bay City were Saturday guests of her brother, Waldo Curry, and Mrs. Curry.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. William Krumm drove their grandson, William (Butch), to Tri-City Airport to return to his home in Ocala, Florida, after spending the holidays with friends and relatives in the area.

Mrs. Wilfred Youngs entertained her family with a dinner New Year's evening. Among guests were the Donald Youngs family and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Look and family.

Tax Cases

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gineer at Wurtsmith Air Force Base.

The commission accepted a proposal from Zubek Motor Sales to lease an unmarked car for the sheriff's department at a cost of \$208 per month.

Approval was given to purchase a new recording system for the probate court at a cost of \$2,421. This purchase had been authorized in the 1979 budget.

Approval was given for the county treasurer to select banks for deposit of county funds and to seek the highest rate of return on interest payments.

Wilbur C. Roach was reappointed manager of the county airport, Commissioner Stech called Roach "Mr. Aviation in Iosco County" as he was instrumental in developing the present airport and felt that his expertise was essential for future airport development.

Sidney Teague of Oscoda was reappointed veterans counselor at a monthly salary of \$300.

Church Women Meet Jan. 16

Officers and committee chairpersons of Christ Episcopal Church Women will meet at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, January 16, at the parish hall. Mrs. George Rose advises that persons attending should bring a sandwich for lunch.

Zion Lutheran Ladies Aid Met Jan. 4

Presiding at the monthly meeting of Zion Lutheran Ladies Aid Thursday evening, January 4, was Mrs. Arnold Guilford, newly-elected president. Other officers included Mrs. Frank Gabler, secretary; Miss Mary Ford, vice president; Mrs. Iris Wilke, treasurer.

Annual reports from committee heads were heard. Project for the coming year is to supply toiletries and craft supplies to Iosco Medical Care Facility, Provincial House and Bright Horizons.

Luncheon was served by a committee with Mrs. Arthur Ziehl, chairman.

LOOKING BACKWARD—

Shoreline is

Rat Haven;

Help Sought

15 Years Ago—

January 8, 1964—The US-23 shoreline between Midway Drive-In and the Tawas Chamber of Commerce has been turned into a haven for rats and the Tawas City Council wants the state highway department to do something about it. During past years when high water threatened US-23, the state dumped broken concrete along the shore and rats now infest that area.

Under provisions of the new state constitution, public hearings must be held before any local budget is adopted. The hearings provide an opportunity for taxpayers to review proposed expenditures before budgets are adopted by local officials.

Mrs. Frank Berzhinski, who has been a justice of the peace at East Tawas for the past 20 years, has submitted her resignation.

O. E. Ostrander was named chairman for the queen's committee of the Silver Valley Winter Sports Carnival.

A contract for widening and paving 2.1 miles of US-23 in East Tawas is to be let in February. Estimated cost of the project is \$360,000.

Around 200 persons attended open house Sunday afternoon for a new elementary unit and to inspect new facilities at Hale Area High School.

25 Years Ago—

January 8, 1954—A series of six meetings in Tawas Area School District is scheduled next week for reviewing tentative plans for the proposed new junior and senior high school.

Deadline for applications for the position of postmaster at Tawas City has been extended to January 19. A few applications for the position have been received and the closing date has been extended.

A public auction is to be held

January 18 for the sale of all surplus equipment, furniture and fixtures left in the old Iosco County Courthouse.

Earl Davis has been elected commander of the Jesse C. Hodder American Legion Post, succeeding Marvin Mallon.

Iosco Little Farmers' Week is being held this week at the Hale Community Building, Whittemore Community Building and Grant Township Hall.

35 Years Ago—

January 14, 1944—Paul Harvey, Sherman Township trapper, caught a bobcat which he describes as being as large as a mountain lion. He trapped 168 skunks in the Tawas last fall.

Iosco County's contribution to an important war effort during December was 20 carloads of pulpwood.

Arthur Povish of Detroit has purchased the Alfred Siems farm on the Hemlock Road. This is one of Iosco's better farms and has been owned by Siems since 1913.

Forrest Streeter of Hale is hauling corn from Ohio to help relieve the local grain shortage.

Orliv Westcott and Richard Prescott won a doubles match from Scotty Schuman and Art Bartlett at the East Tawas Recreation. There were no startling scores rolled, but the Tawas City pair managed to topple 1,693 pins while the team representing the East Tawas Recreation was able to disturb 1,659 pins in a five-game series.

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Melvor News

Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Josephine Draeger visited her daughter, Mrs. Carl Ulman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rabideau and family of Midland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parent.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Strauer and son of Mt. Morris spent the weekend at their trailer home here and visited with his brother, George Strauer, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Viele and sons of Swartz Creek enjoyed a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lambert of Northville spent last Monday and Tuesday morning with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Jordan and son, Kenneth, of Tawas were Saturday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan.

Mrs. Clyde Wood is in Tolfree Hospital. Best wishes for a speedy recovery are sent to her.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thornton and family of Flint spent the New Year's holidays with his sister, Mrs. George Strauer, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder were in Bay City one day last week.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parent were called to Bay City due to the death of her brother-in-law, Arthur Walker.

Sherman News

Mr. and Mrs. William Duffy of Bay City spent New Year's with the Lawrence Jordans.

Sandra Smith spent a week vacationing with her mother and brother, returning to Gladwin last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith were in Saginaw Friday where Mrs.

Smith received medical treatment.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. William Nickell Sr. entertained several relatives to celebrate their 44th wedding anniversary.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hahn and sons of Turner and Lynda Bintes and son of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, called on the Theodore Lichota and Harvey Smith families.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schneider entertained their daughter, Sandra, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wright of Dearborn spent a few days at their cabin here.

Helen Smith and Anna Price were in West Branch Thursday.

Thursday and Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shaffer and son, Namm, of Otter Lake were guests of their parents.

Sympathy is extended to the wife of Albert Haney of Oscoda, the former Myrtle Cox of Sherman Township.

Reno News

Membership drive for Farm Bureau is under the direction of Mrs. Lyle Robinson. Persons may contact her for information.

Arthur Bailey spent a couple of days last week at Wurtsmith Air Force Base Hospital, Oscoda.

Lorne Caverly spent four days in Tawas Hospital and returned Sunday to the home of his grandparents, the Lyle Robinsons.

During the holidays, Mrs. Clara Waters and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mervyn entertained Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moore and children of Davison and also two children of Robert Waters.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. James Sturtevant made a business trip to Saginaw.

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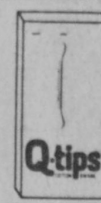
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# Bowling . . .

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## HALE CREEK LANES

Breakfast Club	W	L
Hale Bar	4	0
Bowlsby Oil	4	0
Jack & Esther	4	0
Wicker Hills	3 1/2	3 1/2
Long Lake Bar	1/2	3 1/2
Lee Cory Realty	0	4
Hale Hardware	0	4
Eagle Park Grocery	0	4
Team High Series: Hale Bar, 3002; Bowlsby Oil, 2938; Jack & Esther, 2899.		
Team High Single: Hale Bar, 10-34; Bowlsby Oil, 1027; Jack & Esther, 998.		
Individual High Series: Dorothy Mar-den, Geri Hasty, 639; Barb Wilson, 628; Sherry Hasty, 624.		
Individual High Single: Dorothy Marsden, 240; Nancy Launstein, Geri Hasty, 231; Dorothy Bowlsby, 228.		
Hits and Mrs.	W	L
Evergreen Resort	46	22
Trading Post	43 1/2	24 1/2
Whittemore Mill	40 1/2	27 1/2
Hale Flowers	32 1/2	35 1/2
D & J Carpets	31 1/2	36 1/2
Keystone Bar	28 1/2	39 1/2
Hard Hat Bar	26 1/2	41 1/2
Prescott TV	23	45
Team High Series: Whittemore Mill, 2305; Trading Post, 2292; D & J Carpets, 2275.		
Team High Single: Trading Post, 830; Whittemore Mill, 814; D & J Carpets, 793.		
Individual High Series: Harry Davis, 617; John Rau, Ethel Davis, 608.		
Individual High Single: Harry Davis, 234; Liz Hempstead, 226; John Rau, 217.		
Early Birds		
(End of first half)	W	L
K&K	52	12
Ira's Repair	43 1/2	20 1/2
D&E Ceramic	31 1/2	32 1/2
Ceramic Fantasys	24	40
Budget Shop	21	44
Londo Lake Store	20	44

Team High Series: K&K, 1757; Budget Shop, 1729; Ira's Repair, 1711.	W	L
Team High Single: K&K, 604; Ira's Repair, Budget Shop, 596.		
Individual High Series: Alice Warren, 629; Alice Spurgis, 621; Pearl Riess, 604.		
Individual High Single: Donna Hery, 228; Alice Warren, 221; Shirley Stevens, 215.		
Independent	W	L
Johnny O's	4	0
Schreck Lumber	4	0
Century 21	3	1
Kisser's Insulation	3	1
C&L Party Store	1	3
Hale Elevator	1	3
Kocher's Market	0	4
Ace Hardware	0	4
Team High Series: Century 21, 2982; Johnny O's, 2932.		
Team High Single: Century 21, 1027-1010; Johnny O's, 1024; Schreck Lumber, 1017.		
Individual High Series: Stan Szczepkowski, 639; John Weyandt, 635; Don Czernik, 626.		
Individual High Single: John Weyandt, 249; Don Czernik, 232; Rudy Wrathell, 231.		

## NEM Volleyball Tourney at W-P

North East Michigan Conference preseason volleyball tournament is slated for Saturday, January 13, at Whittemore-Prescott Area High School. The first match will begin at 9:30 a. m. Schools participating include Pinconning, Ogemaw Heights, Standish-Sterling, Gladwin, Tawas Area and the host school.

The public is invited to attend and admission tickets, available at the door, will be good for the entire day.

Refreshments will be served in the cafeteria, according to Roger Spencer, athletic director at Whittemore-Prescott Area High School.



# Third Annual Winter Carnival Opens Friday Night at Hale

Third annual Hale Area Winter Carnival slated this week-end opens with a spaghetti dinner, 5:00 p. m., at the high school.

Beatrice Bernard and Joseph Guffin, co-chairmen for this event, point out that the time and place for the dinner have been changed from programs published earlier.

Thomas Marr is chairman of the 1979 carnival, which is sponsored by Hale Area Chamber of Commerce.

Saturday's program opens with a snowmobile poker run from 9:00 a.

m. to 6:00 p. m. A snowmobile rodeo is to be held at 1:00 p. m.

The day is to be concluded with a community dance at 8:00 p. m. at the township hall. "Spartus" will provide music for dancing. Winners of the various events are to receive trophies and prizes.

Sunday's program features a cross-country ski event starting at the Colonial Inn on M-65. There are classes for all ages with trophy plaques to be awarded.

Snowmobile drag races are to start at 1:00 p. m. There will be

heat elimination, powder puff races with trophies or cash awards for winners.

The township hall will be headquarters for the carnival and a warming shelter will be provided. An ice skating rink will be located at the township's lighted tennis court.

A principal attraction during the carnival will be the annual ice sculpturing contest, challenging the ingenuity and talents of Hale area residents.



# Bowling . . .

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## TAWAS LANES

Bowlin Belles	W	L
Four Misses	4	0
Pin Pals	4	0
? Marks	4	0
Balls of Fire	2	2
Bowlerettes	2	2
Rollin Pins	2	2
Spareribs	2	2
Alley Cats	0	4
Nine Pins	0	4
Ups & Downs	0	4
Team High Series: Pin Pals, 23-16; Four Misses, 2255; ? Marks, 2210.		
Team High Single: Pin Pals, 818; Balls of Fire, 777; Rollin Pins, 767.		
Individual High Series: Evie Weber, 629; Isabelle Ballinger, 599; Pat Whitford, 588.		
Individual High Single: Pat Whitford, 238; Isabelle Ballinger, 222; Thera Glossop, 221.		
Tues. Night Ladies	W	L
Huron Auto Parts	4	0
Mitch's Pizzeria	4	0
Freel's Market	3	1
Graham Oil	3	1
Tri-County Agency	3	1
Bayside Beauty Salon	1	3
Dutch Kitchen	1	3
Genii's Restaurant	1	3
Century 21	0	4
Schaaf Lumber	0	4
Team High Series: Huron Auto Parts, 2916; Graham Oil, 2903; Bayside Beauty Salon, 2891.		
Team High Single: Graham Oil, Freel's Market, 1016; Genii's Restaurant, 997; Mitch's Pizzeria, 993.		
Individual High Series: Pat Knight, 626; Evelyn Bolanowski, 619; Joyce Klenow, 601.		
Individual High Single: Evelyn Bolanowski, 249; Joyce Klenow, 247; Evelyn Taylor, 243.		
Senior Citizens	W	L
Aiabaster	40	28
Tawas Lake	39 1/2	28 1/2
Oscoda	37 1/2	20 1/2
Hale	37	31
Tawas City	34	34
AuGres	33 1/2	34 1/2
Indian Lake	32	36
Omer	31	37
Sand Lake	30 1/2	37 1/2
East Tawas	28 1/2	39 1/2
Individual High Series: Joe Patrell, 627; Ford Kleckler, 595; Emil Deprest, 580.		
Individual High Single: Joe Patrell, 226; Ray Dosh, 225; Jack Falk, 219.		
Mamas and Papas	W	L
High Hoppers	4	0
Odd-Couple	4	0
The What Fours	4	0
Picking Possie	3	1
Boozers	2	2
Sand Baggers	2	2
Topless Bunch	1	3
Hells Angels	0	4

Lucky Strikes	W	L
Us	0	4
Team High Series: Odd-Couple, 2375; Lucky Strikes, 2320; Boozers, 2301.		
Team High Single: Odd-Couple, 807; Boozers, 801; The What Fours, 795.		
Individual High Series: Pat Whitford, 629; Neal Reynolds, 628; Joe Patrell, 626.		
Individual High Single: Neal Reynolds, 247; Joe Patrell, 226; Bill Whitford, 222.		
Major	W	L
Freel's Market	7	1
Kendall Brothers	6	2
Lad's Padd	5	3
Jerry's Marina	4	4
Moore's Painters	4	4
Rollin Real Estate	4	4
St. James Electric	4	4
Alibi Inn	2	6
Buckhorn Inn	2	6
Team High Series: Lad's Padd, 3044.		
Team High Single: Lad's Padd, 1067.		
Individual High Series: T. Nelkie, 577; B. Werth, 572; S. Sventko, 565.		
Individual High Single: T. Nelkie, 232; S. Sventko, 230; D. Stevens, 225.		
Commercial	W	L
Tawas Golf & C. Club	4	0
Hester's IGA	3	1
Seymour Carpets	3	1
Whitney Studio	3	1
Tawas Bar	2	2
Jefferson Trucking	2	2
Schmidt's	1	3
Wojahn Floor Covering	1	3
Riley-Gamble	1	3
Merschel Hardware	0	4
Team High Series: Tawas Golf & C. Club, 2896; Hester's IGA, 28-83; Seymour Carpets, 2838.		
Team High Single: Hester's IGA, 1039; Seymour Carpets, 1032; Tawas Golf & C. Club, 1009.		
Individual High Series: D. Holmes, 666; J. Koehn, 641; W. Clements, 623.		
Individual High Single: D. Holmes, 240; J. Eppenbaugh, 238; H. Cholger, 235.		

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### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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Spaghetti Dinner . . . . . 5:00 p.m.

**Saturday, January 13**

Snowmobile Poker Run . . . . . 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Snowmobile Rodeo . . . . . 1:00 p.m.

Community Dance, awards . . . . . 8:00 p.m.

**Sunday, January 14**

Cross Country Ski . . . . . 12:00 noon

Snowmobile Drag Races . . . . . 1:00 p.m.

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Program plans are being finalized for the 29th annual Perchville-USA Winter Festival to be held on Tawas Bay February 2 through 4.

The main attraction will be a grand prize of \$400 in cash or a trip for two, valued up to \$500, to Las Vegas, Nevada. The prize will be awarded Sunday, February 4, and entry in the contest may be made by purchasing a Perchville button on sale at local business places or at the chamber office.

Ice fishing has been enlarged and will be a center of activity. Prizes and trophies are to be awarded amounting to \$400.

An ice sculpturing contest is being developed and is expected to attract participants because of available prizes totaling \$250. A free class in ice sculpturing techniques was held last night (Tuesday) at Tawas Area High School in an effort to create interest in the contest. Entry blanks are available at the chamber office.

Other features will be a demolition run under United States Demolition Association rules and a drag race for four-wheel drive clubs.

The annual selection of Perchville queen will be made at a luncheon the week prior to the festival. The queen and her court will participate in all festivities.

The program opener Friday night, February 2, will feature a stag night at the East Tawas Community Building and doe night at the Holland House.

Other activities include a hospitality tent with music on Saturday and Sunday, the annual polar bear swim, pie eating and throwing contest, air show and helicopter rides.

**IN THE SERVICE**

### Enters Air Force Under Delayed Enlistment Plan

Steven G. Brown, husband of Janet L. Brown, Tawas City, has entered the United States Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program (DEP).

According to SSGT. Daniel Carpenter, air force recruiter at Alpena, Brown's entry into the DEP serves two purposes. First, it allows the air force to schedule an

opening for him to attend basic training and be assigned to a job or skill area. Second, it enables Brown, a 1972 graduate of Hale Area High School, to wrap up his personal affairs before leaving home.

Brown will enter the regular air force on January 24. Following graduation from the six-week basic training course at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, he will receive technical training as an inventory management specialist and be assigned to an air force duty station.

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**MISCELLANEOUS**

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We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our many neighbors and friends, Provincial House, Father Boks, Immaculate Heart of Mary Council of Women and Doctor Jacques for all the kind acts extended to us during our bereavement and loss of our mother. The family of Tillie Stepanski 2-1p

**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

**NOTICE**

Meeting Date of the  
PLAINFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD  
Has been Changed from  
Wednesday, January 10  
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**LEGAL NOTICE**

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
The Probate Court for the County of Iosco  
Estate of David Stevens, Deceased  
TAKE NOTICE: On January 30, 1979, at 10:00 A. M., in the Probate Courtroom, Tawas City, Michigan, before the Hon. William H. McCready, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Leon Putnam for license to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted.  
Dated: January 2, 1979  
LEON PUTNAM  
Petitioner  
Hale, Michigan  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
Kenneth J. Myles P. C.  
502 Lake St.  
Tawas City, Mich. 48763  
Phone 362-6133 2-1b

To the Owner or Owners of any and all interests in, or Liens upon the Lands herein Described:  
TAKE NOTICE, that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof, at any time within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with 50 per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as com-

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ment of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges: Provided, That with respect to purchasers at the tax sale held in the years 1938, 1939 and 1940 the sum stated in such notice as a condition of reconveyance shall only be all sums paid as a condition of the tax title purchase, together with 10 per centum additional thereto. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.  
DESCRIPTION OF LAND  
State of Michigan, County of Iosco  
Lot 837, Lakewood Shores No. 9, Oscoda Township, according to plat thereof  
Sec. 3, T24N, Range 9E  
Amount paid \$140.27  
Tax for 1971  
Amount necessary to redeem, \$215.41 plus the fees of the Sheriff, Publication and Taxes paid.  
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To Dudley Davies, 9921 Loveland, Livonia, Mich. 48150, last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.  
Jeanette M. Davies, 9921 Loveland, Livonia, Mich. 48150, grantee under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest year's taxes appearing of record in said registry of deeds.  
Conel Development, Inc., P. O. Box 500, Rt. 1, Oscoda Mi. 48750  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss  
County of Iosco  
I Do Hereby Certify and Return, that the within Notice was delivered to me for service on the 22 day of November 1978, and that on the 4 day of December A. D. 1978 I served a Notice of which the within is a true copy upon Carl Brownell, and to whom said No-

**LEGAL NOTICE**

ice is addressed, by personally delivering such Notice to said above named person in the said County of Iosco the said person being a resident of said County. My Fees, \$8.00  
DONALD B. CARD  
Deputy Sheriff of the County of Iosco 51-4b

**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE**

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 8th day of November, 1972, by Harriet E. Houfek, as mortgagors, to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on November 8, 1972, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Iosco County, Michigan in Liber 222 of mortgages on pages 413-416; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Nineteen Thousand Six Hundred Forty Nine and 39/100 Dollars (\$19,649.39) principal and Nine Hundred Sixty Four and 07/100 Dollars (\$.96407) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;  
NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given that on January 31, 1979, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the East door of the Courthouse in Tawas City, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit:  
That property located in Iosco County, in the State of Michigan. The Northerly 49.5 feet of Lot numbered 142 and the Southerly 33 feet of

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Lot numbered 143 of Jordanville, according to plat thereof as recorded in Liber 7 of Plats at page 15, Iosco County Records, Oscoda Township, Iosco County, Michigan. The redemption period is one month from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale plus 7 1/4% interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale. Dated December 13, 1978. Mr. Edward A. Hoffman, Acting Regional Attorney, United States Department of Agriculture, Room 2920, 230 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60604, Attorney for Mortgagee. For additional information, please contact: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, acting through Farmers Home Administration, Room 209, 1405 South Harrison Road, East Lansing, Michigan 48823. Mortgagee. 50-5b

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**

The Probate Court for the County of Iosco  
Estate of Louise A. Clark  
TAKE NOTICE: On January 30, 1979, at 10:00 A. M., in the Probate Courtroom, Tawas City, Michigan, before the Hon. William H. McCready, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Ruth E. Tree for a probate of a Will of the deceased dated the 19th day of February, 1972, for granting administration to Ruth E. Tree or some other suitable person, for the

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determination of heirs of said deceased by an order of the Court. Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said Ruth E. Tree c/o James W. Shotwell, Attorney for the Executrix, 514 Lake Street, Tawas City, Michigan, 48763, and proof thereof filed with the Court on or before March 15, 1979; that after the hearing on claims the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.  
Dated: January 4, 1979

RUTH E. TREE  
Petitioner  
1114 Fourth Avenue  
Tawas City, MI 48763  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
James W. Shotwell  
514 Lake Street  
Tawas City, Mich. 48763  
Phone 362-4422 2-1b

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**

The Probate Court for the County of Iosco  
Estate of Roy J. Clark  
TAKE NOTICE: On January 30, 1979, at 10:00 A. M., in the Probate

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ANTICIPATING another storm later in the week, equipment of the Isosco County Road Commission was busy Wednesday plowing shoulders of main highways of the county following the first storm of the winter. This picture was snapped on M-65 south of Hale.—Tawas Herald Photo.

### Tax Cases

(Continued from page 1.)

"We do not believe the new board of supervisors should be influenced by what we may say or what the Gazette and Press may say. We would like an expression of the taxpayers of the county on this question."

To aid in finding an answer, the Herald printed a survey form in its columns and mailed out several hundred postal cards on which the question was asked: "Are you in favor of compromising the Loud tax cases?"

The Herald said that the reason for the survey was to ascertain how the taxpayers felt regarding the matter. "If the majority of the taxpayers are favorable to a compromise, then the board of supervisors should certainly act accordingly; if they are not favorable, then the board should give their desires due consideration."

Naturally, the opposing newspapers took a dim view of the Her-

ald's survey. The Oscoda Press believed that only one in 10 taxpayers of the county would be willing to commit themselves in writing. "Every taxpayer in his own and the county's interest should favor a compromise. The county is paying out a lot of money needlessly," stated the Press.

The Herald replied that "The Press is evidently very anxious to scare the taxpayers off, but it won't work. We are receiving replies in greater numbers than we expected."

Nothing ever came of the Herald's survey which showed that the majority of taxpayers did not favor a compromise. The Loud tax matter was finally settled in 1900 when a proposition made by Edward F. Loud was accepted by the board of supervisors authorizing Prosecuting Attorney Sharpe to settle tax litigation pending against the Louds.

The Herald reported on January 2, 1900, that the proposition made by Loud was that he would pay in full the taxes assessed against his firm in AuSable Township for 1897, 50 percent of the state and county

taxes in both Oscoda and AuSable Townships for 1898 and the taxes in full in both townships for 1899, providing the county would discontinue its pending suits.

The only suit in which the county was directly a party was the 1897 case which was then before the supreme court "and which is conceded by nearly every person familiar with the case would be won by the county," stated the Herald. The other litigations for 1898 taxes were township suits in circuit court.

"Under the circumstances, it was undoubtedly the best thing for the county that the matter is settled as it will save further expense and place several thousand dollars in the county treasury," stated the Herald.

Under terms of the settlement, the Louds paid a total of \$12,227.93 to the county and the matter was at an end.

In retrospect, it would appear that the Louds were probably justified in their claim that the firm's property in AuSable and Oscoda Townships was overvalued by the

tax assessor in 1897-98. Mills which had been valuable in the profitable lumbering days were now worthless—the supply of timber to be manufactured into lumber was limited to the small amount being brought in by the railroad.

Mill properties acquired from

other firms by the Louds at Oscoda, AuSable were soon dismantled and the firm's entire operation was consolidated into one mill. The supply of timber being shipped to AuSable was nearly at an end by 1911, when the twin towns were practically destroyed by fire.

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 NORTHEAST MICHIGAN'S NEW TRAVEL AGENCY

### Real Estate Transfers

Alvin C. Forshee and wife to Johnstone Development Company, Undivided 1/2 Interest in Parcels in Section 29, T23N, R6E.

Peter Fries and wife to Raymond G. Howell and wife, Lot 47 of Green Woodland Acres No. 2.

Alvera M. Burrell, et al, to Tawas Masonic Temple Association, Lots 63, 64, 65 and 66 of North Park Acres Subdivision of Tawas City.

John W. Harmon to Marvon L. Morgan and wife, Part of the W 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Section 2, T23N, R5E.

Lawrence A. Klass and wife to John Konenske, et al, Part of the SE 1/4 of Section 26, T22N, R7E.

Robert J. Richter and wife to Dorothy J. Senglaub, et al, Lot 7, Block 8 of the Plan of the Village (now City) of East Tawas.

Irene L. Lorenz to Robert N. Curry and wife, Part of the E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 19, T22N, R7E.

Hayden L. Moss and wife to Paul J. Beyer Jr. and wife, Lot 152 of Lake Huron Beach Subdivision.

Beverly Diener to Albert J. Verschure and wife, Part of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 16, T24N, R8E.

Michael Navetta and wife to William J. Dopp and wife, Lot 17, Block 2 of Wade's Plat of Sand Lake.

Howard S. Alexander and wife to Fern Williams, Lot 8 of AuSable Heights Subdivision.

Candice C. Wahlenmayer to Lynn A. Osborn, Lot 40 of Interlake Park

Subdivision.

Donald G. Griffin and wife, et al, to Susan M. Kingman, Lot 325 and Part of Lot 324 of Jordanville Subdivision.

Donald G. Griffin and wife, et al, to Jack Hillier and wife, Lot 308 and Part of Lot 309 of Jordanville Subdivision.

Gordon H. Schultz and wife to Donald K. Niedergall and wife, Lot 972 of Lake Huron Sand Beach Subdivision No. 8.

Donald J. Elwart and wife to Erick E. Lund and wife, the SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 2, T21N, R7E.

Francis T. M. Loud, Trustee, to James E. Zuehlke and wife, Lot 89 of Brewster Park Subdivision No. 2.

Francis T. M. Loud, Trustee, to James E. Zuehlke and wife, Lot 76 of Brewster Park Subdivision No. 2.

Ardith M. Smith to Lawrence E. Smith and wife, Part of Government Lot 2, Section 30, T23N, R5E.

Alice V. Breakey to Robert A. McCadie and wife, Lots 228 and 229 of Lakeside Heights Subdivision.

Robert A. McCadie and wife to Edward C. Soper and wife, Lots 228 and 229 of Lakeside Heights Subdivision.

Edward S. Davison and wife to Darwood Lepad and wife, the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 1, T22N, R8E.

V-M Construction and Realty Company to Rodarte Builders, Incorporated, Lots 8 and 9 of North Park Acres of Tawas City.

Rodarte Builders, Incorporated, to Daniel B. Brewer and wife, Lots 8 and 9 of North Park Acres of Tawas City.

Harold S. Davis and wife to Charlotte M. Gipson, Part of Lots 6 and 7 of Brewster Park Subdivision.

Lakewood Resort Developers, Incorporated, to David G. Clement and wife, Lot 265 of Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club No. 2.

Carl Kipp to Thomas A. Ballard and wife, Parcels in the SE 1/4 of Section 27, T24N, R8E.

Thomas A. Ballard and wife to Harold A. Western and wife, Parcels in the SE 1/4 of Section 27, T24N, R8E.

Howard Hilderbrand and wife to Arthur W. Saffian Sr. and wife, Part of Government Lot 4, Section 4, T23N, R9E.

John K. Euler and wife to R. A. Weir and wife, Part of Lot 64 of Hirst's AuSable River Camp.

Mr. B Sales, Incorporated, to Tamara Treadway, Lot 15 of Supervisor's Plat of First Addition to Jordanville Subdivision.

Carl B. Babcock and wife, et al, to Chester Wilson and wife, Lots in Kokosing Subdivision.

Joseph Pasterz and wife to Judith A. Mayer, Parcel in the NE 1/4 of Section 16, T24N, R8E.

Clarence Harmon to Burnette Farley and wife, Part of the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 19, T23N, R8E.

Burnette Farley and wife to Michael A. Storm and wife, Part of the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 19, T23N, R8E.

Earl N. Webb and wife to Louis K. Kleckler, Lots 10 and 11, Block D of Huron Pine Beach Subdivision.

Louis K. Kleckler to Dean J. Roberts and wife, Lot 10, Block D of Huron Pine Beach Subdivision.

Roscoe H. Phingston and wife to Richard E. Myers and wife, Lot 13 and Part of Lot 12 with easement over Lot 156 of Oscoda Beach Subdivision.

Grace Cuvrell, et al, to J. Lee Evans and wife, Lot 222 and Part of Lots 220 and 221 of Eagle Park Subdivision.

## The Gala Grand Opening of the All New East Tawas Office of Mutual Savings at 288 Newman Street in East Tawas Ends Saturday

# MUTUAL SAVINGS



## FREE Carousel Supreme Luxury Blankets

Yes, a free luxurious Carousel Blanket for making a deposit of \$200 or more in a new or existing convenient Card Account or purchasing any Certificate of Deposit. Savers get the satisfaction of savings at highest legal rates and a Free blanket as a bonus during the Grand Opening of the all new East Tawas Office of Mutual Savings. And remember, a Mutual Savings Card Account pays daily interest at 5 1/4% and Certificates of Deposit pay up to 8%, that is 1/4% more... than all banks pay. So, come in during the festivities at Mutual Savings, East Tawas Office and save, plus get a luxurious Carousel blanket Free! Limit one blanket per family.

It is with pride that we announce the Grand Opening of Mutual Savings and Loan Association's all new East Tawas Office. Therefore, as good neighbors we have assembled a gala array of prizes and free gifts that will be avail-



### COME EARLY SHEFFIELD



### Prize For "Early Birds"

As a special bonus to the first 25 customers each day of Grand Opening week, Mutual Savings of East Tawas will give each customer a free frozen food knife. Be there, but make it early to get your knife.

## BE CERTAIN TO REGISTER FOR PRIZES!

Bring this registration blank to the East Tawas office of Mutual Savings and deposit it in the "Prize an Hour" display. That's all there is to it. Every hour there will be a winner and Saturday at close of business draw-



bring the family

### Something for Everyone!

able all week long at the East Tawas Office. We'll have refreshments for adults and, of course balloons and suckers for the kiddies. Plan now to visit Mutual Savings of East Tawas. Full lobby and Drive-Up facilities. The Feeling is Mutual!

## PRIZE - AN - HOUR

You could be a winner

Every hour on the hour some lucky visitor to the all new East Tawas Office, all week long, will win a valuable prize. A new winner every hour and here's all you have to do to be eligible. Bring the registration form on the bottom of this adv. to Mutual Savings, deposit it in the "Prize an Hour" display where indicated, and you are eligible for both daily prize drawings and grand prize drawings Saturday. You may also deposit newspaper adv. registration forms and those available in the office lobby. Please, one registration form per visit. Join in the celebration from January 8th through January 13th at the East Tawas Office of Mutual Savings.

### REACH FOR MORE

## MUTUAL SAVINGS

9 A.M. to 3 P.M. Monday thru Thursday  
9 A.M. to 6 P.M. Friday  
9 A.M. to 12 Noon Saturday

ings for 3 Grand Prizes. It could be you. Please, one entry per visit. Drawings will be held each business hour starting January 8th and through January 13th.

### MUTUAL SAVINGS REGISTRATION BLANK

35 BIG DAILY PRIZES  
3 GREAT GRAND PRIZES

- 1st 65 piece service for 8 International Silver Company goldplated flatware and a wooden chest
- 2nd Service for 8 of fine china
- 3rd 3-piece "soft" luggage set and an Elgin travel alarm/radio combination

### "TEAR OFF REGISTRATION FORM"

Deposit at East Tawas Office of Mutual Savings

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
 CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
 PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ (One Entry Per Visit Please)

DEPOSIT NO LATER THAN JANUARY 13th

## Hurry, Just 4 More Days to Attend Mutual Savings' East Tawas Celebration

*Bridal Registry CENTER*

Brides registered this month:  
 DONNA S. PROUDFOOT  
 TINA MYLES

**TAWAS HARDWARE**  
 2 Blocks South on US-23 from M-65 Stop Light—Tawas City

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