

Removing Old Landmark

Work started Tuesday on removal of the old water tank at the East Tawas City Park. The elevated storage tank, built shortly after the turn of the century, has become surplus to the needs of the city's water system since construction of a new 500,000-gallon storage facility on Lincoln Street.

According to a contract with the city, Siebert and Associates of Baldwin Township and Tawas City, as well as the facility on Lincoln Street.

penalty clause of \$200 per day until it is removed.

The old tower, along with one constructed in Tawas City in 1937 and razed during the past month, has long been a landmark for Tawas Bay sailors and fishermen. Both have been replaced under an area water expansion project which saw construction of new 500,000-gallon elevated storage tanks in Baldwin Township and Tawas City, as well as the facility on Lincoln Street.



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Riding High

MARCH MADNESS for Tawas fans was at its peak when this picture was snapped Wednesday night. Grant Mousseau was hoisted to the shoulders of the Tawas Braves and fans after his foul shots tied and then provided the winning margin in the basketball quarter-final at Cheboygan. Two nights later and 260 miles south of Cheboygan, the Braves lined up at the end of the semi-final game to congratulate the winning Three Oaks Crusaders, a team which went on to win the class C state championship the following

night. The Braves' route from Houghton Lake to Roscommon to Cheboygan and finally to Crisler Arena at the University of Michigan was an exciting and unforgettable experience for the team, coaches, student body and community. Many rated teams parted company along the way and lesser known schools made the trek. It is often that way when March Madness takes over the state for three weeks each year. (Turn to page 6.)—Tawas Herald Photos.

End of the Trail



Iosco Opens Bids Thursday on Revolving Fund Bonds

Bids on providing general obligation limited tax notes in the amount of \$1,275,000 are to be opened Thursday morning at the Iosco County treasurer's office.

The above bonds are to finance the county's special revolving fund adopted last year which makes a complete pay off of delinquent taxes due schools and local units of government.

In a report last week, County Treas. Edward Nelkie said that, after settlement with treasurers of local units, delinquent taxes on the 1978 collection amounted to \$1,153,490.87. The total levy for 1978 was \$7,398,934.71 and \$6,245,443.84 was collected, or 84.41 percent of the total. Last year, delinquent taxes amounted to \$1,095,000, but Nelkie pointed out that the total levy in 1978 was higher than during the preceding year.

In addition, treasurers of local units collected \$3,819 in dog license revenue.

Delinquent taxes to be paid from the revolving fund are as follows: Iosco County, \$148,546.66; medical care facility, \$956.93; commission on aging, \$6,602.11; East Ta-

was, \$23,459.30; Tawas City, \$26,563.34; Whittemore, \$3,143.49; Townships of Alabaster, \$835.18; AuSable, \$31,475.73; Baldwin, \$5,531.94; Burleigh, \$2,422.85; Grant, \$7,049.36; Oscoda, \$116,548.43; Plainfield, \$13,766.01; Reno, \$711.43; Sherman, \$1,355.40; Tawas, \$1,539.01; Wilber, \$869.80; Intermediate School District, \$33,012.25; Oscoda Area School, \$285,084.37; Whittemore-Prescott Area School, \$42,671.42; Hale Area School, \$152,445; Tawas Area School, \$248,049.53.

With 96.18 percent collected, Alabaster Township had the best record of taxes collected during 1978. For the first time in memory, Tawas City had the worst collection rate at 79.38 percent.

Collection of taxes during 1978 was as follows:

Alabaster Township, tax levy of \$350,761.03 and collection of \$337,376.40, 96.18 percent collected; AuSable Township, \$596,202.80 tax levy and \$480,155.81, 80.54 percent collected; Baldwin Township, tax levy of \$641,362.16 and \$573,593.75 collected, 89.43 percent; Burleigh Township, tax levy of \$158,005 tax

Balloting Next Monday in Tawas Voters to Decide Merger Question

Except for the fact that the final outcome will not be decided until ballots are counted, next Monday's vote seeking to start the process of consolidating the Tawas into a single, home rule city could be shaping up to a repeat of the last merger vote on April 1, 1968.

In that election, five of the six precincts in the two communities voted in favor of establishing a charter commission, two by slim margins. The sixth precinct—Tawas City's Second Ward—voted against the proposal and it was defeated in Tawas City by four votes, ending the movement for about 10 years.

During the nation's bicentennial observance in 1976, discussion of a

merger was again commenced and resulted in the filing of petitions with the state boundary commission. The lengthy legal process leading to a vote included public hearings and a determination by the boundary commission that petitions were sufficient to call an election to seek establishment of a charter commission.

Following that determination, petitions circulated at East Tawas were presented to the commission seeking an immediate referendum by voters to learn if a merger was really desired by citizens—prior to expenditure of time and money in the expected year-long process of writing a new city charter.

Discussion of the proposed merger is at the above point on Monday

when voters of the Tawas will determine if the movement should end or if an elected commission should start work on writing a new home rule, single city charter which voters would accept or reject at a later time.

Although specific information has not been presented, it was stated at one of the public hearings in 1977 that a charter commission would be composed of nine members and based on population, five from East Tawas and four from Tawas City.

In 1968 and today, only minimal interest has been shown for or against the proposal, although there has been some debate at meetings and public forums. Eleven years ago, a total of 1,389 persons in the two communities went

to the polls—771 at East Tawas and 618 in Tawas City.

City Clerk Clyde Soper said Tuesday that the registered voter file today at East Tawas has grown to 1,800 persons with about 150 in the inactive file. Spring elections, however, seldom bring out more than a few hundred voters.

Because of the fact that there are two races for aldermen positions, plus the merger question, he feels that at least 1,000 voters will show up at the polls next Monday. Some 75 absentee voter ballots have been returned to his office, which is extremely high for a spring election.

Contests for council positions are provided in the Second Ward where Larry Wingrove and W. C. Roach

seek to fill the vacancy of Ronald Klinger. In the Third Ward, Jacob Montgomery, incumbent, is opposed by Dennis Link. All other city candidates are unopposed.

In Tawas City, a special election is being held on the merger question. City Clerk Rachel Sue McCree said the registered voter list totaled 1,040 persons as of last October. She said only 20 persons had applied for absentee voter ballots.

The city clerk said it would be impossible to give any prediction as to the number of voters showing up at the polls at the Tawas City Elementary Unit next Monday.

Polls in both communities open at 7:00 a. m. and close at 8:00 p. m. on election day.

Car Collided With Train

Two Sherman Township men escaped a collision with a Detroit and Mackinac Railway freight train early Thursday morning at the Turtle Road crossing southwest of National City.

Treated for injuries at Tawas Hospital were Scott L. Ewald, 23, Twining, and Richard G. Jordan, 27, National City. Both have been released from the hospital.

Ewald told investigating sheriff's department officers that the heavy fog which covered much of the region prevented him from seeing the train until it was too late to avoid a collision. He applied his brakes and marks on the pavement indicated the car skidded 57 feet, eight inches before it hit the ninth car behind two engines pulling the 94-car train.

Trainmen George Hess, 57, Al-

pena, and Richard Losinski, 39, Alpena, told officers that the regulation two long, a short and a long blast was sounded on the engine's horn before entering the intersection. They looked back to see the eastbound vehicle approaching the crossing and noted that the street light was out. Brakes were applied on the train when they saw sparks at the crossing.

After coming to a stop, the car caught fire in the motor area and both men crawled out of the wreckage. Flames were extinguished later by sheriff's department officers.

The car was traveling about 30 miles an hour at the time of the crash.

The train, traveling approximately 25 miles per hour, stopped 1,082 feet south of the point of impact.



THIS MOBILE HOME on the west side of Sherman Road in Wilber Township was the scene of a shooting early Saturday morning in which an Oscoda man was killed and a Wilber Township woman was injured. A 39-year-old Wilber Town-

ship man faces a two-count charge of murder and felonious assault. He is being held without bond at the Iosco County Jail.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Oscoda Man Killed by Shotgun Blast; Murder Warrant Issued

A two-count warrant issued Monday charges a 39-year-old Wilber Township man with murder and felonious assault following a shooting at 1:05 a. m. Saturday.

Held without bond at the Iosco County Jail is Donald Pitts of 3606 Brooks Road, a custodian at the Tawas City post office.

Pitts is charged with firing a shotgun, killing Kenneth E. Hoepfner, 28, Oscoda, who was seated at the kitchen table. Investigating officers said the blast struck Hoepfner in the head.

Injured in the blast was Marilyn

Pitts, 33, 2887 Sherman Road, who was treated at Tawas Hospital and released.

An Iosco County Sheriff's Department spokesman said Pitts and his wife had marital problems and were in the process of a divorce.

The sheriff's department reported that it was notified about three minutes after the shooting when one of the Pitts children went to a home of a neighbor for assistance.

Pitts was arrested later at his home and offered no resistance to officers.

Jack Scully, Arenac County pros-

cuting attorney, was appointed special prosecuting attorney for this county and authorized the warrant. Stephen H. Naegele, Iosco prosecutor, was out of the county.

Pitts appeared Monday afternoon in 81st District Court, Tawas City.

Rites Held for Shooting Victim

Funeral services for Kenneth E. Hoepfner of Oscoda were conducted Tuesday, March 27, at the W. S. Bennett Funeral Chapel, Oscoda. Burial was in Pinecrest Cemetery with the Rev. Zigmund Gaj officiating.

He was born October 25, 1950, at Saginaw and expired Saturday, March 24. He had served with the United States Army.

Survivors include his wife, the former Angela Schorster of Wurzburg, Germany; two daughters, Arlene, six years old, and Nicole, 11 months old; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoepfner of Alger; two sisters, Mrs. Arlene Elwood of Oscoda and Mrs. Carol Edwards of Greenbush; two brothers, Larry of Tawas City and Jeffrey of Alger. He also leaves his grandparents, Mrs. Eva Hoepfner of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Saladine of Alger.

Iosco Man Killed, 3 Hurt in Crashes

Two separate two-car crashes in Bay and Huron Counties Saturday night and early Sunday morning claimed the life of a Grant Township man and injured three other Iosco County residents.

Richard Wierowski, 51, of M-55 west of Tawas City, was killed about 10:30 o'clock Saturday night when his car collided on M-25 near Sebewaing with one driven by Thomas Deering, 64, Mt. Clemens. Deering was also killed in the crash.

Mrs. Helen Wierowski, 38, wife of the first victim and owner-operator of Strauer's Market on M-55, sustained multiple injuries in the head-on crash. She was listed in fair condition Monday at Bay Medical Center.

A second crash early Sunday morning on M-13 south of Whitefeather Road saw two Iosco residents injured.

Dennis D. Hoffman, 48, Whittemore, was listed in fair condition

at Bay Medical Center, while John W. Emry, 44, of National City, a passenger, was treated and released.

A Pinconning man was killed in that collision and a passenger was injured.

Richard A. Wierowski of Tawas City, former Bay City resident, expired Saturday, March 24, at Huron Memorial Hospital from injuries suffered in an automobile accident near Sebewaing. His wife, the former Helen Philpot, is in fair condition at Bay Medical Center.

A veteran of World War II, Mr. Wierowski was a member of Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525 and was a salesman for Jenison Hardware. (See CRASH VICTIM, page 6.)

Funeral Today for Crash Victim

Funeral services for Thomas Deering were held today at the W. S. Bennett Funeral Chapel, Oscoda. Burial was in Pinecrest Cemetery with the Rev. Zigmund Gaj officiating.

Seek Warrants on Marijuana Count

A warrant is being sought against an 18-year-old Tawas Area High School student for possession of marijuana who, with two 16-year-old students, was apprehended smoking in a locker room. The three students were expelled from school on March 20.

AFTER ALL THE BASKETBALL EXCITEMENT last week, some 'idiot' had to spoil things for Tawas Area School. Early Saturday morning, one or more four-wheel drive vehicles tore up the lawn at the high school on M-55, splattering the north side of the building with mud. School officials and the sheriff's department would be interested in receiving information about those responsible. Actions were at the same level of mentality of those persons who damaged ice sculptures during the recent winter carnival.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Library Week Being Observed

"Smile, You Have a Library!" is the theme of this year's National Library Week, April 1-7. In conjunction with National Library Week, Iosco-Arenac Regional Li-

brary has declared that week as a no overdue fine week.

During the week of April 1-7, the regional library and its seven branch libraries are offering amnesty to anyone with long overdue library materials. Anyone hesitating to return overdue library materials for fear of recrimination will be allowed to return materials without paying an overdue fine and with no questions asked.

All seven branch libraries of the Iosco-Arenac Regional Library will also feature special collections of books during National Library Week. The collections will consist of novelists native to Michigan and novels set in Michigan.

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Allen Emry Heads Iosco Firefighters

Iosco County Firefighters Association held their regular monthly meeting at the Whittemore fire hall on March 20. Allen Emry of the Grant Township Fire Department was re-elected president and Karl Bowsby of the Whittemore department was re-elected vice president. Donald Melzer, Plainfield department member, was elected secretary-treasurer.

Lieutenant Huddy from the Bay City Fire Marshal's Division of the Michigan State Police was a guest and conducted a question and answer session following the election. East Tawas department will host the next regular meeting on April 17.

Funeral Held for Fredrick Roberts

Funeral services were conducted Monday, March 26, at Brown Funeral Home, Flint, with interment in Sunset Hills for Fredrick Roberts of Sand Lake Heights. He passed away Friday, March 23, at Bay Medical Center following a short illness.

A member of Sand Lake Retirees, he had moved to the area in 1967 when he retired from Chevrolet Motors Company after 39 years of service.

Mr. Roberts, who was born March 29, 1907, in Wrexham, Wales, is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Gerald (Catherine) Seiferly of Bay City and Mrs. James (Mary) Goss of Mt. Morris; eight grandchildren; five great grandchildren, and two brothers, Trevor of Frankenmuth and Joseph of Wales.

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FARMERS AND MERCHANTS State Bank's new Sand Lake Heights Branch is opening effective today (Wednesday) with a ribbon cutting ceremony scheduled for this morning. The new branch office is located in a wooded setting on West Indian Lake Road.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Ribbon Cutting This Morning for Sand Lake Heights Bank

Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Hale has announced it will open for business at the newly completed Sand Lake Heights branch located at 3831 West Indian Lake Road. A brief ribbon cutting ceremony is planned at 9:00 a. m. with the office then opening for business.

Following are the scheduled hours: Monday through Thursday, 9:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.; drive-in window, 8:30 a. m. to 3:30 p. m.; Friday, 9:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m.; Saturday, closed.

A grand opening and open house is scheduled for the first of June and will be announced at a later date. This will allow those area residents who winter in a warmer climate to have returned and be a part of this event.

Elite Shellenbarger, an assistant cashier with the bank, has been appointed branch manager. Shellenbarger has been with the bank for seven years and is transferring from the Whittemore branch where he held the position of assistant manager. Bernice Ewing, who has been employed by the bank for the past seven years, and Ruth Bingle, a bank employee for the past two years, will make up the staff at this time.

The branch will open in a new 2,000-square-foot building. Architects for the building were Brysselbout, Starke, Hacker and Simon of Bay City and the general contractor was Kendall Brothers Company of Sand Lake.

The building includes a private office, lending area, four teller

windows, drive-in window, night depository and a vault with safety deposit boxes.

The building has a full basement that will accommodate permanent record storage and supplies for the bank. It is located on a wooded lot with parking for approximately 20 cars.

Other staff changes announced by the bank include the transfer of Thomas Marr, a real estate mortgage officer in the Hale office, to the Whittemore branch and his appointment as assistant manager of that office. Marr has been with the bank for the past two years.

David Eger, a commercial lending officer at the Hale office for the past four years, has been appointed assistant manager of the main office at Hale.

Whittemore News

SENIOR CITIZENS HELD POT-LUCK DINNER

Senior citizens pot-luck dinner was held Tuesday. Mrs. Hofmann, president, conducted the business session at which plans were made for the fancy work booth and bake sale for the Iosco County Fair. Mrs. Mary Hilco received the door prize. Cards were played with Hofmann and Ida Dorcey receiving prizes.

A birthday cake was made by Mrs. Anna Price for March birthdays. A piece of cake was taken to Mrs. Ida Miller. The next meeting and dinner will be held April 3.

Retirement party for Clarence Bellville was held March 17 at the Whittemore-Prescott Area High

School with approximately 200 family, friends and neighbors attending. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ostrander of Birmingham; Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bellville of Troy; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zabik of St. Clair Shores; Mrs. Flavia Cousino of Pontiac; Virgil Bellville of Independence, Missouri; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Juve and son, Jeffrey, of Sterling Heights; the Kenneth Hastys of Davison; Suzanne and Cheryl Halbert of Ft. Wayne, Indiana.

Saturday, Ethel Bellville had an enjoyable afternoon with all her family home.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ostrander of Birmingham visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ostrander.

The Ray Hofmanns were at Flint last Wednesday and visited their daughter, Mrs. Phyllis Kleinert, and family and Mrs. Hofmann's sister, Mrs. Lowell Thayer, and family. Enroute, they stopped at Twining and visited Mrs. Bernice Young.

Sunday, Mrs. Barbara Milan and family of Flint visited her grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Rigg.

Saturday and Sunday, Mrs. Robert McFall and daughter of Romeo and Mrs. Michael St. Cyr of Ann Arbor visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Graham. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Graham entertained them all at a birthday dinner for their son, Todd.

Mrs. Ida Dorcey returned home Saturday afternoon from the home of her son, William, at Shields. She stayed with their family while Mr. and Mrs. Dorcey went to Florida to visit the Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Dafoe.

Mrs. Gwen Boettner and family of Bay City spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Merwina Bowen.

Mrs. Lelia Barrington returned home last Monday from the St. Joseph Hospital where she had been for a week.

The Theodore Goupil family of Fenton and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dikey of Flint spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Esther Goupil, and attended the retirement party for their uncle, Clarence Bellville.

Mrs. Bruce Goupil was in West Branch Wednesday afternoon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rohu, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bellville, the Terry Bellvilles and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sampson attended Farmers Week at Lansing.

Miss Debra Grezeszak was at the

home-of-her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Grezeszak on spring break from Michigan State University.

Mrs. Kathy Gibson and mother were in Bay City Wednesday.

Miss Maureen O'Farrell enjoyed a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald O'Farrell, during spring break from Michigan State University.

Miss Cathy Colvin received first and second degree burns at work at AuGres and was taken to St. Joseph Hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Chartier of Bay City and Lowell Provoast of Bay City spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Provoast.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Burnside were at Rose City Wednesday and Mrs. Burnside stopped at Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hogan's home and visited them for the afternoon.

Carl Drake was taken by ambulance to Tawas Hospital Wednesday evening. Mrs. Valda Lawe and Donna Ostrander visited him Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Price were in Bay City Thursday evening where they visited Mrs. Price's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dupuis, and went to the Legion of Mary Curia meeting at St. Boniface Church.

Edward Urban of Bay City passed away Thursday morning. Sympathy is extended to his wife, the former Lois Goupil.

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People Getting SSI Should Report Events

People who receive supplemental security income (SSI) payments because they are 65 or over, or blind, or disabled are responsible for reporting any change in their circumstances that could have an effect on their monthly payment, a social security spokesperson said recently.

It is extremely important that these reports are made on time. If not, incorrect payments might be made that would have to be repaid, or the person might be due more money than he or she received.

It is easy to make a required report, the representative said. Reports can be made in person or by phone. In any report, be sure to include these details: Name of the person, the correct

social security claim number under which the payment is being made, the change being reported, the date it occurred, and if the report is in writing, signature and address.

The following occurrences must be reported to social security:

- Any move or change of address.
- Entry to or discharge from an institution.
- Leaving the U. S.
- Separation of husband and wife.
- Marriage or the end of marriage.
- Any change in income.
- Any change in resources—property or materials that are owned.
- Blind or disabled people

should also report any improvement in condition, and if the person takes a job while still disabled.

Students under 22 should report if they start or stop attending school.

In addition, someone should notify social security on behalf of a person who becomes unable to manage his or her own money and upon the death of a person.

To make reports about SSI or to get more information, contact any social security office. The address and telephone number of the nearest social security office can be found in the telephone directory under "Social Security Administration."

questions and answers



Q. If I take a part-time job, how will my salary affect my SSI payments? I'm 65 and I don't have any other income.

A. In determining a person's SSI payment amount, not all income is counted. If a person (or couple) has no other income apart from earnings, \$85 a month of the earned income is ignored, and \$1 is deducted from the basic SSI payment for each additional \$2 of earnings.

Q. A friend of mine told me that the premium for Medicare medical insurance may go up this month. Has it?

A. Yes. The basic medical insurance premium increased from \$7.70 to \$8.20 a month for the 12-month period starting July 1, 1978. The increase is necessary because medical insurance costs have risen as a result of higher charges for medical services. By law, however, the premium increase cannot be more than the percentage increase in social

security cash benefits during the previous year.

Q. I never worked long enough under social security to be entitled to Medicare hospital insurance, so I'm thinking of buying it. How much is the monthly hospital insurance premium now?

A. The basic hospital insurance premium is \$63 a month for the 12-month period starting July 1, 1978. This premium represents the current cost of Medicare hospital insurance protection. Under the law, the hospital insurance premium cannot be changed more often than once a year.

Q. My wife died a couple of months ago. Can our children get social security survivors benefits? All three of them are under age 18.

A. Both you and your children may be eligible for monthly survivors checks. Survivors benefits may be payable even if the worker only had 1½

years of work in the 3 years before he or she died. If you are working, your monthly benefit may be affected by your earnings. You can get more information and apply for benefits at any social security office.

Q. My daughter, who's 25, just started getting social security disability payments. I remember hearing that disabled people can get Medicare. If this is true, how does she qualify?

A. Disabled people under 65 are eligible for Medicare after they have been entitled to social security disability benefits (or railroad disability annuities) for 2 consecutive years. Your daughter will receive information about Medicare in the mail several months before her coverage becomes effective.

Supplemental security income payments can be made to disabled children, no matter how young they are.

Tawas Students Head to Regional

Twelve Tawas Area School students will be competing in regional mathematics competition May 5 at Oscoda. The competition is sponsored each year by the Michigan Council of Teachers of Mathematics.

Receiving first place in local competition were:

Sixth grade—Rebecca Law, David Flower, Susan McIntosh, Karen Heinz; seventh grade—Bonnie Simpson, Jane Hackborn, Kay Dalbec, Shelly Hamm; eighth grade—Karen Spencer, Daniel Mooney, Rodney Loeffler, Debra Holmes.

Awarded certificates Monday afternoon for honorable mention were the following students:

Seventh grade—Michael Allen, Paul Bosler, Tina Brown, Becky Burghy, Donald Hester, Richard Lear, Lon Lockwood, Torre Miller, Theresa Narey, Emil Rousseau, Steven Russo, Lisa Seifert, Bart Stern, Carol Wisniewski, Ann Wood.

Eighth grade—Lauren Babcock, David Baker II, Chris Bischoff, Pat Bolen, John Brigham, Steven Gracik, Julie Heenan, Thomas Hughes, Patrick Kaems, David Klenow, Dawn Klinger, Candy

Knicht, Mary Beth Kubisiak, Karen Novik, Cathy Ordiway, Teri Rapp, John Tenbusch, Chris Wojahn, Lynette Woodby.

General chairman for the regional competition is Marilyn Barry of Tawas Area School. Robert Walkup of Tawas Area School is activities chairman; Jane Meyer, Oscoda Area School, on site chairman; Sue Dalbec, Whittemore-Prescott Area School, award chairman.

Students are to be tested in the morning and will be treated to a tour of Wurtsmith Air Force Base in the afternoon. Lunch is to be served at the school. There will be an assembly for parents and teachers while the young people are being tested.

The top 25 contestants in each of the three grades are to be announced following the tour. These 75 students will compete May 19 at Central Michigan University in state competition.

Service and teacher organizations and area chambers of commerce are making contributions in order to honor these youngsters. Any organization interested is invited to contact one of the committee members.



SEVENTH GRADE mathematics winners receiving trophies Monday afternoon were, from left, Bonnie Simpson, Jane Hackborn, Kay Dalbec and Shelly Hamm.—Tawas Herald Photo.



REPRESENTING the eighth grade in the regional contest will be, from left, Karen Spencer, Daniel Mooney, Rodney Loeffler and Debra Holmes.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Hale Area News

LEGION-AUXILIARY HELD REGULAR MEETING

Glen Staley Unit No. 422, American Legion, and Auxiliary held its regular meeting and pot-luck dinner Wednesday evening, March 21. Barbara Harvey, president, presided at the auxiliary session.

Guests for the evening were Marguerite Bowers, 10th district president; Margaret Stone, second vice president of the 10th district, and Jeanne Hall of Luzerne.

Exchange students presently staying with Hale families will address the regular meeting in April. Gail Tamplin and her parents will also be guests at the April meeting when Miss Tamplin will be showing slides of her musical trip to Europe.

It was voted to send \$25 to the Saginaw Veterans Hospital. Meeting was closed in regular ritual form with the retiring of the flags. Cake and coffee were served in the dining room in observance of the American Legion's 60th birthday. Robert Pember commented on the origination of the organization.

Service, 1084; Nathan's Upholstery, 1080.

Individual High Series: Elite Shellenbarger, 698; Moe Meiers, 674; Craig Follette, 665.

Individual High Single: Dale Humphrey, 272; Elite Shellenbarger, 268; Bob Webb, 264.

Thurs. Afternoon Women W L
Windarla Kennels 27 17
Lupton Garage 24 20
Kocher's Market 24 20
Kenyon's Resort 22 22
Alward's Market 21 23
Don Erb Builders 21 23
White Pine Realty 20 24
Bernard Lumber 17 27

Team High Series: Alward's Market, 3119; Kenyon's Resort, 2963; Windarla Kennels, 2951.

Team High Single: Alward's Market, 1085-1025; Don Erb Builders, 1024.

Individual High Series: J. Umbel, 651; J. Meiers, 637; M. Reid, 635.

Individual High Single: J. Umbel, 247; C. Foco, 243; M. Reid, 230.

Breakfast Club W L
Jack & Esther's 31 13

Bowlsby Oil 31 13
Hale Hardware 24 20
Lee Cory Realty 24 20
Hale Bar 23 21
Wicker Hills 18½ 25½
Eagle Park Grocery 14 30
Long Lake Bar 10½ 33½

Team High Series: Jack & Esther's, 3081; Eagle Park Grocery, 2881; Wicker Hills, 3370.

Team High Single: Jack & Esther's, 1057-1035; Hale Hardware, 1036.

Individual High Series: Helen Parker, 656; Norma Dobson, 654; Barb Wilson, 645.

Individual High Single: Barb Wilson, 253; Helen Parker, 246; Marge Smith, 241.

Hits & Mrs. W L
Evergreen Resort 69½ 42½
Trading Post 68 44
Whittemore Mill 66½ 45½
D&J Carpets 56½ 55½
Hale Flowers 56½ 55½
Keystone Bar 46½ 65½
Prescott TV 44 68

Hard Hat Bar 40½ 71½
Team High Series: D&J Carpets 2447; Prescott TV, 2284; Trading Post, 2266.

Team High Single: D&J Carpets 821; Keystone Bar, Trading Post 796.

Individual High Series: Jack Hempstead, 662; Ethel Davis, 632; John Rau, 622.

Individual High Single: Jack Hempstead, 234; Dorothy Dorcy 233; Bert Fortune, 232.

Bowling...

TAWAS LANES

Friday Night Ladies W L
Tawas Bay Glass 36 16
H&B Trucking 33 19
Barbier Oil 32½ 19½
Strauer's Market 31½ 30½
McIntosh-McKay No. 1 29 23
Tawas Bar 26 26
North Star Motel 25 27
Dairy Queen 21 31
McIntosh-McKay-East 13 39
Squires Wheel Alignment 13 39

Team High Series: H&B Trucking, 2894; Dairy Queen, 2822; Barbier Oil, 2768.

Team High Single: H&B Trucking, 1032; McIntosh-McKay No. 1, 975; Dairy Queen, 961.

Individual High Series: Corkie Kehring, 633; Mary Ann Michalski, 614; Linda Alda, 603.

Individual High Single: Corkie Kehring, 238; Eva Cremeans, 221; Ardith Biggs, 216.

Braves & Squaws W L
Sioux 29 15
Commanche 26½ 17½
Chippewa 25½ 18½
Blackfeet 24 20

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Cherokee 22 22
Apache 21 23
Navajo 19½ 24½
Mohican 19 25
Iroquois 17½ 26½
Mohawk 16 28

Team High Series: Sioux, 2333; Chippewa, 2325; Mohican, 2248.

Team High Single: Chippewa, 848; Sioux, 816; Apache, 784.

Individual High Series: R. Whitford, 638; C. Lee, 628; K. Otto, 614.

Individual High Single: R. Whitford, 239; R. Whitford, K. Otto, 233; D. Shover, 229.

Guys & Dolls W L
Jokers 36½ 11½
Saints & Sinners 32½ 15½
Quartet 25½ 22½
That Other Team 25 23
Screwballs 25 23
Pickups 24 24
Misfits 22 26
Should-A-Been 20 28
Leftovers 20 28
Pretenders 9½ 38½

Team High Series: Leftovers, 2314.

Team High Single: Saints & Sinners, 830.

Individual High Series: Charlie Pierson, 670; Margaret Smith, 651.

Individual High Single: Charlie Pierson, 250; Judy Werth, 244.

Minor W L
WIOS 34 10
Methodist Men 27 17
Mitch's Pizzeria 24½ 19½
Barnacle Bill's 24 20
K of C No. 1 23 21
Tawas Furniture 23 21
Arliiss Woodward 20½ 23½
Schaaf Lumber 20 24
Kiwanis 12 32
K of C No. 2 12 32

Team High Series: Methodist Men, 2900; Tawas Furniture, 2885; Barnacle Bill's, 2850.

Team High Single: WIOS, 1049; Tawas Furniture, 996; Methodist Men, 991.

Individual High Series: Vern Beaubien, 690; Pete Hupcik, 644; Bob Thomas, 641.

Individual High Single: Pete Trafelet, 268; Pete Hupcik, 267; Ray Cross, 257.

Bowling...

HALE CREEK LANES

Ups & Downs W L
Kenyon's Bar 69 47
Desi's Taco Lounge 67½ 48½
Daeschlein Realty 66½ 49½
Mary's Team 61½ 54½
Jack of all Trades 61 55
Timber Steak House 59 57
Hale Asphalt 57½ 58½
Team No. 7 22 94

Team High Series: Team No. 7, 2338.

Team High Single: Timber Steak House, 859.

Individual High Series: Enid Stevens, 647; Bill Stevens, 623.

Individual High Single: Enid Stevens, 254; Ed Habermehl, 249.

Early Birds W L
Ira's Repair 28 12
K&K 24½ 15½
Londo Lake Store 21½ 18½
Dee's Ceramic 20 20
Ceramic Fantasys 13 26
Budget Shop 13 27

Team High Series: Ira's Repair, 1789; Dee's Ceramic, 1690; K&K, 1667.

Team High Single: Ira's Repair, 607; Dee's Ceramic, 577.

Individual High Series: Effie Pipesch, 594; Alice Spurgis, 592; Sandy Barnes, 581.

Individual High Single: Sandy Barnes, 223; Vi Bannister, 221; Effie Pipesch, 209.



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McIvor News

Mr. and Mrs. John Jenuwine and family of Detroit enjoyed the week-end at their cabin.

The Larry Jordan family of Flint spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder and Lloyd Katterman spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Wilfred Youngs at her home in Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Payea of Lapeer spent the week-end visiting her sister, Mrs. Gladys McIvor.

Wednesday evening, Earl Jordan visited his sister, Mrs. Harold Parent, and Mr. Parent.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wood spent Thursday in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Marsh have returned home after spending three months in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ries and family of Mt. Pleasant spent last week-end at their cabin here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelchner of Tawas were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wood and family enjoyed the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Ronald Trudell, and family in Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Strauer and son of Swartz Creek enjoyed the week-end at their trailer home here and visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Jordan and sons enjoyed Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan.

Thursday, Mrs. Carol Manning of Whittemore and Mrs. John Smith of Bay Port visited Mrs. Gladys McIvor.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Strauer enjoyed Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Freel in Whittemore.



AFTER MONTHS of discussion and waiting for a permit from the federal government, work was finally started last Friday on filling the old boat slip at the mouth of the Tawas River. The original boat slip was excavated in August 1934 by the late Joseph Lubaway when the property was owned by the Tawas Yacht Club. The property was purchased by the city less than two years ago and sand which had been removed in past river dredging operations was pushed into the slip. The city awaits word on federal and state grants for development of the property for recreational use.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Sand Lake

Condolences are extended to the family of Fred Roberts, who died last Thursday at the home of his daughter in Flint.

Donald Meadows and Brian Lutz recently visited Northern Michigan University, Marquette, where Donald plans to enroll in the fall. Mitchell Lenczewski, who is a student there, gave them a tour of the campus.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Reeside have returned to their home here after a three-week vacation in Florida where they visited her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kujat, and other friends who are vacationing there. On their way home, they spent several days with their children and families, the Larry Reesides at Grosse Pointe and the Ronald Stewarts at Warren.

Mrs. Stephen Manchester and sons, Joshua, Benjamin and Andrew, from Charlottesville, Virginia, arrived Monday for a two-week visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack L. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Niver spent the week-end with their sons and families in Flint.

James Boomer enjoyed last week in Bay City visiting friends.

Mrs. Allen Russell spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Boulton of Imlay City.

Mrs. Denzel Robinson spent the week-end in Flint where she assisted her daughter, Mrs. James Chapman, in the taping of the Easter Seal Marathon which will be televised on channel 25 during April.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Deaner and sons have returned to their home here after spending the winter in Florida.

CROSSWORD

ACROSS

- Mother
- Equip
- Danger
- Blundered
- Silly
- Nasser's capital
- Rendered fat
- Stagger
- King of Bashan
- Cupola
- Nickel (sym.)
- Small restaurant
- Roman money
- Loiter
- Audience
- Viper
- Male geese
- Solar deity (var.)
- Be undecided
- Chinese measure
- A wrong
- Storage battery plate
- Worship
- Dimes
- Unusual
- Plague
- Agrees (slang)
- Marries

DOWN

- A household
- Sandarac tree
- Obey
- Malt beverage
- Entrust
- Angry
- Fortitude
- Calm
- A steersman
- Miss Day
- Also (colloq.)
- Jingles
- Lofty mountain
- Sun god
- Exist
- Sale notice
- Of a continent
- Fek. ingese
- Some
- African mammals (colloq.)
- Soapy
- A thick soup
- Jupiter
- Departed
- Peel
- Crow's cry

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GRAND OPENING of the newly remodeled and expanded Coyle's Restaurant in Tawas City is to be held April 1, 2 and 3. The dining room area was expanded, new picture windows were installed overlooking Tawas Bay, along with new carpeting, new rest-rooms and booths.—Tawas Herald Photo.

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Lower Hemlock

Thursday guests of Leia Simons were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Regier and son of Glennie. Friday, Mrs. Simons accompanied Martha Greenwood and Alice Stang of East Tawas to Oscoda for dinner at the senior citizen center. When she returned, her sister, Pearl Hoskins, and son, Russell, of Glennie stopped for a visit. Mrs. Hoskins remained for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reinke were week-end guests of their son, Kenneth, and his wife in Lorraine, Ohio.

Sunday, Jack Whitko of Milford visited with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Niekie Jr.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kobs were in Bay City at the home of her brother, William Musolf, and Mrs. Musolf.

Rose Gackstetter, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Leland Herri-

Sherman News

Mrs. Betty Bamberger spent a few days in Midland with her daughter and family, the Robert Beaman. Mrs. Beaman and her daughter, Rayna, returned home Saturday with her for a few days.

The Theodore Lichotas were Saturday callers in Tawas.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nickell visited the Harvey Smiths.

Carol Henry of Skidway Lake spent Thursday with the Theodore Lichotas.

Several from here attended the St. Patrick's Day parade in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dickson and Sheila brought her parents, the George Smiths, home Saturday after a few days visit with them in

Wilber News

Mrs. Harold Cholger and Mrs. Allen Anschuetz went to Prudenville Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. James O'Farrell.

Wednesday, Mrs. Teena Picardet, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Thomas of Boon brought Mrs. Olive Lotridge home after an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gackstetter returned home Tuesday. They enjoyed visiting relatives in Toledo, Ohio, for a week.

Friends send get-well wishes to Emil Cholger.

Lenten church services and supper will be held Wednesday (today), March 28, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Harris. The Rev. Stephen Meeks will speak.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eckinger of Kawkawlin arrived Sunday to spend a few days at their home.

Mrs. Donald Alda and baby and Mrs. Linda Alda went to Saginaw on Saturday and visited the Charles Brookins family at Jenison.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cross spent the week-end in Florida and attended the wedding of Miss Jennie Odam and Steven Cross. The newlyweds will make their home in Florida.

Wednesday, Mrs. Ronald Green and Mrs. Robena Miller went to Twining to attend the John Deere show.

Mrs. Frieda Cholger visited the Wilbert Gugel family of Frankenthum and accompanied them on a trip to Georgia to visit relatives.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. William Holland of Oscoda were supper guests at the John Newberry home.

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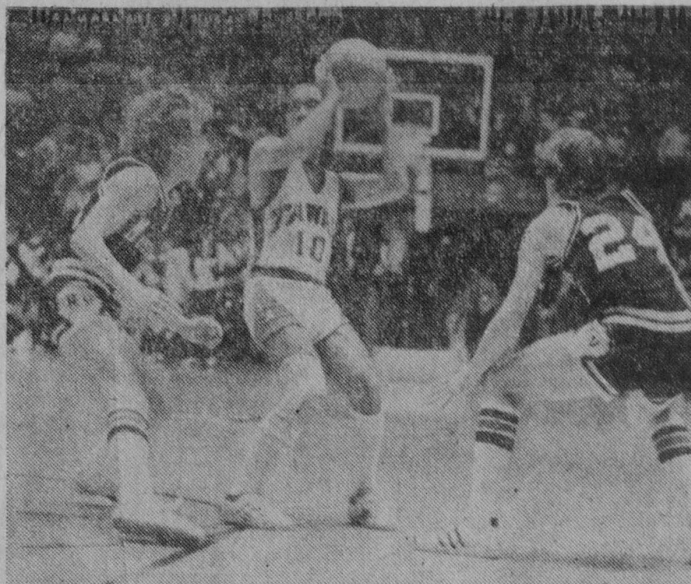
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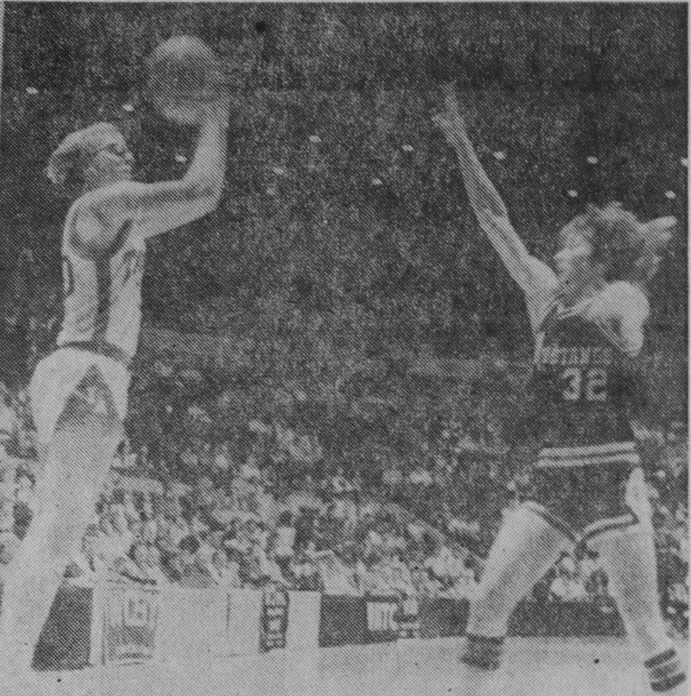
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Long Tournament Trail Led Braves to Class C Semi-Final



THE DEFENSIVE PLAY of the Three Oaks Crusaders was the key to that team's success, culminating in a state championship. Here, pressure is brought to bear on Grant Mousseau of the Tawas Braves, the type of action which saw many turn overs in the semi-final game.—Tawas Herald Photo.



JIM DUBOVSKY'S shooting from the outside proved to be a key factor in Tawas' win at Cheboygan, but was closely guarded at Ann Arbor, where he meshed two of five shots.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Tawas' blood pressure has returned to normal after a three-week bout with March madness. The Braves were responsible for this malady, which followed area residents from Houghton Lake to Roscommon to Cheboygan and finally to Ann Arbor.

The Braves made it all the way to the state semi-final game Friday night before finally running out of steam against Three Oaks, a school which eventually claimed the state class C title Saturday night. Along the way, the Braves sidelined Houghton Lake and Roscommon in the district tournament; rang up two wins in the regional tournament at Roscommon and then won Wednesday night's game in the quarter-final at Cheboygan.

Tawas finished its exciting season with a 15-11 record, won two trophies for the school and provided more thrills for loyal fans than at any other time in the 25-year history of the school.

Wednesday night's game at Cheboygan was a perfect example. After enjoying a comfortable 32-26 lead over Iron Mountain at half time, the Braves had to battle back to win the game and it took a couple of pressure-packed free throws tossed by Grant Mousseau to turn the tide.

With just four seconds left in the game, Mousseau gave the Braves a heart-pounding 47-46 victory and gained Tawas a spot in the semi-final at Crisler Arena, Ann Arbor, on Friday night.

Tawas nearly burned the nets off in the first half at Cheboygan, hitting on 16 of 33 shots and most of those came from the outside. That

shooting percentage was necessary as Iron Mountain used a box and one zone defensive alignment to contain Kevin Grace, Tawas' high scoring junior center.

The Braves held the upper hand, 16-11, at the end of the first period as Jim Dubovsky and Brian Norton hit from the outside. The Braves held a 32-26 lead at intermission.

Iron Mountain had 25 turn overs during the night which hurt its chances and Tawas took advantage of the helping hand. The Braves built up a 38-28 bulge with six minutes, 31 seconds to go in the third quarter, before Iron Mountain suddenly caught fire and tied the game at 38-38 at the end of the third quarter.

Tawas missed 17 straight shots but finally took the lead when John Gardiner came off the bench to pull a three-point play, then Bill King hit a free throw to make it 42-40 and Mousseau came in to hit a jumper to run Tawas' lead to 44-40 with three minutes, five seconds, to go.

Iron Mountain took over the lead with two minutes, 14 seconds to go, but Mousseau hit a free throw to make it 45-46 with 46 seconds left on the clock. The Mountainers tried to stall the game but Mousseau stole the ball twice to set up the dramatic finish with only four seconds to go.

After tying the game 46-46 on the first foul shot, Tawas Coach Paul Becker called time out to relieve some of the pressure and Mousseau calmly meshed the second shot to win the game. Iron Mountain had one more shot but it was wide and the Braves were mobbed

by excited fans. Mousseau had 11 points to lead the Braves, followed by 10 each turned in by Dubovsky and Kraig Moffatt. Grace had six points and turned in a big game on the defensive backboards.

The Braves advanced to the semi-final Friday night at Ann Arbor and excitement reigned in the Tawas with "Go Braves" signs plastered over the two towns.

Both the Braves and Three Oaks suffered a bad case of jitters at Ann Arbor and Tawas' cause was really hurt when Grace drew three fouls in the first quarter, sat out the second period and returned in the third to pick up his fourth foul. He returned to the game in the fourth quarter, but fouled out with two minutes, 26 seconds, remaining in the game.

The Braves missed their first five shots from the floor and trailed 9-8, at the end of a slow first quarter. Norton kept the Braves in the game with 11 points during the first half, as Tawas only trailed Three Oaks, 21-19.

The second half opened with Moffatt meshing two straight foul shots and King scored a field goal to tie the game. Three Oaks jumped ahead by four points, but two quick buckets by Moffatt closed the gap. Tawas had three turn overs and a long drought before Dubovsky made a basket to cut Three Oaks' lead to 38-31.

Most of the excitement was saved for the last eight minutes of the game as Tawas tried to fight back. With five minutes, 40 seconds to go, baskets by Moffatt and Norton closed the gap to 44-42 and it looked as though the Braves were going to pull off another come-from-behind upset. Three Oaks went ahead by four points, but Grace meshed one basket to close the gap to 46-44. Three Oaks pulled steadily ahead and started to play keep away with one minute, 38 seconds left in the game.

Tawas hit only 22 of 56 shots from the floor and Three Oaks had 24 of 59. Norton led Tawas with 18 points and Moffatt turned in 14 points.

Three Oaks, a team near the Michigan-Indiana border south of Benton Harbor, defeated Laker High Saturday night for the class C state championship. The Braves

came that close to the coveted title.

Quarter-Final—Cheboygan

TAWAS AREA	FG	FT	TP
Norton	2	0	4
Dubovsky	5	0	10
Grace	3	0	6
Moffatt	5	0	10
King	1	1	3
Mousseau	4	3	11
Allen	0	0	0
Gardiner	1	1	3
21 5 47			

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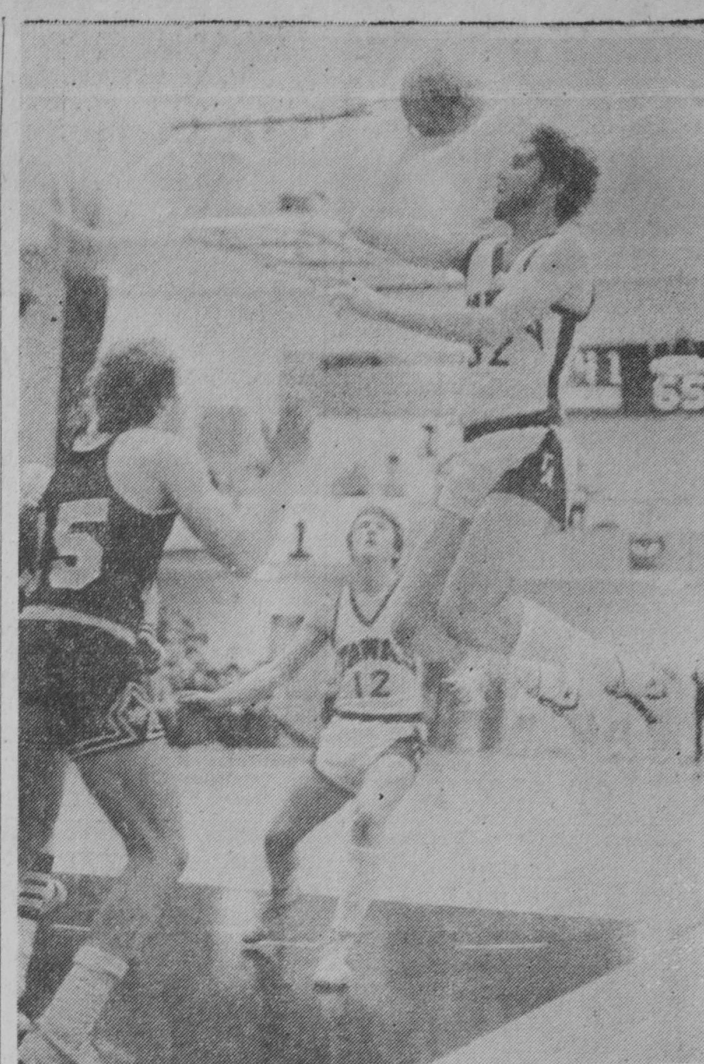
FG	FT	TP	
Pericolosi	9	3	21
Galeazzi	3	2	8
Bertoldi	6	1	13
Qualley	2	0	4
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Semi-Final—Ann Arbor

TAWAS AREA	FG	FT	TP
Dubovsky	2	0	4
Norton	8	2	18
Grace	3	1	7
Moffatt	6	2	14
King	1	0	2
Mousseau	1	0	2
Gardiner	0	0	0
Allen	0	0	0
Grabow	1	0	2
Tousley	0	0	0
22 5 49			

THREE OAKS

FG	FT	TP	
Ponegalek	5	0	10
Peterak	10	3	23
Schaffer	1	3	5
Kath	4	1	9
Zebell	4	2	10
24 9 57			



KEVIN GRACE'S 29 points was high for Tawas at Roscommon, but a zone defense used by Iron Mountain proved effective. Three fouls in the first quarter at Ann Arbor hurt his chances to demonstrate his shooting ability.—Tawas Herald Photo.

County OKs Negotiations for Iosco Airport Expansion

Iosco County Board of Commissioners last week approved negotiations for acquiring a 40-acre parcel of land for expansion of the west end of the county airport in Baldwin Township.

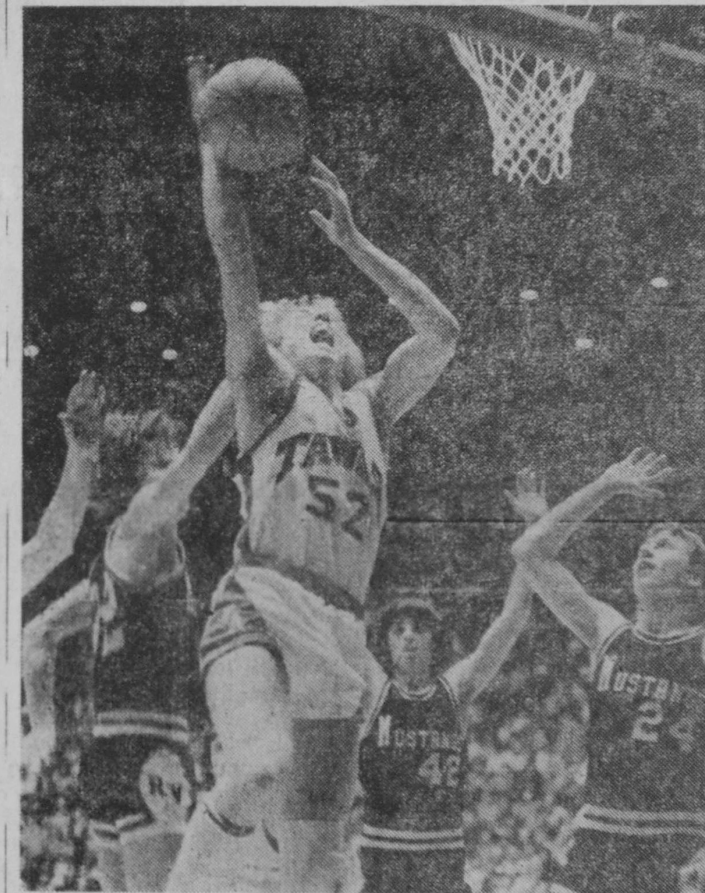
The county agreed to exchange a 40-acre parcel of wild land for property presently owned by the Butterfield family. In addition, the county is to pay \$16,000, plus constructing a dirt road and providing wire to enclose the new parcel for the owners.

The county is to attempt to acquire title to 13.24 acres of land from the federal government, if it releases its revisionary interest to the county. The county would sell the property to the Butterfields.

Negotiations on acquiring the property have been under consideration for more than a year.

In other business, W. C. Roach was elected chairman of the county planning commission.

Authorization was given to John Rose, director of the county equalization department, to fill a vacant description clerk's position in his department.



TAWAS' Brian Norton led the Braves with 18 points at Ann Arbor and is shown here with about five minutes left in the fourth quarter when the Braves battled back to close the gap to 44-42 in the Crusaders' favor.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Crash Victim

(Continued from page 1.)

ware for 25 years. He was born May 26, 1927, in Bay City.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday (today), March 28, 11:00 a. m., at Ambrose Funeral Chapel with burial in St. Stanislaus Cemetery, Bay City.

Besides his wife, he leaves a son, Richard A. Wierowski II; a daughter, Mrs. Andrey (Mary Kay) Boyle of Bay City; three stepchildren, Dale, Fred and Terri Strauer at home.

Burglaries Investigated in Iosco Co.

Three breakings and enterings were investigated last week by Iosco County Sheriff's Department.

On March 20, two chain saws, four power saws, a power sander and six staple guns were stolen from Alabaster Wholesale on US-23 south of Tawas City. Back door of the establishment had been forced open.

Burglary of a house trailer owned by Lloyd G. Dissmore, Whittemore, was discovered by road patrol officers. Six rifles and three shotguns valued at \$2,135 were stolen.

A warrant is being sought charging a subject who fled a house Thursday with breaking and entering. When Charles Nunn, Ruth Nunn and Dennis Turland returned to the Nunn residence at 416 East Esmond Road they found the subject sleeping on a couch.

He told the Nuns that he entered the house when he found the back door open, but investigation revealed that the door had been pried open. The subject fled the scene when a call was being made to the sheriff's department.

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KRAIG MOFFATT proved to be Tawas' most consistent scorer at Cheboygan and Ann Arbor, meshing 10 points against Iron Mountain (above) and 14 points against the Crusaders.—Tawas Herald Photo.

NOW HEAR THIS, ALL TAWAS AREA VOTERS!

Nothing feeds an argument more than a lack of facts. VOTE YES. Let a charter commission for Tawas research the facts and draw a city charter for the Tawas that would give us a happier and more efficient community to live in.

VOTE YES!

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Social Services Board Drops Request for \$5,000 Medical Care Facility Study

Heated discussion erupted again Wednesday between members of the county board of commissioners and the Iosco Social Services Board concerning an evaluation of the operation of the Iosco County Medical Care Facility.

The matter has been resolved for the time being through withdrawal of a request for funds to conduct the study and a request for no action by the county board of commissioners.

That development came Wednesday afternoon after stormy debate in the morning involving county

commissioners, members of the social services board, personnel of the medical care facility, a representative of Provincial House Nursing Home and interested citizens.

Two weeks ago, controversy among the board of commissioners developed when Joan Case, chairman of the social services board, requested a \$5,000 appropriation from the county to hire Provincial House to conduct the evaluation.

The social services board had been requested by the commission to explain how a county subsidy of

\$83,000 was being expended in the medical care facility and what action was being taken to reduce that subsidy. The county commission had maintained that finances in the county treasury were not adequate to continue that kind of an expenditure.

Speaking on behalf of the social services board, which is charged by state law with administering the medical care facility, Mrs. Case dropped an apparent bombshell when she recommended that Provincial House be retained to conduct an evaluation of the county fa-

cility. She said this was a new service being offered by the private firm, which operates 19 nursing homes around the state at a profit.

Three members of the commission, John Webb, David George and Marian Ulman, were favorable to the recommendation, but two other commissioners, Carlton Merschel and James Stech, were violently opposed to such action.

Merschel and Stech questioned the ethics of hiring the private firm to conduct the evaluation, believing any report would be biased, inasmuch as Provincial House had once approached the county to take over management of the medical care facility. They also pointed out that bids must be taken on such an expenditure and that state and federal agencies must have input into any evaluation as the county was still under an obligation for 7½ years through acceptance of Hill-Burton funds to construct the facility.

Those arguments were carried over to Wednesday's session when Mrs. Case again asked the board of commissioners to appropriate \$5,000 to hire Provincial House to conduct an evaluation of the medical care facility in order to trim the latter's budget.

Lois Lamont from Provincial House's management services staff explained the new service offered by that firm, stating that the Lansing based corporation had opened its 19th nursing home 10 days ago and now has 2,000 beds in the state. She said the new consulting service was offered due to the increasing costs and regulations governing all nursing homes.

Merschel said he had talked the matter over with the administrator of the Grand Traverse County Medical Care Facility and that he had received proposals from five different firms to conduct an evaluation.

He also questioned if Provincial House had not suffered losses in the past. Lamont responded that the nursing home segment of Provincial House had operated at a profit and she was prepared to present financial reports to that effect.

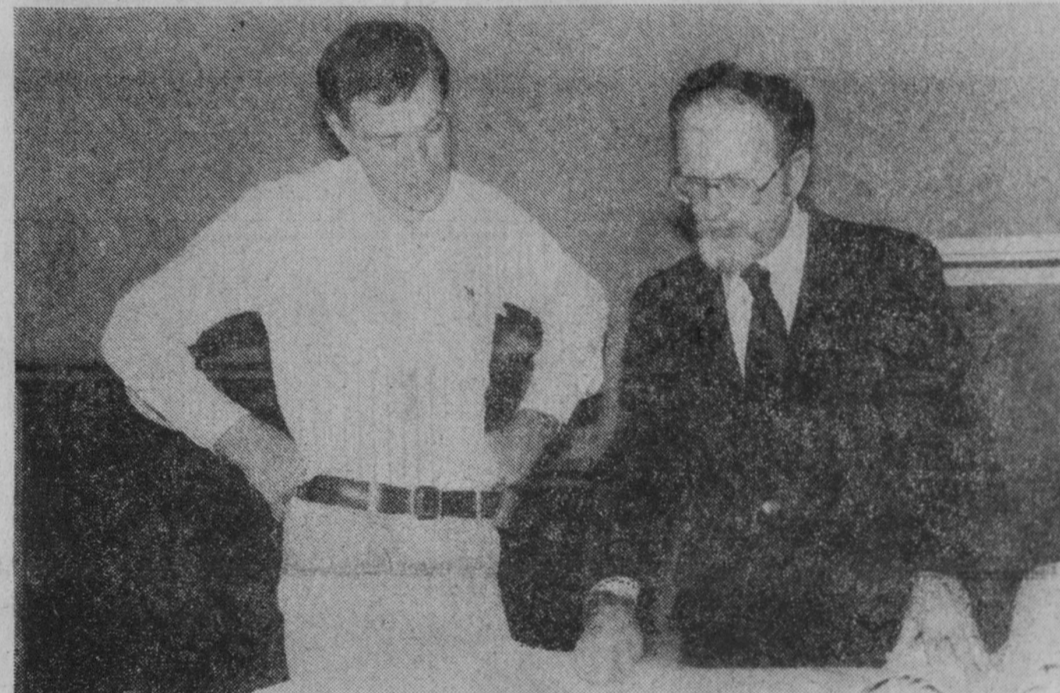
Merschel also asked Mrs. Case if she could guarantee a saving at the medical care facility if such a survey was conducted. The social services board chairman replied there was always room for improvement at any facility.

Citizens present at the meeting questioned a statement that the medical care facility was over staffed, stating the belief that this was not the case.

Competency of the social services board in regard to the medical care facility's operation was questioned by Stech. Chesley Sommerville, a social services board member, replied that the board was fulfilling its responsibility with competency.

Dr. Harvey Brinkman, medical director at the county facility, expressed the belief that reduction of personnel would be sacrificing the quality of care offered.

Following the morning discussion, Mrs. Case appeared before the board of commissioners and stated that Roy Bergstrom, director of the medical care facility, had requested permission to conduct his own study. She asked that the commission take no action on the matter and that members of the county commission contact the social services board, rather than the director, for information concerning the medical care facility.



CONSTRUCTION is progressing rapidly on additions to the Iosco County Building. John Dye, right, architect, is shown here checking over plans with Milton Clouse, superintendent for the contracting firm, on work in the district court room. It is expected that work will be completed on district and circuit court additions during the next two weeks. Revamping of other county offices will be completed next month. —Tawas Herald Photo.



We looked all over northern Michigan and picked Oscoda

In August of 1975, Bob Rutherford enlarged the Slack Shack, moving his men's clothing line upstairs to the Loft and providing enough floor space downstairs to house his women's sportswear, as well as to lease space for a family shoe store.

"One of the important deciding factors," said Bob, "was the way I was treated at the Oscoda State Savings Bank. They were the most helpful source of information, most enthusiastic and gave us much encouragement."

Mrs. Rutherford added, "The bank has to have confidence in Oscoda and us because they financed our house at the time they financed our new building, back in 1972."

The Rutherfords, too, are sold on Oscoda's future and want to do everything they can to help the city move forward. You can tell by the design of their attractive building. It has the feeling of the north country. And the feeling of friendship of the new Oscoda.

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CAPT. FRANK OCHA'S Strange Disappearance

CAPT. FRANK OCHA is shown standing in the bow of this surf boat, along with his crew from the Ottawa (Tawas) Point Lifesaving Station. Not long after the picture at right was snapped, Ocha disappeared under mysterious circumstances.



CREW of the Ottawa (Tawas) Point Lifesaving Station poses in front of the station. Men under Capt. Frank Ocha, dressed in the dark suit, kept a watchful eye on the extensive shipping traffic. —Tawas Herald Photo

The silver image on a glass plate negative snapped by A. G. Emery, East Tawas commercial photographer in the 1890s, contains the only known likeness of Capt. Frank Ocha, whose strange disappearance in the fall of 1896 has never been solved. The plate came to light after more than 80 years and is being used to illustrate this feature.

Ocha was commander of the lifesaving station (now the Tawas Point Coast Guard Station) and had compiled an excellent record in federal service. Under Ocha, the surf boating crews from Tawas Point were always among the top contenders in competitive events among Great Lakes lifesaving crews.

Ocha had grown to manhood in the East Tawas area, his parents having operated a halfway house on the sand trail between East Tawas and AuSable. Business was active for the Ochas as, prior to construction of a through railroad in 1883 to serve this region, the halfway house served as a stopping point for the Green Stage Coach Line.

Like a number of young men of the Tawas in that era, Ocha joined the lifesaving service and had faithful service first as a surfman and later as commander of the station on Tawas Point.

The station on Tawas Point was very active during that period, keeping track of and a watchful eye on the extensive shipping traffic on Tawas Bay. The bay was port of call for such Detroit and Cleveland steamers as the City of Detroit and City of Cleveland, along with the Arundell, Faxton and Sailor Boy of the Shore Line.

Tawas Bay was also active with shipments of locally manufactured lumber. The Tawas Herald noting on May 22, 1896, that "Prescott's mill started up Tuesday morning and had sufficient logs to run the entire season."

An earlier item in the Herald made note of the fact that Captain Ocha was a popular man in the Tawas. On August 2, 1895, the following item was printed in the newspaper:

"Tuesday last, a picnic was given at Ottawa Point in honor of the Third Regiment Band (Michigan State Militia) and a jolly good time was had by all. Music was furnished by the band and a ball game held to amuse the large number present. Captain Ocha and his gallant crew spared no pains to make the occasion an enjoyable one. They gave their beach drill which was much enjoyed. The point is becoming more popular

each year as a summer resort and picnic grounds."

In October 1896, Captain Ocha left the station one evening, walked down to the dock on the bay side of the point and rowed his boat to the Commercial Dock at East Tawas, located on the present site of the Michigan Waterways Commission Dock.

The captain's family lived at East Tawas and, after a visit with them, he left to return to the point. Because of the fact there was no telephone line running between town and the point at that time, it was not learned until the next morning that Captain Ocha had not returned to the lifesaving station. Further inquiry revealed that

he had not spent the night in town and an investigation was commenced.

The captain's rowboat was found tied to the dock and his cap was found floating on the water of Tawas Bay. Someone recalled that he had received his pay check only a few days prior to his disappearance and foul play was feared.

A crew from the lifesaving station dragged Tawas Bay for several days in the event he had drowned and a strict watch was kept for days in case the body should rise to the surface of the water.

All the searching and watching were to no avail as the captain's body was never found. The strange disappearance of the lifesaving station commander touched off numerous rumors in the Tawas, which were never substantiated.

Although Ocha's body may have become entangled in some way with one of the ships leaving this port, it was never found on the Great Lakes and an East Tawas historian, Miss Edna Otis, recalled in her book, "Sawdust Days," that "Captain Ocha had disappeared as if the earth had opened up and swallowed him." His disappearance

has been classed as the 'perfect fade-out' for these many years.

Seven years after his disappearance, insurance companies paid his wife the amount of life insurance he carried. He was listed officially as dead, but there were no records to prove that he had passed away.

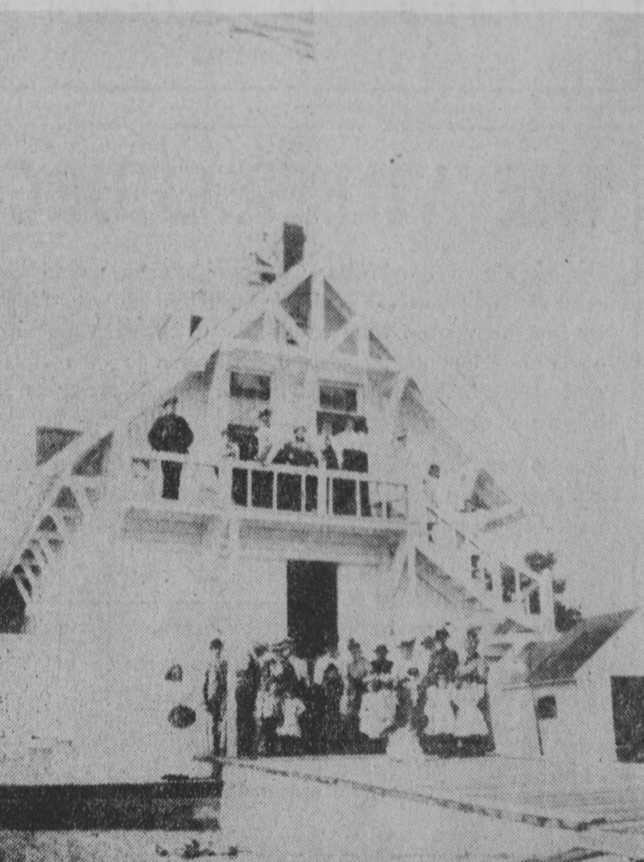
Captain Ocha's brother, Albert, who commanded the lifesaving station at Eagle Harbor, Lake Superior, was one of the most famous members of the lifesaving service on the Great Lakes during that era.

On November 19, 1887, he and his crew reced 110 miles on the fastest train, faced a raging sea and death in the rescue of the crew of the Robert Wallace, a ship which had foundered in a storm.

Albert died in 1912 and a subscription paper circulated in his home town of East Tawas raised money to care for his seven orphaned children. His wife had died in 1910.

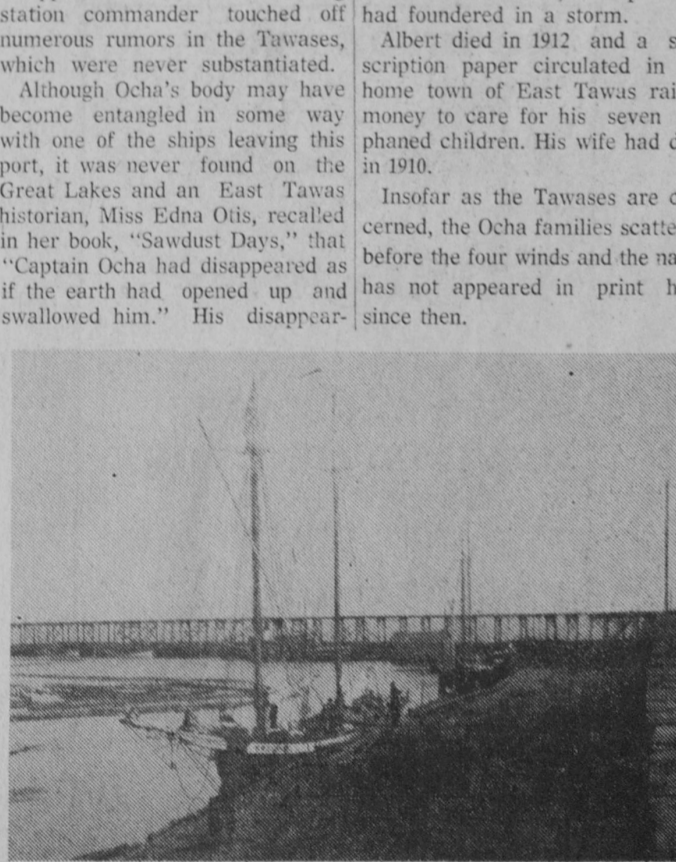
Insofar as the Tawas are concerned, the Ocha families scattered before the four winds and the name has not appeared in print here since then.

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Editorial—

Important Election for Residents of Tawas

A ballot of much importance to Tawas City and East Tawas will be placed before voters on April 2. At East Tawas, the vote coincides with the annual spring election to name city officers; in Tawas City, a special election has been called. The ballot asks the question: "Shall the Cities of East Tawas and Tawas City be consolidated into a new home rule city?"

This election was ordered by the State Boundary Commission on February 13, after its ruling on the sufficiency of petitions which had been presented. On October 24, the boundary commission established procedures for election of a charter commission, following a petition drive and public hearings, but a petition drive was commenced calling for an immediate referendum by the people before a charter commission was actually elected.

Although there is some disagreement among various persons over wording of the ballot, the language was actually specified by the boundary commission.

In simple terms, a "yes" vote would authorize a second election in about 60 days to name members to a charter commission. The consolidation timetable would then revert to the point where it was prior to filing of petitions for an immediate election on the question.

Voters would have the opportunity to accept or reject a proposed new charter within a year

after formation of the charter commission. If rejected on the first vote, the charter commission could submit the proposal a second time. If rejected again, the consolidation movement would end.

If a majority in either community vote "no" on April 2, the consolidation movement would end at that point.

The only serious consideration given to a merger proposal in the history of the Tawas came 11 years ago, April 1, 1968. The proposal sought establishment of a charter commission and was turned down by the narrowest of margins—only four votes. Tawas City voters turned down the proposition, 307-311, while the merger was favored at East Tawas by a two to one majority, 516-255.

There was very little organized resistance to or support of the merger in that election, nor has there been any particular campaigning for or against the upcoming ballot. There were some unanswered questions from both points of view 11 years ago, just as there are today.

Quite clearly, the proposal is a matter for the people residing within the boundaries of Tawas City and East Tawas to decide. While others might be interested, the final decision is not theirs—only to residents of the two communities.

This newspaper urges all citizens of Tawas City and East Tawas to cast their vote on April 2. The judgment is yours.

Highlights And Sidelights

Would Use Lake Sand for Industry

DETROIT—Application has been made for a Department of the Army permit to dredge, on an annual basis, approximately 380,000 cubic yards of sand from Lake Huron between Oscoda and East Tawas for industrial purposes.

According to a public notice dated March 12, the Detroit District Army Corps of Engineers and Michigan Department of Natural Resources would reach independent conclusions and decisions concerning necessary permits.

Submitting the application was Sargent Dredging Company, Saginaw, which proposes to dredge with hydraulic sand sucking equipment and transport the material to the Chevrolet Division, General Motors Corporation, at Saginaw.

The annual dredge from a 5,000 by 10,000-foot area approximately 5.3 miles south of Oscoda and offshore from AuSable Point would amount to 500,000 tons of sand.

Interested parties and agencies desiring to express their views concerning the proposed work may do so by filing a letter with the Department of the Army, Detroit District, Corps of Engineers, 30 days from the issuance of the notice. A lack of response will be interpreted as meaning that there is no objection to the permit application.

The state and federal agencies involved would evaluate the probable impact on the proposed dredge. Permits would not be granted unless

less issuance is found to be in the public interest.

A preliminary determination indicates that the proposed activity would not affect any known listed endangered species or their critical habitat.

Provincial House Nursing Home's License Renewed

LANSING—The Michigan Department of Public Health in February issued annual renewal licenses to 39 nursing homes, 11 homes for the aged, 18 hospitals and one freestanding surgical outpatient facility. At the same time, the department served notice that it intended to deny a Detroit nursing home renewal of its license.

Included in the list of nursing homes issued annual renewal licenses was the 120-bed Provincial House Nursing Home in Tawas City.

At the end of February, Michigan had under license, certification and in operation 469 nursing care facilities with 53,725 beds, 130 homes for the aged with 9,547 beds and 223 general hospitals with 43,841 beds.

Tornado Safety Stressed in State as Spring Danger Season Approaches

LANSING—During recent years, Michigan has the third highest average number of tornado deaths in the nation with a total of 227 persons killed in twisters since 1950. During that time, 410 tornadoes occurred in the state.

To stimulate interest in personal safety throughout the state, the state police emergency services division conducted special programs in the public school system.

A tornado can occur at any time of the day or night and in almost any month of the year. Most occur, however, during the months of April, May, June and July in the late afternoon and evening hours and usually between 3:00 and 7:00 p. m.

The worst tornado in Iosco County history struck Plainfield, Wilber and AuSable Townships on June 8, 1953, killing four persons and injuring nine. Twisters of less violent action have been reported here since then, including one on March 30, 1976, and another on September 1, 1977, both in Plainfield Township. Those two storms did not fall within the usual April-July timetable.

A tornado or severe thunderstorm watch is issued whenever conditions exist for severe weather to develop. Under such conditions, the entire family should be informed in order to know what to do if a tornado is sighted. A warning is issued whenever a tornado or severe thunderstorm has actually been sighted or strongly indicated by radar.

Under ideal conditions, a tornado may be on the ground for seven minutes before commercial radio or television can begin to warn the population. Since the average tornado lasts approximately 10 minutes, chances are that it can strike without warning.

The severe thunderstorm warning is likely to be the public's only warning of a short-lived, but none the less, dangerous tornado. Citizens should acquire a healthy respect for those reports, despite the fact that a tornado does not develop in most instances.

If severe weather is reported, the best advice is to seek shelter immediately. If not, keep a constant lookout for severe weather and stay near shelter, preferably in a basement or on the lowest floor and in the center of a house. Keep some windows open, but stay away from them.

Menus

IOSCO COUNTY DROP-IN CENTERS

Thursday, March 29—
Spaghetti and meat sauce, green beans, tossed salad, assorted bread and margarine, pears, coffee, tea, milk.

Friday, March 30—
Fish, parsley buttered potatoes, cabbage salad, assorted bread and margarine, fruit cocktail cake, coffee, tea, milk.

Monday, April 2—
Spaghetti and meat sauce, green beans, tossed salad, assorted bread and margarine, pears, coffee, tea, milk.

Tuesday, April 3—
Pork cutlet, potatoes and gravy, sauerkraut salad, biscuit and margarine, applesauce, coffee, tea, milk.

Wednesday, April 4—
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TODAY'S Meditation
from The World's Most Widely Used Devotional Guide

The Upper Room

(Read 1 John 1:5-10)

"If we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanseth us for all sin." (1 John 1:7)

A number of years ago, when our children were quite young, our son was helping me do some work. It was too small a space for me to get into so I had him climb in to put the nuts on some bolts that I could neither reach nor see. He was doing a good job until I inadvertently moved the light too far from him. Then he called, "Daddy, please give me more light."

Shortly after that, I was in a small group meeting and heard a man pray, "O God, give us more light." At the close of the prayer time, the person leading the group commented, "Brother Jim, we really do not need more light. We just need to walk in the light we already have."

Our problem too often is not that we need more light, but that we fail to obey and walk in the light that has already illuminated our pathway.

PRAYER
Dear Father, we confess our failure to walk in the light of the Scripture, especially that which reveals Your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Forgive us and motivate us to live always in the light Christ has given us. In the name of Him who is the light of the world, we pray. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
What light from God am I failing to follow?—John L. Ewing (Linwood, New Jersey)

MC Gas Line Construction Starts in Tawas

15 Years Ago—
March 25, 1964 — Construction started yesterday morning by contractors for Michigan Consolidated Gas Company on distribution mains to serve the Tawas. Scheduled completion date is August 1.

Representatives of Oscoda and AuSable Townships, along with a committee from the Iosco Board of Supervisors, are to meet April 7 with the Michigan Department of Conservation and Army Corps of Engineers to discuss the possibility of locating a county or township park on the south side of the mouth of the AuSable River.

Stanley Lane of Tawas City was elected president of the Barons Corvette Club.

Cordell Ponak earned valedictorian honors and Karen Fegan was named salutatorian for 1964 at Whittemore-Prescott Area High School.

Two bowling teams sponsored by the Barnes Hotel held a match and the ladies won, 3,596-3,271. Del Collier was high for the men with 604 actual and Rhea Ulman led the winners with 500 actual. After bowling, the two teams were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony DeFilippi at the Barnes Hotel.

25 Years Ago—
March 26, 1954—The Iosco County Farm property is to be sold at the April meeting of the board of supervisors. Operation of the property as a farming project was

abandoned last fall by the Iosco Social Welfare Board.

Tawas Area Board of Education adopted a formal salary schedule for contracts listing a top salary of \$4,000 for a teacher with a bachelor degree. Teachers with a master degree receive \$200 additional and \$7 per semester hour for work earned toward a master degree.

The 1954 Kaiser is now on display at Cholger's Service in Tawas City. At the present time, there are over 700,000 Kaisers on the road.

The three-lane pavement on US-23 between Pinconning and Standish is to be widened this spring to a four-lane highway. The work is expected to be completed before July 4.

Fred Mathewson of East Tawas was appointed chairman of the Fourth of July parade committee for Tawas Chamber of Commerce.

35 Years Ago—
March 24, 1944—All governmental departments of the county, townships and cities of the county were represented at the post-war planning meeting held Monday evening at the courthouse. Herbert E. Hertzler, chairman of the Iosco County Planning Commission, presided over the meeting.

Judge H. Read Smith has been appointed to fill a vacancy on Tawas City Board of Education caused by the resignation of Rollie Gackstetter, who enters the navy next month.

During the past few months, Tawas City Boy Scouts have collected nine tons of waste paper for the war effort.

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 Robert Hunt Estate by Trustee to Harry H. Howard Jr., Parcels in Section 35, T22N, R5E.
 LaVerne J. Koepke and wife to Thomas B. Lee and wife, Lot 9 of Koepke Knolls Subdivision.
 Estelle M. Loud Estate by Executor to William F. Sargent, Lot 11, Block A of Loud, Gay and Company's Addition to the Village of Oscoda.
 Wayne E. Vaughan and wife to Wilhelmina Cataline, et al, Lot 6, Block 64 of the Map of Trustee's

Addition to East Tawas.
 Terry Lee Michaelis to Robert E. Brennan and wife, Lot 270 of Lakewood Shores No. 3.
 George Rouiller and wife, et al, to Rodney S. Powell, Part of Lots 10 and 11, Block 9 of the Map of Tawas City.
 Philip H. LeBlanc and wife to Donald E. Jack and wife, Lot 15 of Janis' Serenity Subdivision.
 First Federal Savings & Loan Association to Jean P. Lindfors and wife, Lot 21 of Supervisor's plat of First Addition to Jordanville.
 James E. Zuehlke and wife, by Attorney-in-Fact, to John Moore and wife, Part of Lots 330 and 332 and Entire Lot 331 of Jordanville Subdivision.
 James E. Zuehlke and wife, by Attorney-in-Fact, to Terry G. Soik, Part of Lots 327 and 329 and En-

tire Lot 328 of Jordanville Subdivision.
 Sherman D. Little and wife to Linda M. Witalec, Lots 39 and 40 of Tate's Pinecrest Subdivision.
 Sharon Dee Nemeth to Muriel Frances Robinson, et al, Lot 3 of J. N. Crocker's Subdivision.
 Norton S. Stadler and wife, et al, to Donald E. Carlisle and wife, et al, Lot 19 of the Plat of Long Lake.
 Lakewood Resort Developers, Incorporated, to Dimitrije Marinkovich and wife Lots 33, 34 and 35 of Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club.
 Lakewood Resort Developers, Incorporated, to Ricky T. Kniffen, Lot 948 of Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club No. 8.
 Lakewood Resort Developers, Incorporated, to Veselin Ciroski and wife, Lot 43 of Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club.
 Lakewood Resort Developers, Incorporated, to Gary H. Graham and wife, Lot 907 of Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club No. 8.
 Lakewood Resort Developers, Incorporated, to Pelham Jones and wife, Lot 990 of Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club No. 8.
 Al Mader and wife to Harold W. Jackson and wife, Part of the NE¼ of the SW¼ of Section 23, T24N, R5E.
 Jerome McFarlane and wife, et al, to James R. Green and wife, the NW¼ of the NE¼ of Section 35, T21N, R6E.
 Edward D. Jacques and wife to John H. Jacques, et al, the W½ of Section 13, T23N, R8E.
 Coho City Marina to Stanley Stasik and wife, Lots in John W. King's Second Addition to Tawas City.
 Geraldine E. Williams, et al, to John A. Murphy, et al, Lot 5, Block 10 of the Plan of the Village (now City) of East Tawas.
 Rufe Collier and wife to Gladys L. Colbath, Lot 3 of Norway Pines No. 1.
 George Buckmeier to James Henry Zeigler and wife, Lot 12 of Ausable Point Beach Subdivision No. 4.
 James E. Zuehlke and wife, by their Attorney-in-Fact, to Brandon A. Buttrick and wife, Part of Lots 310 and 311 of Jordanville Subdivision.
 Donald G. Griffin and wife, et al, to James E. Zuehlke and wife, Part of Lots 310 and 311 of Jordanville Subdivision.
 Hazel Marie Barlow, by Attorney-in-Fact, to Lucile Krajen, et al, Lot 14 of Norway Pines No. 1.
 Laura J. Brownell to John B. McLaughlin and wife, Part of Lot 54 of South Cedar Lake Subdivision No. 1.
 Sidney J. Formanek Jr. and wife to William E. Woody and wife, Lot 394 of Lakewood Shores No. 5.
 Dennis B. Chrivia and wife to David Racer and wife, Lot 11 of Forest Green Estates.
 Dennis B. Chrivia and wife to David L. Racer and wife, Lot 55 of Forest Green Estates No. 2.
 Patricia S. Bradburn to William L. Bradburn and wife, Part of Lots 3 and 4, Block 1 of Peter Geller's Subdivision.
 Ira T. Scofield and wife to Charles J. Martin and wife, Lot 26 of Woodknoll Subdivision No. 2.
 Charles J. Martin and wife to Robert M. Richards and wife, Lots 572 and 573 of Kokosing Subdivision.
 Samuel W. Roth and wife to Robert E. Diment and wife, Lot 15 of Wakefield Park Subdivision.



TAWAS BAR defeated Buckhorn for the Tawas Women's Pool League championship, the team's fourth trophy in five years. Seated from left are Myrtle Robbins, Wilma Lacy, Reta Johnson and Gloria Pitre. Standing from left are Joanie Smith, Bonnie Brown, Lita Walsh (sponsor) and Shirley Hafner. Missing was JoAnne Moeller. —Tawas Herald Photo.

COMMISSION ORDER

STURGEON SPEARING SEASON—STATEWIDE

The Natural Resources Commission, under the authority of sec. 1 and 3 of Act No. 230, P. A. 1925, as amended, orders that for five years beginning January 1, 1978, it shall be unlawful to take or attempt to take sturgeon by means of spears from the inland waters of this State, except during the month of February of each year.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION

INCREASE OF SIZE LIMIT ON BASS

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on August 15, 1975, under authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, as amended, increased the size limit on smallmouth and largemouth bass from 10 inches to 12 inches for a period of 5 years beginning January 1, 1976, on all Michigan waters including the Great Lakes and connecting waters.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION

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

ORDER TO RESTRICT SPEARING SEASON

The Natural Resources Commission at its meeting on July 15, 1977, under authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, as amended, orders that for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1978, it shall be unlawful during the month of April of each year to take any fish by spearing or bow and arrow north of Highway M-72 in the lower peninsula and from April 1 to April 14, inclusive, of each year between Highways M-46 and M-72 in the lower peninsula.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

NOTICE:

PLAINFIELD TOWNSHIP

All Christmas decorations on the graves should be removed by April 15th at the Evergreen Cemetery. The cemetery personnel will be cleaning up after that date.

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NOTICE

Women's Softball

The Tawas Bay Women's Softball Association will hold its first league meeting of the season on Thursday, March 29, at 7:30 p. m., at the East Tawas City Hall.

All teams, sponsors and new players interested should attend this meeting. Players must be at least 17 years of age by September.

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

MARCH 28-APRIL 3
Wednesday, March 28—
 Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, 7:00 a. m., chamber building.
 Tawas Area Senior Citizens, noon sack lunch, East Tawas Community Building.
 Tawas Area Rotary Club regular meeting, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's China House.
 Irene Rebekah Lodge No. 137, 8:00 p. m., Odd Fellows Hall, East Tawas.
 Huron Shores Jaycees, 8:00 p. m., Michigan Consolidated Gas Company conference room.
 Iosco County Citizens for Life (non-denominational), 8:00 p. m., Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall. Public invited.
Thursday, March 29—
 Tawas City Business Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Midway Restaurant.
 Sweet Adelines, 7:30 p. m., Tawas Area High School.
Saturday, March 31—
 Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525, installation of officers, Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall, 5:00 p. m., followed by dinner-dance.
Sunday, April 1—
 Tawas REACT Team, 2:00 p. m., Iosco County Building, Tawas City.
Monday, April 2—
 Tawas City Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.
 East Tawas Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.
 Audie Johnson Auxiliary No. 211, 8:00 p. m., American Legion Hall, East Tawas.
Tuesday, April 3—
 Tawas Kiwanis Club, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's China House.
 Tawas City Garden Club, 1:30 p. m., Tawas United Methodist Church.
 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 Masons, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple.
 Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525, 8:00 p. m., 124½ Newman Street, East Tawas.

APRIL 4-10
Wednesday, April 4—
 Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, noon sandwich luncheon, East Tawas Community Building.
 Tawas Area Rotary Club regular meeting, 12:15 p. m., Lixey's China House.
 Iosco Sportsmen's Club, 7:30 p. m., clubhouse in Baldwin Township. All interested persons welcome.
 Hale Chapter No. 482, Order of the Eastern Star, 8:00 p. m., Hale Masonic Temple.
Thursday, April 5—
 Tawas City Business Association luncheon, 12 o'clock noon, Midway Restaurant, Tawas City.
 Sweet Adelines, 7:30 p. m., Tawas Area High School.
 Iosco Chapter No. 71, Order of the Eastern Star, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple.
Saturday, April 7—
 Alpha Shrine No. 62, Order of White Shrine of Jerusalem, pot-luck, 6:30 p. m.; installation of officers, 8:00 p. m. Open to public.
Monday, April 9—
 East Tawas Garden Club, 1:00 p. m., Michigan Consolidated Gas Company conference room.
 Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 5678, 8:00 p. m., VFW Hall, Tawas City.
 Tawas Area Board of Education, 8:00 p. m., high school.
Tuesday, April 10—
 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.
 Tawas Area Lions Club, 6:30 p. m., Holland House.
 Singers, 7:30 p. m., Oscoda High School choral room.
 Royal Arch Masons, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple, Tawas City.
 Royal Arch Widows, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple, Tawas City.
 Hale Lodge No. 518, Free and Accepted Masons, 8:00 p. m., Hale Masonic Temple.
APRIL 11-17
Wednesday, April 11—
 Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, 7:00 a. m., chamber building.

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Bowling ...

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TAWAS LANES

Tues. Night Ladies W L
 Huron Auto Parts 33 15
 Bayside Beauty Salon 28 20
 Graham Oil 28 20
 Free's Market 27½ 20½
 Genii's Restaurant 25½ 22½
 Dutch Kitchen 24 24
 Tri-County Agency 24 24
 Mitch's Pizzeria 22 26
 Schoaf Lumber 8 40

Team High Series: Free's Market, 2939; Bayside Beauty Salon, 2906; Genii's Restaurant, 2893.

Team High Single: Free's Market, 1032; Bayside Beauty Salon, 1001; Genii's Restaurant, 996.

Individual High Series: Lita Walsh, 651; Deana Holmes, 625; Carol Bell, 623.

Individual High Single: Shelley Brown, 245; Ellen Smith, 238; Lita Walsh, 236.

Senior Citizens W L
 Indian Lake 29½ 14½
 Au Gres 29 15
 Hale 27½ 16½
 Tawas Lake 24½ 19½

Alabaster 24 20
 Oscoda 23 21
 Tawas City 22 22
 East Tawas 18 16
 Sand Lake 17½ 26½
 Omer 11 23

Individual High Series: Ray Vinson, 644; Bob Donnelly, 633; Pete Peters, 620.

Individual High Single: Bob Donnelly, 247; Ray Vinson, 244; Bob Thomas, 241.

Commercial W L
 Tawas Golf & C. Club 36 12
 Jefferson Trucking 30 18
 Riley-Gamble 25 23
 Merschel Hardware 24½ 23½
 Seymour Carpets 24½ 23½
 Whitney Studio 23½ 24½
 Wajahn Floor Covering 21½ 26½
 Tawas Bar 20½ 27½
 Schmidt's 19½ 28½

Hester's IGA 15 33

Team High Series: Riley-Gamble, 2946; Whitney Studio, 2886; Merschel Hardware, 2876.

Team High Single: Riley-Gamble, 1071; Wajahn Floor Covering, 1062; Whitney Studio, 1018.

Individual High Series: M. Giegerich, 654; L. Dibert, 650; B. Smith, 633.

Individual High Single: M. Giegerich, 268; D. Youngs, 264; L. Dibert, 259.

Bowlin Belles W L
 Pin Pals 35 13
 Four Misses 31 17
 ? Marks 28 20
 Rollin Pins 26 22
 Spareribs 25 23
 Mousseau's Body Shop 22 14
 Boyd's Resort 17 19
 The Trading Post 14 22
 Independents 11 25
 Whittemore Bank 10 26

Team High Series: Golden Mirror, 2952; Londo Lake Store, 2918; Mousseau's Body Shop, 2808.

Team High Single: Golden Mirror, 1008-1002; Londo Lake Store, 1004-997.

Individual High Series: Lauri Springsteen, 643; Charlene Mast, 630; Margaret Humphrey, 628.

Individual High Single: Charlene Mast, 230; Gyla Teall, 229; Joan Powers, 227.

Mixed Doubles W L
 Ice Cream Shop 34 18
 Hale Bank 33½ 18½
 Hale Heating 30 22
 Hale Hardware 28 24
 Colonial Inn 26 26
 Scofield Real Estate 22 30
 Scofield Insurance 19 33
 Pearsall's True Value 15½ 36½

Team High Series: Hale Heating, 2405; Ice Cream Shop, 2393; Hale Bank, 2355.

Team High Single: Hale Bank, 866; Hale Heating, 859; Ice Cream Shop, 836.

Individual High Series: Judy Pfahl, 669; Dale Humphrey, 649; Margaret Humphrey, 640.

Individual High Single: Dick Pfahl, 262; Dale Humphrey, 248; Judy Pfahl, 246.

Independent W L
 Schreck Lumber 34 14
 Kisser's Insulation 29 19
 Johnny O's 28 20
 Century 21 27
 P&M Ace Hardware 19 29
 Hale Elevator 19 29
 C&L Party Store 18 30
 Kocher's Market 18 30

Team High Series: Johnny O's, 3055; Kisser's Insulation, 2965; Kocher's Market, 2933.

Team High Single: Kisser's Insulation, 1044; Johnny O's, 1037-1027; Kocher's Market, 1008.

Individual High Series: Dan Kisser, 656; Don Czernik, 643; Duane Wright, 642.

Individual High Single: Don Czernik, 261; Bill Green, 247; Dan Kisser, Worthy Boyd, 237.

Minor W L
 Powers Aluminum 38½ 13½
 Bernard Lumber 30½ 21½
 L&L Ballard Builders 26½ 25½
 Kenyon's 25 27
 American Legion 24 28
 Lupton Garage 22½ 29½
 Barnes Sand & Gravel 21 31
 Kocher's Market 29 32

Team High Series: Powers Aluminum, 3076; Kenyon's, 2993; Kocher's Market, 2965.

Team High Single: Kenyon's, 1078; Powers Aluminum, 1050; Kocher's Market, 1043.

Individual High Series: Jerry Barnes, 676; Craig Follette, 667; Richard Brown, 654.

Individual High Single: Jerry Barnes, 260; George Peters, 256; Jim Kolb, 248.

Individual High Series: Judy Kock, 646; Charles Broka, 641; Steve Bonds, 613.

Individual High Single: Judy Kock, 251; Charles Broka, 229; Wes Bymaster, 227.

Bowling ...

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HALE CREEK LANES

(Bowling forms are available at Hale Creek Lanes and The Tawas Herald office.)

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 Londo Lake Store 26 10
 Powers Aluminum 22 14
 Golden Mirror 22 14
 Spareribs 25 23
 Mousseau's Body Shop 22 14
 Boyd's Resort 17 19
 The Trading Post 14 22
 Independents 11 25
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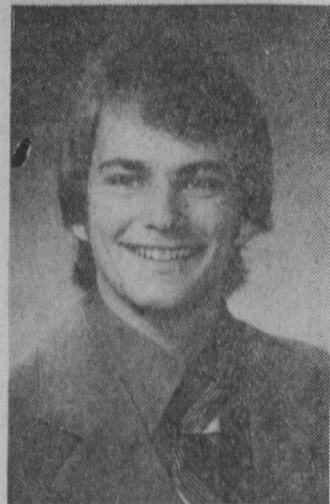
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Our Day FOR AND ABOUT IOSCO TEEN-AGERS



TODAY'S TEEN at Whittemore-Preacock Area High School is John Franklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin. His subjects this year include typing II, bookkeeping, cooperative education and United States Government. His interests include tennis, skiing and swimming. John represented the school at Wolverine Boys State in 1978. He likes horses, flying, boating and traveling. He has a 3.0 grade point average and plans to attend Alma College to become an attorney, certified public accountant or teacher. John is president of the student council, played varsity tennis for four years and is a member of the ski club. He works as a bookkeeper for a local business firm.



TODAY'S TEEN at Hale Area High School is Jan Naumowicz, 17-year-old senior. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Naumowicz, her subjects this year include vocational education (nursing), typing and independent sewing. She plans to work for 1½ years after graduation and then attend college to become a licensed practical nurse. She is a nursing student at Tawas Hospital.

Ferris State Lists Area Honor Students

Ferris State College honored 1,881 students for scholastic excellence during the winter quarter by naming them to the academic honors list. Students from Iosco County named to the list were Mark D. Elliott of East Tawas; James D. Bursick, Hale; Gary M. Wood, Tawas City; Teresa A. Fraser, Patricia A. Koenig, Karen L. Krahnke and Daniel B. Newton, Oscoda.

Area Agency on Aging Forum at Houghton Lake

Region VII Area Agency on Aging has scheduled four community forums on aging for April. The forum for this area will convene Tuesday, April 10, at Houghton Lake Community Building, 2625 Townline Road, from 1:30-3:30 p. m.

Senior citizens within the region are encouraged to attend one of the forums and voice their opinions about the needs of older persons in the community. While the area agency may not be able to resolve all the issues which might be identified, thoughts, ideas and concern expressed during the sessions will assist the agency in identifying problem areas for senior citizens.

TC Business Group Honors City Clerk

City Clerk Rachel Sue McCready, who served nearly five months as acting city manager, was presented a certificate of appreciation Thursday noon by the Tawas City Business Association.

Presented by Marshall Wood, the certificate commended Mrs. McCready for "her fine work during a very trying time."

Taking over the position of city manager last week was Lowell Thomas, who was appointed by the city council.

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 Supervisor 12-2b

TAWAS TOWNSHIP

The Second Hearing on Proposed Use of Federal Revenue Sharing, along with the Annual Meeting will be held Saturday, March 31, 1979 at 1:00 p. m. at Tawas Township Hall.

LaVerne J. Koepke
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The classes will certify students in the life-saving technique. Registration for the free sessions may be made by calling the hospital, 362-3411, extension 352.

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