



MICHAEL JONES, new administrator, is shown at his desk at Tawas Hospital. He assumed his new position December 1.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Jones Getting Acquainted With New Hospital Post

Michael Jones, who took over his new position last week as administrator at Tawas Hospital, said Monday that he was spending his first days on the job becoming familiar with his new duties.

Besides overseeing an operation with 250 full and part-time employees, Jones has responsibility for the \$950,000 surgical suite now under construction. Jones said, too, that he expects to meet soon with the hos-

pital's architect to discuss future plans for landscaping the hospital grounds.

A 1973 graduate with a master degree in hospital administration from the University of Michigan, Jones served as a health facilities planner with East Central Health Planning Council at Saginaw until 1975, became assistant administrator at Tolfree Memorial Hospital at West Branch and, in 1978, was named administrator of Oceana Hospital, Hart, his last employ-

ment before coming here. He and his wife, Deborah have a two-year-old daughter, Heather Marie.

Jones succeeds Craig Miller, who had been acting director of the hospital since July 1, the effective date of the resignation of Paul Dude, who left the position to become president of the Southwestern Michigan Hospital Council. Miller resumed his duties as vice president of Flint St. Joseph Hospital.

City Gets Formal Approval on Gateway Park Planning

After weeks of waiting, Tawas City has received official notification from the United States Army Corps of Engineers that its plans for development of the mouth of the Tawas River have been approved.

It had been feared that an objection voiced by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, plus a stipulation by the federal Environmental Protection Agency, would cause a snag in final federal approval. Last week's official confirmation rules out that possibility.

The plan had already received the complete blessing of the state, which approved \$80,000 in state-administered Land Water Conservation funds to finance a portion of the first phase of a proposed Gateway Park. The city now seeks funding from the Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission, to be combined with local funds, to fund the \$237,810 first phase.

A strongly worded letter signed by Dr. Howard Tanner, director of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, probably helped to move the project off dead center with the federal agencies.

In approving the project, Tanner said his staff found no substantial habitat loss would result from construction at this high wave energy, sandy shoal area.

A meeting with city officials, corps of engineers, DNR and East Lansing based Fish and Wildlife Service staff was held October 30 in Tawas City. Federal representatives held to a hard line stance of no compromise regarding filling of near shore waters, regardless of habitat value and suggested that an extensive biological survey of the site would have to be made. It was further indicated that such a survey could not be conducted until next spring.

Tanner's letter to the corps suggested that this project should be reviewed with social and economic factors included in the process, specifically including the public recreational benefits. The Fish and Wildlife Service field staff had reiterated the position that it only evaluated the biological aspects of the project.

Approval was necessary by December 1 to meet a funding deadline. In his letter, Tanner said "this is not the first instance of such narrow approach to viewing projects of this type by East Lansing Fish and Wildlife Service staff. We believe that, despite specific agency goals, all public agencies must work toward solutions that will benefit the public we serve and still not threaten the resources."

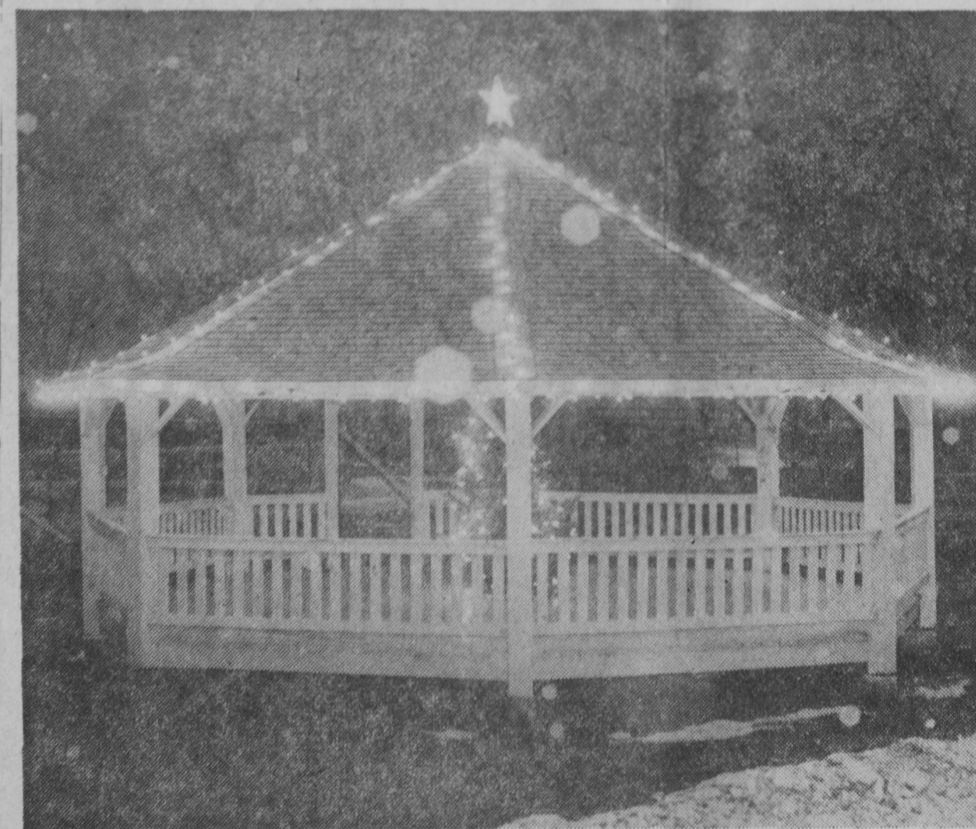
Tanner stressed that this project "is clearly in the public interest and will not threaten nor degrade valuable resources."

Oscoda Woman Struck by Car and Hospitalized

A 30-year-old Oscoda resident, Barbara Jean Malenfant, is in critical condition at St. Mary's Hospital, Saginaw, after being struck by a car Friday afternoon at the US-23-River Road intersection at Oscoda. The victim is a member of Oscoda Area School's faculty.

Oscoda-AuSable Township police identified the driver of the car as Julia Ann Currie, 62, Alpena, who was southbound on US-23.

The accident victim was crossing at the River Road intersection. The accident remains under investigation.



NEW LIGHTING in the Tawas City Park is to be dedicated Saturday night. The bandstand has taken on a glittering look during the holiday season and will be the scene of Santa Claus' visit Saturday night.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Hale A. School Must Cut Budget

Hale Area School, one of two "out of formula" school districts of Isosco County which do not receive state membership aid, will receive approximately \$59,000 less in state transportation funds in its 1980-81 budget.

This was the word Monday night from Supt. Peter Holley, who explained provisions of the new state aid bill which will cut categorical aid by 30 percent. This cut represents a reduction in funds of \$43 per child.

Holley told board members that he had a number of alternatives in mind to reduce the budget without affecting the academic program, but will wait until the next meeting to make his recommendations. In the meantime, he is to meet with principals and staff to discuss the budget cutting measures.

The Hale superintendent is particularly concerned about another bill before the state legislature which would freeze property taxes at the 1980 level. In Hale Area School's case,

this could have a drastic effect as 1981-82 will be the second year of a two-year contract with two unions representing school employees and salary increases are provided in present contracts.

In other matters, the board of education revised the senior trip guideline policy to permit the principal to use discretion if the senior trip is to be taken before the end of the school year.

Donation of several hunting bows by Rex Darlington was accepted by the school district.

Due to the declining enrollment, the board of education is to give consideration to the sale of three portable classrooms. The matter has been tabled until a study is made concerning the market value of the three portable units.

Approval was given to purchase the Merrill science textbook series for kindergarten through grade eight.

Approval was given to use of a classroom for the Headstart program.

Michigan's depressed economy seems to be growing more serious each week and the offshoot of unemployment has meant a reduction in sales tax and income tax revenues necessary to meet the cost of operating government and schools.

Members of Tawas Area Board of Education and school administrators are now faced with a 30 percent budget cut in operational funds received by the state, based on the new state aid bill passed by the legislature and now awaiting the signature of the governor.

Tawas Area School must institute budget cuts totaling \$141,596 during December—after already reducing the 1980-81 school budget by \$25,000 earlier in the year—and school officials are meeting this week to make a decision relative to those cuts.

Supt. Allan Dighera points out that budget cuts have already been made twice this year and further balancing of finances will leave something less than

a bare bones budget. The cuts must be made, however, and he is to meet with the board of education, principals and union representatives Thursday to take action.

One of the problems facing Tawas Area School District is that it has already committed \$17,000 from the \$55,000 left in its reserve fund to balance the 1980-81 budget. This is a serious matter not faced this year by some other school districts, but the state's financial problem is not expected to be any different next year.

Cuts in extracurricular programs are expected and some form of change may be forthcoming in the matter of school bus transportation. Categorical aid money received from the state for bus transportation is the district's principal revenue from the state as it does not receive membership aid.

Area superintendents attended a meeting Monday at West Branch called by State Rep. Tom Alley to discuss the new state aid bill and projected cuts

in funding.

According to one report, aid for dependent children has advanced from 198,488 cases last January to 239,380 cases in October and general assistance cases have risen from 41,739 cases last January to 97,100 in October. Although specific information is not available, so-

cial welfare spending has in-

creased in the past two months. As a result, \$230,000 has been cut from the state's general fund appropriation to schools, amounting to a 25 percent reduction, and the state aid bill has been decreased by 11.5 percent over the previous year. Members of the board of edu-

cation went on record opposing two senate bills currently being discussed which would circumvent the Headlee amendment to the state constitution. One concerns state payment toward teacher retirement and the second concerns state payment toward hot lunch money to recover federal funds.



SANTA CLAUS poses with the shuttle bus which he will be riding Saturday during the "Shop the Tawas" day promotion. Free rides are being offered shoppers.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Free Bus Rides During 'Shop the Tawas' Day

Iosco Transit, in cooperation with participating Tawas merchants, is sponsoring a special "Shop the Tawas" day this Saturday—just in time for the holiday season, when selections are best in convenient local stores offering great values.

Santa Claus will be riding the shuttle bus on his trip every 20 minutes Saturday morning from 9 o'clock to 12 o'clock noon. Persons wishing free rides may hail a bus at any corner

along US-23 or on Newman Street. Financial support of the shuttle bus is made possible through cooperation of 72 business places and individuals.

The entire family is invited to town on Saturday. While parents are shopping, the kids can attend a special cartoon show at the Family Theatre (see advertisement on page 4, section two, for details).

A number of business places are planning special events, in-

cluding The Tawas Herald, where shoppers may enjoy free coffee from 10:00 a. m. until 4:00 p. m. and register for door prizes.

Slogan for the day is: "Remember, when you shop at home your dollars remain here, helping strengthen the entire community."

Turn to page 4, section two, for complete details of the free bus rides offered by Iosco Transit.

Santa to Help Dedicate New Park Lights Saturday Night

In case anyone has missed it, the Tawas City Park has taken on a new holiday look during the past week with improved Christmas lighting.

A program is to be held at 6:00 p. m. Saturday dedicating the new lights and Santa Claus will be at the bandstand with candy for the children. Hot chocolate will be served.

In addition, church choirs, the Huronaires and Sweet Adelines have been invited to participate and a sing-along of carols is planned. All of this has come about through efforts of the Tawas City Business Association, which donated money for the lighting project.

St. James Electric and Tawas City Department of Public Works employees installed the lights. Included is lighting for the 30-foot-high blue spruce tree planted by the business group years ago and decorative lighting on the roof of the bandstand.

JoAnn Busch Won Sherman Supervisor Post in Recount

A recount Friday by the Iosco County Canvassing Board saw JoAnn Busch being declared the new supervisor of Sherman Township.

Mrs. Busch filed for a recount of the November 4 general elec-

tion ballots after losing by only one vote, 106-105, to James Revord.

The canvassing board on Friday found that the election board had incorrectly not counted a number of "spoiled ballots" on election night and de-

termined that Mrs. Busch had actually won, 110-106.

Mrs. Busch is the first Republican supervisor elected in Sherman Township in many years. She succeeds Calvin Nickell, Democrat, who was not a candidate for re-election.

CLUB NEWS & NOTES

Garden Club Held Christmas Luncheon

Monday, December 8, Christmas luncheon for 21 members ended the year's activities of East Tawas Garden Club. The luncheon was held at Lixey's China House.

Blessing was given by Erma Wolfen, president, who surprised the group with Christmas cakes topped with holly. Betty Wiley, program chairman, gave a short dissertation on Christmas plants and various methods of celebration in the United States.

A comical reading of McGee's Christmas with two incorrigible children from the children's home was rendered by Helen Hertzler, who also led caroling with Elizabeth Besancon accompanying on the piano and members on rhythm instruments. Santa Claus (Eva Ketcherside, a prospective member) arrived to distribute garden gifts.

The club convenes again in March.

AARP Plans to Initiate Officers

Installation of officers will be held at the Wednesday, December 17, meeting of Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, following a pot-luck dinner at noon at East Tawas Community Building to celebrate Christmas. A \$2 gift exchange will be held and entertainment will be provided by Tawas Area Junior Choir, under the direction of Daniel Bergh.

The December 3 meeting was canceled due to the snowstorm.

Auxiliary Hosts ET Legionnaires

Audie Johnson American Legion Post No. 211 was entertained Wednesday, December 3, with a Christmas dinner hosted by the auxiliary. Families of Legionnaires were guests.

Tables were decorated with Christmas centerpieces which were awarded as door prizes. The committee was headed by Shirley Ashmore.

45th Wedding Anniversary Was Celebrated

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Herriman of East Tawas hosted a surprise party Saturday evening, November 29, at the couple's home honoring them on their 45th wedding anniversary. They were married November 28, 1935.

Present were their six children, Kenneth Herriman of Mt. Morris, James Herriman of Burton, Phyllis Milligan of Vermontville, Joy Maloney of Grand Ledge, Doana Leir of Saginaw and Fay Whitford of Tawas City; 14 of their 17 grandchildren; their four great grandchildren; Darlene Tippet of Flint, and Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Binder of Tawas City.

Tawas Hospital

BIRTH—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marty Whetstone, Oscoda, December 3, a daughter, Samantha Marie, weight eight pounds, 13 1/2 ounces.

ADMISSIONS—Visiting hours 1:00-8:00 p. m. Tawas City: Matt Anderson, Russell Pierce, Frank Pointer, Lola Biggs, Fred Buch, Elizabeth Neumayer, John Bellingier, Leonard Bouchard, Mary Ann Wojahn, Jack Westcott.

East Tawas: June Czubaszewski, Flossie Harvey, Melia Williams, Marial Currie, Dale Marie Borch, Eliza Werth, Andrea Drouin, Amy Buysse.

County: Dorothy Mielke, Mary Ann Gary, Alvis Gunnels, Terry Helm, Ruth McClintock, Edwin Stokes, Linda Gillam, Lloyd Jocks, Oscoda; Alice Umphrey, Virginia Lupi, National City.

Other communities: John Chiroi, Timothy Novenski, Turner; Robert Johnson, Clyde Hicks, Compton Foster, Greenbush; Terry DeRosia, Harrisville; Merton Summerfield, Mary Sweet, Glennie; George Harmon, Mikado.

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Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Marquis of Tawas City recently returned from a three-week trip to visit their daughters and sons-in-law. Mr. and Mrs. George Gallant of Maryland and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Guzejko of New Jersey, and their grandchildren. They also visited her mother, Mrs. Evelyn Stevens, in Ardmore, Pennsylvania. Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Fairbanks of Tawas City, the Marquis' youngest daughter and her husband, flew to join the family for a Thanksgiving reunion at the Gallant home.

Mrs. Ada Fitzpatrick of East Tawas left last week to spend the holidays with her children in Farmington, Detroit and Waterford.

Interested in crafts? Supplies and lessons are available at House of Wood, Mathews Street and US-23, Tawas City. Phone 362-2521.

Mrs. Howard Glossop and daughter, Michelle, of East Tawas were in Muskegon on Saturday and Sunday. Michelle practiced with the international orchestra from Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp. The group plans a 28-day European tour this summer.

Queenie Wood has returned to her Tawas City home from

spending the summer at Sunset Hills House, Sugar Hill, New Hampshire.

James Cano of East Tawas is spending a few days in Houston, Texas, seeking employment.

Stanley Humphrey Jr. has returned to Northern Michigan University, Marquette, after spending the holiday with his mother, Mary Humphrey of East Tawas.

Brendt Greenwood of Flint has returned home after spending several days with his mother, Mrs. Mabel Greenwood of East Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jacques and son of Tawas City were week-end guests of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bauer of Alpena.

Attending funeral services for Mrs. Glenn Spears (nee Gladys Seifert) of Petoskey on Sunday were her father, Edward Seifert Sr.; her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Blake, and husband; and her brother, Edward Seifert Jr., his wife and daughter, Lisa, of East Tawas.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Glossop of East Tawas were her daughters, Mrs. Felix Medina of St. Johns, Mrs. Priscilla Berden and Mrs. Carla Canfield of Holt, and their children.

Sand Lake

Timothy Kendall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kendall, underwent hip surgery at Children's Hospital Medical Center, Cincinnati, Ohio, last Thursday. He will be confined for another week or so.

Last Wednesday evening, Mrs. Sharon Studley was guest of honor at a baby shower held at the Grant Township Fire Hall and hosted by Irene Kindell, Norma Mielke and Jackie Emery. Games were played, dessert served and the honoree received a variety of useful gifts.

Mrs. Alice Umphrey underwent surgery last week at Tawas Hospital. Mrs. Lola Biggs was admitted on Friday and George Doebler has been discharged.

Sand Lake Heights Men's Association will meet Monday, December 15, 7:30 p. m., at the community building.

Many area deer hunters were successful in their quest for elusive game, but reports are that two Grant Township residents attempted shots at a large buck that turned out to be a stuffed animal and people wondered if they felt like dummies, too.

Mrs. Cindy (Warner) Poland was honored at a baby shower Sunday afternoon at the Grant Township Hall. The event was hosted by her sister, Sandra Warner, and Lynette Rapp. Featured were games with prizes, refreshments and the guest of honor received numerous and welcome gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schulz spent last Thursday in Gaylord where they visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sheridan became first time grandparents on November 22 when Jason Thomas was born to their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Austin, Union Lake.

Saturday evening, the community building was the setting for the bingo workers party. A dinner was enjoyed and attendance prize winners were Wilma Gotcher, Anna Kendall, Donald Warner, Irene Kindell, Edward McCann, Christine Corder, James Nance and LaVerne Miller.

Sand Lake Sno-Goers held their seasonal kickoff event Saturday night. A huge bonfire complete with hot dog roast was attended by the members at the community grounds. The main prize winner was Mark Lenczewski.

Lower Hemlock

Tina Curry of Saginaw spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Curry.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Strauer were in Saginaw and Merrill, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Newvine.

The Timothy Klenow family recently returned to their Norway home after a four-day vacation with relatives in the area. While here, they attended regional football play at the Pontiac Silverdome where their home town team defeated Fowlerville, 25-0.

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IRENE REBEKAH LODGE No. 137 and Baldwin Lodge No. 377 participated in the recent project of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and Rebekah Assembly of Michigan that enabled the two organizations to present \$8,000 to the Kidney Foundation of Michigan. The presentation, made at the Grand Lodge session at Traverse City, was in the form of two checks, \$4,000 to be used for research on kidney failure and \$4,000 to

purchase drugs for patients unable to pay. Presenting the checks are Carl Greenwald of Adrian, state chairman and chaplain of the Grand Lodge, and Myron Mitchell of Battle Creek, grand master, to Marie Krings of Petoskey, president, and Barbara Robins of Ann Arbor, public relations director of the Grand Lodge session at Traverse City, was in the form of two checks, \$4,000 to be used for research on kidney failure and \$4,000 to

Wilber News

Mary Harris of Oscoda and Vickie Harris of Grand Blanc spent the week-end at the Bertram Harris home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nelkie and son, the Lynn Pillsbury family and Edward Seifert were dinner guests on Thanksgiving Day at Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blake's home.

David Harris returned to college at Houghton Sunday after spending a week at his parental home.

Kenneth Schmid and son came from Warren to spend the week-end at their home on Sherman Road and visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Humbert of Clarkston and Andrew Anschuetz were Sunday visitors at the Harold Cholger home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Newberry and son of Davison spent the week-end at the John Newberry home.

Mrs. Frieda Cholger was guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Haglund in East Tawas for a few days.

Stanley Kubisiak Family Gathered at East Tawas

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kubisiak gathered on the Thanksgiving week-end at their East Tawas home for a gala celebration of the birthdays of Mrs. Terry (Diane) LaLonde of Grand Rapids and David Kubisiak of Detroit, the fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kubisiak of Big Rapids and the graduation of Joseph from Ferris State College with an associate degree in automotive service.

Joining in the celebration was another son, Daniel, student at Michigan State University, and Robert, Mary Beth and Tina.

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Leonard Hosbach, Tawas City postmaster, reminded customers that for the best service this Christmas season they should use ZIP codes, place their return addresses in the upper left corner of the envelope and use proper postage.

"By following these suggestions," Hosbach said, "you will be assured good mail service this holiday season."

It is important, the Tawas City postmaster said, that families double check envelopes and cards to be certain that proper postage is affixed. Envelopes without postage will be returned to senders, if possible, or de-

layed by postage-due procedures.

"When the return address is placed on envelopes bearing holiday greetings, it also helps remind friends of one's current address," the postmaster said.

And, if the family to whom a holiday message is sent moved more than a year ago, it cannot be forwarded. With a return address, Hosbach said, such letters are returned to the sender with a notation that the forwarding order has expired.

To speed the processing of mail, labels for separating and bundling mail into local and out of town bundles can be obtained at the local post office.

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Braves Lost Cage Opener to Eagles

Tawas Braves were turned aside Friday night in their first game of the 1980-81 season by losing to the Fairview Eagles, 58-52.

The game was a close one throughout as the two teams were tied, 10-10, at the end of the first quarter and Fairview held a 29-26 margin at intermission. Tawas came back to tie the score with a 15-12 third quarter effort, but the Eagles took the final quarter, 17-11.

Tawas had strong shooting by Jon Dunn, who canned 22 points on nine field goals and four charity tosses and Coach Paul Becker believes his Braves will hit their stride once Tom Schriber gets into action. The only other player hitting in double figures for Tawas was Jay Grabow, who had five field goals. Brian Quinn topped the Eagles with 19 points and Gordon Bontrager had 17 points.

The junior varsity won its opening game, 45-43, with three players hitting in double figures. Eric Groff was tops with

15 points, followed by Chris Wojahn's 14 points and 11 by Pat Kaems. Others scoring for Tawas were Rod Loeffler, three points, and Steve Johnson, two points.

Tawas completed 17 of 49 shots for a shooting average of 35 percent. The Junior Braves meshed 11 of 23 charity tosses.

TAWAS BRAVES	FG	FT	TP
Grabow	5	0	10
Mousseau	1	2	4
Dunn	9	4	22
Moffatt	3	2	8
Caplis	1	0	2
Jurczyk	3	0	6
Barry	0	0	0
Harris	0	0	0

FAIRVIEW	FG	FT	TP
Quinn	8	3	19
Frailey	3	0	6
Handrich	1	2	4
Lake	3	0	6
Bontrager	5	7	17
Yoder	2	0	4
Detweiler	1	0	2

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Hale Area News

OES CHAPTER PLANS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Hale Chapter No. 482, Order of the Eastern Star, was attended by 30 members welcomed by Shirley Carter, worthy matron pro tem. Winifred Gents, worthy matron of Whittemore Chapter, and her husband, John Gents, worthy patron, were introduced.

A Christmas party with \$2 gift exchange and pot-luck dinner Wednesday, December 10, was announced by Past Matrons and Past Patrons Club.

Saturday, December 13, 8:00 p. m., installation of Masonic officers will be held at the temple.

The AIA District officers will be guests at the January meeting when Betty Brandt, Esther Scofield, Lottie Pierce, Lillie Wells, Ruby Harten and Kay Bannister will serve on the refreshment committee.

The meeting adjourned with a Christmas reading and carols.

LEGION-AUXILIARY INVITE GIRL SCOUTS

Glen Staley American Legion Post No. 422 and Auxiliary have extended an invitation to the Hale area girl scouts to entertain at their Christmas party Wednesday, December 17, 7:00 p. m. The auxiliary sponsors the troop.

Members are invited to attend and bring a dish to pass.

SENIOR CITIZENS BAND TO SPREAD CHEER

Hale Senior Citizens Nuts and Bolts Plus One Band is ready to spread good cheer in the Iosco, Arenac and Ogemaw County areas. Residents of Iosco County Medical Care Facility will be entertained December 20 with a Christmas carol program.

Classes at the center are making items for the gift shop to help with the expenses of the center. The current project is the new addition which will give the center a workshop for the men, an office and two classrooms. This addition is made possible by the donations and fund raisers at the center as well as the men who have donated time and energy getting this addition under way.

An evening of Christmas sharing and sing-along is slated Wednesday evening, December 10, and a Christmas party Wednesday, December 17, with a \$2 gift exchange following a 5 o'clock dinner.

Hale area seniors and children will celebrate Christmas Thursday, December 18, 12 noon, at a party in the multipurpose center. A lunch will be served and entertainment will be presented by Nuts and Bolts Plus One Band and kindergarten children from Hale Elementary School.

Wednesday, December 24, will see the end of the center's activities for the year with a smorgasbord at 11:30 a. m. The center will open for the New Year on Monday, January 5.

Betty Grimaudo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McGinley, has moved to the area from Grosse Pointe. Her children, Patricia, Joseph III and Jimmie, will reside with her and Jimmie will enroll in school here.

Phyllis and Barbara Harvey were accompanied by Mary Terry and Mary Lorenz on a trip to Bay City and Essexville Thursday.

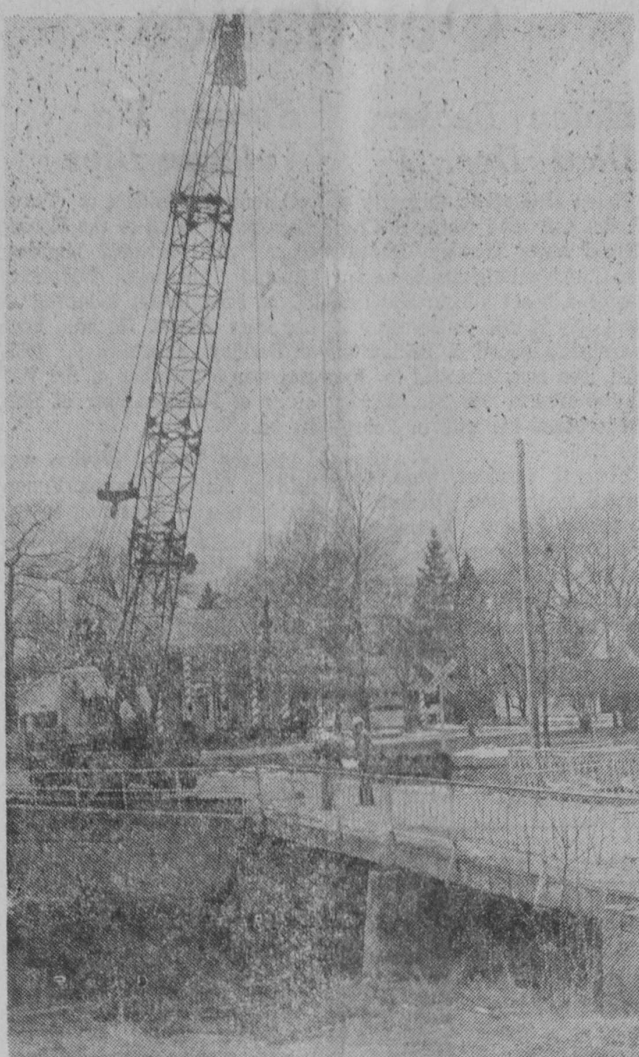
Fred A. MacKinnon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred MacKinnon, recently graduated from Michigan State University and Cooley Law College at East Lansing. He has also passed his bar examination.

Three larcenies and a vandalism complaint were investigated last week by Iosco County Sheriff's Department.

Sheriff's Dept. Investigations

Officers were called Saturday to the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Tawas City, where four 18 by 42-windows had been smashed and a stained glass window damaged.

Larcenies were reported by Agnes E. Utter, Tawas City, battery stolen from car; Norton E. Freel, Townline Road, Tawas City, eight-foot blue spruce tree stolen; Zanner Products, Ninth Avenue, Tawas City, two doors and tailgate stolen from a 1980 pickup truck.



THE OLD WHITTEMORE STREET BRIDGE in Tawas City is scheduled for demolition this morning (Wednesday) to make way for the start of work on constructing a new wooden span. Engineers and employees of the contracting firm made preparations Tuesday.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Wrecking Ball is Poised at Old Bridge

Work was to have started this morning (Wednesday) on removal of the Whittemore Street bridge over the Tawas River. The 65-year-old concrete and steel bridge, along with a smaller span already removed on Sixth Avenue over Dead Creek, is included in a bridge replacement program being financed with state and local funds.

Great Lakes Contractors of Warren began driving test piling into the bottom of Dead Creek last week to support a two-span wooden bridge to carry traffic on Sixth Avenue and test piling was to have been driven into the river bottom Tuesday for the new wooden bridge on Whittemore Street.

Work is to continue on the two projects during the winter months and the bridges are not expected to be completed until next spring.

IN THE SERVICE—

Hale Marine in Arizona

Marine Lance Cpl. John M. Dowling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tasman A. Dowling, Hale, has reported for duty at the Marine Corps Air Station, Yuma, Arizona.

A 1973 graduate of Ann Arbor Pioneer High School and a 1975 graduate of the Washtenaw Community College, Ann Arbor, with an associate degree, he joined the United States Marine Corps in April 1979. His wife, Judith, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Diggs, Long Lake.

Finishes Basic at Ft. Sill

Pvt. Dwayne W. Durance, son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Durance of Tawas City, recently completed basic training at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid and army history and traditions.

Re-Enlists for Four Years

Roger W. Horak, navy aviation electronics technician second class, son of Clarence F. Horak, National City, was recently re-enlisted for four years by Edward Hidalgo, secretary of the navy. He was one of 14 members of his squadron who re-enlisted during special ceremonies when Secretary Hidalgo visited Whidbey Island, Washington.

He is serving with Tactical Electronic Warfare Squadron 134, based at the Whidbey Island Naval Air Station, Oak Harbor, Washington.

A 1973 graduate of Cass City High School, Horak joined the navy in September 1976.

Above Average Students Shine

An interesting presentation on an escalated program for above average students in grades four and five was presented Monday night to members of Whittemore-Prescott Area Board of Education by Dr. Gene Gillette and Diane Dibble of the school staff.

Supt. James Franklin commented that board members and administrators were "thrilled and excited" to learn of the success of this program.

Included in the presentation was work by students in the science area, including the study of nuclear heat and modes of transportation in the future, as

well as creative projects in the language arts.

"It is really staggering to find out that kids in the elementary grades are digging into such fields," said the superintendent.

In other matters, the board of education granted tenure to Leslie Russell, a two-year member of the elementary staff.

Authorization was given to purchase a vertical mill for the vocational metal shop at a cost of \$1,600.

The superintendent was requested to deliver the commencement address next June.

Industrial Waste Was Discussed

City Mgr. Lowell Thomas attended an industrial waste pre-treatment conference Tuesday at Gaylord to learn new regulations affecting municipalities concerning industrial pollutants.

As part of terms on the city's permit from the state for operation of the municipal wastewater treatment plant, certain functions must be provided by the city concerning industrial pollutants entering the system.

Included in city responsibilities would be a survey of local industries to determine potential pollutants and a revision of the municipal ordinance to control industrial discharges.

At the present time, Tawas

Plating, Incorporated, is planning a quarter-million-dollar facility to remove heavy metals used in its process and discharged into the municipal wastewater treatment system.

The firm has made application to the state to issue tax exempt bonds to finance the construction and the current schedule calls for the firm's facility to be in operation by next fall.

The city manager said that the cooperative effort by the local industrial firm in meeting federal requirements for wastewater discharge had been excellent and when carried through, would simplify the city's steps toward compliance.

Bus Fleet Safety Checked by State

Safety certification of Tawas Area School's bus fleet has been received from the Michigan Department of Transportation, according to a letter read at Monday night's board of education meeting.

Buses range in age from one year to eight years and all have met state requirements.

In other matters, a letter from the department of instruction indicated the state was pleased with the school vocational trades program and a number of recommendations as to equipment purchase for the auto shop program are to be considered.

Coaching positions approved by the board of education included Paul Becker, varsity basketball; Thomas Plinkowski, junior varsity basketball; James Blair, freshman basketball; the Rev. Fr. Lawrence Boks, eighth grade basketball;

John Webb, eighth grade basketball; Patricia Casey, junior varsity and varsity girls volleyball; Lisa Morrill, freshman volleyball; Nathan Rowell, wrestling.

The board discussed school involvement in proposed renovation of Newman Street and sent a letter of support to the City of East Tawas, but made no commitment as to funding.

It was reported that Iosco Intermediate School District had revised its policy concerning property transfers. Once a property transfer has been denied by the intermediate board of education, it would not be eligible for rehearing for one calendar year.

The board of education acted on three student discipline appeals. One student was expelled and two students signed educational contracts permitting them to remain in school.

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Iosco Commission to Pick Director

Iosco County Board of Commissioners took another step Wednesday in a move to take over control of appointed county commissions.

The board rescinded a portion of its November 19 resolution which had authorized the recently-formed housing commission to hire a director.

The latest resolution authorizes the county board of commissioners to advertise for and hire a director for the housing commission with the director's wages and fringes to be paid from the community development block grant.

The Northeast Michigan Community Services agency had strongly indicated that, in the interest of effective management of the community development block grant program, the Iosco County Housing Commission should have a full or part-time director to oversee the program.

The housing commission has responsibility for administering \$400,000 in HUD grant money to be used by qualifying homeowners to bring property up to code requirements. A five-member commission was recently appointed by the board of com-

missioners to oversee the program.

The housing commission's office, located at 705 West Westover Street, East Tawas, is taking applications for loans through the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

In other matters, the commission approved payment of \$21,972.98 to Peckham Engineering to complete the \$37,072.98 cost for engineering at the Iosco County Airport.

In addition, authorization was given to sign an agreement with the state increasing the airport grant to a total of \$110,000, up \$12,500 from the previous grant total approved September 29.

Undersheriff Michael Welsh appeared before the board concerning his 1981 salary and presented a summary of differences paid to the undersheriff and sergeants for several years. He said that the difference was getting less each year and discussed the amount of overtime he works with no pay. The undersheriff is a salaried employee and is the only salaried employee on the county payroll receiving longevity pay.

Three Crashes Hurt Five Persons

Three personal injury auto accidents were investigated last week by Iosco County Sheriff's Department.

Two persons received minor injuries December 1 on River Road when a car pulling a trailer driven by Michael Sabo, 66, Riverview, struck a slippery spot in the road and went into the ditch. He and his wife, Ann, were treated at Tawas Hospital.

Injured Friday in a crash on Kobs Road were Randall L. Jordan, 18, and John O. Bellinger, 26, both of rural Tawas City. Jordan lost control of his vehicle and it went through a guard rail and into a creek.

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Timothy R. Novenski, 27, Turner, was treated Saturday at Tawas Hospital for injuries received when his car ran off Dyer Road.

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Commercial	W	L
Scotfield Real Estate	42	14
Mousseau Body Shop	35	21
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Dane Construction	27	29
Webb Well Drilling	26	30
Nathan's Upholstery	23	33
Kimmerer Construction	20	36
Booth Appliance	18	38
Team High Series: Scotfield Real Estate, 1055-1029; Webb Well Drilling, 1038; Dane Construction, 3012; Happy Hank's, 3006.		
Team High Single: Scotfield Real Estate, 1055-1029; Webb Well Drilling, 1038; Dane Construction, 1018.		
Individual High Series: Bill Brandal, 675; Ed Smith, 656; Dale Humphrey, 642.		
Individual High Single: Bill Brandal, 254; Jim Redmond, 248; Louie Bissonnette, 245.		
Thurs. Aft. Women	W	L
Kenyon's Resort	31	25
Alward's Market	30	26
Don Erb Builders	30	26
Lupton Garage	29 1/2	26 1/2
Windsar Kennels	29	27
Kocher's Market	28 1/2	27 1/2
White Pine Realty	27	29
Bernard Lumber	19	37
Team High Series: Kenyon's Resort, 3045; Lupton Garage,		

3001; Alward's Market, 2976.		
Team High Single: Bernard Lumber, 1034; Kenyon's Resort, 1030; Lupton Garage, 1026.		
Individual High Series: Cathy Foco, 646; Maxine Gray, 640; Maxine McKay, 622.		
Individual High Single: Maxine Gray, 240; Elsie Moran, 238; Mary Force, Rufine Nielsen, 236.		
Snowbirds	W	L
Follette-Kimmerer	37	19
Slosser-Sestak	33	23
Hendrickson-Lorenz	32	24
Brandal-Blust	30	26
Brandt-Kolb	27	29
Gotts-Wayne	25 1/2	30 1/2
Streeter-Weaver	23	32
Bernard-Bernard	16 1/2	39 1/2
Team High Series: Brandal-Blust, 2459; Hendrickson-Lorenz, 2354; Follette-Kimmerer, 2293.		
Team High Single: Brandal-Blust, 850; Hendrickson-Lorenz, 826; Follette-Kimmerer, 817.		
Individual High Series: Bill Brandal, 650; Ed Wayne, 648; Pat Blust, 645.		
Individual High Single: Bill Brandal, 239; Pat Blust, 233; Bernie Lorenz, 229.		
Independent	W	L
K of C	43	17
Bob's Auto Parts	32 1/2	27 1/2
Stan's Wheel Align.	30	30
Johnny O's	28	32
Alward's Market	28	32
J&J Lounge	27	33
Hale Elevator	26	34
Kocher's Market	25 1/2	34 1/2
Team High Series: K of C, 3245; Stan's Wheel Align, 2918; Bob's Auto Parts, 2853.		
Team High Single: K of C, 10-82; Stan's Wheel Align, 993; Bob's Auto Parts, 980.		
Individual High Series: Henry Gasek, 643; Norm Foco, 640; Dennis Dunsmore, 638.		
Individual High Single: Norm Foco, 245; Henry Gasek, 244; Walt Kruger, 229.		

Ups and Downs	W	L
Busch Mill	40	16
Sykes Chiro. Clinic	33	23
Kenyon's Bar	33	23
Swantek S. & G.	27 1/2	28 1/2
Long Lake Bar	27	29
Alcona Canoe Rental	26	30
Hale Hardware	21 1/2	34 1/2
Timber Steak House	16	40
Team High Series: Swantek Sand & Gravel, 2338.		
Team High Single: Swantek Sand & Gravel, 826.		
Individual High Series: Marjorie Szczepkowski, 665.		
Individual High Single: Marjorie Szczepkowski, 249.		
Early Birds	W	L
K&K	37	19
Pop Stop	32	24
Thrill Shop	29	27
Dee's Ceramics	28 1/2	27 1/2
Ira's Repair	27 1/2	28 1/2
Deer Land Restaurant	26	30
Clark's Berry Farm	23 1/2	32 1/2
Norm's Barber Shop	20 1/2	35 1/2
Team High Series: Ira's Repair, 1906; K&K, 1842; Deer Land Restaurant, 1789.		
Team High Single: Ira's Repair, 702; K&K, 668-624.		
Individual High Series: Sandy Barnes, 665; Shirley DeShano, 663; Carol Webb, 650.		
Individual High Single: Sandy Barnes, 264; Carol Webb, 243; Wanda Weisburg, 241.		

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Friday Night Ladies	W	L
The Place	37	15
Tawas Bar	33	19
H&B Trucking	30	22
Bay Roofing	28	24
Barbier Oil	27	25
Buckhorn	25 1/2	26 1/2
North Star Motel	23	29
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Guys & Dolls	W	L
Lixey's Fisheries	37	19
Mickie's Lounge	35	21
Jokers	34	22
Who	30	26
Saints & Sinners	29	27
JBs	29	27
Dear Hunters	27	29
Stars & Costars	25	31
Lakeside	19	37
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Minor	W	L
WIOS	34	22
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Tawas Furniture	32 1/2	23 1/2
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Obituaries

Helen Becker Died Dec. 1

Helen M. Becker, formerly of Tawas City and National City, passed away Monday, December 1, at her Brighton home following a heart attack. She was born July 9, 1906, in Detroit and married Clifford J. Becker in 1926. The couple moved to the Tawas area in 1968. Mr. Becker predeceased his wife in February 1980.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Richard A. Anderson Friday, December 5, at Keehn Funeral Home, Brighton, with burial in Fairview Cemetery.

Surviving are two sons, Richard C. of Whitmore Lake and Eugene of Tawas City; a daughter, Mrs. Howard (Lou



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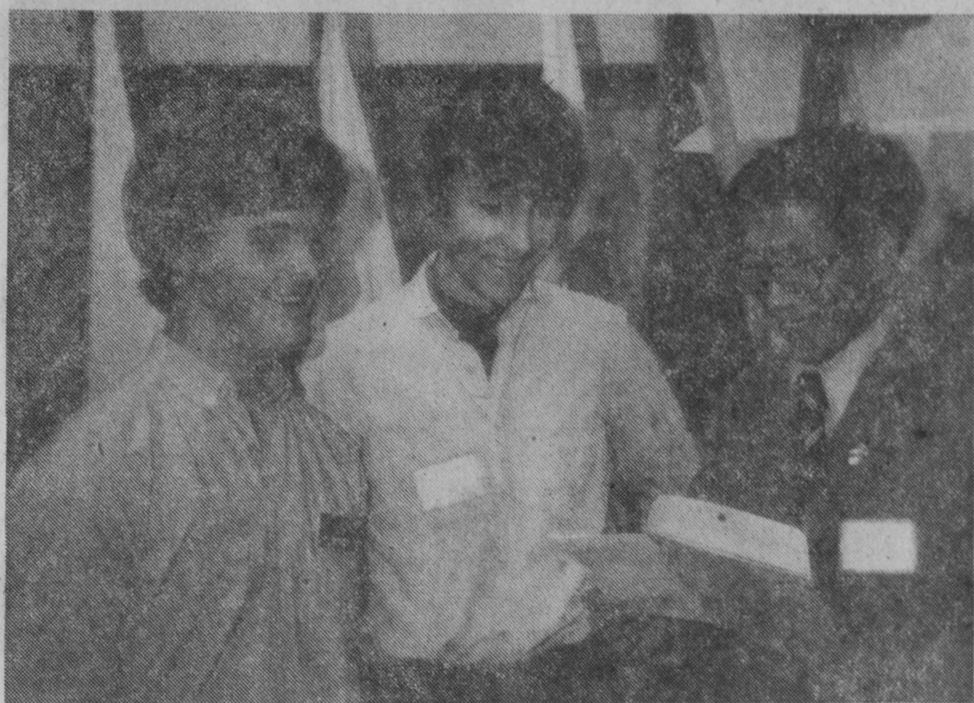
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SECTION TWO

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1980

PAGE ONE



AMONG STUDENTS attending Cosmos IX December 5-7 at Central Michigan University were Jeffrey Brusgaard, left, Tawas Area High School, and Jean Pierre Lenoir, Oscoda Area High School, both studying here as foreign exchange students. Young people from 23 countries attended including delegations from Japan, Philippines, Aus-

tralia, West Germany, Sweden, Finland, Norway, Brazil, Columbia, Argentina, Chile and Mexico. The students were representatives of Youth for Understanding, 4-H Rotary and other exchange programs. At right is Zu Xin Zhang, speaker from the Republic of China.

Women's Ensemble - Junior High School Choir Concert

Tawas Area High School Women's Ensemble and Junior High School Chorus will present their annual Christmas concert Saturday, December 13, 8:00 p.m., in the high school gymnasium.

The junior high school chorus will open the program with "Were You There on That Christmas Night?" by N. Sleeth followed by "He is Born" by R. Thygeson; "Lullaby for Christmas Night" by T. Mitchell, sung by the girls of the chorus; "On Christmas Morn" by R. Emerson; "Winter Carol" by M. Wilson; "Wintertime Aglow" by A. Snyder; "Sleighride, Sleighride" by J. Kunz; "Wintergreen" by E. Harris; "It's the Christmas Time of the Year" by J. Kunz, sung by the boys of the chorus, and will finish its part of the program with "A Joyful Carol" by L. Spevacek.

The senior high ensemble will begin its part of the program with "Christmas Dawns Again" by D. Wagner; "Sing We Now of Christmas" arranged by T. Miller; "Glory to God in the Highest" by J. C. Bach; "Mistletoe and Love" by C. Strommen; "Throw the Yule Log on, Uncle John" by P. D.

Q. Bach; "Monotone Angel" by D. McAfee, and concludes with "Go Tell It on the Mountain" by J. Esposito. The public is cordially invited to an evening of musical entertainment. Light refreshments will be served following the concert.

Tawas Bay Players Select Cast for Feb. 19-22 Play

The cast for Tawas Bay Players next play, "Natalie Needs a Nightie," was chosen at the special meeting called for tryouts. Michael Jacot will play the part of Tommy Briggs; Douglas Lippert, Jimmy Wilson; Joseph Bouback, John Watson; Ronald Miknyocki, Juniper J. Juniper; Tara Metzler, Natalie Newsome; Debra DeBois, Rosebud,

and Leah Whitkopf, Thomasa Briggs. June Hudgins will be in charge of production assisted by Karen St. James. Director will be Vincent Weller with Ann Dunham, assistant director. Curtain time for the play has been set for February 19-22 at East Tawas Community Building.

SVSC Expands Offerings

Saginaw Valley State College will be offering an expanded schedule of courses at Wurtsmith Air Force Base during winter semester 1981. Listed on the schedule are 10 classes to be taught at the education center, plus 11 classes offered through the electronic teleteaching program.

Teleteaching uses an electronic blackboard so students can participate in courses being taught at the SVSC campus. The system includes paraprofessional teacher aides and personal supervision by the coordinating instructor.

Classes at Oscoda include criminal justice, English, psychology, accounting, law and finances, management, marketing and education.

Teleteaching courses include criminal justice, psychology, sociology, management, marketing and education. Classes begin the week of January 12 and continue through April 24. All classes are open both to the general public and to military personnel and their families.

Students may register for courses at the WAFB education office during regular office hours between December 15 and January 9.

Menus

WHITEMORE-PRESCOTT AREA SCHOOLS

Thursday, December 11—Macaroni and cheese, buttered green beans, hot rolls and butter, chilled peaches, milk or cook's choice.

Friday, December 12—Taco, cheese cup, savory peas, chilled pears, milk or humbo jumbo.

Monday, December 15—Pizza, buttered corn, lettuce cup, fresh fruit, milk, cookie or julienne salad.

Tuesday, December 16—Fishwich on bun or mini sub, French fries, chilled fruit, relishes, milk or mini sub.

Wednesday, December 17—Goulash, green beans, homemade roll and butter, peach crisp, milk or sandwich, fruit plate.

Offer Review of AIP

Due to resource constraints, East Central Michigan Health Systems Agency (ECMHSA) is unable to provide copies of the draft 1981 Annual Implementation Plan (AIP) to all individuals, organizations and institutions for review and comment. Realizing that many groups and agencies desire to review the AIP, the ECMHSA has distributed copies of the plan to each county commission, health department and hospital in the 14-county area and requested these organizations to make the plans available for review by other interested parties. Copies of the AIP are also available for public inspection at the offices of the ECMHSA.

Those residents who are interested in reviewing the plan should contact or visit one of the entities listed above. A public hearing on the 1981 AIP has been scheduled for Monday, December 15, 5:00 p.m., at the Ramada Inn, 1-75 and M-46 exit, Saginaw. The purpose of this meeting is to obtain written and/or oral comments on the plan. Written comments will be received through December 17.

Make Applications Now for Jobs Next Year With US Forest Service

For anyone thinking about a temporary job next year with the Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture, now is the time to act. The application deadline is January 15, 1981.

Application forms are available from the forest supervisor's office, Huron-Manistee National Forests, 421 South Mitchell Street, Cadillac 49601.

Those applying for jobs on the 14 national forests in the eastern region must return their applications to the regional office addressed to: Temporary Em-

ployment, Forest Service, USDA, 633 West Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, WI 53203. The employment area includes national forests in Minnesota, Michigan, Wisconsin, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine.

Applicants should have an interest in forestry, recreation, range, wildlife, soils or water management, engineering or the physical or biological sciences. They will work as aids or technicians.

The jobs include both seasonal and summer assignments. Sea-

sonal jobs begin on or before May 12 or extend beyond September 30. Applicants must be 18 at the time they report for work.

The forest service also offers a limited number of temporary clerical positions in the regional and forest supervisor offices and teacher or counselor positions in its Youth Conservation

Corps summer camps. Those seeking clerical work should contact the nearest area office of personnel management (formerly Civil Service Commission). Those interested in YCC staff assignments should contact the forest supervisor's office of the national forest where they are interested in working.

Tawas Bands Featured in Dec. 14 Concert

Tawas Area Instrumental Music Department concert, "Santa's Holiday," to be presented Sunday, December 14, 8:00 p.m., at the high school, will include the cadet and symphonic bands individually and as a combined group.

The bands will be under the direction of Gene Salamony for their performance of "Jingo Jango," "Sleigh Ride," "Do You Hear What I Hear? Snow Bells," "Rejoice" and "A Child is Born" by the sym-

phonic band.

The cadet band will perform "Yea, The Heavenly Child is Born," "A Carol For Everyman," "Lyric March," "Santa's Holiday" and "God Rest You Merry Gentlemen."

The combined band will play "Home For the Holidays" and Kathy Boik will narrate "Twas the Night Before Christmas" with her friends.

After the concert, light refreshments will be served in the cafeteria.

Finish Baby Sitter Training Program

Tawas Hospital announces the completion of a baby sitter's training program conducted by Kay Kernstock, registered nurse. Mrs. Kernstock is a volunteer of the community relations committee of the development council. The class, conducted in four sessions, teaches basic safety, first aid procedures and infant care. Receiving certificates were Jennifer Hinkelman of National City, Pamela Wajohn of East Tawas, Kathy Heine of Glennie, Natalie Emmons of Glennie and Tina Gackstetter of Tawas City.

Other persons lecturing to the group were Lynn Pillsbury, East Tawas Volunteer Fire Department on fire safety; Mark DeBeau, Iosco County Sheriff's Department on home security; David Meyer, Michigan Heart Association cardio-pulmonary resuscitation instructor on mouth to mouth resuscitation and the Heimlich maneuver.

The class will be offered again beginning Wednesday, January 7, 3:45 p.m., in the Tawas Hospital classroom. The program is available free of charge to prospective baby sitters, age nine years and up. To register, call the community relations department at the hospital, 362-3411, extension 352.

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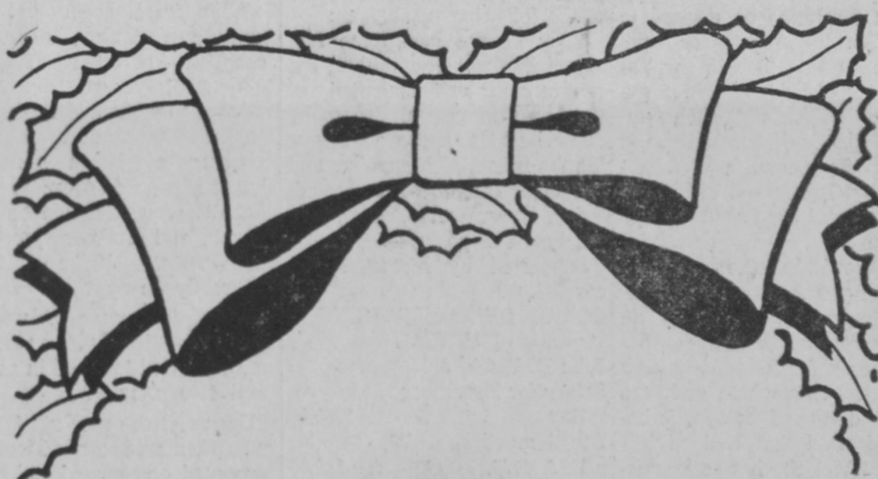
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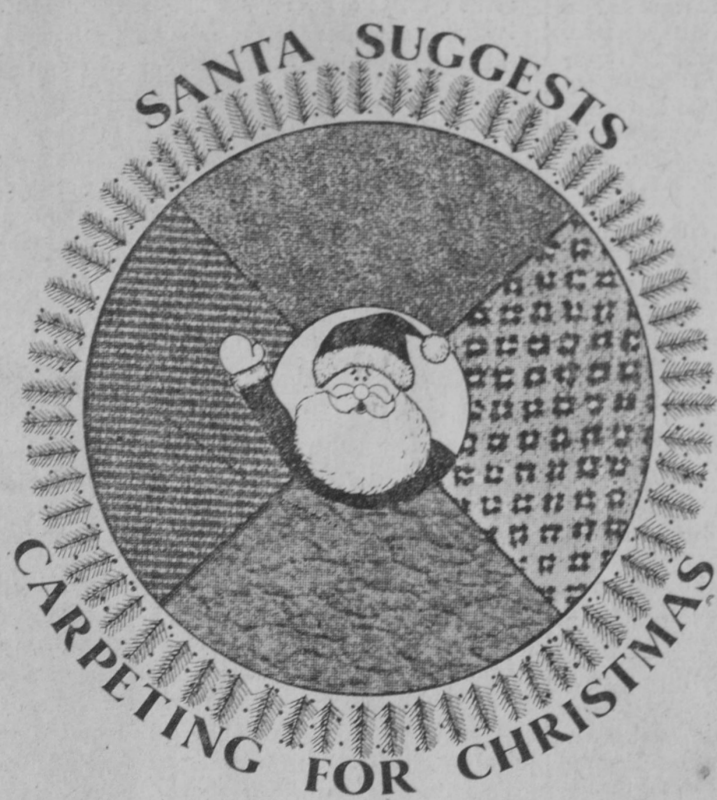
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TAWAS CITY

Santa Claus Slates Visit

Santa Claus is scheduled to arrive at the Whitney Township Hall on US-23 by fire truck Saturday, December 13, 1:00-5:00 p.m. He will have a sack of candy for all children and invites parents to bring a camera. Santa's visit to Whitney Township is sponsored by the firemen and auxiliary.



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Proceedings of Iosco County Board of Commissioners

NOVEMBER SESSION (CONT'D)

November 19, 1980
A regular meeting of the Iosco County Board of Commissioners held at the County Building in Tawas City on November 19, 1980, pursuant to published schedule.

Meeting called to order at 2:15 p. m. by Chairman Webb and the roll called.

Present: Stech (District 1), George (District 2), Merschel (District 3), Ulman (District 4) and Webb (District 5)
Absent: None.

In a review of the agenda and business before the board, Chairman Webb referred to a letter dated November 12, 1980, from Tawas Area Schools Superintendent Allan Dighera reporting that the Tawas Area Board of Education, at a regular meeting held on November 10, 1980, passed a motion to request the Iosco County Board of Commissioners to consider action to place the "pegged" millage question before the voters of Iosco County at the earliest possible date before the expiration of the present fixed 15-mill allocation. In a brief discussion of the matter, Commissioner George proposed that a shorter time period (less than 5 years) be sought, due to the uncertainties in the future, adding that an election could be held any time next year or early 1982.

Chairman Webb referred to resolutions to be drafted with respect to the H. U. D. grant and housing program, referring the matter to Commissioner Merschel, and reviewed other business and resolutions to be prepared.

In a discussion of county ambulance program matters, Commissioner George reported that the Oscoda-AuSable Service had an operating deficit of \$23,171.41 as of October 30, 1980, of which \$10,000 has been paid, leaving a balance due from the county of \$13,171.41; proposing that a resolution be drafted to authorize payment of the amounts owing to both the Tawas and Oscoda-AuSable Services, as he feels they should receive identical treatment. In further discussion, it was indicated by George and Webb that supplemental funding from federal revenue sharing or contingency would have to be sought for next year.

Reference was made to an earlier request by the sheriff's department for funds for a new L. E. I. N. machine and the matter discussed briefly, it being indicated that Undersheriff Michael Welsch has not pursued the matter further and that there is not an immediate need. Continuing with sheriff's department matters, Commissioner George commented that the Iosco County Jail is the only one in this general area that can accommodate female prisoners, remarking that it costs the county several additional employees; whereupon the matter was discussed briefly.

Chairman Webb referred to a letter from Baldwin Township Zoning Administrator Peter Lichtfusz seeking amendment of the county animal control ordinance to regulate operation of kennels within the township. In discussion, the matter was deemed to be township business and referred to Commissioner Stech for disposition.

Chairman Webb raised for review appointments to be made by the board to the Trio Council on Aging and Region VII Area Agency on Aging, the Iosco County Road Commission, the Iosco County Building Authority, the Northern Regional Substance Abuse Coordinating Agency, and the AuSable Valley Community Mental Health Services Board. In discussion, George voiced the opinion that all appointive positions should be advertised and thereupon read the board of commissioners' by-laws providing that "the board of commissioners shall publicly seek and request potential new members, as well as desires of those existing members for reappointment." Ulman proposed that the language from the by-laws be incorporated in the advertisement for applicants.

Commissioner Merschel presented and moved adoption of a resolution to authorize the county housing commission to hire

a secretary-treasurer and director, which was supported by Ulman. Following a discussion of the matter, wherein Clerk D. Keith Pappas pointed out some problem areas in the proposed procedure, it was moved by George and supported by Ulman that the matter be tabled pending study and possible revision. Motion carried.

Commissioner Stech presented and moved adoption of the following resolutions:

Your airport committee recommends that Chairman John D. Webb, Jr. be authorized to sign the attached agreement with the Iosco County Road Commission for snow removal at the county airport during the 1980-81 winter season.

Supported by Merschel and carried.

Your health and public safety committee recommends that Chairman John D. Webb, Jr. be authorized to sign the "Estimate of Authorized Expenditures" for the marine safety program for the calendar year 1981; the program being contingent upon 2/3 funding from the State of Michigan.

Supported by Merschel and following a discussion wherein it was indicated that continuation of the marine program would be conditioned on 2/3 of the cost being provided by the state, carried.

Your administrative committee recommends that the Iosco County Housing Commission be granted full administrative authority for the Community Development Block Grant Program; further, that Commissioner David George be appointed as liaison between the housing commission and the county board of commissioners and further, that the housing commission submit a monthly financial statement to the county board of commissioners.

Supported by Merschel and carried.

Finance Chairman George presented and moved adoption of the following resolutions:

Your finance committee recommends that, after review, the county clerk and chairman of the board of commissioners be authorized to approve salary for the month of November and per diem for meetings through today, November 19, 1980, for the board of commissioners.

Supported by Merschel and carried.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS PAYROLL

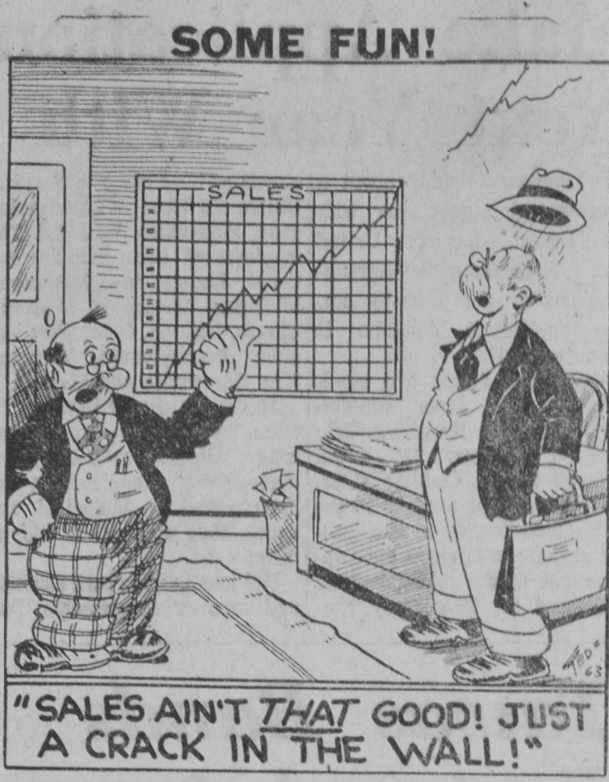
John D. Webb, Jr.	Salary for November 1980	\$250.00
Board meetings 10/29, 11/3, 11/5, 11/19	Committee meetings 10/24, 11/11, 11/12	140.00
		93.00
Marian Ulman	Salary for November 1980	\$200.00
Board meetings 10/29, 11/5, 11/19	Committee meetings 10/23, 10/24, 11/6, 11/11, 11/12	105.00
		186.00
Parks & rec. meeting 11/11/80		23.00
		\$514.00

Carlton Merschel	Salary for November 1980	\$200.00
Board meetings 10/29, 11/3, 11/5, 11/19	Committee meetings 10/23, 10/24, 10/28, 11/10, 11/11, 11/12, 11/18	140.00
		81.00
		\$421.00

David George	Salary for November 1980	\$200.00
Board meetings 10/29, 11/3, 11/19	Committee meetings 10/23, 10/24, 10/28, 11/10, 11/11, 11/12, 11/18	105.00
		209.00
		\$514.00

James P. Stech	Salary for November 1980	\$200.00
Board meetings 10/1, 10/22, 10/29, 11/3, 11/5, 11/19	Committee meetings 9/24, 9/25, 10/8, 10/21, 11/6, 11/10, 11/12	174.00
		197.00
		\$571.00

Your finance committee recommends that the county treasurer, at his discretion, be authorized to transfer (up to the sum indicated) the following amounts from federal revenue sharing No. 249 account, with



said transfers to be completed prior to the end of the year: General fund No. 101 \$127,000 Public improvement fund No. 245 \$ 25,000

Further, the county treasurer is hereby authorized to transfer the following additional funds from the general fund No. 101:

State institutions \$18,000 Child care fund No. 292 \$30,000 Supported by Ulman and carried.

Commissioner Stech reported in reference to the "Tri-County (Arenac, Iosco and Ogemaw) Foster Family Group Home Program for the prevention and treatment of delinquency, abuse and neglect of juveniles of the three-county area and read a letter from Robert W. Logan, director of the program, indicating that the governing board is requesting \$300 from each of the member counties, in addition to the \$15,000 of grant money for each of the counties, to expand the program from two foster homes with four children each to three foster homes with three children each for the year beginning October 1, 1980; the letter further explaining that there were in the past two foster homes with a capacity of five children each, but that due to increase costs and no increase in funding since the inception of the program in 1976, capacity was reduced to eight beds. In discussion of the matter, it was the consensus of board members that it is a good program and that the request should be approved, and further proposed that Probate Judge William McCready be apprised.

Committees were ordered to their respective duties at 3:30 p. m., the board to stand in recess until 4:00 p. m.

Upon call to order at 4:50 p. m., Commissioner Merschel presented and moved adoption of the following resolution, motion being supported by Stech and carried.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iosco County Board of Commissioners concurs with the Iosco County Housing Commission's acceptance of the rules and regulations of "The Procedural Guidelines for Community Development Block Grant" for rehabilitation of owner-resident homes in the County of Iosco.

Commissioner Stech presented and moved adoption of the following resolutions:

Your airport committee recommends that the sum of \$1,214.48 be paid to James Barry or work performed from October 8, 1978, to November 30, 1979, compiling the Basic Transportation Study for the Iosco County Airport Expansion Project, with payment to be made from the airport fund.

Supported by Merschel and carried.

Your health and public safety committee recommends that the Iosco County Board of Commissioners appropriate the sum of \$300 to the Foster Family Group Home Program for the purpose of expanding the program from two foster homes of four children each to three homes of three children each, with this appropriation contingent upon a like amount being appropriated by Arenac and Ogemaw Counties.

Supported by Ulman and carried.

Finance Chairman George presented the following report of minutes of the statutory finance committee meeting of November 12, 1980, and moved its acceptance, motion being supported by Merschel and carried.

from the county general fund, with reimbursement by the Iosco Housing Commission from the designated H. U. D. grant rehabilitation fund account at intervals convenient to the clerk and treasurer of Iosco County; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the 1980 Iosco County budget be amended as follows:

Revenue: Anticipated reimbursement by Iosco County Housing Commission \$1,750 Expenses: Confidential secretary-treasurer wages 1,400 Fringe benefits 350 Supported by Merschel and carried.

BE IT RESOLVED, that Mr. Vincent Wade be reappointed to a 2-year term (11/1/81 through 12/31/82) on the Region VII Area Agency on Aging's board of directors; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Mr. David George be authorized to vote in Mr. Wade's behalf, in the event that Mr. Wade is unable to attend the board of directors' meeting due to illness or travel out of state.

Supported by Merschel and carried.

Chairman Webb raised the matter of appointment of a delegate-at-large to the Trio Council on Aging Board of Directors, whereupon Commissioner George presented and moved adoption of the following resolution, motion being supported by Merschel and carried.

Your administrative committee recommends that Vincent Wade be reappointed to a 2-year term as the delegate-at-large to the Trio Council on Aging Board of Directors, for the period 1/1/81 through 12/31/82. Upon motion by Stech, supported by Ulman and prevailing, the minutes of the board of commissioners meetings of October 29 and November 3 and 5, 1980, were approved as drafted and presented by the clerk.

The business scheduled for the day having been concluded, it was moved by Merschel and supported by Ulman to adjourn until December 3, 1980, 2:00 p. m., or subject to the call of the chair upon 24 hours notice to board members and the news media. Motion carried and meeting adjourned at 5:15 p. m.

JOHN D. WEBB, JR., Chairman
D. KEITH PAPAS, Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Iosco County Road Commission November 10, 1980 10:00 a. m.

Summary Meeting called to order. Present: Commissioners' Conley, Aulerich, White; Engineer-Manager Buchanan; Secretary-Clerk Ferguson. Also, parties interested in the Public Hearing for the proposed road abandonments, and Phyllis Costello. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Old Business: 1. Road Abandonments-North Street: A Public Hearing was conducted on the proposed abandonment of a portion of North Street in Wilber Township with a large number of property owners objecting to the abandonment. Motion by Commissioner Aulerich, supported by Commissioner White to deny the petition to abandon that portion of North Street as it would not be in the best interest of the public. Roll call vote, all yeas. Petition denied.

Chain Lake Road: No objections were received. Motion by Commissioner Aulerich, supported by Commissioner White to absolutely abandon and discontinue that portion of Chain Lakes Road in Plainfield Township as petitioned while reserving a utility easement. Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried.

Harbor Street: Mr. John Skrobot advised the board that while he was not objecting to the abandonment of Harbor Street he would like an easement for ingress and egress to his property. The matter was tabled until the meeting of November 24 while Mr. Skrobot attempts to obtain an easement from the abutting property owner.

2. Pavement Marking Project: Motion by Commissioner White, supported by Commissioner Aulerich to sign a contract with the MDOT for a county wide pavement marking project. Roll call vote, all yeas. Contract signed.

3. Kings Corner Road Bridge: Motion by Commissioner White, supported by Commissioner Aulerich to sign a contract with

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Iosco Bldg. Dept. Lists 30 Permits

Thirty permits in the county were issued through the office of the Iosco County Department of Building and Safety Inspection in November. Construction cost on the permits was \$287,408 with permit fees totaling \$1,059.

Alabaster Township: Manuel Ledesma, pole building, \$600; Dorothy Curtis, garage-deck, \$4,800.

AuSable Township: Thomas Stalker, wood fence, \$1,125.

Baldwin Township: John O'Brien, addition, \$6,000; Jack Roughley, addition, \$3,800; Donald Leitz, pole barn, \$5,000; Ed Bremner, residence with garage, \$25,000.

Grant Township: Raymond Matheson, foundation, \$1,223; James Rice, addition, \$2,000; Willard Hayes, attach garage-breezeway enclosure for mobile home, \$8,200.

Oscoda Township: Ed Bremner, addition, \$2,000; Liebler Construction, residence with garage, \$60,000; Bonnie Burns, residence with basement, \$32,000; Jerry Beatty (car wash), Mansard roof, \$1,250; Harold Lakewood, addition, \$1,300; Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club, enclose porch, \$2,500; Bruce Crittenden, storage building, \$16,800; Ward Dexel, office addition, \$2,160; Lyman Parsons, residence, \$28,000; Tim Gamble, storage shed, \$500; Samuel Bates, enclose porch, \$1,000.

Plainfield Township: Alfred Tilletson, garage, \$2,300; Ray Rausch, garage, \$3,650; Plainfield Township, multipurpose center, \$25,200; Leslie Gibson,

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PUBLIC NOTICE

R. S. Scott Associates for the design and plans for the replacement of the Kings Corner Road Bridge over the Pine River. Roll call vote, all yeas. Contract signed.

New Business: 1. Leave of Absence: The engineer-manager reported that Keith Hasty had requested a three week leave of absence. Motion by Commissioner Aulerich, supported by Commissioner White to OK the leave provided Mr. Hasty pays for his insurance while he is off. Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried.

2. Jose Lake Gravel: The engineer-manager reported on a request from John Henry to borrow some gravel from the Jose Lake stock and replace it in the spring. It was the general feeling of the board that, that was not a good policy to get started. Request denied.

3. Act 51 Advance: Motion by Commissioner Aulerich, supported by Commissioner White to request an Advance on the February Act 51 Allotment to cover some equipment purchases. Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried.

4. P. A. 621: There was a discussion on P. A. 621 - Budget Act for Local Units of Government. Motion by Commissioner White, supported by Commissioner Aulerich to designate Alen Buchanan, Chief Administrative Officer and Steve Ferguson, Fiscal Officer to comply with the act. Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried.

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

6. Adjournment: Upon motion made and supported, the meeting adjourned at 12 o'clock Noon. SDF 50-1b

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addition and garage, \$2,200; Kenneth Clark, addition, \$3,000. Sherman Township: Glendora Wynn, demolish residence. City of Tawas City: James Ancel, demolish shed; Arthur Krass, repair and replace four motel units, \$42,000. Wilber Township: Jack R. Jones, addition and porch, \$3,800.

REGULAR MEETING—Tawas City Council

November 17, 1980

Meeting called to order at 7:30 PM at City Hall by Mayor Westcott.

Present: Pawloski, Upson, Westcott, Hayes, Lansky, Martin. Absent: Keiser.

Others: Manager Thomas, Supt. Look.

Minutes of November 3 meeting unanimously approved. Mayor Westcott, on behalf of the City Council, City Manager and staff, and Volunteer Fire Department, thanked the citizens of Tawas City for their vote of confidence in allowing the construction of a new Fire Station.

Following opportunity for public comment on the river-mouth development, which was limited to questions only on project and funding timing, and status of U. S. Fish & Wildlife review, resolution offered by Pawloski, supported by Lansky, that the Council of the City of Tawas City does hereby authorize the City Manager to complete, execute, and file a final application for Federal Land and Water Conservation Funds with the State Department of Natural Resources for financial assistance in the first stage of development of the Tawas Rivermouth Gateway Park project; roll call vote: unanimous yes.

Councilman Lansky was called out of the meeting due to family medical emergency; excused.

Resolution of participation in NEMEDA'S Incentive Concept Program by appropriation of \$100 and appointment of Donald M. Hayes as a trustee, offered by Westcott, supported by Pawloski; roll call vote: unanimous yes. (Full text, Supp. Bk., p. 93.)

Resolution to Open Deposit Account at Farmers & Merchants State Bank of Hale, Sand Lake Heights Branch, for bridge bond moneys, offered by Hayes, supported by Martin; roll call vote: unanimous yes. (Full text, Supp. Bk., p. 94.)

Four property owners took the opportunity afforded by Council to discuss the drainage along the south edge of North Park Acres. Manager answered citizens' concerns by assuring that the City was not interested in assuming the responsibility unless owners showed unanimous consent and granted easement wide enough for City equipment, that undoubtedly a phrase would be added requiring properties to be left in as good condition as found, and that City could pay some or all of the costs, as these various owners were not at fault in the problem. Several owners have not yet responded to request for approval.

Three-month financial report on various City funds was distributed for study.

Budget amendments to accord with Auditor's recommendations, including past appropriations already accomplished, were discussed. Resolution formally amending the budget was offered by Hayes, supported by Pawloski; roll call vote: unanimous yes. (Full text, Supp. Bk., p. 95.)

Resolution that the resolution adopted May 19, 1980 establishing millage to meet the appropriations of specified funds be and is hereby amended to reflect elimination of 2.80 mills for the local Improvement Fund and adding said 2.80 mills to the millage required for the General Fund, offered by Hayes, supported by Pawloski; roll call vote: unanimous yes.

Discussion on Personnel Policies postponed until full council can be present. Motion by Hayes, seconded by Martin, that this year the Friday after Thanksgiving will be paid as an employee holiday; roll call vote: unanimous yes.

Motion by Pawloski, seconded by Upson, that Manager be authorized to proceed to exercise the options for Fire Station site; roll call vote: unanimous yes.

Adjourned 9:20.

Rachel Sue McCready City Clerk 50-1b

RESOLUTION TO ABANDON A PUBLIC ROAD

On a motion duly made by Commissioner Aulerich, supported by Commissioner White, and unanimously carried, it was moved to adopt the following resolution:

WHEREAS, in accordance with the provisions of Section 18, Chapter IV, Act 283 of the Public Acts of 1909, as amended, seven or more freeholders have petitioned this Board to absolutely abandon and discontinue that portion of Chain Lakes Road described as follows:

"Part of the Old Chain Lake Road beginning at a point 33 feet north of the section corner common to Sections 7, 8, 17 and 18, T24N, R5E, Plainfield Township, Iosco County, Michigan, thence North on Section Line between Sections 7 and 8 to the Southerly right-of-way of Chain Lakes Road a distance of approximately 1300 feet."

WHEREAS, the Board examined the area and noted that abandonment was in the best interest of the public;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the above mentioned roadway be and is hereby absolutely abandoned and discontinued;

EXCEPT, upon the condition that the title to all public utilities and drains and all appurtenances thereto, now in, over or under said right-of-way is reserved to and shall remain in the respective owners thereof together with the easements and continued rights to occupy said road for public utility or drainage purposes with the present or additional facilities and to operate, maintain, repair, replace, or remove the same, to the same effect and in the same manner as if said road had remained a public way.

I hereby certify the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution unanimously adopted by the Board of Iosco County Road Commissioners at a meeting held November 10, 1980.

Signed: Stephen D. Ferguson Clerk of the Board

Witnesses: Betty L. Francis Frieda Rempert

Prepared by: Iosco County Road Commission 3939 W. M-55 Tawas City, MI 48763 48-3b

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The B & H Electric Company has asked the Grant Township Zoning Board for a Land Use Permit to build a garage to be used as an Office for the B & H Electric Company. The B & H Electric Company intends to buy a Lot which is located at 4120 West Braham in Hacienda Subdivision, if he can secure a Land Use Permit. The Zoning Board and the Township Board has each voted in favor of issuing this permit.
 There will not be any retail sales from this Office.
 H. J. Robinson-Secretary
 Grant Township Zoning Board 50-2b

NOTICE—I will not be selling Christmas trees this year on Youngs Road, Grant Township, located 7 1/2 miles west of Tawas on M-55. 50-2p

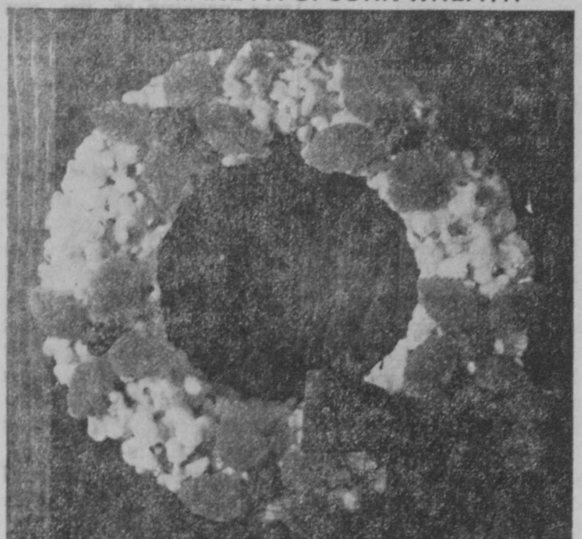
LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN
 In the District Court for the 81st Judicial District
PATRICIA BROOKS,
 Trustee for heirs of
 Robert Hunt, Deceased,
 under a certain Trust
 Agreement dated October
 26, 1976, recorded in Deed
 Liber 253, pages
 149-166, Iosco County
 Records,
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
LAWRENCE E. McNEW
 Defendant,
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
 At a session of said Court held at the Courthouse in Tawas City, in and for the County of Iosco, State of Michigan, on this 13th day of November, A. D. 1980.
PRESENT: Honorable J. Richard Ernst, District Judge.
 On this 2nd day of November, A. D., 1980, an action was filed by Patricia Brooks, Trustee for Heirs of Robert Hunt, Dec., against Lawrence E. McNew, Defendant, in this Court, to forfeit Land Contract and to recover possession of land.
 It is hereby ORDERED that the Defendant, Lawrence McNew, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 31st day of December, A. D., 1980. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.
 J. RICHARD ERNST
 District Judge
 Date of Order 11-13-80
 William D. Fazenbaker,
 Attorney for Plaintiff 48-4b

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN
 Probate Court, County of Iosco
PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING
 File No. 8380
 Estate of Charles L. Brooks, Sr., Deceased
TAKE NOTICE: On January 8, 1981, at 1:30 P. M., in the probate courtroom, Tawas City, Michigan, before Hon. William H. McCready, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Charles L. Brooks, Jr. for probate of a purported Will and for granting administration of said estate to Charles L. Brooks, Jr. or some other suitable person and for a determination of heirs, and for a confirmation of sale of real estate.
 Creditors of said deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said Charles L. Brooks, Jr., c/o Kenneth J. Myles P. C., Attorney for Charles L. Brooks, Jr., 502 Lake Street, Tawas City, Michigan 48763 and proof thereof filed with the Court on or before February 20, 1981.
 Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.
 December 3, 1980
CHARLES L. BROOKS, JR.
 12371 Elms Road
 Birch Run, MI. 48415
 Kenneth J. Myles P. C.
 P18149
 502 Lake Street
 Tawas City, MI. 48763
 517-362-6133 50-1b

HOW TO MAKE A POPCORN WREATH



Your family probably eats plenty of popcorn all year 'round because it's so good tasting and provides an inexpensive snack. Holiday time offers an extra dimension to corn popping; everybody can make a popcorn sculpture. Here's a chance for a great neighborhood party. Just buy plenty of that pop-in-the-package popcorn and three or four friends can be popping corn at the same time. Below are the directions for a popcorn wreath which hangs prettily on door or mantle.

JEFFY POP® DELLA-ROBBIA WREATH
 1 bag (3 oz.) spearmint gumdrop leaves
 1 bag (3 oz.) French Burnt peanuts
 1 package (5 oz.) Jiffy Pop® Popcorn
 1 cup sugar
 1/2 cup light corn syrup
 1/2 cup water
 1/4 cup butter or margarine

Extras needed: one 9" tube cake pan, Christmas ribbons for bows.
 Prepare popcorn according to package directions. Place popcorn in large pan or bowl. Heat sugar, corn syrup, and water in saucepan to 250°-260° (120° C) or until a drop of syrup in cold water forms a hard ball. Remove from heat and stir in the butter. Pour over the popcorn and mix thoroughly with a large spoon.
 Grease inside of tube cake pan thoroughly. Grease hands, also. Working quickly pack the popcorn lightly into form. Allow to sit for 15 minutes. Remove the popcorn "wreath" from form and place on plate or tray. Decorate with spearmint leaves and berrie-shaped French Burnt Peanuts. Add ribbon bow. Hang on door or mantle.

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Menus

IOSCO COUNTY DROP-IN CENTERS

Thursday, December 11—
Baked chicken, whipped potatoes and gravy, baked squash, perfection salad, biscuit and margarine, apple pie, coffee, tea, milk.

Friday, December 12—
Baked fish, fry-baked potatoes, Harvard beets, tossed salad, bread and margarine, pineapple, coffee, tea, milk.

Monday, December 15—
Chicken pie with biscuit crust, broccoli and cheese, lettuce salad, bread pudding, coffee, tea, milk.

Tuesday, December 16—
Beef pie with whipped potato top, spinach, plums, calico vegetable salad, hot rolls and margarine, coffee, tea, milk.

Wednesday, December 17—
Boiled dinner, cucumber and onion salad, biscuit and margarine, pineapple upside-down cake, coffee, tea, milk.

First Baptist Sets Pot-Luck

A Christmas pot-luck dinner is scheduled at First Baptist Church, Tawas City, for Sunday, December 14, 1:00 p. m. Jeffrey Bruusgaard, exchange student from Norway, will present slides on his native country and carols will be sung. The children of the congregation will present their Christmas program at the church Sunday evening, December 21, 6 o'clock.

Children in Annual Concert

Thursday evening, December 18, 8 o'clock, the children of Hemlock Road Baptist Church Academy will present their first Christmas program. The academy has 22 children enrolled in four- to six-year-old kindergarten through fourth grade. Mr. and Mrs. Richard McClendon are instructors at the school, which opened in the fall.

An invitation is extended to the residents of the area to attend the program.



(Read Luke 2:8-14)

Mark had just talked to Santa at the Christmas party. I sat next to him and asked, "What did you tell him to bring?" "Oh," said five-year-old Mark, "I just told him to surprise me."

Israel had looked for a king and God sent a baby. They expected the Messiah to come in power and wealth; He was born in poverty in a manger. What a surprise! And how excellent this turned out to be. Over and over, God's surprises are better than our dreams and wishes.

Once, I expected to be sent to a new job location, to one of my two first choices, but I was sent instead to a strange and unfamiliar place. It turned out to be a great opportunity for service, personal growth and joy.

As far as having a family was concerned, my wife and I had not planned on children at the time they came. But their presence today is a source of boundless joy.

PRAYER
Lord, open our hearts to accept with gratitude unexpected events. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
Blessings may be found in our daily surprises.—Faulk Landrum (Texas)

Tawas United Methodist Choir Plans Cantata

The 40-voice choir of Tawas United Methodist Church will present the Christmas cantata, "Joy to the World" by John W. Peterson, Sunday afternoon, December 14, at 4 o'clock. The Rev. Kenneth Tousey will be narrator and Mrs. Alden Phelps, organist. Mrs. Harold Knight is director.

Solos will be featured and a tea held in honor of the choir following the program, hosted by the women of the church.

Children of the congregation will present a portion of the regular 10:30 o'clock service that morning in songs and skits under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Dahlstrom.

LOOKING BACKWARD—

Iosco Joins Protest of Doe Hunting

15 Years Ago—
December 15, 1965 — Iosco County has officially joined other areas of Northern Michigan in a protest against the state's deer season. A resolution adopted by the board of supervisors recommended that the state discontinue doe hunting in this county "due to the depletion of the deer herd."

Michigan's lake builder, James H. Cole, was authorized Wednesday by the county to proceed with his plans for a new man-made lake in Burleigh Township. The lake will have an abundant supply of water, being fed by Johnson Creek south of Whittemore.

Iosco County's general operating fund will be \$15,000 in the red at the end of December. A \$50,000 transfer was made from the general fund to cover opera-

tional expenses at the medical care facility.

George Maas scored 27 points as the Hale Area Eagles dumped Hillman for their third straight win.

25 Years Ago—
December 15, 1955 — Tawas Hospital has received a \$14,700 appropriation from the Ford Foundation.

Sixty-million television viewers will be looking at Perchville on the ice of Tawas Bay on New Year's Day, Sunday, January 1, over NBC's "Wide World" program.

A plaque is to be dedicated at the Iosco County Jail in memory of Sheriff Charles C. Miller, who was killed in the performance of duty 21 years ago. A committee of the Northeastern Law Enforcement Officers Association is making arrangements.

Zubek Motor Sales is the new Studebaker-Packard dealer in this area.

William Borosch advertises a three-bedroom modern home on

a landscaped 100 by 100-foot lot on Tawas Bay for \$12,000.

Forward Dave Featheringill collected 29 points as the Tawas Braves defeated Rogers City, 70-65.

35 Years Ago—
December 14, 1945—By a vote of 128 to four, Tawas City taxpayers authorized the city council to issue bonds amounting to \$28,000 for the purpose of extending water and sewer lines to areas in the city not now served. This resumes work postponed in 1938 when the city lacked finances.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Slaven have purchased the former Evans building at the corner of Lake and Mathews Street and will convert it into a supermarket.

Karl W. Bublitz is the new Hudson motorcar dealer for this area.

Fifth and sixth graders of Tawas City School sold 1,777 TB Christmas seals. Shirley Allen had the greatest individual sale of 221 seals.

More than \$643,000 is expected to be spent during the next five years by Iosco County homeowners on remodeling and repair work. Because of lack of materials and manpower during the war, the majority of the county's 3,651 dwelling units are in need of some kind of repair or remodeling work.

Clarence Herriman has purchased the Howard Herriman store at the corner of Hemlock and Sand Lake Roads.

Reno News

Last Saturday, John Sibley had dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moore and family from Burton spent the week-end and Thanksgiving Day with her mother, Mrs. Clara Waters, and sister, Mrs. Edward Mervyn.

Florence Latter called on the following at the Iosco Medical Care Facility: Chester Densstedt, Cora Davis, Beth and Pearl Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Robinson spent Friday afternoon at the Long Term Facility, Standish, where they visited his mother, Hattie Mae Robinson.



IOSCO TRANSIT PRESENTS

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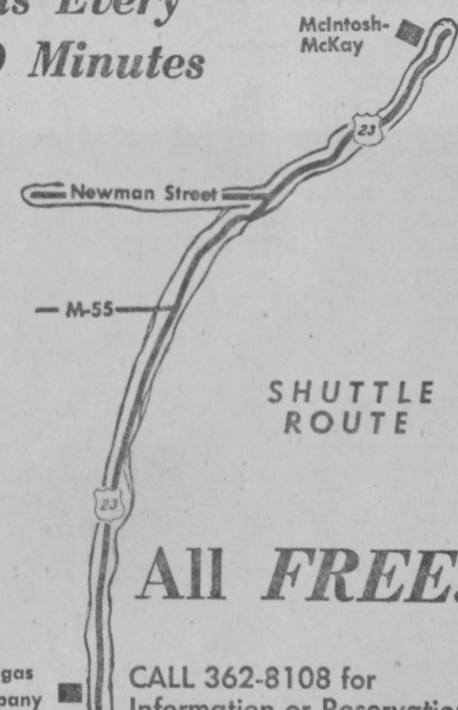
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Tawas Herald
Loeffler's
Tawas Flower Shop
Pendleton Shop
Yankee Peddler
Family Theatre





Cutting evergreen boughs for wreaths are, from left, Pearl Engelbrecht, Eva Siegrist, Marian Rose and Elizabeth Bennett.



Erma Wolfin, club president, uses a pair of scissors to trim the boughs before the wreath is assembled.

EAST TAWAS GARDEN CLUB continued a 30-year tradition last Thursday by making Christmas wreaths at the East Tawas Community Building. Besides making wreaths for Iosco County Medical Care Facility, Provincial House Nursing Home and Tawas Hospital, the club made wreaths for 30 individual orders, proceeds from which finance maintenance of the memorial strip between US-23 and Bay Street. Members brought in boughs of blue spruce, hemlock, white pine and cedar and wreaths were fashioned on an assembly line basis. The club's first project was held in 1950 when members and their husbands gathered in the basement of the George Sedgemans west of the city park for an evening of wreath making and a social hour.—Tawas Herald Photos.



A completed wreath is displayed by Marie Hennigar.



Nimble fingers of these members saw the project completed in a matter of three hours.



Sylvia Metzger strings pine cones and Elizabeth Besancon fashions gay ribbons for the wreaths.



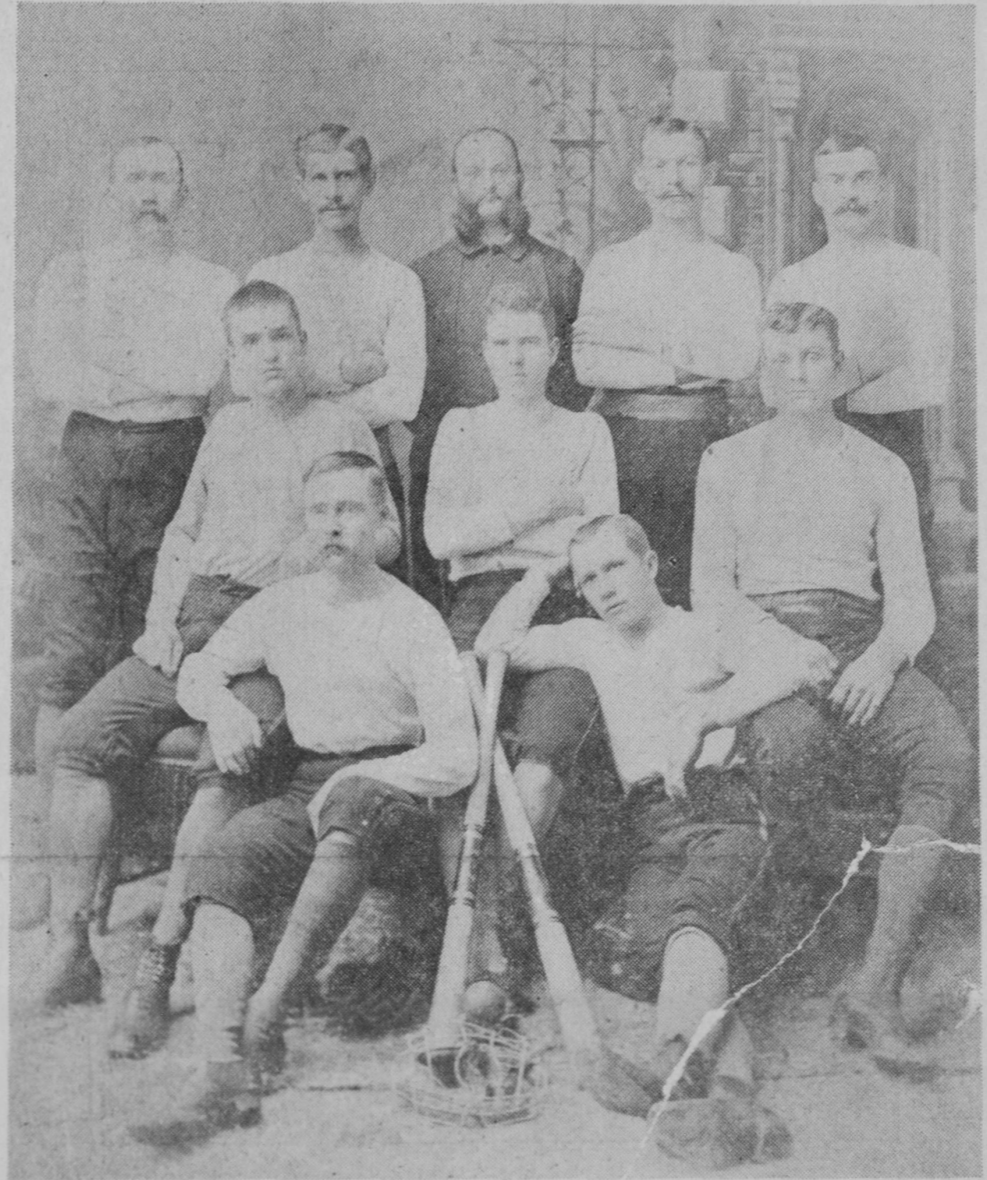
A produce delivery wagon pauses in front of the H. M. Loud general store at AuSable,

Despite the fact that practically every building shown here was destroyed by the fire of 1911, a rich historical legacy of AuSable-Oscoda has survived in the pictures which somehow escaped destruction during the fire and have been passed down through the years in private hands.

These interesting views were once owned by Harold Trigger, Oscoda businessman, who apparently had a passion for saving items of interest shown in his hometown of Oscoda during its lumbering heyday. From the bird's-eye view of AuSable-Oscoda shown at lower right to the AuSable baseball team pictured in 1887, all provide an interesting view of the past.

Unfortunately, most of the pictures are unidentified, but comparison with other known pictures has led to identification. For instance, the delivery wagon filled with produce has paused in front of the store owned by the Loud family. The names of several members of the baseball team were scribbled on the back of the print, while Hayes Camp was inscribed on the print showing the load of logs.

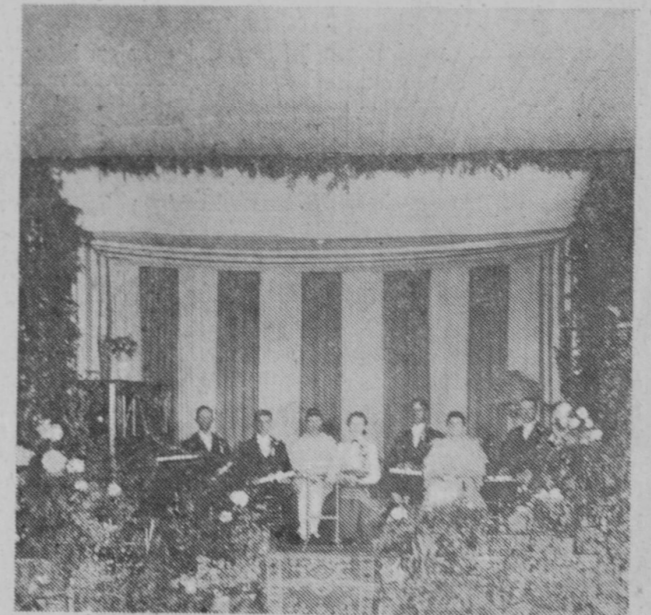
The picture at the bottom was snapped by A. T. Martin of Oscoda on June 29, 1894. It is a view of McKay Opera House, according to the inscription on the back of the print, but the subjects and the occasion for taking the picture are not known.



John Mark, top center, was an umpire for this AuSable baseball team in 1887.



A load of logs at the Hayes camp.

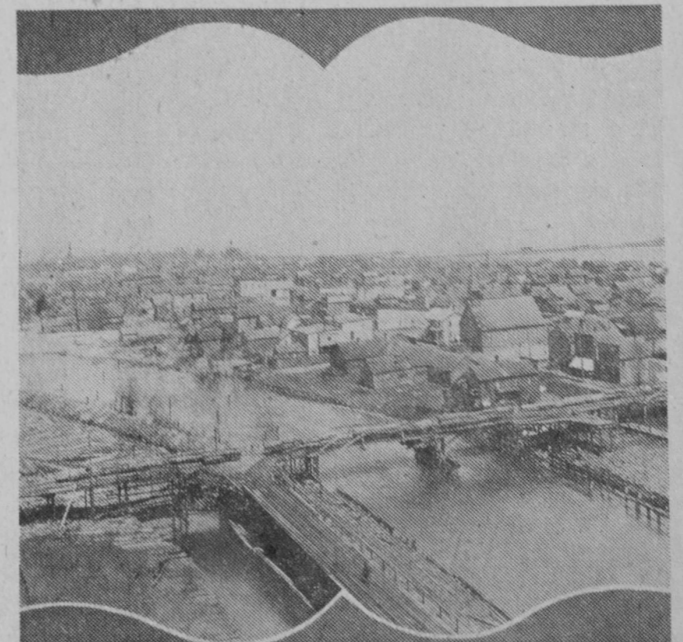


An unidentified group poses at the opera house.

Few Pictures Escaped Fire of 1911

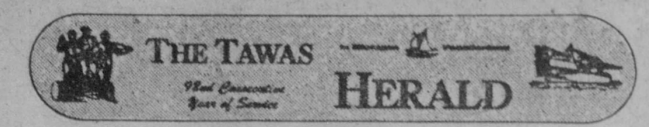


Harold Trigger and his father at the Pack carriage house.



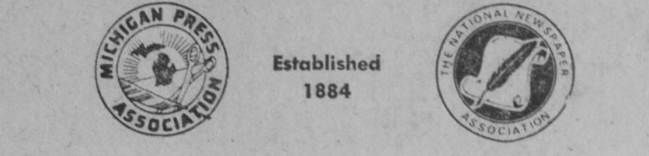
A bird's-eye view of AuSable and Oscoda.

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands; one nation, under God, indivisible with liberty and justice for all.

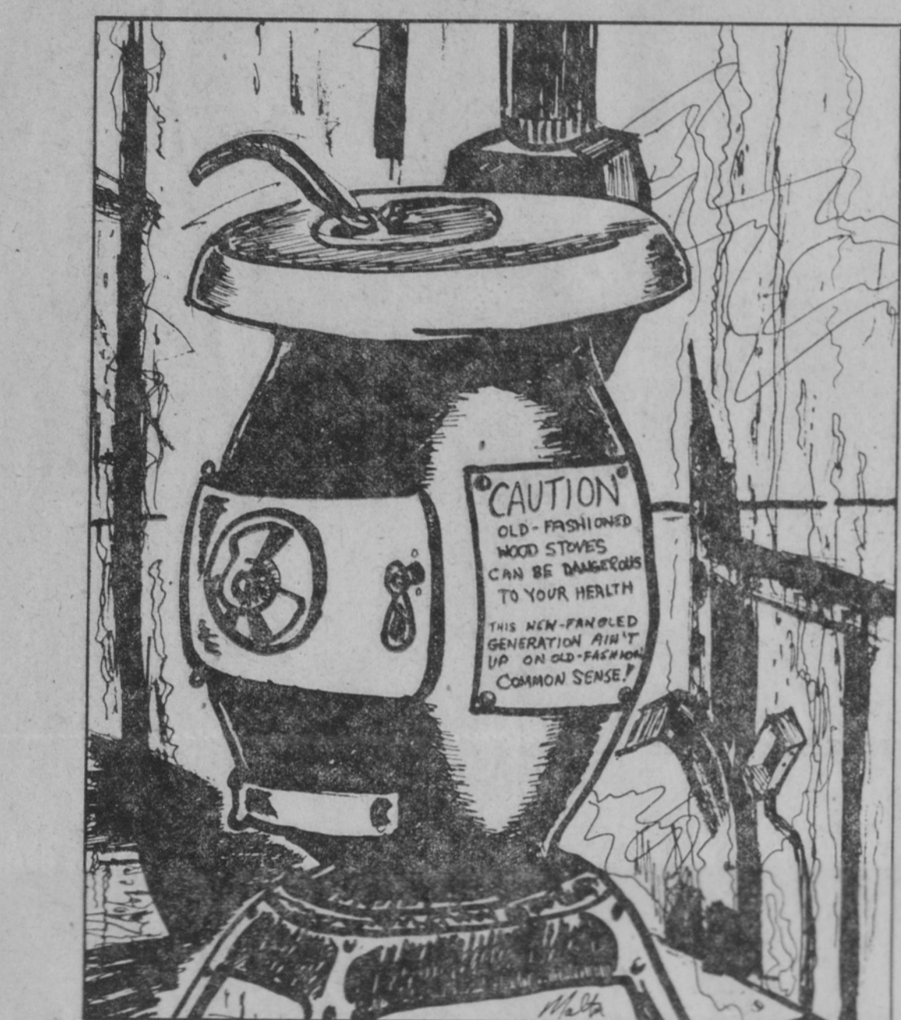


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EDITORIAL



A Wood Stove Warning!

The potbellied wood stove is making a comeback in Michigan. There are many who recall gathering around one, feeling the warmth, watching the cherry-red glow of heated metal, entranced by the dancing flames within.

Those were simpler days, with simpler problems.

The modern generation seems all too willing, at times, to return to those days of yesterday. In a day and age where people must think of nuclear proliferation, a burdensome tax structure or the all-encompassing energy problem and the need for alternate energy sources, wood stoves can be very attractive.

The growing number of people using wood stoves these days may point up a simple truth, however. Those days had their problems, too, and wood stoves were one of them.

Wood stoves were either too hot or too cold with very little in-between adjustment. One's front side roasted and the back-side froze. The stoves had to be kept stoked and care taken that a live coal did not land on the wood floor or rug. The stoves had to be kept clean and that meant hauling ashes and keeping flues soot-free. There was a lot of work involved.

Michiganders have had several generations to get accustomed to the convenience of automatic thermostats and fuels that did not have to be chopped, hauled or require the constant human attention and care required by those old-fashioned methods. There have also been new ways to build housing, with airtight construction, different building materials and

ly unreasonable and the state legislature should enact legislation immediately to remedy the situation.

Commissioners Take Over Iosco Park Functions

After overseeing the operation of Old Orchard Park, as well as handling planning for other county recreational facilities for 10 or more years, the Iosco County Parks and Recreation Commission is to relinquish the major portion of its duties to the Iosco County Board of Commissioners.

When the county first leased Old Orchard Park from Consumers Power Company nearly two decades ago, that park was administered by a special committee of the old board of supervisors. Because of the amount of work involved, the board of supervisors deemed it advisable to establish a parks and recreation commission under terms of state law to handle the administration.

That was not an unusual move for members of the board of supervisors felt that too much of their time was being spent at regular meetings in handling park matters. This arrangement proved satisfactory for some years, but apparently there has been some breakdown in communications between the two bodies, despite the fact that the county board of commissioners appoints members and has the power to name one or more of its own members to the parks and recreation commission.

There possibly are other reasons for this change and unknown to this corner. Perhaps there has been a clash in personalities between the hired park management and the administrative officials or perhaps the parks and recreation commission members do not feel that they have been delegated enough responsibility to operate a county park system. Members of the parks and recreation commission have been reported as being in favor of the change.

This corner can offer no comment other than to say that such a commission has proven its worth here and in other counties, where similar commissions are utilized, to reduce the work load of the elected board of commissioners. The same system holds true for practically every level of government.

Although county road commissions are established under a specific state law and are "not within the clutches" of the county board of commissioners, other than appointing members, if the present thinking was carried to a conclusion the board of commissioners should take over administration of the road commission. That will not happen because of state law and the fact that it would be an unwise move. It has been suggested in the past, however, during clashes of personalities.

This corner believes that it may have been a mistake to remove the function of the county parks and recreation commission, although it will result in eliminating mileage and per diem paid to those members who formerly attended monthly meetings. It will be interesting to see how much time now is spent by the county board of commissioners on park matters—only time will tell.

At present, election to the

county board of commissioners still is considered to be a part-time responsibility and a position open to any citizen of the county who can garner enough votes to win an election—that is the only qualification necessary. Adding this new responsibility is just one way of eliminating many possible candidates to the five-man commission; it also eliminates active participation in county governmental matters by citizens.

There has been talk for a number of years of adopting a county manager type of government here in Iosco. This may or may not be the proper direction, but some major change in county administration may result in the future and the cost to taxpayers will not be any less if a county manager is hired—to the contrary!

Ski Club Sets Swap Day at IS Clubhouse

The Bill Koch 4-H Ski Club is sponsoring a cross-country ski equipment and clothing swap day Saturday, December 13, at the Iosco Sportsmen's Club, Baldwin Centre. For more information, contact Robin Bell, 4-H leader, at 362-6216.

Real Estate Transfers

(Recorded November 24-28, 1980)

Lloyd E. Finley and wife to Lawrence E. Booth and wife, Lots 110 and 111 of Eagle Park Subdivision.

Alvin Somers to Patrick Kimball, Lot 5 of Block 4 of Pierce's Subdivision.

Patrick Kimball to Earl C. Kimball, et al, Lot 5 of Block 4 of Pierce's Subdivision.

Charles P. Kaiser and wife to Richard J. Lewandowski, SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 12, T22N, R5E.

Dale L. Ward and Betty C. Ward to Edward A. Kenney and wife, Parcel in Section 6, T23N, R5E.

Emma Clark and William D. Clark to Pierre LeTienne and wife, Part of the SE 1/4 of Section 33, T21N, R6E and Part of the SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 34, T21N, R6E.

Pierre LeTienne and wife, et al, to Gerald W. Koehn, et al, Part of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 34, T21N, R6E.

Marian Cherry to Milton M. Malesko and wife, Lots 5 and 6 of Lake Huron Acres Subdivision.

John Hahn to Leo C. Swartz and wife, Part of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 20, T22N, R6E.

Edward T. Bastion and wife to Thomas B. Booth, Lot 3 of Hughes Oscoda Heights Subdivision.

Lillian C. Watts to Steve P. Pereny and wife, Lot 25 of Floyd Lake Woods Subdivision.

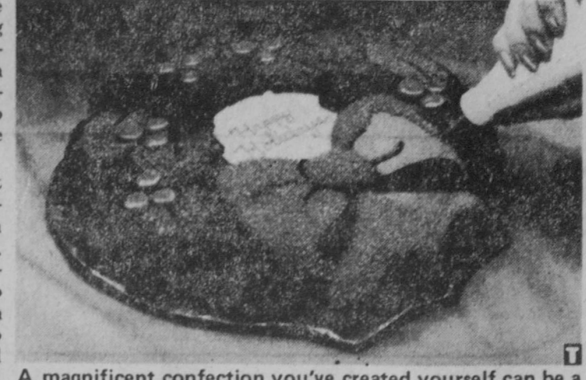
Tawas United Methodist Church to Carl E. Moffit Jr. and wife, Lot 16 of Block 1 of Map of Tawas City.

Raymond N. Grametbauer and wife to John J. DeGuise and wife, Lot 27 and Part of Lots 26 and 35 of Minnie Moore's Cedar Lake Ranch Subdivision.

Edmund C. Herbert, by Attorney, to Robert C. Hopp and wife, Lots 55 and 56 of Cedar Lake Haven Subdivision.

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CHRISTMAS' PAST



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The use of greenery at Christmas grew out of ancient Roman and European customs, historians say. Holly was a favorite decoration of the Romans, who made lavish use of green boughs and garlands to honor Saturn, their god of agriculture.

We may kiss under the mistletoe but the ancient Druids of England called the plant "all heal" and believed it had the power to cure disease.

An increasing number of families are celebrating the holiday season with their own specially decorated Christmas cake. You may like to cheer family and friends with a cake shaped like a welcoming wreath, a smiling Santa, a bedecked bell, a candle-lit tree or any one of a number of gorgeous goodies. The

predecessor is believed to have been a fourth-century bishop of Turkey. According to legend, he dropped a bag of gold coins down a chimney into a stocking which a poor girl had hung by the fireplace to dry; hence our custom of hanging Christmas stockings.

From the past customs to the cakes of the present, Christmas can be full of delightful surprises—and not only in the gifts you'll find under the tree.

Oelfke to Eugene R. Stalsberg and wife, Part of Lots 22 and 23 of Block 9 of Iosco Heights Subdivision.

Johnstone Development Company to Leonard R. Voss and wife, Lot 104 of Sherwood Forest Subdivision.

Johnstone Development Company to Leonard R. Voss and wife, Lot 102 of Sherwood Forest Subdivision.

Gene E. Bierlein and wife to Linda L. Kaackmeister, Parts of Lots 79 and 80 of Big Island Subdivision.

Lillian C. Samson to Arnold R. Kottmann Sr. and wife, Lot 16 of Dorcey's Knoll Subdivision.

Robert C. Newman and wife to Wayne C. White and wife, Lot 554 of Lakewood Shores Golf and Country Club Subdivision No. 5.

Harold T. McGrath to John E. Torn and wife, Lot 3 of Harry

Goldsmith's Jose Lake Subdivision No. 1.

Carleen Wangbichler to Donald J. Baruzzinia, Lot 17 of Hazel Park Subdivision.

Donald J. Baruzzinia and wife to Gary E. Hood and Martha J. Hood, Lot 17 of Hazel Park Subdivision.

Gerald J. Klenow and wife to Helen G. Hertzler and Larry

W. Hertzler, Lot 3 of Jose Lake Estates Subdivision.

Helen M. Hubal and Alta M. Janke to Keith E. Boulware, Lot 21 of Supervisors Plat of Block 16 on Map of Village of Oscoda.

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Persons in this area nearing retirement age should know that a decision to postpone retirement could result in increased future social security benefits, a social security spokesperson said recently. "A worker who will be 65 years old before 1982," the representative said, "will receive an increase in social security benefits of one percent for each year—or one-twelfth of one percent for each month—from age 65 to 72 that he or she does not get benefits.

For workers who will not reach 65 until 1982 or later, the corresponding increase in benefits will be three percent a year or one-fourth of one percent a month. This credit applies even to workers who received reduced benefits before age 65.

The rule does not apply to the special minimum retirement benefit for individuals who have worked under social security for at least 20 years. The special minimum benefit is designed for people who have had low earnings during their working years. The amount depends on the number of years of coverage.

In 1980 the minimum for a worker retiring at age 65 with at least 30 years of social security-covered employment is \$252.80. The

amount will be increased automatically in future years as the cost of living rises.

For more information about delayed retirement credits, contact any social security office. The address and telephone number of the nearest social security office can be found in the telephone directory.

questions and answers

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Q. Right now, I am receiving social security benefits while I attend col-

lege. I am thinking about dropping a course and working part time and going to school part time. Will I still be able to get social security benefits?

A. No, you must be a full-time student in order to qualify for social security student benefits.

Q. When I applied for retirement benefits last January, I elected not to receive Medicare medical insurance because I did not wish to pay the premiums. I have since changed my mind. Can I still sign up for social security medical insurance?

A. Yes, you can enroll during the first 3 months of any year. Your protection will begin the following July. But, your monthly premiums will be 10 percent higher for each 12 month period you could have been enrolled but were not.

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HALE CREEK LANES

Wed. Night Mixed	W	L
Bannister Agency	32	24
Hale Bank	31	25
Nathan's Upholstery	30	26
Scofield Realty	28	28
Pearsall's	28	28
Hale Heating	26	30
Colonial Inn	25	31
Hale Hardware	24	32
Team High Series: Colonial Inn, 2378; Bannister Agency, 2377; Hale Heating, 2370.		
Team High Single: Bannister Agency, 843; Hale Bank, 821; Colonial Inn, 820.		
Individual High Series: Dale Humphrey, 633; Bud Bannister, 631; Vern Reed, 628.		
Individual High Single: Theo Helms, 243; Dale Blust, 235; Wayne Wilson, Vern Reed, 233.		

Bowling...
(Cont. from page 4, sec. 1.)

TAWAS LANES

Major	W	L
Jerry's Marina	42	14
Buckhorn Inn	34	22
Moore's Painters	33 1/2	22 1/2
Freel's Market	32	24
Kendall Brothers	26 1/2	29 1/2
St. James Electric	25	31
Rollin Real Estate	24 1/2	31 1/2
Alibi Inn	22	34
C-Vee's Pizza	22	34
Bill's Wrecker	18 1/2	37 1/2
Team High Series: Buckhorn Inn, 3001.		
Team High Single: Bill's Wrecker, 1856.		
Individual High Series: L. Boks, B. Short, 607; D. Doek, 600.		
Individual High Single: D. Doek, 235; H. Moeller, 232; L. Boks, 226.		

Bowling...
(Cont. from page 4, sec. 1.)

Hits & Mrs.	W	L
Up Your Alley	39	17
Ray's Landing	34	22
Evergreen Resort	33	23
Trading Post	31	25
Lau's Fashions	25	31
County Fair	23	33
Felske Heating	21	35
Hard Hat Bar	18	38
Team High Series: Ray's Landing, 2370; Evergreen Resort, 2322; County Fair, 2300.		
Team High Single: Ray's Landing, 825; Lau's Fashions, 819; Evergreen Resort, 800.		
Individual High Series: Elsie Leon, 636; Jake Rau, 629; Jonnie Meier, 621.		
Individual High Single: Wanda Guthrie, 243; Moe Meier, 239; Jonnie Meier, 238.		

Bowling...
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Breakfast Club	W	L
Hale Hardware	36	20
Wicker Hills	34	22
Lee Cory Realty	29	27
Bowlsby Oil	27	29
Jack & Esther	26	30
Trading Post	25	31
Sherni's Candies	25	31
Eagle Park Grocery	22	34
Team High Series: Trading Post, 3008; Eagle Park Grocery, 2963; Hale Hardware, 2956.		
Team High Single: Trading Post, 1042; Lee Cory Realty, 1029; Wicker Hills, 1028.		
Individual High Series: Lorna McCormick, 713; LaVonna Snellenberger, 658; Helen Alward, 623.		
Individual High Single: Lorna McCormick, 244; Sherry Hasty, Helen Alward, 239; Lorna McCormick, Ethel Davis, 237.		

Bowling...
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Individual High Single: Janet Dean, 233; Maxine Gray, 222; Alice Wereley, 221.		
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Bowling...
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Fireballs	32	24
Deep	31	25
Top Brass	30 1/2	21 1/2
Krazy	30	26
Us	30	26
Boozers	26	30
High Rollers	25 1/2	30 1/2
Whatchamacallit	25	31
4-4-Fun	24	28
Barbier Motors	22	34
*Postponed		
Team High Series: Fireballs, 2381; Us, 2367; Krazy, 2328.		
Team High Single: Us, 856; Fireballs, 845; Boozers, 810.		
Individual High Series: Grace Gott, 642; Walt Brannan, 629; Ken Mitchell, Arlene Ault, 621.		
Individual High Single: Wes Bymaster, 244; Grace Gott, 242; Florence Mitchell, 229.		

Bowling...
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Sunset Motel	40 1/2	15 1/2
Wojahn Floor Cov.	38	18
Seymour Carpets	34	22
Gold Bond	32 1/2	23 1/2
Buckhorn	32 1/2	19 1/2
Riley-Gamble	26	26
Bay Party Store	23 1/2	32 1/2
Tawas Aluminum	22 1/2	33 1/2
Merschel Hardware	22	34
Sand Lake Merchants	8 1/2	47 1/2
Team High Series: Wojahn Floor Covering, 3065; Seymour Carpets, 3022; Riley-Gamble, 2885.		
Team High Single: Wojahn Floor Covering, 1115; Seymour Carpets, 1024-1023; Riley-Gamble, 1009.		
Individual High Series: W. Clements, 697; M. Curry, 659; L. Clute, 636.		
Individual High Single: W. Clements, 271; J. Davis, 249; S. Shaver, 239.		

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

DECEMBER 10-16

Wednesday, December 10—

Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce board of directors, 7:00 a.m., chamber building.

Tawas Area Senior Citizens, Christmas party, Masonic Temple. Reservation necessary.

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

Exceptional Friends of Isoco County, 7:00 p.m., American Legion Hall, Tawas City.

Nanciannes of Tawas Elks Lodge No. 2525, 7:30 p.m., 12 1/2 Newman Street.

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

Thursday, December 11—

Tawas City Business Association luncheon, 12:00 noon, Coyle's Restaurant.

TOPS Chapter No. 1318, weigh in 6:30 p.m., meeting 7:00 p.m., Grant Township Hall.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Council of Catholic Women, 6:30 p.m. pot-luck, parish hall.

TOPS Chapter No. 1318, weigh in 6:30 p.m., meeting 7:00 p.m., Grant Township Hall.

Overeaters Anonymous, 7:00 p.m., Crescent Motel, East Tawas.

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

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

Friday, December 12—

Isoco County Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 5678, 8:00 p.m., VFW Hall, Tawas City.

Saturday, December 13—

Tawas Area High School Chorus Christmas Concert.

Sunday, December 14—

Tawas Area High School Band Christmas Concert, 8:00 p.m.

Monday, December 15—

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

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

Ladies Literary Club, 1:00 p.m. Christmas party, home of Madeline Kochenderfer.

Tuesday, December 16—

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

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

Tawas Area Newcomers, 6:00 p.m. optional dinner, 7:30 p.m. meeting, Lixey's China House.

Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525, 8:00 p.m., 12 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.

Tawas Bay Chapter No. 71, Order of the Eastern Star, 8:00 p.m., Masonic Temple.

DECEMBER 17-23

Wednesday, December 17—

Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, East Tawas

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., Lixey's China House.

Baptist Women's Missionary Society, 7:30 p.m., First Baptist Church, Tawas City.

DECEMBER 24-30

Wednesday, December 24—

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

Thursday, December 25—

Merry Christmas!

Friday, December 26—

Jesse C. Hodder Post No. 189, American Legion, 7:30 p.m., Legion Hall.

Tuesday, December 30—

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

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

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

Tawas Elks Lodge No. 2525, 8:00 p.m., 12 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.

Happy New Year!

Friday, January 2—

Parents Without Partners, 7:30 p.m., Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall.

Monday, January 5—

Hale Area Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 7435, 7:00 p.m., American Legion Hall.

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.

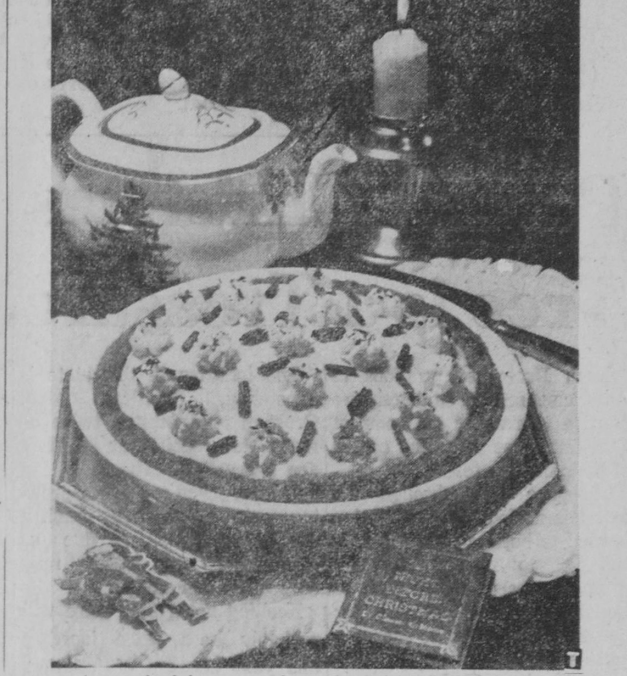
Tuesday, January 6—

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

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

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

Tawas Elks Lodge No. 2525, 8:00 p.m., 12 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.



A wonderful way to share the spirit of Christmas with others is to host a tree-trimming party. After all the popcorn is strung and the last ornament is hung, treat your guests to a creamy spiced dessert. Yule Nog Pie combines the traditional flavors of egg nog, nutmeg, rum and cream in an easy-to-use unflavored gelatine base. Since the pie can be prepared early in the day, then chilled, it gives the hostess plenty of time to get ready for the party. Served with cups of hot tea, both the pie and your party will lift everyone into the Holiday spirit!

YULE NOG PIE

2 envelopes Knox® Unflavored Gelatine
3 tablespoons sugar
1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg
2-1/2 cups prepared egg nog
3 tablespoons rum
1 cup (1/2 pt.) whipping or heavy cream, whipped
1/4 cup grated semi-sweet chocolate, finely chopped nuts or candied fruit
Macaroon Crumb Crust*

In medium saucepan, mix unflavored gelatine, sugar and nutmeg; blend in 1 cup egg nog. Let stand 1 minute. Stir over low heat until gelatine is completely dissolved, about 5 minutes. Stir in remaining egg nog and rum; pour into large bowl and chill, stirring occasionally, until mixture mounds slightly when dropped from spoon.

Fold in whipped cream and chocolate. Turn into prepared crust and chill until firm. Garnish, if desired, with additional whipped cream and chocolate curls, nuts or fruit. Makes about 8 servings.

*Macaroon Crumb Crust: In small bowl, combine 1-1/2 cups crisp macaroon cookie crumbs and 1/4 cup softened butter or margarine; press into 9-inch pie plate. Bake at 375° for 8 minutes; cool.

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Area DAR Good Citizens Honored at Luncheon



FOUR IOSCO COUNTY STUDENTS were among 12 DAR Good Citizens from area high schools honored Thursday at a luncheon sponsored by the River Aux Sables Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

From left are Donna Wallace, Hale Area; Debbie Anderson, Oscoda Area; Mrs. Homer D. Roberts, chapter regent; Linda Phillips, Tawas Area; Mrs. James V. Zeder, chapter committee chairman; Wendy Wight, Whittemore-Prescott Area.—Tawas Herald Photo.

DAR Good Citizens from 12 senior high schools and their parents were honored by the River Aux Sables Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, at a luncheon at Tawas United Methodist Church, Tawas City, Thursday, December 4.

Mrs. Homer D. Roberts, chapter regent, welcomed the students, their parents and guests and award winners were introduced by Mrs. James V. Zeder, chapter committee chairman.

The DAR Good Citizens, who were chosen by fellow classmates and school faculties for qualities of leadership, dependability, service and patriotism, are David Joseph Rodney, Alcona Community High School; Jolene Hively, Arenac Eastern; Patricia Miller, AuGres-Sims; Cyndee Harrington, Fairview Area; Donna Wallace, Hale Area; Tymi McGregor, Mio Au-

Sable; Heather Kapp, Ogemaw Heights; Roberta McCumber, Onaway Area; Debbie Anderson, Oscoda Area; Sheryl Gillette, Standish-Sterling; Linda Phillips, Tawas Area; Wendy Wight, Whittemore-Prescott.

Each was presented with a pin, certificate and a year's subscription to a national affairs publication. The 12 are among nearly 600 high school seniors in Michigan and about 10,000 across the nation who are entered in the 47th annual state and national contest.

State winners will be announced at Lansing on April 2 and the national winner will be named at Washington, D. C., on May 1.

Parents of the DAR Good Citizens are Mrs. Barbara Rodney, Lincoln; Mr. and Mrs. William Hively, Turner; Roy Miller, AuGres; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Harrington, Fairview;

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Each December, millions of Americans set out on a treasure hunt, a search for the perfect Christmas tree to be the center of their holiday festivities.

Though a hike through the forest is no longer the tradition it used to be, the artificial tree has yet to replace the live spruce, balsam, Scotch pine or Douglas fir. The demand for live trees continues to increase and selection has simply been made easier. Christmas tree farms have sprung up all over the western part of Michigan. Retail lots and choose-and-cut operations make the purchase of the tree an enjoyable family outing.

According to Melvin Koelling, Michigan State University Extension forestry specialist, ample moisture during the growing season, last year's mild winter and this year's cool autumn weather have made the 1980 Christmas tree crop better than average.

"The trees going into the retail lot should be excellent," he said. "The quality is equal to or exceeding that of past years."

Koelling noted that Michigan is one of the nation's leading Christmas tree producers, with over four-million trees harvested annually. Harvest may begin as early as mid-October. The trees are baled and stored in cool, shaded areas until they are ready to be transported to their destinations. In late November, they are sent all over the United States.

Plantation-grown Christmas trees show the advantages of human attention. They are insect-free and have seldom suffered from weed competition. They are sheared annually to develop better shape and thickened foliage. And they are harvested before bad weather sets in to preserve branches from damage by ice and snow and to make storage more convenient.

The industry in this state is expanding, Koelling says. Growers are planting twice as many trees each year as they are harvesting. There is, of course, a seven to 10-year growing period before trees reach a marketable size. In five or seven years, the supply may exceed the demand.

Koelling notes that there will probably be a price increase this year because of inflationary trends but he does not expect it to be great. The quality of the trees is good, he says, and prices should be competitive.

To get the most enjoyment out of your tree, Koelling recommends a set of simple guidelines:

Choose the freshest tree possible. Check the needles for dryness and feel the stump to see if the sticky resin covers the bottom. If so, the tree is probably fairly fresh.

Make a fresh cut on the base of the stump when you get it home. Removing a one inch disk from the trunk will improve water uptake.

Place the tree in a stand with a large water capacity and check it frequently to make sure the water reaches the bottom of the stump. Some trees will absorb a half-gallon of water a day.

Place the tree in a cool area, away from the fireplace or heating vents. This reduces the fire hazard and extends the life of the tree.

"Regardless of how good the tree is when purchased, what one does with it when it is in the home is important to the family's enjoyment of it," Koelling says. "With proper care, a tree that is freshly cut can be expected to maintain its appearance and pleasing fragrance throughout the holiday season."

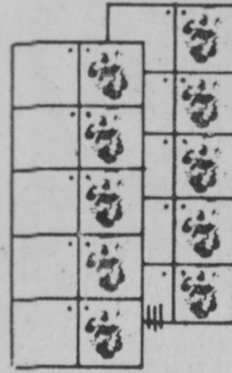
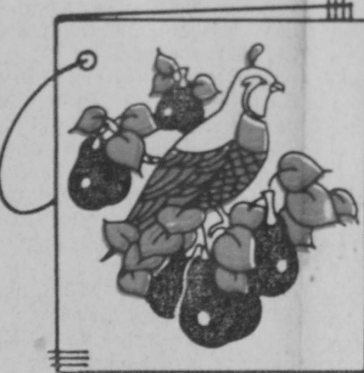
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