

Two Hale Administrators Sign Two-Year Contracts

Hale Area Board of Education approved two-year contracts with two administrators at its regular meeting Monday night. A contract calling for an annual salary of \$27,500 was approved with Peter Holley, who became superintendent last fall. Benefits include health, dental and vision insurance and vacation.

A \$22,500 contract was approved for Dennis Guiser for two years. He became elementary principal last fall.

A letter of resignation was accepted from Robert McDonald, secondary school principal.

In other business, the board denied a request from Brenda and George Good to transfer their property at 4609 East M-55 from Hale Area School District to Whittemore-Prescott Area School District. The Goods have three children and are paying tuition to attend Whittemore-Prescott Area. The board of education saw no justification for the transfer, noting that Hale's buses would serve the area regardless of a transfer.

Oscola Intermediate School District is to hold a hearing on the petition.

Reports on the mid-winter conference of the Michigan Association of School Boards were given by Trustees Harvey Rasch, Frank Leiva and Darrell McGinnis.

The superintendent reported on the Act 18 visitation meeting held Thursday hosted by Tawas Area School District. Trustee Rasch was appointed to represent the district in a review of Isosco Intermediate School District's budget.

The superintendent reported that an offer had been made to Hale Education Association during negotiations for a 1980-81 contract. A meeting is to be held February 21.

It was reported that two steps had been completed in a grievance filed by a teacher concerning an evaluation report. It is not expected that a third step would be taken, although a meeting is expected between the parties involved.

Representatives of the school are to attend an inservice day February 22 at Oscola Area School, which is to involve all districts of the county.



McDonald Quits Hale School Post

Robert McDonald, who has served as principal of Hale Area High School since 1977, submitted his resignation to the board of education Monday night, February 11. The resignation is to be effective June 30.

McDonald's letter listed no reasons for the resignation. He said last week that he would be seeking employment elsewhere.

Now in his 20th year as an educator, the last nine as an administrator, McDonald was appointed to succeed Richard Dodge, who resigned in 1977.

McDonald came to Isosco County in 1960 as a social studies teacher at Tawas Area High School, following his graduation from Central Michigan University. He served as assistant high school principal and athletic director from 1971 to 1973, plus serving 11 years as track coach.

In 1973, he was appointed middle school principal here and filled that position until going to Hale.

Effective February 18

School Hot Lunch Prices Hiked at TA

Hot lunch prices are to be hiked at Tawas Area School—a 10-cent increase for students and 30 cents for adults—following action Monday night by the board of education.

Supt. Allan Dighera reported that the anticipated increase in reimbursement from the state for the hot lunch program was not received in January.

"We gambled back in August that the state would increase its reimbursement by five-cents per lunch, but it did not come through," said the superintendent.

Dighera said he believed the hot lunch program would "break even" this year through the increases. Last term, the hot lunch program received a \$5,000 allocation from the board of education in order to balance cost with revenue.

The new prices for hot lunches will be 60 cents for secondary students, 50 cents for elementary students and \$1.25 for adults, which Dighera said was still five cents below the state average. There will be no increase in milk prices.

In other business, the superintendent reported that the state department of education had notified him that the district

would be required to serve free breakfasts to eligible students in all three buildings starting next fall.

Trustee Barbara Miller was appointed to represent the district in reviewing the Isosco Intermediate School District's proposed budget for 1981-82.

Resignation of Catherine Grienke as kindergarten teacher was accepted with regret. Mrs. Grienke and her husband will be moving to Dayton, Ohio.

Hiring of Janice Westphal as a probationary teacher was approved. She had been employed by the district since the start of the school term, but her certification in this state was not received until last week.

James Blair, director of special education, reported on last week's meeting hosted by this school district for all schools in the county. Fifty-five people attended the conference held at Tawas Masonic Temple.

Blair reported that a state monitoring report indicated that the number of special education students in this district had shown an increase and that one additional teacher would be required next term. His recommendation is to be considered at the next meeting.



OPERATORS of the Village Inn in Tawas City, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams, announced this week they are now in the process of modernizing the building for the coming season. They expect the dining room will be open in about two weeks, featuring prime rib and fresh perch. Starring this week-end will be Johnny Dee and his modern country band.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Running Taps, Customer Pays

Lowell Thomas, city manager of Tawas City, expressed some concern today over newspaper notices and news stories recently published regarding recommendations that people should keep water faucets turned on to avoid frozen lines.

Thomas stated that East Tawas apparently has a policy to adjust bills for all its water customers who let their water run during the frigid months. Tawas City's policy is not the same, and Tawas City residents should not confuse East Tawas notices with Tawas City.

"The Tawas City policy," said Thomas, "is to make adjustments only for water customers who let their water run because in years past their service line has frozen within the street right-of-way. And then, an ad-

justment will be made only if the water customer informs the city office that he is keeping water on for that purpose."

Thomas went on to say that he cannot ask the general Tawas City water customers to help pay water bills for people whose water pipes are not adequately insulated or buried deep enough on their property.

According to Thomas, there have only been three or four properties in Tawas City where city service lines have frozen in recent years and a couple of these have been relocated to avoid the problem.

"If we have a rash of freeze-ups," said Thomas, "we may have to change our policy, but in the meantime, we buy our water from East Tawas and we cannot afford to give it away."

Bus Maintenance Costs Skyrocket at Tawas Area

Transportation and the increasing cost of operating a bus fleet came under discussion again Monday night by Tawas Area Board of Education.

During review of \$29,000 in regular school operational bills, trustees were shocked to learn that \$2,500 for bus repairs and maintenance included one item for replacing a transmission on a 1976 bus.

David Westcott, transportation director, said that such a breakdown was entirely unpredictable, that the bus was now "out of warranty," although there may be some adjustment made by the manufacturer.

A second bus, a 1977 model, is also out of commission with a defective transmission. In this case, too, the warranty has expired.

Westcott said that the state department of public instruction, in conjunction with Ferris State College, is sponsoring a workshop on rebuilding bus transmissions starting next month at Oscola. He said it would be much more economical to rebuild the defective transmission than to replace the defective unit in the 1977 bus and he plans to wait until

next month to perform the work.

Trustee Susan Rieth expressed the opinion that the board's budget committee should meet with the superintendent and the transportation director to review projected operational costs as only \$1,900 remained in the budget for bus maintenance. Based on first semester experience, she said this would not be enough to operate the fleet during the next five months.

One of the reasons for the higher cost of maintenance is that the school had to replace soft brake drums on buses following an inspection by state police. The soft drums were original equipment on buses using a new type of brake system.

Westcott also pointed out that the 1980-81 budget was based on a projected seven percent increase according to federal guidelines. However, bus maintenance costs have risen from 17 to 20 percent since budget time.

A recommendation to purchase four diesel buses during 1980, rather than to purchase two this year and two the following year as adopted at its last meeting, was tabled by the board of education. Members were of the opinion that financing could prove to be a problem if four buses were purchased in one year.

Total cost of the four diesel-powered buses, two 89-passenger units and two carrying 65 passengers, is \$152,348. The 89-passenger units are to be delivered in June and the 65-passenger buses were to be delivered in 1981.

The board had understood that price of the two 65-passenger units was "fixed" for the 1981 delivery, but learned Monday night this was not the case.

Supt. Allan Dighera reported that the dealer had learned that the price quoted for 1981 was not protected. He said, however, that the dealer had two 65-passenger units which could be delivered in 1980 under the price quoted and it was his recommendation that the offer be accepted.

Dighera pointed out that the district could save 17 percent of its bus purchase cost by accepting the offer of a 1980 delivery. His recommendation is to be considered at the March 10 meeting.



ISOSCO COUNTY Medical Care Facility was presented with a new American flag Saturday afternoon by Tawas Bay Post No. 130, Disabled American Veterans and Auxiliary. Shown presenting the flag to Herman Knight, director of the medical care facility, is John O. Butcher, DAV commander. Mrs. George Rose, commander of the DAV Auxiliary, was principal speaker during the ceremony. In her talk, Mrs. Rose said that "the glory,

beauty and simplicity of our flag stirs us through sheer force of design. The flag symbolizes our aspirations and achievements as Americans; our struggles and sacrifices; our devotion to the ideals expressed in the Declaration of Independence. May this beautiful flag be enjoyed by all those who reside here and also by those who pass through these doors daily."—Tawas Herald Photo.

Think Spring! Landscaping-Gardening Meetings Set

"Think Spring!" is the topic of Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service in Isosco County.

Joseph Cox, professor of landscape architecture at Michigan State University, is to present a program Thursday on home landscaping at Hale. The presentation will be held at a meeting of Hale Senior Citizen Garden Club, 11:00 a. m., at the Hale Area Senior Citizen Center.

Cox will present a master gardening course Thursday night, 7 o'clock, at Tawas Area High School.

In two weeks, Randy Heatley, a horticultural agent from Jackson, will be presenting programs here on ornamental and flower gardens. Dates and times for the programs are to be announced later.



AMONG THOSE witnessing the flag ceremony were two World War I veterans. Joseph H. Harris, who served with the Second Marine Division and now a resident of the medical care facility, is seated in the wheelchair. Standing at right is George Rose of East Tawas, who served with the 32nd Red Arrow Division.—Tawas Herald Photo.

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Equalization Dept. Works Overtime

County Pushes Reappraisal

Isosco County Equalization Department will be working overtime this month in order to finalize work on a complete reappraisal of real property which started three years ago.

Four employees of the equalization department are to be working six days a week to complete the work, according to authorization given John Rose, department director, by action last week of the county board of commissioners.

When initiated by the county, CETA trainees were employed by the equalization department to obtain information used to compile property appraisal cards. Many of those CETA employees gained state certification through the program and went on to assessing jobs in other parts of the state.

When the reappraisal is completed, it is expected that the equalization department will be

able to keep appraisal cards constantly updated and use of the department's new computer will provide up-to-date information about assessments.

Importance of the reappraisal and computerized operation of the department was stressed last week by the tentative equalization ratios and estimated multipliers announced by Rose's office.

Factors ranging from a low of 1.1149 for Whittemore to a high of 1.8883 percent for Oscola Township were listed in the report. The factors are multiplied against ratios determined by each unit to equalize property valuations.

While the equalization ratio averages out at 33.61 percent for the 14 units, it is known that some property, particularly newer dwellings, are on the tax roll at nearly 50 percent of the true cash value.

As a result, factors applied against each parcel in a unit may penalize those properties with a higher than average equalization ratio. In the past, this has resulted in appeals to the state tax tribunal.

Theoretically, the state equalized valuation upon which taxes are assessed is 50 percent of the true cash value of property. According to Rose's report last week, Whittemore's percentage of 44.85 was high for the county while the 26.48 percent for Oscola was the lowest among all units.

Tax boards of review are to be meeting in March with property owners who question individual assessments and any changes made at the local level are to be considered before adoption of the final equalization report in April.

Tentative equalization ratios

and factors to be multiplied against estimated to equalize real property values in other units of the county are as follows:

Alabaster, 35.82 and 1.3959; AuSable, 34.54 and 1.4476; Baldwin, 39.37 and 1.2701; Burleigh, 40.33 and 1.2398; Grant, 30.83 and 1.6218; Plainfield, 34.90 and 1.4327; Reno, 41.25 and 1.2122; Sherman, 34.02 and 1.4698; Tawas, 38.36 and 1.3035; Wilber, 39.31 and 1.2720;

East Tawas, 37.67 and 1.3274; Tawas City, 42.73 and 1.1702; Whittemore, 44.85 and 1.1149.

A study of real property sales in the county each year provides the basic information for multiplying factors. Once the reappraisal is completed, use of factors to raise unit ratios to the state equalized valuation (50 percent of true cash value) should not be needed.

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By U.S. Senator Carl Levin

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The 1980 census, the constitutionally required population count that the federal government has been taking every 10 years since 1790, will be the largest, most expensive and costly count ever. It's up to us to make it all worthwhile.

More than a mere headcount, the census is an important tool for innumerable resource centers. However, it is too often ignored by the American people.

During the 70s, as a direct result of the undercount of the 1970 census, Detroit alone lost more than \$52 million in federal allocations. This undercounting is the major problem for the U.S. Census Bureau, but it is also one that should be resolved, particularly by those of us in Michigan.

An undercount hurts everyone. Although we believe most people missed in a census are minorities, the money lost affects the entire community.

A few examples of programs which are dependent in some way upon the calculations of the Census Bureau include: student loans by the government and federal aid to highways, law enforcement and unemployment programs.

Census forms will be in the mail on March 28. The bureau estimates that the form should only take about 15 minutes to fill out. This 15 minutes of your time will supply the Census Bureau with accurate statistics to determine the changes in the composition of the nation.

Bureau employees expect the 1980 tally to show a number of shifts in society that occurred during the seventies, including: an increasing number of husbandless women as the heads of families, a decline of the traditional father, mother, child family structure and an increasing number of working women.

Along with these social shifts, the census will indicate population movement, migrations of ethnic groups and the decline or increase in the population of cities and suburbs.

These population statistics are extremely important to Michigan, since many are predicting Michigan will lose a congressional seat in the U.S. House of Representatives. It is vital that Michigan extend itself to report everyone to avoid the loss of this seat. Congressional seats are Michigan's voice in the nation's capitol, and every voice is needed.

It is a popular myth that all representatives of the government are to be feared. In trying to resolve this problem, census officials are making a concerted effort in 1980 to staff local organizations with people who live in that particular community.

Another point that many people are not aware of is that the Census Bureau is strictly bound to confidentiality. The Social Security number, which the government uses to identify citizens, is never requested on a census form.

Also, the questions the survey poses are no more intricate or personal than any you may have once answered for insurance purposes or for a credit card application.

The information is compiled and de-personalized to group people for studies, federal loan assistance and other programs. The other executive bureaus do not have access to particular information about citizens and even the president should not be able to get this information.

Above all, what needs to be emphasized is that the bureau is seeking sociological information that will help shape government policies and that this information is applied as group statistics; it is not used in any way as personal reports on any individual families or individuals.

It is the duty of every citizen to understand this process so that Michigan can be equally represented — economically, politically and socially.

It is difficult to say which group stands to lose the most in an undercount. Cities obviously lose on planning programs, federal aid to recreational facilities and in many other programs. On the other hand, the rural community has decreased to only one twentieth of America's population, and to continue programs vital to its interests, it desperately needs every vote.

In 1970, the Census Bureau apparently undercounted by 5.5 million people. Although the bureau has taken steps to remedy this situation, without the cooperation of the people, another drastic undercount is likely.

Remember the \$52 million Detroit lost because of its undercount. Remember that names, addresses, telephone numbers from the census forms are never entered into a computer, and that individual responses are not available to the FBI, Internal Revenue Service, immigration authorities or to local authorities such as social services agencies and police departments.

Remember the extra congressional seat that Michigan cannot afford to lose. And most importantly, remember that Michigan is counting on you. Answer the census.

Iosco Bd. Studies New Fee Schedule for Building Dept.

A new fee schedule for inspections by the Iosco County Building and Safety Inspection Department is being reviewed by the county board of commissioners for action at a later date.

Edward Sterling, department director, told commissioners last week that the schedule he recommended was identical to one in use by 27 other northern counties of the state. He said that the average fee represented about one-half the amount recommended by the state.

A new provision of state law makes mechanical inspections mandatory effective in April. Sterling said that he did not expect that his department would need any additional personnel to inspect heating and air conditioning equipment which now falls under the inspection law.

Apparently of major concern is the inspection of wood heating stoves prior to use by householders. Sterling said that workshops held by the cooperative extension service had provided excellent information to insure proper installation of wood heating units.

The commission is to consider a recommendation that the county provide an inspection service for installation of wood heating equipment at no cost to home owners for a period of one year.

In other business, the commission is to ask the district court to consider hiring a part-time bailiff rather than to use a deputy sheriff for this work. It was felt that use of a deputy sheriff took a man off road patrol and that a retired police officer could be hired part time for bailiff services, similar to the program used by the circuit court.

The commission is also to discuss the possibility of using the district court waiting room for the Michigan Employment Security Commission office. The office is presently located in the county annex building, but the mental health department requires additional space and will soon utilize that office. Iosco County is currently under contract with the state to provide a MESC office at \$88 a month.

Authorization was given to the chairman to sign an agreement with the sheriff's department to provide a salary settlement with Maxwell Garnett, former deputy sheriff, whose service was terminated recently with the county. It is expected that the settlement will be approximately \$3,000.

Consideration is to be given to the suggestion by Com. James Stech that a regular meeting schedule be adopted to discuss mutual problems with heads of county departments. It was felt that a "coffee break" type of meeting held each month would prove beneficial.

On recommendation of County Clerk D. Keith Pappas, the board is to consider adopting a resolution asking the state legislature to discontinue the presidential primary election in Michigan.

Many persons are of the opinion that the presidential primary is useless and the estimated cost for holding such an election in this county is in excess of \$2,000.

Brief reports were given by members who attended the convention of the Michigan Association of School Boards held last week-end at Lansing.

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James Russo, policy committee chairman, said that about 16 policy items had been reviewed by that group during the two recent sessions and that recommendations concerning proposed changes would be made shortly. Items reviewed included tuition, student organizations, coaching assignments, equal rights, text books, etc.

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School Approves Family Tuition

On request of Gary Wood of Wilber Township, Tawas Area Board of Education approved acceptance of the Wood children by this district under a tuition basis.

This action followed denial by Iosco Intermediate School District of Wood's petition to transfer property from Oscoda Area School District to Tawas Area School District.

Wood's petition for transfer had been considered, but one property owner signing the petition later withdrew his name and the land proposed for transfer was not contiguous with Tawas Area School District.

Supt. Allan Dighera said that the tuition cost would be based on state guidelines, computed according to the per capita cost of educating children in this district and the amount of taxes paid by Wood in the district. Bus transportation will not be provided out of the district.

In other business, a written evaluation of the superintendent was accepted by the board. The evaluation said that the superintendent had "done a commendable job in the short time that he has been here. All board members have perceived specific strengths in his financial acumen, decision making abilities, knowledge of educational legislation and his interaction in all of these with the board and the district."

The board said that although not enough time had elapsed to allow full observation of his abilities, "we think that more public exposure and contact

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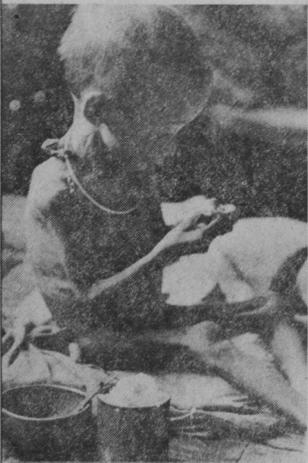
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23 Complaints Investigated

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Included were five property damage auto accidents, two personal injury accidents, investigation of one motorist with open intoxicants in car, one driver operating a car with license suspended, one snowmobile accident, four breakings and enterings, two larcenies, one complaint of malicious destruction, two assaults, three incidents of recovered property and one obscene phone call.

Thirteen persons were booked through the jail during the week.

A 23-year-old Mt. Clemens man was injured Saturday evening while riding a snowmobile on Sand Lake. According to deputies, David Albertson made a quick turn on the ice, his machine tipped over and he was thrown off. Albertson was taken to Tawas Hospital for treatment.

Thieves attempted to enter a cabin owned by Frank Springsteen of Goodrich sometime Saturday night or early Sunday morning. A front window was

discovered open, but entry was not made. The cabin is located in Plainfield Township.

Personal injury accidents investigated included one Wednesday in which Richard A. Pilat lost control of his car and forced a car driven by Beverly D. Alexander off Plank Road. Both drivers were treated at Tawas Hospital.

Treated Saturday at Tawas Hospital was Darrell G. Revord, 22, Turner, who lost control of his car and drove off Sand Lake Road.

Officers investigated a burglary at the residence of Donald R. Esper, East Tawas. The building was ransacked and numerous items are missing, including a dirt bike, a gas grill, battery charger, tools, furniture, stereo radio, sewing machine, sporting goods and kitchen utensils.

Other burglaries included the Donald Arnold cabin, Plainfield Township, where a sleeping bag and two smoke detectors are missing, and a cabin owned by Donna C. General in Burlleigh Township.

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Community Ed. Opportunities to be Discussed

Gene Gerber, community education director at Tawas Area High School, will address members of Parents Without Partners at the 7:00 p. m. meeting Thursday, February 14, at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall. Topic to be discussed will be opportunities in community education.

Wolverine Regional Council workshop is scheduled for Saturday, February 16, from 1:00-4:00 p. m. A family pot-luck and winter outing is to be held Sunday, February 17. Information on location and time may be obtained by calling 362-4493.

Garden Club Met February 5

Tawas City Garden Club met Tuesday, February 5, at Tawas United Methodist Church for the regular meeting and election of officers. Twenty members present voted Margaret Leitz to the presidency; Stephanie Deprest, vice president; Mabel Liske, second vice president; Hattie Eyril, secretary, and Lillian Leslie, treasurer.

Roll call was answered with suggestions for next year's programs and annual reports were heard.

Hostesses for the social hour were Lu Baker, Isabelle Leslie, Florence Ulman, Betty Higgins and Mrs. Leitz.

Schalm-Rehil Vows Said at TA Church

A reception at Hale Community Building followed the exchange of vows Saturday, February 9, at Tawas United Methodist Church when Karla June Rehil became the bride of Anthony Eugene Schalm.

The Rev. Kenneth Tousey officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Karl Rehil of Hale, Katherine Schalm of Tawas City and Charles Schalm of Whittemore.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore her mother's gown with attached short lace train featuring floral design. A lace chapel length veil and picture hat completed her attire and she carried a bouquet of blue carnations and white rosebuds.

Wearing a medium blue gown with chiffon cape, Valerie Bush of Lupton served as maid of honor. Her floral arrangement was comprised of blue carnations and white rosebuds.

Gary Palmer of Hale was best man and Fred Schalm of Whittemore and Bartholomew Rehil of Hale were ushers.

The bride, who attended Kirtland Community College, and her husband will reside at 732 Miller Road, Tawas City.

BPW Week Observed by Local Group

Huron Shores Business and Professional Women's (BPW) Club honors the vital roles women play in cultures of different countries during international BPW Week beginning at the monthly meeting of the club Monday, February 18, 6:30 p. m., at the AuSable Inn, Oscoda. The WAFFB group, "International Friends," dressed to reflect members' unique cultural backgrounds, will be honored guests.

Three international key speakers, Eleana Hogarth, Panama; Joey Weinlaw, American Indian, and Ann Markham, England, will be featured. Evelyn Aadappel, program chairperson, promises an enlightening and entertaining program recognizing the changing status of women in different countries.

Along with the speakers, the program includes an impressive candlelight ceremony with each candle representing a different cultural branch of the international federation of BPW. Debi Dinnozeno, president of the Huron Shores BPW, encourages all members and their guests to attend this salute to women acknowledging the distance between countries and differences in cultural backgrounds.

Members shall call by noon Friday, February 15, to make or cancel reservations to either Chris Sargent, 739-8945 or 739-1431, or Mrs. Aadappel, 739-9782.

Tawas Hospital

BIRTHS—

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clayton, Hale, February 4, a son, Bryan Richard, weight nine pounds, 11 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Myles, Tawas City, February 5, a son, John Allen, weight five pounds, six ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilk, Standish, February 5, a daughter, Jody Lynn, weight eight pounds, 5 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Warner, East Tawas, a daughter, Dianna Kay, weight seven pounds, six ounces.

ADMISSIONS—

Visiting hours 1:00-8:00 p. m. Tawas City: Joseph Wemert, Lillian Wegner, Bonnie Brueback, Kathleen Tenbusch, Charles Nicol, Joseph Duchaneau, Fredrick McBride, Samuel Bellinger, Joseph Reinke.

East Tawas: George Shawl, Charles Clark, Leslie Fraser, Priscilla Fraser, John Newberry, Daniel Penn, Alonzo Martindale, Louis Anderson, Gordon Ellis.

County: Dean Smith, Harry Herrick, Glenwood Streeter, Hale; Violet McPherson, Urho Malineimi, Nelson Stanbury, Thelma Sinclair, Michael Dolak, Jurl Tanner, Oscoda; Milton Paner, Frank Lorimer, Whittemore; Becki Gotcher, Stella Serwa, National City.

Other communities: Alexandra Lenczewski, Saginaw; Earl Rupert, South Branch; Nelson Smith, Mikado; David Morris, Rose City.

VFW Auxiliary Plans Initiation

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 5678 announced plans for initiation of Cheryl Becker at the Monday, February 25, meeting. The announcement was made during the regular session Monday evening, February 11.

Mystery package was won by June Hopp and greetings for St. Valentine's Day were extended to sister members.

Serving on the luncheon committee February 25 will be Erna Becker and June Hopp.

Offers Health Career Classes

Tawas Hospital Department of Education is offering a three-credit class in anatomy and physiology at Tawas Area High School beginning Thursday evening, February 14, from 7-10 o'clock. The course is aimed at persons interested in a career in health care field.

For more information, call 362-3411, extension 358.

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Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burtzloff of Tawas City were their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burtzloff Jr. of Ypsilanti, and their daughter, Susan, and her fiancé, Michael Steeb, of Ann Arbor.

Jeffrey Tousey of East Tawas was among students named to the dean's list at Saginaw Valley State College.

Heather and Stephanie Wojahn of Flint were guests of their grandparents, Ruth Tree and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wojahn of Tawas City, last week, returning home Sunday.

Terrie Renee Gorton recently graduated from PGT Beaugard High School, St. Bernard, Louisiana. She and her sisters, Sherrie and Mary, are former Tawas area students and resided with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gorton while here. They are now living with their natural mother, Mrs. Carol Soderquist.

Carolyn and James Wolfgang came from Clio to spend the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Bernice Ewing of East Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Badman of Toledo, Ohio, are spending a few days with their aunt, Mrs. Betty Higgins, at Tawas Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Luedtke spent the week-end in Bay City with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Baranek, and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Drake of East Tawas were Ann Arbor visitors several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lorenz and sons came from Kalamazoo to spend the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Machulis and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lorenz of East Tawas.

Mrs. Thomas Cross is here from Menominee due to the illness and hospitalization of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fraser of East Tawas.

Mrs. Grace Law of East Tawas has returned from Madison Heights where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Helen Goodfellow, for a couple of weeks.

Thursday, friends and relatives honored Mrs. Isabel Follette on her 92nd birthday by gathering in the community room at Bay Park Tower for birthday cake and ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Seifert and daughters of Maple Rapids were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Seifert Jr. of East Tawas.

Mrs. Lillian Clapp of Farmington is spending a couple of weeks with her aunt, Miss Alma Johnson of Bay Park Tower.

Matthew Daley of Auburn recently enjoyed several days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Daley. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Daley, came for him over the week-end.

Jennifer Daley was home from Delta College to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Daley of East Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel DeRosia of Lansing spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James DeRosia of East Tawas.

Honored at Feb. 9 Shower

A pink and blue shower for Blair Howard Perkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Perkins of Tawas City, was held Saturday, February 9, at Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints with Mrs. Gayle VanAuken, grandmother of the infant, and Tammie VanAuken, an aunt, hosting the affair.

The child was born January 18 at Saginaw General Hospital and weighed three pounds, 10 ounces. He now weighs four pounds and remains at the hospital.

Commissioners Are Appointed

Members of the 12 Michigan Association of Counties standing committees were announced last week by Andrew DeKraaker of Kent County, president of the association.

Composed solely of county commissioners, committee personnel includes representatives from 56 counties.

Iosco commissioners serving on committees are Carlton Merschel, energy; Marian Ulman, land use; David George, transportation.

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Canned salmon is a convenient and nutritious ingredient, perfect for adding variety to menus during the observation of Lent. Aside from numerous casseroles, it is delicious in hearty soups, sandwiches and salads.

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- 1 can (15-1/2 oz.) salmon
- 2 packages (10 oz.) frozen spinach
- 1/4 cup butter or margarine
- 2 tablespoons minced onion
- 1/4 cup flour
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon dry mustard
- 2 cups milk
- 1-1/2 cups shredded sharp Cheddar cheese, divided
- 2 cups cooked rice

Drain salmon, reserving liquid. Break into chunks. Cook spinach according to package directions. Drain well. Melt butter in saucepan. Add onion and saute until tender. Blend in flour and salt. Gradually add milk and salmon liquid. Cook, stirring constantly, until thickened. Add 1 cup shredded cheese and stir until melted. Spread spinach over bottom of shallow buttered baking dish. Layer with salmon and rice. Top with cheese sauce. Sprinkle with remaining 1/2 cup cheese. Bake at 400°F. 20 minutes. Makes 6 servings.



A COURT OF HONOR was held Saturday afternoon presenting the Eagle Scout award to Glen H. VanSickle, a member of Boy Scout Troop No. 974. The program was held at the American Legion Hall, Tawas City. Shown pinning the Eagle Scout badge on VanSickle is Thomas Pockrandt, scoutmaster.

At right are the boy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walter of East Tawas. Speakers during the program included James Mark Jr., Philip Labadie, Mrs. Chester Bogdziewicz and James Krumbach. Dinner was served following the ceremony.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Lower Hemlock

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ulman were Mr. and Mrs. Van Miller of Farmington Hills. Tuesday, the Gale Durants of Flint were visitors of the Ulmans.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Groff were in Saginaw and Sanford Sunday. While at Sanford, they visited with the Rev. and Mrs. Leonard Newman and family.

Whittemore News

Sharon L. Belson and Randall S. Louks were named to the dean's list at Delta College for the last marking period. To be so named, the student must earn a 3.5 grade average and carry at least 12 credit hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ostrander, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bellville, Mrs. Ethel Bellville, the Dornace Bellvilles and Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Bielby of West Branch attended the funeral of Stanley Ostrander in Birmingham Saturday. Also attending with them was Mrs. Marsha Hasty of Birmingham. The Bellvilles also visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bellville of Troy and the Kenneth Hasty family of Davison.

Lori Survant was recently named to the dean's list at Saginaw Valley State College.

Reno News

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Samson and son of Bay City called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Samson, last Sunday afternoon.

Myrtle Waters and Florence Latter visited Cora Davis at Bay Park Tower, East Tawas, and Jessie McLean at Tawas City on Friday.

Mrs. Ruth Larsen of Belleville arrived Monday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Maurice Faulstich, and returned home Friday morning.

Beatrice Barnum called on her niece, Wanetta Buck, at West Branch hospital Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kaiser are visiting her sister, Mrs. Josephine Moore of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Aulerich were business visitors to Oscoda and West Branch last week.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. James Sturtevant Sr. were in Saginaw on business.

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TAWAS LANES	
Minor	W L
Mitch's Pizzeria	15 5
WIOS Radio	12 8
Knights of Columbus	11 9
Shoreline Realty	11 9
Tawas Furniture	11 9
Arliss Woodward	10 10
Barnacle Bill's	9 11
Kiwanis	8 12
Methodist Men	7 13
WKJC-FM-Radio	6 14
Team High Series: Kiwanis, 2976; Mitch's Pizzeria, 2933; Shoreline Realty, 2885.	
Team High Single: Methodist Men, 1064; Kiwanis, 1062; Mitch's Pizzeria, 1012.	
Individual High Series: Tom McBride, 715; Howard Bischoff, 646; Ken Mitchell, 623.	
Individual High Single: Tom McBride, 267; Howard Bischoff, 257; Pete Hupcik, 241.	
Guys & Dolls W L	
Saints & Sinners	15 5
Dear Hunters	12 7 1/2
Ding-A-Lings	12 7 1/2
Jokers	11 9
Should-A-Been	11 9
Quartet	11 9
Stars & Costars	11 9
Misfits	7 13
Who Done It	6 14
Pretenders	3 17
Team High Series: Saints & Sinners, 247.	
Team High Single: Saints & Sinners, 872.	
Individual High Series: Bill Harris, 655; Evelyn Taylor, 633.	
Individual High Single: Bill Harris, 245; Judy Werth, 239.	
Friday Night Ladies W L	
The Place	16 8
H&B Trucking	15 1/2 8 1/2
McIntosh-McKay	15 9
Squires Wheel Align.	15 9
Coyle's Restaurant	14 10
Barber Oil	11 13
Tawas Bay Glass	11 13
Buckhorn	10 1/2 13 1/2
Tawas Bar	9 15
North Star Motel	3 21
Team High Series: Barber Oil, 2930; Squires Wheel Alignment, 2910; The Place, 2909.	
Team High Single: Barber Oil, 1030; The Place, 1014; Squires Wheel Alignment, 1015.	
Individual High Series: Corkie Kehring, 658; Pat Bublitz, 648; Susie Weaver, 640.	
Individual High Single: Susie Weaver, 240; Grace Revord, 237; Eilene McArdle, 236.	
Braves & Squaws W L	
Blackfeet	22 6
Mohican	19 9
Apache	19 9
Sioux	16 12
Mohawk	14 1/2 13 1/2
Comanche	14 14
Iroquois	11 17
Chippewa	10 1/2 17 1/2
Cherokee	8 20
Navajo	6 22

Team High Series: Apache, 2385; Sioux, 2351; Navajo, 2284.	
Team High Single: Apache, 818; Blackfeet, 802; Chippewa, 797.	
Individual High Series: J. Ulman, 661; P. Cockburn, 627; J. Cuny, 619.	
Individual High Single: J. Ulman, 242; S. Wingle, 235; J. Ulman, 227.	

Bowling ...

HALE CREEK LANES	
Team High Series: Ira's Repair, 1830; K&K, 1822; Norm's Barber Shop, 1736.	
Team High Single: Ira's Repair, 646-606; K&K, 631.	
Individual High Series: Shirley DeShano, 674; Alice Warren, 653; Sandy Barnes, 599.	
Individual High Single: Shirley DeShano, 270; Alice Warren, 235; Cecile Sobczak, 218.	
Commercial W L	
Nathan's Upholstery	12 8
Scotfield Real Estate	12 8
Mousseau Body Shop	12 8
Kimmerer Construction	10 10
Hale Pharmacy	10 10
Booth Appliance	10 10
Webb Well Drilling	8 12
Dane Construction	6 14
Team High Series: Scotfield Real Estate, 3143; Nathan's Upholstery, 3029; Booth Appliance, 2992.	
Team High Single: Scotfield Real Estate, 1116-1039; Mousseau Body Shop, 1048; Nathan's Upholstery, 1034.	
Individual High Series: Jim Redmond, 725; Henry Decker, 661; Irv Langenbalm, 649.	
Individual High Single: Jim Redmond, 256; Irv Langenbalm, 253; Tom Booth, 251.	
Independents W L	
Bob's Auto Parts	10 2
Ace Hardware	9 3
Tom's Electric	6 6
Archie's Shell	5 7
Hale Elevator	5 7
Kocher's Market	5 7
Johnny O's	4 8
J&J Lounge	4 8
Team High Series: Johnny O's, 2444; J&J Lounge, 2396; Bob's Auto Parts, 2324.	
Team High Single: J&J Lounge, 898; Johnny O's, 843-813.	
Individual High Series: R. Janish, 673; B. Pierce, 631; F. Caverly, 623.	
Individual High Single: R. Janish, 265; G. Koznak, 251; B. Pierce, 247.	
Thurs. Aft. Women's W L	
Kocher's Market	18 10
Alward's Market	16 1/2 11 1/2
Lupton Garage	16 12
Don Erb Builders	16 12
Windarla Kennels	14 14
Bernard Lumber	12 16
White Pine Realty	10 1/2 17 1/2
Kenyon's Resort	9 19
Team High Series: Windarla Kennels, 3001; Alward's Market,	

2951; Bernard Lumber, 2944.	
Team High Single: Windarla Kennels, 1051; Kocher's Market, 1030; Bernard Lumber, 1027.	
Individual High Series: Doris Thurston, 644; Mary Belle Kaiser, 637; Karol Shellenbarger, 627.	
Individual High Single: Doris Thurston, 248; Mary Belle Kaiser, 235; Betty Allender, 231.	
Snowbirds W L	
Follette-Kimmerer	27 1
Blust-Brandal	15 13
Gotts-Wayne	14 14
Slosser-Sestak	13 15
Koib-Gawne	12 16
Hendrickson-Jensen	11 1/2 16 1/2
Bernard-Stevenson	10 1/2 17 1/2
Brand-Koib	9 19
Team High Series: Blust-Brandal, 2469; Bernard-Stevenson, 2353; Gotts-Wayne, 2343.	
Team High Single: Blust-Brandal, 897; Follette-Kimmerer, 819; Bernard-Stevenson, 811.	
Individual High Series: Dale Bust, 676; Pudge Wayne, 673; Lyte Bernard, 663.	
Individual High Single: Joe Sestak, 255; Craig Follette, 252; Belva Brandal, 249.	
Ups and Downs W L	
Del's Team	4 0
Hale Hardware	2 2
Timber Steak House	2 2
Century 21	2 2
Sykes Chiro. Clinic	0 4
Daeschlein Realty	4 0
Kenyon's Bar	2 2
Hale Asphalt	0 4
Team High Series: Daeschlein Realty, 2425; Del's Team, 2409; Kenyon's Bar, 2391.	
Team High Single: Daeschlein Realty, 900; Kenyon's Bar, 869; Del's Team, 836.	
Individual High Series: Joe Tomczak, 654; Nancy Launstein, 649; Jackie Dunham, 646.	

Obituaries

S. W. Ostrander Rites Held for F. D. Horton, Businessman

Stanley W. Ostrander, a pioneer in the automobile industry who was born September 21, 1895, in Whittemore, expired Wednesday, February 6, at Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit, at the age of 84 years.

He retired from the industry in 1957 after a career beginning in 1915 with the C. S. Mott Axle Company in Flint and included positions with Buick Motors, Pontiac Motors, general manager of Highland Park Plant, Ford Motor Company, and operating manager of Lincoln Mercury Division of Ford. He served as vice president of Ford Group until his retirement.

He was a member of the First Methodist Church of Birmingham, Moslem Shrine, Bayview Yacht Club, Detroit Golf Club, the D. A. C. and a 32nd degree Mason.

Funeral services were held Saturday, February 9, at Sparks-Griffin Funeral Home with burial in White Chapel Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Viva; two daughters, Esther McNeal of Mt. Pleasant and Lois M. Albert of Detroit; three sons, Ward Ostrander of High Point, North Carolina, and Robert and Charles Cundiff of Detroit; 18 grandchildren; 26 great grandchildren; two great, great grandchildren; two sisters, Ethel Bellville of Whittemore and Thelma Spence of Allen Park; two brothers, Nelson of Whittemore and Osman of East Tawas.

Arthur Ulman Died at Flint

Arthur L. Ulman of Davison, who was born October 13, 1898, in Tawas City, passed away Tuesday, January 29, at St. Joseph Hospital, Flint.

A resident of Davison for 39 years, he was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church where he served on the church board and various committees. He retired from Buick Motors Division in 1963 after 45 years of service.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, February 2, at Trinity Lutheran Church with the Rev. Lowell H. Rusch officiating. Burial was in Davison Cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Dorothy; two sons, Raymond of Davison and Norman of Fenton; two daughters, Louise Matheson of Lapeer and Mary Ulman of Flint. He also leaves five grandchildren; two great grandchildren; a brother, Erwin Ulman of Tawas City, and two sisters, Margaret Hughes and Violet Krumm, also of Tawas City.

Former Tawas Resident Dies

Walter T. Krumm, a former resident of Tawas Township, passed away Wednesday, February 6, at Littnauer Hospital, Groversville, New York, following a brief illness.

Born January 29, 1902, at Tawas City, he had resided in Groversville since 1955.

Funeral services were held Friday, February 8, at Kobuski Funeral Chapel with interment in Prospect Hill Cemetery, Groversville.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Clarence (Dorothy) Bariger of National City and Margaret W. Richardson of Groversville; two sons, Arland Krumm of Ft. Myers, Florida, and Harold Krumm of Troy, New York; nine grandchildren, and eight great grandchildren.

He also leaves two brothers, Arnold Krumm of South Branch and Albert Krumm of Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and three sisters, Mrs. Albert (Lucille) Wojahn and Mrs. Frank (Margaret) Berch of Tawas City and Mrs. Mary Humphrey of East Tawas. His wife, Lillian, predeceased him in 1955.

RECEIVED DEGREE AT CENTRAL MICHIGAN U.

Irmagene B. Marr was among students receiving degrees at Central Michigan University at the end of the fall term ending in December. She was awarded a master degree at the December 15 commencement in CMU's Rose Arena.

Hale Eagles Lost Two NSL Games

Hale Eagles took it on the chin twice from visiting North Star League teams. Atlanta took the measure of the Eagles, 68-59, on February 5 and Posen rolled to a 67-58 victory Friday night.

Atlanta jumped off to a 16-10 margin in the first quarter and was never headed by Hale. Vern Reed was the top Eagle scorer with 18 points.

The same held true Friday night when Posen used a fast break offense to pile up a 20-8 first quarter margin, then coasted the rest of the way.

Posen held a 35-21 margin at intermission and, after a cold first half, the Eagles outscored the visitors, 22-18, in the third quarter. Posen came through with a 19-15 margin in the final quarter.

Hale had three players scoring in double figures, led by Reed with 18 points. Tim Lesneski had 11 points and Mark Turnbull had 10.

Action this week finds the Eagles traveling to Atlanta Friday night.

Memorial Held for Mr. Roback

A memorial service was conducted at Sumter Baptist Church, Sumter, South Carolina, Tuesday, February 12, for John W. Roback of Tawas City, who succumbed to an extended illness at Tuomey Hospital, Sumter, Sunday, February 10.

He was born September 15, 1902, at LaSalle, Illinois.

Surviving are his wife, the former Helen Schaff Bird; two sons, Richard and Edwin of Detroit, a stepdaughter, Leah Mae Pinkerton of Sumter; two stepsons, Richard Bird of North Bend, Oregon, and Gerald Bird of Aurora, Colorado; 16 grandchildren; five sisters, and two brothers.

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 - 1 cup chicken broth
 - 1 cup sliced onion
 - 1/4 cup chopped parsley
 - 2 teaspoons salt
 - 1/4 teaspoon pepper
 - 1 medium bay leaf
 - 1 medium clove garlic, minced
- Heat margarine and oil in Dutch oven or large heavy saucepan. Add chicken and brown well. Add tomatoes, chicken broth, onion, parsley, salt, pepper, bay leaf and garlic. Cover and cook over low heat 25 minutes. Add rice and cook 10 minutes; stir occasionally. Add peas and cook 10 minutes longer, or until done and all liquid is absorbed. Makes 6 servings. Contains about 500 calories per serving.

IN THE SERVICE—

Assigned to Lowry AFB

Ann. Cynthia K. Clayton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Blust, Whittemore, has been assigned to Lowry Air

Force Base, Colorado, after completing air force basic training.

During the six weeks at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, the airman studied the air force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree in

applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman will now receive specialized instruction in the supply field.

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Braves Edged Oscoda Owls

Tawas Braves registered a photo finish win February 5 over the visiting Oscoda Owls, 65-64, with a final outcome not decided until the last seconds of the game.

Paced by Sophomore Tom Schriber's 17 points, the Braves came from behind in the second quarter to overcome an early Oscoda lead. Each team then had identical scores for the next two quarters.

Oscoda's Eugene Hobart had a hot hand during the night netting 20 points, and led his team to an 18-15 first quarter margin. The Owls had defeated Tawas in two games earlier in the season, but the Braves came back with a 22-14 margin to take the lead at intermission, 37-32.

Oscoda closed the gap in the third quarter with a 16-14 margin and each team had the same scoring in the fourth quarter. Tawas went ahead by one point at the charity line, but Oscoda had one more chance to go ahead with four seconds to go. An easy layup was missed and Tawas was the winner by one point.

Following Schriber in scoring were Kevin Grace and Brian

Norton with 15 points each. Grant Mousseau meshed 14 points. Norton was again tough on the backboards with 13 rebounds.

Les Dahl and Harry Crevier each meshed 14 points to follow Hobart in scoring. Dahl had nine rebounds.

The Junior Braves ran their record to 12 and three for the season by turning back the Little Owls, 50-43. Each team scored eight points in the opening quarter, but Tawas was ahead by two at intermission and gradually moved ahead.

Kelly Moffatt's 15 points was the high point total for Tawas, followed by 10 each turned in by John Caplis and Ed Harris. Kevin Beck topped Oscoda with 11 points, followed by Mark Kimber's 10 points.

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In NEM Tournament

TA Matmen Had Four Firsts

Tawas Braves matmen finished third in the conference wrestling meet held here Saturday. Pinconning won the meet with 195½ points, followed by Ogemaw Heights with 168

points and 123½ points by Tawas. Gladwin finished fourth and Standish-Sterling was fifth.

Tawas had four champions in 13 weight classes. Andre LaPalme won the 132-pound class,

Dave Healey was tops in the 145-pound class, Chris Toska won the championship in the 160-pound class and Joe Paitl was tops in the 185-pound class. Craig McMurray won a sec-

ond place for Tawas while Jeff Blust and Joe Milbourn had third place finishes.

Five schools and 55 wrestlers were involved in the day-long meet which featured 63 matches.

Champions from other schools included Troy Grappin, Pinconning, 98 pounds; Jeff Ruppel, Pinconning, 105 pounds; Pat Holcomb, Ogemaw Heights, 112 pounds; Don Buchalski, Pinconning, 119 pounds; Steve Kilinger, Ogemaw Heights, 126 pounds; Paul Herber, Pinconning, 138 pounds; Tom Beechum, Pinconning, 155 pounds; Jeff Kimball, Ogemaw Heights, 198 pounds; Rod Haustein, Ogemaw Heights, heavyweight.

Tawas Won Three Games

Freshman and eighth grade basketball teams of Tawas Area School won three games last week. The freshman team won, 47-41, over Whittemore-Prescott, while the eighth grade "A" team turned in a 65-44 victory and the "B" team won, 33-11, both over Besser Junior High School, Alpena.

Rod Loeffler was high scorer for the freshmen with 13 points, followed by Chris Wojahn and Charles Elliott with nine and seven points respectively. Eric Groff missed action in the game due to an injured knee.

The eighth grade "A" team was paced by Don Hester's 23 points and Bruce Nelkie who close behind with 22.

Mike Allen was high for the "B" team with eight points and Scott Carney had seven points.

The match with Gladwin was won by the Flying Gs in three games, 11-15, 15-6 and 15-6. Nikki Painter led Tawas with 10 points and 13 sets, while Lisa Bielby had six spikes to her credit.

Ogemaw Heights took the measure of Tawas in two games, 15-12 and 15-12. Painter was top scorer with 12 points, Brackenbury had five sets and Bielby had nine spikes.

The freshman volleyball team lost to Gladwin, 15-10 and 15-4. Jane Stonehouse had four points to lead her team and Peggy Holmes had six sets. Allen had two spikes.

Braves Lost in Dual Meet

Tawas matmen lost in a dual meet January 31 with Oscoda and Saginaw St. Peter and Paul. The Owls registered a 51-21 victory over the Braves while Saginaw had 39 points to Tawas' 25.

Mike Clark, Chris Toska and Joe Paitl won matches by pins against opponents and Jeff Blust won by a decision. Clark and Craig McMurray registered wins by pinning Saginaw opponents, while Toska and Paitl won by decisions.

We want to thank God for the gift of our son, Vernon Joseph, and for the 17 years he was a part of our lives. For the beautiful gift he taught us. His love of life, music and love of people.

Also at this time, we again thank God for the gift of our other children who were such a comfort to us. We thank you, Jim, Mary, Jeanne and Amy, Russ, Dorothy, Rick, Mike, Ricky, Tom, Judy. Thank You for all the many things you all did.



We want to thank Fr. Boks and Dr. Jacques for being so kind to come to our house and for having to do the horrible job of telling us our son was dead. To the ambulance crew who took our son to the hospital and the ones from the Sheriff Department who worked so hard to save him. God Bless You, your job isn't easy at a time like this. To Joe, Helen, Ann Bouchard who came at 4 a. m. to stay with us until time for mass. To Fr. Boks who had to announce once more to the Christian Community the loss of our son. To Rev. Tousley for the words he spoke on Sunday morning. God love you for this. For Scott Tousley and John Harvey who brought our son's truck home for us, to save us the hurt of having to do this. To Kevin Rogers who came right away at 7 a. m. to be with Tom and help him. To Shelly Blackmore who also came to give Tom a helping hand. Dorothy Roemer, Norm, Joanne Wright who came and stayed to answer the phone and just be with us, the many many other people who came, we don't remember all the names, if we have left some one out we are sorry. Again to Joe Bouchard, who after mass took Communion to some homes of our Christian Community for me. To Tom, Penny LeClair who gave us all the support in anything we would have needed at this time. To the Horger family, also Gina, Chris, RuthAnn what a Blessing people like you are.

To my brothers who came right away Sunday morning, to the many many people who sent food and came to the house. Erin, Joyce, Pete Beck who gave of themselves so beautifully, this helped us through Sunday.

To Bishop Szoka for his phone call to our house, that really helped. God love you, for the beautiful Bishop you are.

For the many many young adults who came. It was a beautiful tribute to Vern as he loved his friends. To Vern's Aunt Pearl who flew home from Florida one more time this year to comfort us. That speaks so well of herself. To my brother, Joseph, who drove home from West Virginia, thanks Joe. It was hard for you as we know you would have come against all odds.

To the Hoin family who gave so beautifully of themselves and spending time with us. Thank You. For all who sent flowers, gave masses and money, and the many, many things that words can't express but by your presence we knew you loved us. For Shirley Deering, Kathleen, you always did give of yourself so much. Thanks, you all helped us through Monday. Want to thank Fr. Kolevar for his prayers. He was in the hospital and could not come. Prayers from Fr. John Majka, Fr. Kurt Anderson, Fr. Bernard Owens, Fr. Neis, and Office of Christian Education Diocese of Gaylord. We want to thank all who helped us celebrate the liturgy for our Son. To the Clergy who Con-celebrated, Fr. Boks, Fr. Murphy, Fr. Pilsarski, Mary Byrd who was the organist, Bernice Oates who sang, also Amy Wisner and Barb Sanger. To Tom Pinkowski for the first reading, and Psalm response, John Bouchard for the second reading, Jim Bouchard for the Communion Prayer. To the mass servers, Gary Anderson, Gary Stephan, Rusty Carney, John Horger and Tom Maher, their job was hard as they all had known Vern real well. To the pallbearers, John Harvey, Mark Tousley, John Gardiner, Kevin Rogers, Grant Mousseau and Rick Mousseau. To the Senior Class and all the young adults who came to the funeral home and the mass. All the Paramedics and the director from Bay Medical that came from Bay City. Jessie Sherman, Rose Westcott and all the faithful angels from the Council of Catholic Women, God Love You, the meal was delicious.

Nancy Carney, Rose Sass and Joanne Griffin who stayed at the house, God love you for this. For Sister Teresa, Bill Morford, Sister Jean Karen, Sister Evangela, Sister Marita you are special, you made things a lot less painful. We love you.

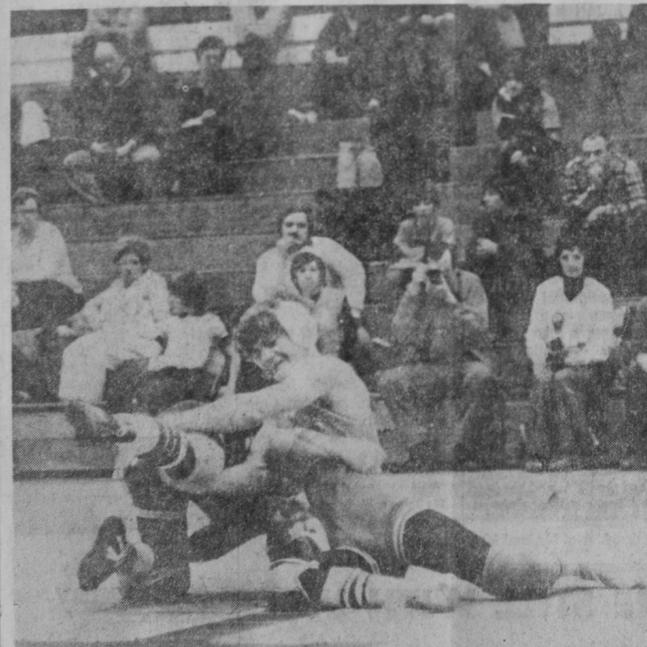
To the Coffee groups at the Midway and the staff from the Tawas Medical Clinic we love you and bless you. For Scott Tousley who wanted to be here but couldn't, he had to go back to college, we love you Scott. To Bill King, Dan Kubisiak, Jim and John Bouchard, Thanks guys. To Pat Harvey who knew and loved Vern, to Mr. Alexander, Mr. Reddick, whose jobs at school are not easy, but one that has to be done. To all the teachers that shared in the raising of our son, Vern. Thank you, you knew and loved him also.

For all whose names that might have been overlooked, we thank you, but most of all, We thank you folks to know also the young adults that Vern chummed with, you were great. We wouldn't have made it without you. To the Senior Class of '80, we know, that the one thing Vern loved, was life, he lived it to the fullest—so win those games in basketball, track, football.

You people were an inspiration to us. Jack Jacques and Dean Kobs, you will never know how much you helped us. So, all we in the Beaubien family can say is We Love You, thanks for every card, every note, every phone call. You did such a beautiful job to help ease the pain, God Bless You. To Rita Flores who stayed an extra day with her father, Al Provencal, just to be with us, thanks Rita.



THE REFEREE raises the arm of Dave Healey after the Tawas Brave matman won the championship in the 145-pound class during the Northeastern Michigan Conference wrestling tournament held here Saturday. —Tawas Herald Photo.



ANDRE LAPALME of the Tawas Braves is shown winning the 132-pound championship class in Saturday's tournament. An excellent crowd of spectators was on hand for the day-long event.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Tawas Girls Won Two NEM Volleyball Matches

Tawas varsity girls won matches against Ogemaw Heights and Whittemore-Prescott, but fell before Gladwin in league competition.

On January 31, the Bravettes defeated the Cardinal girls in two games, 15-10 and 15-12. Kari Allen, Diane Erickson and Laurel Minard scored five

points each. Cindy Wood led in sets with eight, while Pam Epley and Joyce Hatcher each had two spikes.

The Bravettes turned aside Ogemaw Heights on February 6 in two matches, 15-8 and 15-6.

Allen was scoring leader with 11 points, followed by Hughes' nine points and seven points by Erickson. Hughes had 28 sets

and Cindy Wood turned in 19 sets. Epley led the team with 19 spikes.

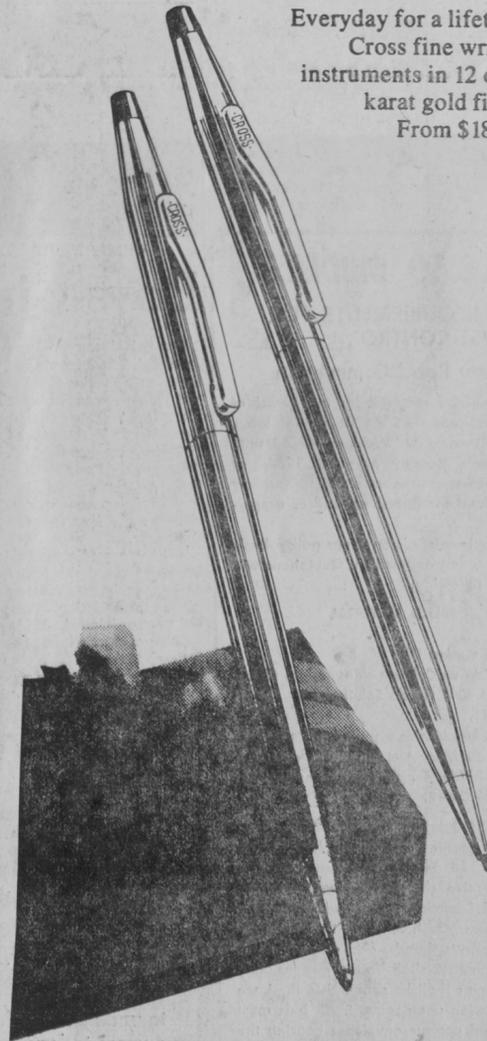
Gladwin turned the tables on the Bravettes February 5, winning in two games, 15-9 and 15-12.

Hughes led her team with nine points and had 13 sets. Minard had five spikes.

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Wilber News

Steven Hyzer of Grand Rapids came to spend the week-end with Mrs. Cleona Hyzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cooper and family of Oscoda visited Sunday at the Robert Smith home.

Relatives gathered at the Clarence Krueger home Tuesday night to celebrate Mrs. Krueger's birthday.

David Harris of Roscommon enjoyed the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Harris.

The Harold Cholgers and Mrs. Keith Humbert of Clarkston visited at the Andrew Anschuetz home Wednesday night.

Tuesday afternoon, Wilber United Methodist Church Women held a work session at Mrs. Norman Harris' home.

Gerry Cholger of Traverse City was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cholger.

Mrs. Opal Mallon visited Mrs. Marie Bellon and Mrs. LaVina Mallon in Tawas City Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harris and baby of Tawas City were recent visitors at the Bertram Harris home.

Sand Lake News

Mrs. Alice Lenczewski was admitted to Tawas Hospital last week.

Sand Lake Heights Men's Association will convene Monday, February 18, 7:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vance, Saginaw, recently spent a couple days with Mrs. Virginia Clark.

Having retired last week, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, Saginaw, have relocated in the Sand Lake area and are welcomed as permanent residents.

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Honor Roll at Hale A. High School

Hale Area High School has released the following honor roll for the recently completed marking period (* denotes all A candidate):

Ninth grade: Lisa Adkins, Kathy Boughner, Lori Caverly, Mary Caverly, Teresa Finner, Melissa Foco, Becky Grinnell, Kenneth Jansen, Kim Maher, Michele McNeerney, Gena Meiers, John Peregor, Kim Reilly, Lee Wallace.

Tenth grade: Dawn Badalamenti, Jeannan Bissonnette, Lynette Clark, Melissa Clayton, Lynn Gibbs, Janet Johnson, Dorothy Kaiser, Michael McNeerney, Deana McNicholl, Bob Millard, Renee Powell, Lisa Purkey, Jodi Reed, Kristie Reimer, Sherri Schmalz, Bob Schulte, Peter Setcoski, Steve Tamplin, Faron Wells.

Eleventh grade: Angie Barnum, Becky Belden, Darla Bissonnette*, Kim Boughner, Dorothy Clark, Linda Dane, Dan Dear, Lee Freitag, Mary Goehdette, Kristi Hart, Rick Hendrickson, Patti Irwin, Kristin Ketzler, Tom Lesneski, Judy McKenzie, Chris Millard, Sue Millard, Carla Powers, Alice Roiter, Missy Sharp, Mike Turnbull, Donna Wallace, Kurt Wilson.

Twelfth grade: Jill Armstead, Bonnie Bell, Beth Bellville, Tammy Brandal, Susan Burr, Bill Denstedt*, Missy Humphrey, Eugene Kalinski, Brian Klug, Tim Lesneski, Janet Miller, Tammy Morgan, Stacie Purkey, Vern Reed, Deanna Saunders, Maynard Smith, Gail Tamplin, Sue Worden, Cheri Short.

Tawas Girls Won Second

Tawas girls varsity volleyball team defeated Elk Rapids, Rogers City, Whitmore - Prescott and Charlevoix to reach the finals in the Rogers City invitational meet held Saturday.

The Bravettes finished second to Oscoda in the final match to win the second place trophy.



HALE UNITED Methodist Church was the scene Saturday afternoon of the annual awards tea of River AuxSable Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution. Individual awards were presented to winners of the chapter's American essay contest. There were 196 entries in the contest and first place essays are to be entered in the



SECOND PLACE AWARDS went to Matthew Bunting, a seventh grader at Surline Middle School, and Holly Miner, an eighth grader at the same school. At left is Maxine Wangler, seventh grade English teacher, and at right is Mrs. Robert McGrail, eighth grade English teacher, both of Surline Middle School. In the center is Mrs. Homer Roberts of Hale, vice regent of the DAR chapter.—Tawas Herald Photo.



WENDY WIGHT BRIAN HALL JEFFREY JANISH

Boys-Girls State Delegates

Three Whitmore - Prescott Area High School juniors will be attending Wolverine Boys' State and the American Legion Auxiliary Girls' State this summer. Wendy Wight and Brian Hall are being sponsored by the Whitmore - Prescott Education Association and Jeffrey Janish is being sponsored by the Skidway Lake Area Chamber of Commerce.

Hall has earned a varsity letter in track and cross-country. As a junior, he ran cross-country in the NPMC Conference and went undefeated. He is a member of the National Honor Society and the Varsity Club. He was elected homecoming representative as a junior and the Holly Hop King in December of 1979.

Maintaining a B average or higher, he plans to go to college to become an electrical engineer. Brian lives with his father, Duane Hall of Prescott.

Miss Wight has earned varsity letters in track, basketball and volleyball. She is a member of the W-P Gymnastic Club, National Honor Society, FFA, Varsity Club and student council.

She has received awards in citizenship, Chapter FFA scholarship, FFA public speaking award, Presidential Physical Fitness Awards as a freshman. As a sophomore, she received an FFA beef production award, perfect attendance award, Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation Outstanding Sophomore, Presidential Physical Fitness Award and a geometry award. She is currently the vice president of the National Honor Society, junior class and the FFA, and has been an all A honor student since entering high school.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wight of Whitmore, Wendy plans to attend Michigan State University to become a physical education teacher. Upon reaching the age of 21, she hopes to apply for entrance to the Michigan State Police Training School.

Janish has earned letters in basketball, baseball and football. He became a member of the National Honor Society as a sophomore. He is also a member of the yearbook staff and the FFA.

His hobbies include hunting, fishing and skiing. He has a special interest in all types of sports and has been an honor student since entering high school. His future plans include college to study electronics.

He lives with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Janish of rural Prescott.

Game on W-P Floor Braves' Hands 'Hot' in Win Over Cards

With four players hitting in double figures, the Tawas Area Braves defeated the Whitmore-Prescott Cardinals, 87-71, in Friday night's Northeastern Michigan League action.

The Braves jumped off to a 17-11 lead in the first quarter and held a commanding 40-19 margin at intermission.

Paced by 10-point totals turned in by Tom Schriber and Jay Grabow, the Braves outscored the Cardinals, 32-23, in the third quarter which provided a cushion in the final quarter as the Cards turned in a 29-15 bulge.

TAWAS AREA	FG	FT	TP	WHITMORE-PRESCOTT	FG	FT	TP
Mousseau	1	0	2	Graham	7	2	16
Grabow	6	0	12	Hall	7	10	24
Moffatt	2	0	4	Sievers	5	1	9
Norton	3	2	8	Federspiel	5	2	12
Grace	7	2	16	Pavlik	2	1	5
Grack	5	0	10	Everitt	1	0	2
Gardner	3	2	8	Miller	1	1	3
Wilke	2	0	4				
Gidley	0	2	2				
Schriber	8	5	21				
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Split Decisions Last Week

Tawas freshman and eighth grade basketball teams split the decisions with opposing teams in action last week.

The freshman "A" team defeated Pinconning, 52-50, and lost to Oscoda, 40-34, while the "B" team lost to Pinconning, 48-44, and won over Oscoda, 43-40.

Chris Wojahn had 18 points to lead the "A" team against Pinconning while Eric Groff's 13 points was the high total against Oscoda. John Tenbusch topped "B" team scorers with 18 points against Pinconning and 10 against Oscoda. Steve Grack posted 28 rebounds in the Pinconning game.

The eighth grade split decisions in two games with Pinconning. The "A" team won, 46-40, and the "B" team lost, 53-34.

Ed Latham had 10 points to pace the "B" team and Mike Allen had nine points. Bruce Nelkie topped "A" team scorers with 18 points, followed by Joe Boik's 14 points.

Library Workshop Wednesday

The Iosco-Arenac Regional Library, bookmobile and seven branches will be closed Wednesday, February 13.

Librarians and their substitutes from Au Gres, East Tawas, Oscoda, Plainfield Township, Standish, Tawas City and Whitmore branch libraries and the bookmobile personnel will be attending a workshop to learn about the COM catalogs' equipment maintenance and especially computerized filing rules.

The COM catalog will be the key to books available for the 49 public libraries and branches that are members of the White Pine Library Cooperative covering nine counties and will list over one million books in the cooperative.

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Bids shall be firm from March 3, 1980, through October 15, 1980. All permits, bonds, and other requirements of the Michigan DNR shall be the responsibility of the bidder and copies shall be supplied to the Iosco County Road Commission upon request. All bids must be submitted in sealed opaque envelopes bearing the name of the bidder and item being bid.

The Iosco County Road Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to accept all or part of any bid, to waive any defects, and to accept the bid or bids, that in the opinion of the Board are in the best interest of the Iosco County Road Commission.

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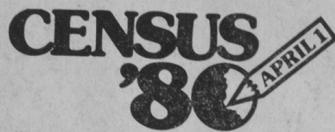
For most Americans, the 1980 census will be simple enough. Yet, the importance of the census cannot be stressed enough for final counts will be used to reapportion seats in the United States House of Representatives and state legislature, along with allocation of federal and state revenue sharing moneys to communities.

A questionnaire will arrive in the mail on March 28. The recipient will simply answer the questions, which will not take long and then either mail back the form on April 1 or hold it for a census taker to pick up, depending on the instructions.

What may not be apparent to millions of Americans, as they answer the census in the privacy and convenience of their homes, is the fact that they are making personal contributions to an undertaking so vast, so complex, that the 1980 census qualifies as one of the largest peacetime efforts every mounted in this country.

By the time the last American is counted sometime during the summer, the Bureau of the Census will have reached an estimated 222-million United States residents and 86-million housing units and gathered more than three billion answers.

The 222-million residents, a nine percent population increase



since 1970, include some people who do not speak English, people with various political opinions, the rich and the destitute, the educated and the illiterate, members of all the earth's races. The census must also assess their housing — single-family homes, houseboats, condominiums, shacks, "abandoned" buildings, migrant worker camps, jails, school dormitories, at sea and overseas. The census is expected to count 25 percent more housing units in 1980 than in 1970.

At the same time, never in the history of the census, which has been taken every 10 years since 1790, have census findings played as important a role in American life as they do today. Besides the constitutional mandates to provide a basis for reapportioning seats in the house of representatives and state legislatures, the census measures how well the nation is doing, from the block level to the entire country. Its findings are used in private and public sectors to decide how billions of

dollars will be spent annually. In 90 percent of the nation's households, people will be asked to take their own census, in effect, by answering the questionnaires and mailing them back in postage-free envelopes. Census takers will obtain the information from households that fail to mail back completed questionnaires as requested.

The remaining 10 percent, which will receive instructions to hold the completed questionnaires until census takers pick them up, are mostly in sparsely settled areas in the western half of the nation. In some cases, the census takers will ask additional questions.

Census questions seek basic information about people—age, sex, occupation and the like—and about subjects such as housing, personal transportation and energy use. Most people will be asked to answer a basic census questionnaire, which has 19 questions. About one of five households, chosen randomly, will be asked to answer a longer

version with 46 additional questions.

Federal law requires everyone to answer the census; it also protects the confidentiality of personal information. The only people who can see an individual's replies are census employees, who are sworn to secrecy under threat of a \$5,000 fine and five-year prison term.

In the 50-year history of the modern census confidentiality law, not once has the bureau or one of its employees been formally charged with releasing census data about any individual. Landmark court rulings through this century have continually upheld the bureau's refusal to release information, even to the secretary of state, the attorney general, or to corporations involved in litigation.

The bureau designs its procedures to avoid situations that could lead to a breach of the confidentiality law. Names, addresses and telephone numbers are never allowed to any computer. Social security numbers are not requested by the census.

TRIO COUNCIL TO MEET

The regular board meeting of the Trio Council on Aging, Incorporated, will be held Tuesday, February 19, 1:30 p. m., in the Ogemaw County Building, West Branch.

WOMEN IN WAR?



President Carter's recent state of the union message raised the age-old question of drafting women into military services during a national emergency. Although other combatant nations drew no sex line concerning military conscripts during World War II, the United States considered but never adopted a military draft for women during that conflict.

With the movement toward equal rights for women during past decades, it remains to be seen if this country ever resorts to drafting women into military services during wartime. One fact which is often overlooked during recent periods of crisis is that women nurses have played key roles in alleviating the suffering of American war casualties throughout the nation's history.

In addition, World War II saw several hundred thousand American women enlisting in the Women's Army Corps (WAC), Women Appointed for Voluntary Emergency Services in the Navy (WAVES), Women's Auxiliary Ferrying Command (WAF), Women's Reserve of the Coast Guard (SPARS) and the Marine Corps Women's Reserve.

Iosco County was represented in practically every one of the above women's military organizations, as indicated by names and addresses published by this newspaper during its wartime military mailbox column. In addition, as men went into the armed forces, women took their places in war plants. By 1943, more than two-million women were working in American war industries.

When Allied forces were poised to strike Normandy, General D. D. Eisenhower told them: "You are about to embark upon a great crusade." They waded ashore on a 50-mile front at 6:30 a. m. on D-Day, June 6, 1944.

Soon, the United States First Army broke through German lines in Normandy and swept across France. Other Allied forces advanced through Luxembourg and combined forces finally crossed the Rhine into Germany, suffering heavy casualties.

Although few women were engaged in actual combat with enemy forces, women in United States armed forces served in almost every theatre of the war, some of them in dangerous combat situations.

One young woman from Iosco County serving in the war zone was Lt. Marilyn Haglund of East Tawas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eino Haglund. A graduate of East Tawas High School, she completed a three-year course at Saginaw General Hospital School of Nursing and was capped there as a registered nurse on October 4, 1940. She joined the staff of Samari-

tan Hospital at Bay City as a surgical nurse and in September 1942, entered the United States Army Air Corps as a nurse, first serving at Biggs Field, El Paso, Texas.

Lieutenant Haglund was later transferred to a unit in England and was among those poised to take part in the great crusade directed by General Eisenhower.

The next note in the Herald's service column on August 18, 1944, stated: "In Normandy, as an evacuation nurse, Lt. Marilyn Haglund has been making daily trips into the battle area to bring back the wounded, both American and German."

"Stationed with the Ninth Troop Carrier Command in England, she flies in an unarmed C-47 plane, often caring for Michigan men."

"That danger accompanies her job is revealed in the fact that the planes go to the edge of enemy occupied territory, often taking off under fire. 'Sometimes we are hit,' she said, 'but we do have a strong fighter protection'."

"During June, Lieutenant Haglund made several trips with wounded to the United States and on one trip here visited her parents."

The war in Europe dragged on during 1944 and 1945 with heavy casualties suffered by Allied fighting forces. On February 2, 1945, the Herald printed the following letter in its service column:

"I just finished scrubbing the last (I hope) of the dirt from me and my clothes, and now that everyone is asleep, I'll try and write a few letters. I arrived back about 3:00 this afternoon. Our quarters seem like heaven after all the different places we stayed this week. Almost every trip we make we have to practically beg someone for a place to eat and sleep. "I don't know what news you hear at home, but over here it is not looking very good lately. Our boys are doing a wonderful



ONE YOUNG WOMAN who served her country in a battle zone during World War II was Lt. Marilyn Haglund of East Tawas. After her graduation from the Army Air Force School of Air Evacuation, August 13, 1943, at Bowman Field, Kentucky, she served as a flight nurse on transport planes bringing wounded from European battle zones—often under enemy fire.

job, but they have some tough opposition right now. We are meeting the German Army for the first time on their own ground. What we need is supplies and replacements. I hope the people over there realize and do all they can. Blood is a big problem now, too. We can use all we can get. "We will win, but it will take longer than most of us realize." The above letter was penned by Lieutenant Haglund following the Battle of The Bulge, the last

offensive taken by the Germans during World War II. United States troops had done almost all the fighting in the Ardennes and had suffered almost all the losses.

The unarmed C-47 planes of the Ninth Troop Carrier Command in which Lieutenant Haglund served made daily flights to return casualties to England for treatment.

One Tawas resident who recalls meeting Lieutenant Hag-

(See WOMEN, page 6.)



AMONG the unsung "warriors" of World War II were WASP pilots. More than 1,074 women fliers ferried fighter planes to England from the United States.

THE TRADITIONAL ROLE of American women has been to watch their menfolk march off to war, as portrayed in this highly romanticized poster from World War I. By World War II, several hundred

thousand young women served in the military forces and young women in today's military services are in positions which could place them in combat zones.

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Editorial—

The Role of Women During War

Despite the understandable apprehension by an older generation and parents, a survey among eligible young women in the United States today probably would find them willing to register for selective service and to serve their country in times of any future military threat.

Attitudes concerning military service by women have changed drastically since World War II, when the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps (WAAC) was organized May 14, 1942, followed by establishment of the WAC as a permanent part of the active and reserve army in 1948.

Based on the thinking of those days, it was entirely out of the question to draft women into military service and the WAC reached its peak strength in 1945 with about 100,000 members. Other military organizations for women had smaller numbers.

During the past decade, particularly since the fight for an equal rights amendment to the constitution, women have become more outspoken concerning their activities in many roles, one of which has been the realization that if a man can be drafted into military service,

there is no reason that a woman should not be given the same opportunity to serve her country.

Naturally, no one wants to see the nation's young women taking part in combat situations—this country is not ready to follow the lead of some other nations during World War II combat experiences—but many thousand young women have and are serving their country in a variety of fields and they have performed admirably.

What will happen during the current world crisis in regard to registering young women for the draft is not known at this writing, but, judging from the outpouring of voices from the young women themselves, it seems to be obvious they are willing to serve if called upon. They should not be denied that right.

There are a number of women in Iosco County today who served their country during World War II, the Korean War, the Cuban crisis and Vietnam—as enlistees. A special historical feature published by the Herald this week tells the roles of some of them, even one or two who served their country in combat zones as army nurses.

Know Your Michigan Law

By Attorney General FRANK J. KELLEY

Do patients have the right to obtain medical records from their doctor's or hospital's files? This question is raised more frequently as the cost of health care skyrockets and patients become more aware of their rights.

Under Michigan law, patients of hospitals, institutions and private physicians have the right to see and obtain copies of their medical records.

The legislature included a "Patient Bill of Rights" in Michigan's new Public Health Code which covers nursing homes, homes for the elderly and similar facilities. This law allows patients to inspect their medical records or receive copies for a reasonable fee. The law enables physicians to use their discretion about what forms to use, information to be recorded and how long the records are to be kept.

For mental patients, the law is a little different. It allows the doctor or hospital to withhold the record if such information would be detrimental to the patient or others involved.

To obtain access to medical records, three steps are advisory. First, the patient must allow enough time after making the request. The physical or health care facility must have sufficient time to assemble and copy the records.

Second, the patient must be prepared to pay a reasonable fee to cover the cost of assembling and reproducing the records. X-rays require special equipment and extra cost.

Third, if the patient wants to look at the records—without getting copies—he or she must make arrangements in advance to review them during normal business hours.

A doctor's refusal to provide medical records is usually a private matter to be discussed on an individual basis or with the help of a private attorney.



ALL A STUDENTS at Tawas Area High School for the first semester are pictured above. In the front row from left are Sally Kasischke, Maureen Phillips, Louise Brock and Colleen Curry. In the second row from left are Gina Salamony, Wendy Ordway, Dawn Klinger and Debbie Holmes. In the top row from left are Keith McCready, Gerald Nivison, James Alexander and Patrick Kaems. Missing from the photo is Philip Petrach.—Tawas Herald Photo.

First Semester Honor Roll Announced by Tawas Area

Tawas Area High School announced the following students named to the all A honor roll for the first semester:

Ninth grade: Colleen Curry, Debbie Holmes, Patrick Kaems, Dawn Klinger.

Tenth grade: James Alexander, Wendy Ordway, Philip Petrach, Maureen Phillips.

Eleventh grade: Louise Brock, Gerald Nivison, Gina Salamony.

Twelfth grade: Sally Kasischke, Keith McCready.

Named to the regular honor roll were the following:

Ninth grade: Lauren Babcock, Christina Bischoff, Christine Bettis, Daniel Colek, Deborah Douglas, Charles Elliott, Stephen Foy, Julie Heenan, David Klenow, Theresa Mader, Mary Matchuret, Daniel Mooney, Karen Nelkie, Catherine Nickell, Terri Rapp, Brenda Schulte, James Small, Karen Spencer, Jennifer Thomas.

Tenth grade: Brian Beaubien, Rene Bensinger, Lisa Bielby, Randy Biggs, Kathryn Bolen, Kim Brown, Diane Chamberlin, Kimberly Chaney, Lisa Cotter, Bill Dalbec, Jackie DeRosia, Wendy Earl, Keith Harris, James Huck, Mark Jurczyk, Kim Kalinowski, Christopher Kennedy, Lisa Konenske, Keri Marx, Rene Monsell, Kenneth McCready, Dianne Miscisin, Kelly Moffatt, Linda Nelkie, Nikki Painter, Todd Torrey.

Eleventh grade: Jill Barry, Sue Bischoff, Bruce Bolen, Cherie Buysel, Kelli Carlisle, Claudia Carney, Steven Collier, Michelle Dodson, Julia Gackstetter, Jan Johnson, Terry Nelkie, Lynn Pawloski, Jill Sias, Roseanne Small, Kimberly Smith, Lisa Strelecki, Julie Thomas.

Twelfth grade: Gary Anderson, Sally Burtzloff, David Campbell, Chris Christensen, Toni Coleman, Anne Cotter, Thomas Dillon, Donald Finley, Randy Hackett, Ann Kasischke, Greg Klenow, Deborah Knight, Beth Lockwood, Bonnie Look, Dolores Miller, Diane Myles, Timothy Nickell, Tammy Qualls, Sandra Salamony, Dorene Yanna.

US Forest Service Marks 75th Year

R. Max Peterson, chief of the Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture, is inviting the public to join in celebrating the forest service's 75th birthday this year by planting a tree to mark special occasions such as birthdays or other significant milestones.

"The goal is to plant 75-million more trees in 1980 than were planted in 1979," Peterson said. "In this way people can give themselves and their country a living, lasting present."

The birthday celebration was kicked off New Year's Day. During the Tournament of Roses Parade, Smokey Bear and Woody Owl were shown planting a tree on a float representing the City of Torrance, California.

During this year's tree planting season, members of the American Association of Nurserymen in most states will feature special birthday trees appropriate for each area. For every birthday tree sold, the participating nurserymen will make a donation to Woody Owl's environmental education program.

Trees can be grown from different sources—seeds, cuttings or sprouts. County extension agents can provide more information about the characteristics, growth and planting methods for various species.

The forest service was "born" in 1905, when the administration of the nation's forest reserves was transferred from the United States Department of the Interior and combined with the Bureau of Forestry in the United States Department of Agriculture.

For more information on the plant a birthday tree program, write to Forest Service, USDA, 633 West Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53203.

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FEBRUARY 13-19
Wednesday, February 13—
Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, 7:00 a. m., chamber building.
Tawas Area Rotary Club, 12:15 p. m., Village Inn.
Tawas Area Senior Citizens, noon sack lunch, East Tawas Community Building.
Exceptional Friends of Iosco County, 7:00 p. m., American Legion Hall, Tawas City.
Nanciannes of Tawas Elks Lodge No. 2525, 7:30 p. m., 124 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.
Irene Rebekah Lodge No. 137, 8:00 p. m., Odd Fellows Hall, East Tawas.
Thursday, February 14—
Tawas City Business Association luncheon, 12:00 noon, Coyle's Restaurant.
TOPS Chapter No. 1318, weigh in 5:30 p. m., meeting 6:00 p. m., Grant Township Hall.
Iosco County Medical Care Auxiliary, 7:00 p. m., facility.
Parents Without Partners, 7:00 p. m., Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall.
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.
Monday, February 18—
Immaculate Heart of Mary Council of Women, 7:30 p. m., parish hall.
Tawas City Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.
East Tawas Council, 7:30 p. m., city hall.
Tuesday, February 19—
Tawas Kiwanis Club, regular meeting, 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.

Auxiliary No. 5678, 8:00 p. m., VFW Hall.
Tawas Bay Chapter No. 130, Disabled American Veterans, and Auxiliary, 8:00 p. m., K of C Hall.
Tuesday, February 26—
Tawas Kiwanis Club, 12:15 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 Area Lions Club, 6:30 p. m., Lixey's China House.
Baptist Women's Missionary Society, 7:30 p. m., multipurpose room, First Baptist Church, Tawas City.
FEBRUARY 27-MARCH 4
Wednesday, February 27—
Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, 7:00 a. m., chamber building.
Tawas Area Rotary Club, 12:15 p. m., Village Inn.
Tawas Area Senior Citizens, noon sack lunch, East Tawas Community Building.
Irene Rebekah Lodge No. 137, 8:00 p. m., Odd Fellows Hall, East Tawas.
Thursday, February 28—
Tawas City Business Association luncheon, 12:00 noon, Coyle's Restaurant.
Parents Without Partners, 7:00 p. m., Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall.
TOPS Chapter No. 1318, weigh in 6:30 p. m., meeting 7:00 p. m., Grant Township Hall.
Sweet Adelines, 7:30 p. m., Tawas Area High School.
Tawas Bay Arts Council, 7:30 p. m., Graystone Building, Tawas City.
Tawas Council No. 2709, Knights of Columbus, 8:00 p. m., K. of C. Hall, East Tawas.
Monday, March 3—
Hale Area Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 7435, 7:00 p. m., Deerland Restaurant.
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, March 4—
Tawas Kiwanis Club, regular meeting, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's China House.

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Major	W	L
Jerry's Marina	19	9
Buckhorn Inn	19	9
Moore's Painters	15	13
Alibi Inn	14	14
St. James Electric	14	14
C-Vee's Pizza	13	15
Rollin Real Estate	13	15
Freel's Market	12	16
Kendall Brothers	12	16
Lad's Padd	9	19
Team High Series: Buckhorn Inn, 3006.		
Team High Single: Jerry's Marina, 1028.		
Individual High Series: D. Ulman, 626; B. Short, 582; C. Lorenz, 579.		
Individual High Single: D. Ulman, 258; C. Lorenz, B. Short, 223.		
Bowlin Belles	W	L
Bowlerettes	16	4
Pin Pals	16	4
Spareribs	12	8
Alley Cats	11	9
Lucky Strikes	10	10
? Marks	9	11
Ups & Downs	9	11
Balls of Fire	8	12
Swingers	5	15
Rollin Pins	4	16
Team High Series: Pin Pals, 2409; Bowlerettes, 2369; Lucky Strikes, Ups & Downs, 2296.		

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Individual High Single: Marge Marx, Patience Nash, Patti Whitford, 232; Phyllis Biggs, 229; Grace Revord, 228.		
Senior Citizens	W	L
AuGres	9 1/2	6 1/2
Alabaster	9	7
Hale	8	8
Tawas Lake	7 1/2	8 1/2
Indian Lake	7	9
East Tawas	7	9
Individual High Series: Bob Thomas, 625; Harold Larsen, 604; Jim Hollinger, 597.		
Individual High Single: Bob Thomas, 220; Harold Larsen, 218; Phil Maser, 214.		
Tues. Night Ladies	W	L
Bayside Beauty Salon	16 1/2	7 1/2
LaNoble Realty	16	8
Miton's Pizzeria	15	9
Huron Auto Parts	13 1/2	10 1/2
Graham Oil	13	11
Dutch Kitchen	10	14
Freel's Market	10	14
Genii's Restaurant	10	14
McCormack-Reynolds	10	14
Tri-County Agency	6	8
Team High Series: Graham Oil, 3090; Huron Auto Parts, 3030; McCormack-Reynolds, 3003.		
Team High Single: Huron Auto Parts, 1081; Graham Oil, 1050; McCormack-Reynolds, 1042.		
Individual High Series: P. Knight, 691; P. Nelkie, 685; P. Whitford, 670.		
Individual High Single: P. Nelkie, 269; P. Whitford, 254; P. Conn, 240.		
Tues. Night Trios	W	L
Alley Busters	11	5
Smoothies	11	5
Alley Cats	10	6
Charisma Salon	10	6
Warriors	10	6
Troubles	8	8
Who Cares	6	10
High & Mighty	5 1/2	10 1/2
Kendall Brothers	4 1/2	11 1/2
Travis Trucking	4	12
Team High Series: Troubles, 1785; Alley Busters, 1770; Alley Cats, 1765.		
Team High Single: Alley Busters, 646; Kendall Brothers, 626; Troubles, 615.		
Individual High Series: Louie Kendall, 663; Ray Tobias, 650; Terry Davis, 647.		
Individual High Single: Karen St. James, 243; Louie Kendall, 237; Terry Davis, 227.		
Commercial	W	L
Seymour Carpets	17	11
Bay Party Store	16	8
Buckhorn Inn	16	12
Wojahn Floor Covering	16	12

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Breakfast Club	W	L
Jack & Esther	13	7
Hale Asphalt	12	8
Wicker Hills	11	9
Hale Bar	10	10
Hale Hardware	9	11
Long Lake Bar	9	11
Bowlsby Oil	8	12
Eagle Park Grocery	8	12
Team High Series: Jack & Esther, 3031; Hale Asphalt, 3010; Hale Hardware, 2974.		
Team High Single: Jack & Esther, 1060; Hale Asphalt, 1042-1020.		
Individual High Series: Kathy Emery, 659; Madeline Wetterell, 645; Effie Pipesh, 634.		
Individual High Single: Kathy Emery, 250; Madeline Wetterell, 243; Effie Pipesh, 232.		
Monday Women	W	L
Powers Aluminum	14	6
Trading Post	13 1/2	6 1/2
Golden Mirror	12	8
Mousseau Body Shop	11	9
Whittemore Bank	9 1/2	10 1/2
Boyd's Resort	8 1/2	11 1/2
Independents	7 1/2	12 1/2
Londo Lake Store	4	16
Team High Series: Trading Post, 2920; Powers Aluminum, 2879; Independents, 2878.		
Team High Single: Trading Post, 1037; Mousseau Body Shop, 1025; Powers Aluminum, 1003.		
Individual High Series: Maxine McKenzie, 654; Maxine Gray, 634; Pudge Wayne, 630.		
Individual High Single: Maxine McKenzie, Maxine Gray, 251; Dorothy Thayer, 244; Audrey Kidney, 232.		
Hits & Mrs.	W	L
Trading Post	59	33
D&J Carpets	52 1/2	39 1/2
Lau's Fashions	50 1/2	41 1/2
Evergreen Resort	48	44
Felske Heating	48	44
Hard Hat Bar	42	50
Hale Flowers	37	55
Ray's Landing	32	60
Team High Series: Trading Post, 2382; Evergreen Resort, 2337; D&J Carpets, 2316.		
Team High Single: Trading Post, 869; Evergreen Resort, 842; Hard Hat Bar, 807.		
Individual High Series: John Weyandt, 631; Harry Davis, 625; Jake Rau, 613.		
Individual High Single: Jake Rau, 233; John Weyandt, Ray Clough, 230.		
Mixed Doubles	W	L
Nathan's Upholstery	19	9
Hale Bank	19	9
Hale Heating	16	12
Scotfield Real Estate	14 1/2	13 1/2
Pearsall Hardware	14	14
Hale Hardware	11	17
Colonial Inn	10	18
Scotfield Insurance	8 1/2	19 1/2
Team High Series: Hale Hardware, 2381; Pearsall Hardware, 2349; Nathan's Upholstery, 2299.		
Team High Single: Hale Hardware, 827; Pearsall Hardware, 796; Scotfield Real Estate, 789.		
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LOOKING BACKWARD—

State Orders Removal of Street Signs

15 Years Ago—
February 17, 1965 — Michigan State Highway Department reminded city officials in two letters this month that it was enforcing provisions of its program to remove illegal signs from highway right-of-way. Where federal moneys are involved in constructing new highways, the state is removing signs from highways.

Second annual Tawas Perchville Festival will be held this week-end on ice of Tawas Bay, coinciding with the convention here of Michigan Outdoor Writers.

Low bid of Eckstein Construction Company was accepted Monday night by the East Tawas Council for modernization of the community building.

Largest pike taken in Tawas Bay thus far this season was a 17-pounder speared by Gerald Potts.

Two salary proposals for teachers under study by Tawas Area Board of Education calls for a base of \$4,600 and 10 increments leading to a maximum of \$6,300, and a second called for a base of \$4,800 with a maximum of \$6,400 in 13 steps.

United States Gypsum Company's installation at Alabaster has been awarded a certificate of commendation for operating 395,877 man hours without a disabling accident during the past two years.

February 17, 1965—Guarding strategic points in Michigan from possible enemy attack are the new F89d Scorpions at Wurtsmith Air Force Base. The twin-engine jets are loaded with new advances in military aviation.

Peoples State Bank was allotted 100 of the uncirculated Liberty Head dollars accidentally released from the mint for the Christmas holiday. The coins were minted in the 1880s. Catalogued by dealers since 1904 as a rare coin with a premium price, through an error of a government employee three million of the coins were released to the Federal Reserve Banks. When discovered, the story made headlines in the nation's newspapers and a slump in the price of any of those particular coins in hands of dealers and collectors.

Proposed drawings of the new booth sponsored by Tawas Chamber of Commerce at the Detroit News Sportsmen's Show were presented to the board of directors.

Leslie F. Pfahl of West M-55, Tawas City, recently completed basic infantry training at Ft. Leonard Wood with a unit of the Sixth Armored Division.

Candidates for the winter homecoming at Tawas Area High School include Patricia Frank, Sharon Czaika, Sharon Rose, Katherine Bolen, Margaret White, Lois Hall and Patricia Bennett.

35 Years Ago—
February 16, 1945 — Two American bald eagles, the larg-



H. R. (JIM) HILBERT, is one of many fishermen, who have been enjoying pike fishing on Tawas Bay during the past several weeks. He speared this 40-inch, 16-pound whopper last Thursday.—Tawas Herald Photo.

est nearly seven and one-half feet across the wings, have been caught in traps set for fox and coyotes near Oscoda. Both eagles were held by one talon and were released uninjured by Paul Harvey, trapper. American eagles are quite common along the Lake Huron shoreline and along the AuSable River.

Four veteran employees of the Detroit and Mackinac Railway mechanical department were honored at a banquet held at the Barnes Hotel. They were John Myles, machinist; Cecil Cox, boilermaker; Otto Zollweg, coach mechanic; Wyatt Misener, carpenter.

County-Wide Program at Oscoda Area

Children in the Iosco Intermediate School District will have a free day Friday, February 22, as teachers, educational aides and administrators attend a day-long county-wide inservice day at Oscoda Area High School Auditorium.

The session will begin at 8:30 a. m. with registration and featured speaker will be Dr. Edward Frierson, executive director of Nashville Learning Center, Nashville, Tennessee. It is estimated that about 500 Iosco personnel will be in attendance. The session is in cooperation with Bay-Arenac Intermediate School District.

Format for the program will include how the classroom is set up to really work, problem students, grading students fairly, teaching basics and developing creativity and involvement of parents, principals and other teachers. Evaluation and adjournment is scheduled for 4 o'clock.

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Tawas Hospital Schedules Estate Planning Seminar

Tawas Hospital Development Council Deferred Gifts Committee is presenting an estate planning seminar for the farming community. The program is to be presented in three sessions at the hospital beginning Wednesday, February 20, 1:30 p. m.

It will utilize local attorneys, agricultural agents, trust officers and certified life underwriters to explain the fundamentals of estate planning. Each session will include lecture and question and answer period.

A registration fee will be charged. Any member of the farming community desiring registration or more information should call or write the Human Resource Department, Tawas Hospital, 200 Hemlock Road, Tawas City, 48763 or call (517) 362-3411, extension 352.

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Proceedings of the Iosco County Board of Commissioners

JANUARY SESSION
 January 16, 1980
 A Regular Meeting of the Iosco County Board of Commissioners held at the County Building in Tawas City on January 16, 1980, pursuant to published schedule.

Meeting called to order at 2:05 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.

County Treasurer Edward Nelkie appeared before the Board to request adoption of a Resolution authorizing the County to borrow against anticipated delinquent 1979 taxes for the County Tax Revolving Fund, the sum of \$1,450,000. In discussion of the matter, Nelkie read the proposed resolution prepared by counsel, indicating the following proposed pay-back schedule.

\$725,000 - 5/1/81
 \$275,000 - 5/1/82
 \$50,000 - 5/1/83
 \$400,000 - 5/1/84

Matter referred to Committee

for drafting of a resolution.

The Clerk reported briefly in reference to several matters.

The Communications received by the Clerk's Office were referred to the Chairman upon receipt.

Commissioner Merschel reported on having loaned two chairs from the Board of Commissioners' room to the Sheriff's Department, indicating they were urgently in need of the chairs to replace broken equipment and do not have funds in their budget for the needed replacements; further indicating that they must have good quality chairs due to the strenuous, full-time use to which they are subjected in their office. Following discussion of the matter - wherein Commissioner Merschel suggested that the board buy two new chairs and put them on loan to the Sheriff's Department, and Chairman Webb proposed that they be charged to the Building and Grounds Department - Webb proposed that the matter be referred to Committee for study.

Following further discussion, it was moved by George and supported by Merschel that the matter be tabled until later in the day. Motion carried.

Commissioner George reported on a recent meeting of the Trio Council on Aging, indicating that the Iosco Commission on Aging, has petitioned the Trio Council for an amendment of the by-laws to remove the Board of Commissioners' authority to appoint the member-at-large and, instead, provide for the appointment by their organization of two representatives to the Trio Council, inasmuch as funding is being provided through their own millage and not by the Board of Commissioners. George expressed the feeling that the recommendations of the Iosco Commission on Aging should be highly considered. The matter, together with the organization of the Trio Council, was discussed by Board Members.

Continuing, George referred to a news item in the January 9th issue of the Iosco County News relating to expansion of the County Museum, indicating that he doesn't recall the Board giving Mr. Barkman authority to cut down trees and proceed with any expansion program. In discussion of the matter, Webb explained that Barkman presented some proposed plans for the Board's examination, but that he doesn't think any specific permission was given to proceed with the project; whereupon he (Webb) showed the drawings to Board Members, indicating a grant has been applied for. The matter was referred to the Buildings and Grounds Committee for study and recommendation.

Continuing, George reported that the District No. 2 Health Department has requested that he attend the 30th Directors' Conference in Lansing on January 30th and 31st, indicating that travel expense would be paid by the Health Department, and that the only cost to Iosco County would be per diem. In discussion of the matter, Commissioner Merschel raised a

question as to whether the county should pay for M. A. C. Committee meetings, whereupon Commissioner Ulman proposed that only mileage be allowed. Chairman Webb suggested that George be authorized to attend the conference if there are sufficient funds in the budget, thereupon proposing that the matter be tabled until later in the day.

Commissioner Ulman presented and moved adoption of the following Resolutions:

Your Administrative Committee recommends that Edward Sterling, County Building and Safety Inspection Department Administrator, be authorized to attend the 17th Annual Building Officials' Conference at Kellogg Center, Michigan State University, or other convention later in 1980, whichever is most informative to him and within the departmental line item budget of \$150.00.

Supported by Stech and carried.

Your Administrative Committee recommends that Wilfred Holzheuer's resignation from the Iosco County Planning Commission be accepted, with regret, and that Daniel Peters, of Plainfield Township, be appointed to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the term expiring 12/31/80.

Motion supported by Merschel and, following a discussion wherein Chairman Webb read the letter of resignation, carried.

Commissioner George raised a question as to whether it would not be appropriate to furnish frames for certificates of appreciation, it being the consensus of opinion in discussion of the matter that frames should be purchased for use with the certificates.

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

Your Finance Committee recommends that, after review, the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners and the County Clerk be authorized to approve per diem compensation for meetings through today and salary for the month of January for the Board of Commissioners.

Supported by Ulman and carried.

MARIAN ULMAN
 Salary for January 200.00
 Board meeting 1/2 & 1/16/80 70.00
 Committee meet. 12/27/79 & 1/9/80 70.00
 Parks & Rec. meeting 1/8/80 23.00
 363.00

WHEREAS, the Iosco County Board of Commissioners has been appropriately requested to place on the August 5, 1980 ballot a question whether the additional millage previously approved for expanding services for the elderly shall be renewed; NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iosco County Board of Commissioners hereby order the question of renewing the levy of additional millage for expanded services to the elderly to be submitted to the registered and qualified electors of Iosco County at the primary election to be held on August 5, 1980, in the following terms:

"Shall the levy of two tenths of one mill, annually, be RENEWED for a six year period beginning with the 1981 levy, funds so collected to be used by the Iosco County Commission on Aging for maintaining and expanded services for those Iosco County citizens 60 years of age and older."

Supported by Merschel and carried.

Your Finance Committee recommends that the Iosco County 1980 budget be amended to read as follows:

Item No.	Description	Amount
386A	940 Leases & rental	\$390.00
387	979 Capital outlay (truck, used)	\$2,610.00

Supported by Stech and, following discussion wherein Commissioner George explained the necessity to provide funds for continued lease of the animal control vehicle until purchase of same can be effected, carried.

Continuing, George read a communication from County Counsel, Ronald Tyler, pertaining to the transfer of title and ownership to Mr. Wilbur Roach of the compactor located at the Multi-County Landfill, which Mr. Roach has been purchasing from the county on an installment basis over a period of several years, and presented the following Resolution prepared by counsel, moving its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iosco County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes its Chairman, John D. Webb, Jr., to execute, for and on behalf of the County of Iosco, a transfer and assignment of title to the Multi-County Landfill, a Michigan Corporation, of a certain compactor purchased by the County of Iosco pursuant to an agreement between the County and Multi-County Landfill, dated the 7th day of June, 1978.

Motion supported by Merschel and carried.

George thereupon presented the following report of Minutes of the Statutory Finance Committee meeting of January 9, 1980, and moved its acceptance, motion being supported by Merschel and carried.

MINUTES OF STATUTORY FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING OF JANUARY 9, 1980

Members present: George and Merschel

1. Claims and accounts as attached were reviewed by the Committee and approved with the following exceptions:

Exceptions Reason Action
 Claims & Accounts No. 2
 No. 2 Archie's Shell, Do not pay sales tax Reject \$.17
 No. 3 Bob's Auto Parts, Math error and do not pay sales tax Reject \$.82
 No. 10 Northern Radio Engineers, Held for insurance reimbursement Reject \$50.50
 Claims & Accounts No. 1
 No. 25 Reid Paper Co., Goods have not been received as of today Reject \$441.60

2. Additionally, the Committee discussed the following items and took indicated disposition: Claims & Accounts No. 2, Item No. 22, statements for \$525.96 in "GROC" from the Kroger Co. contained no itemized invoices or cash register receipts. The Finance Committee has advised the Sheriff Department that statements without documentation are not generally acceptable to the State Auditor.
 /S/ David George and Carlton Merschel

Attachments:
 C & A 1 \$ 5,439.02
 2 5,870.06
 3 2,051.00

Rev. Sharing Paid without presentation \$15,984.42

A brief recess was ordered by the Chairman at 3:20 p. m.

Upon called to order at 3:45 p. m., Finance Chairman George presented and moved adoption of the following Resolution, motion being supported by Merschel and carried.

Your Finance Committee recommends that the following bills be paid:

a) Ronald Tyler \$1,041.66 (Line item No. 182)
 b) Ronald Tyler 738.00 (Line item No. 801) with \$60.00 to be reimbursed by AuSable Valley Mental Health

NOTE: \$424 for Airport Expansion Legal Work \$152 for Defending Action of Sheriff in dismissal of Deputy \$ 60 for Board of Public Works Opinion

c) District No. 2 Health Department \$22,327.50 (Line item No. 113)

Chairman Webb reported briefly in reference to a proposal received from the United Steel Workers Union in behalf of the County Building Employees, indicating that it "Looks good" and that the matter will be held over until next week, and reviewed other business to be carried over for future consideration.

It was moved by Merschel and supported by Stech that the minutes of the December 19th and 27th and January 2nd meetings of the Board of Commissioners be approved as drafted and presented by the Clerk. Motion carried.

Commissioner George moved that the matters of chairs for the Sheriff's Department and County Museum expansion, which were tabled earlier in the day, be tabled until the next meeting. Motion supported by Merschel and carried.

Continuing, George raised the matter of his invitation by the Health Director to attend the 30th Directors' Conference in Lansing on January 30th and 31st, and, following a brief discussion, moved that per diem be allowed for his attendance for the two days. There being no support for the motion, it was declared dead. In further discussion of the matter, Merschel referred to "drastic cuts" that have had to be made, indicating the board must be "Super Auster." and Commissioner Stech expressed his concurrence.

Chairman Webb referred to a request by Harris Barkman, Director of the County Museum, to extend the term of employment of some CETA personnel beyond the 18 months limitation. In discussion of the matter, it was the consensus of board members that the exceptions should not be granted.

Continuing, Webb reported that Emergency Services Coordinator, Edgar Cummings, has been offered a radiation source for use in testing equipment, indicating that it is encased in 250 pounds of lead. In discussion of the matter, it was proposed that the material be stored at Wurtsmith Air Force Base, as there is no proper storage facility at the county building.

The business scheduled for the day having been concluded, it was moved by Stech and supported by George to recess until 3:00 o'clock p. m. on January 23, 1980. Motion carried and meeting adjourned at 4:10 p. m.

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

JANUARY SESSION
 January 23, 1980

A continuation of the regular January session of the Iosco County Board of Commissioners held at the County Building in Tawas City on January 23, 1980, pursuant to adjournment January 16, 1980.

Meeting called to order at 4:30 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.

County Counsel, Ronald Tyler, and Tawas Area Educator, E. J. Barry, appeared before the board to seek a resolution authorizing Mr. Barry to proceed with a quest for a CETA Title VI project to clear a runway approach area at the County Airport of trees and brush. The matter was discussed briefly and referred to Commissioner Stech for the drafting of a resolution.

County Treasurer, Edward Nelkie, appeared before the board to present the 1979 annual report of general fund revenues, together with a report of fund balances and reconciliation of bank balances and fund cash accounts, which were prepared by his office. Nelkie reviewed the

report in detail and answered questions of the commissioners.

The report of 1979 general fund revenues follows here:

TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT 1979 GENERAL FUND

	1978	ACTUAL REVENUE
ANIMAL CONTROL REVENUE:		
Disposal, Impoundment, Pick up Fees	687.00	4,538.50
Adoption Fees	960.00	2,350.50
Dog License Fees	703.50	
BUILDING INSPECTORS REVENUE:		
Building Permits	24,817.72	
Soil Erosion Permits	785.00	
Electric Permits	11,716.75	
Plumbing Permits	7,368.00	43,813.30
Miscellaneous	1,267.40	45,954.87
COUNTY CLERK'S REVENUE:		
Licenses & Permits—Non Business	2,197.00	
Circuit Court Services	6,457.00	
Circuit Court Costs	9,488.95	
Friend of the Court Fees	5,724.50	
Clerk's Services	10,737.25	
Other (Pay Phone)	48.83	36,806.27
Reimbursements	1,713.87	36,367.40
81st DISTRICT COURT REVENUE:		
Bond Forfeiture	2,905.00	
Ordinance Fines & Costs	8,780.24	
Court Costs	106,494.50	
Bond Costs	555.00	
Civil Fines	2,955.30	113,920.93
Miscellaneous (Stock Dividend)	27.67	121,717.71
EQUALIZATION DEPARTMENT REVENUE:		
Transcripts	637.51	
Supplies & Postage	3,628.21	99.89
Travel—Reappraisal (Reimbursement)	1,761.11	6,026.83
PROBATE JUDGE'S REVENUE: (11 Months)		
Probate Services	3,523.57	4,230.15
		3,523.57
REGISTER OF DEEDS REVENUE:		
Transfer Tax	30,244.90	
Register's Services	25,924.00	
Microfilm Services	1,896.70	64,000.25
Other Revenue (Plat Books)	3,264.50	61,330.10
TREASURER'S REVENUE:		
Real Estate Taxes	1,083,424.48	
Trailer Rental Tax	606.00	
Licenses & Permits—Non Business	5,696.00	
Use Money & Property	77,445.96	
State Aid—		
Probate Judges Salary	21,765.00	
Sheriff—Road Patrol	37,647.00	
Marine Safety	12,183.33	
Civil Defense	4,059.64	
A. D. C. Money	19,233.94	
Cooperative Reimbursement	16,444.78	
State Income Tax	138,592.74	
Liquor Licenses	9,809.80	
Treasurer's Services	5,436.86	
Tawas City Contract	37,099.44	
Refunds & Reimbursements	36,411.54	
Other Revenue	1,012.92	
Motor Fuel Refund	2,473.02	
Forest Service Contract	4,836.00	
Tax Revolving No. 1—Collection Fee	10,311.05	1,425,957.05
Refund—Cost of Computer	39,279.64	1,563,771.14
SHERIFF'S REVENUE:		
Sheriff's Services	4,427.10	10,311.97
Witness Fees & Prisoners Care	2,686.53	7,113.63
TOTAL REVENUE:		1,703,678.31
		1,848,155.75

TOTAL FEES COLLECTED:

	Actual	Budget	Over Under
Animal Control	2,350.50	552,829.00	-550,478.50
Building Inspector	45,954.87	49,332.00	-3,377.13
County Clerk	36,367.40	170,000.00	-133,632.60
District Court	121,717.71	35,000.00	86,717.71
Equalization Department	6,026.83	3,523.57	2,503.26
Probate Judge	3,523.57	61,330.10	-57,806.53
Register of Deeds	61,330.10	7,113.63	54,216.47
Sheriff	7,113.63	210,107.77	-203,000.00
Treasurer	210,107.77	494,492.38	-284,384.61
	494,492.38		

tee recommends that Commissioner James Stech be appointed to the Board of Directors of the East Central Michigan Health Systems Agency, Inc., to succeed former Commissioner Joseph Fox.

Supported by Merschel and carried.

Commissioner George presented and moved adoption of the following resolution, motion being supported by Merschel and carried.

Your Finance Committee recommends that the Chairman of the Iosco County Board of Commissioners and the County Clerk be authorized to sign the Department of Transportation contract No. 79 2586, with the wording "\$3.50/hr. max. inc. benefits" to be deleted from the contract's budget line items (1) C.5 and (2) B.6.

Chairman Webb read a letter dated January 18, 1980, from Labor Attorney, Philip Wood, who is retained by the Board, indicating, with respect to negotiations with the Sheriff's Department employees, that a petition for arbitration filed by the union in September, 1979, was rejected by the Michigan Employment Relations Commission and the case sent back to the state mediator to schedule further negotiations. In discussion of the matter, Commissioner George proposed that the Sheriff Department's employees be contacted in regard to further negotiations.

The business scheduled for the day having been concluded, it was moved by Merschel and supported by Stech to adjourn until February 6, 1980, at 2:00 o'clock 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 5:30 p. m.

JOHN D. WEBB, JR.
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D. KEITH PAPAS
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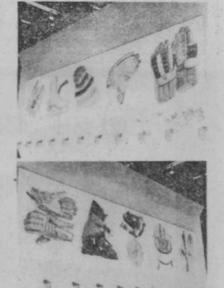
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Leslie Fraser 7-1p

Our heartfelt thanks to relatives and friends for their kind acts of sympathy during our recent loss of our loved one, Gene Parent. A special thanks to Pastor Raymond Moelter for his kind words and Grace Lutheran Church Women for their delicious dinner. God Bless all of you.
Mrs. Gene Parent and family
Mrs. Saima Haglund and family 7-1p

I would like to thank my family and friends for get-well cards, flowers and Rev. Rockhoff for his visits and prayers while I was in the Bay Medical Hospital.
Olga Look 7-1p

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful service, floral offerings and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful.
The family of Dorothy Banks Rose 7-1p

Virginia Spitalsky would like to thank everyone for cards and visits at St. Joseph Hospital when I was there last week.

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WANTED—All types of businesses in the Tawas area. Call LaNoble Realty Company, Lansing, Michigan, or Stan Stratik (517) 362-5955. 2-10p

WANTED — Barnwood, planks and beams. Call collect (313) 525-1420. 1-8p

PUBLIC NOTICE

REGULAR MEETING - TAWAS CITY COUNCIL
January 21, 1980
Meeting called to order at 7:30 PM at City Hall by Mayor Westcott.

Present: Keiser, Lansky, Martin, Upson, Westcott, Hayes. Others: Mgr. Thomas, Supt. Look, Treas. Hilbert.
Minutes of January 3 special and January 7 regular meetings approved.

Manager reported, in regard to special assessment district procedure, that Ordinance 181 would allow proceeding to bid before an assessment is spread, after determining to proceed with a project, with a delay for required notices before awarding bid. Also, changes in plans must be authorized by Council.
Deputy Mark DeBeau, Community Service Officer, was in attendance with Sheriff's Department offer of close cooperation in Council concerns.

Councilman's Items:
1. Martin inquired about Adamek property use. Manager is working on a report, to be presented February 4.

2. Pawloski inquired about Philpot's inoperable cars. Manager has asked Sheriff's Department to inspect that property frequently for possible ordinance violations.
3. Keiser inquired as to the handling of the recreation opinion survey expenses. The costs will be included as in-kind contribution toward City's share, as will the costs of contacting other communities for comparison with their facilities, and holding of the required public hearing.

4. Upson inquired status of door-to-door mail delivery plans. Postmaster Hosbach is working on the possibility.
5. Westcott discussed traffic flow on German Street, resulting in a motion by Lansky, seconded by Upson, and carried, that Council resolve to sign intersections as follows:
Maple Street: STOP northbound and southbound at German Street.
German Street: STOP (replacing present YIELD) eastbound and westbound at Beech Street.

Some discussion on the 4-way stop at Ninth Avenue and Fourth Street, with no changes deemed advisable. Sheriff's Department is requested to ticket violators at all the above-mentioned STOP signs.
6. Martin urged proceeding toward acquisition of a new fire barn. Manager is preparing a report on the study for presentation to Council in the near future.

Resolution establishing the Commercial Improving Committee and charging it with various responsibilities, offered by Hayes, supported by Keiser; roll call vote: unanimous yes. Candidates for membership will be listed by categories for selection next meeting. (Full text in Supp. Book of Minutes, page 73.)

First Reading of proposed Ordinance No. 199, amending Ordinances 186 and 142, accepted on motion of Keiser, seconded by Martin; roll call vote: unanimous yes.
Manager presented the 6-Month Budget Report and reviewed the status of each account, explaining significant and anticipated variations from budgeted amount.
Motion by Hayes seconded by Lansky, carried on unanimous roll call vote, that the following appropriations and transfers be made:

TO GENERAL FUND FROM

100 Election—Supplies and Printing
100 Assessor—Contract Services
500 City Hall—Supplies
500 City Hall—Communications
1600 Insurance—Multi-Peril
235 Insurance—Fleet

50 Insurance
3000 Transfer—Replacement Fund
2400 Meters
1250 Hydrants

950 Insurance
5000 Shoreline Use Study

PUBLIC NOTICE

Motion by Hayes seconded by Lansky that appointments be made to Cemetery Board; terms expiring 4/1/80: Earl Davis and Roscoe Lee; 4/1/81: Alton Long; roll call vote: unanimous yes.

Appointment of Zoning Board of Appeals member tabled to February 4 meeting.
Motion by Martin seconded by Upson that Arthur E. Ziehl be reappointed to Board of Review for 3-year term expiring 1/31/83; roll call vote: unanimous yes.

Motion by Hayes seconded by Pawloski that full appropriation be made from surplus and unappropriated funds of the General Fund for costs for City Treasurer Hilbert to attend Advanced Course for Governmental Accounting at MSU; roll call: unanimous yes.

Manager announced a dramatic improvement in City's standing in final 1/15/80 revision of DNR Priority List for wastewater treatment facility funding.

Motion by Keiser seconded by Pawloski to approve Manager's January 7 listing of Projects & Priorities for 1980 and Beyond, consensus being that since many projects are pursued simultaneously, more specific numerical listing is impractical.
Adjourned 10:02.
RACHEL SUE MCCREADY
City Clerk 7-1b

NOTICE
Region 7B Employment and Training Consortium offices at Mid Michigan Community College, Harrison, and in the eight counties of Arenac, Clare, Gladwin, Iosco, Isabella, Midland, Ogemaw and Roscommon, will be closed on February 22, 1980 in observance of Washington's Birthday.
ROBERTA VOLKER,
Administrative Director
Region 7B Employment and Training Consortium
1375 South Clare Avenue
Harrison, MI 48625 7-1b

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Any violation of, or any failure to comply with the provisions of this ordinance, or any written order of the City Manager in pursuance thereof, shall be deemed a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine not to exceed \$100.00 or by imprisonment for not to exceed 90 days or both. Each day that a violation is continued or permitted to exist without compliance shall constitute a separate offense punishable by conviction in the same manner provided in this section, provided no person shall be imprisoned for a single but continuing violation of this ordinance for a period longer than 90 days.

THE CITY OF TAWAS CITY FURTHER ORDAINS:
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Connections
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Office Supplies
Minor Capital Outlay—\$1000
Transfer—Improv. Fund—\$2000

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO. 199
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCES NO. 186 AND 142 AS FOLLOWS:
THE CITY OF TAWAS CITY ORDAINS:

That Sections III, IV, V, VI and VII of Ordinance No. 186 are hereby renumbered as Sections IV, V, VII, VIII and IX in that order, and that the following new sections are added to Ordinance No. 186:
SECTION III. CONNECTION DISTRICTS; PERMITS & INSPECTION REQUIRED; CHARGES.

(a) No building sewer shall be connected to the City's public sanitary sewer system without a permit from the City Manager.
(b) The property owner, contractor or other agent of the property owner shall not permit the building sewer or connection to the City's public sanitary sewer system to be covered or backfilled until said building sewer or connection has been inspected and approved by the City Manager or his designated representative.

(c) The City is hereby divided into the following districts for the purpose of establishing fees to be charged for connecting a building sewer to the City's public sanitary sewer system:

(1) District 1: Building lots numbered 1 through 10 of the River View subdivision of Tawas City.
(2) District 2: All remaining building lots or land either in or outside the City of Tawas City.
(d) Any property owner, contractor or other agent of the property owner who wishes to connect a building sewer to the City's public sanitary sewer system shall pay a connection permit fee according to the following schedule:

(1) District 1: \$850 for a 6" sewer connection; \$950 for an 8" sewer connection.
(2) District 2: \$350 for a 6" sewer connection; \$450.00 for an 8" sewer connection; \$25.00 for connection to a sewer service lead installed as part of a special sewer assessment district and for which the lot containing the building sewer was assessed as part of said district.

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The Probate Court for the County of Iosco
Estate of Edna M. Schalm, Deceased File No. 8181
TAKE NOTICE: On March 4, 1980, at 10:00 A. M., in the Probate Courtroom, Tawas City, Michigan, before the Hon. William H. McCreedy, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Charles W. Schalm, Jr. for granting administration of said estate to Charles W. Schalm, Jr. or some other suitable person and for a determination of heirs.
Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said Charles W. Schalm, Jr., Kenneth J. Myles P. C., Attorney for Petitioner, 502 Lake Street, Tawas City, Michigan 48763 and proof thereof filed with the Court on or before May 2, 1980.
Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.
Dated: February 11, 1980
CHARLES W. SCHALM, Jr.
Petitioner
240 Cox
Whittemore, Mi. 48770
Attorney for Petitioner:
KENNETH J. MYLES P. C.
502 Lake St.
Tawas City, Mich. 48763
Phone 517-362-6133 7-1b

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Iosco
Estate of Dola R. Sherman, Deceased File No. 8177
TAKE NOTICE: On February 29, 1980, at 10:00 A. M., in the Probate Courtroom, Tawas City, Michigan, before the Hon. William H. McCreedy, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Loren L. Sherman for probate of a purported will and for granting administration of said estate to Leon Putnam or some other suitable person, for a determination of heirs and for a confirmation of sale of real estate.
Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said Leon Putnam, Kenneth J. Myles P. C., Attorney for Leon Putnam, 502 Lake Street, Tawas City, Mich. 48763 and proof thereof filed with the Court on or before April 28, 1980.
Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.
Dated: Jan. 31, 1980
LOREN L. SHERMAN
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2912 Amherst
Fullerton, Calif. 92631
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PUBLIC NOTICE

said connection has been inspected by the City Manager or his designated representative. Any property owner violating any provisions of this paragraph shall be required to conform to all provisions before the water shall be turned on. Any costs over and above the connection permit fee, incurred by the City to assure conformance by the property owner, shall be assessed to the property in the same manner as past due water charges.

ADOPTED IN ACCORD WITH SECTION 4.9 of the City Charter; to be published in the Tawas Herald February 13, 1980; effective date: February 14, 1980.
DAVID A. WESTCOTT
Mayor
RACHEL SUE MCCREADY
City Clerk

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of Ordinance No. 199, duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Tawas City at a Regular Meeting held on February 4, 1980, and that public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to statute. I further certify that Councilman Martin supported said motion. I further certify that the following members voted for adoption of said ordinance: Lansky, Martin, Pawloski, Upson, Westcott, Hayes, Keiser; that no members voted against adoption of said ordinance; and that no member was absent from said meeting. I further certify that said ordinance has been recorded in the Ordinance Book of the City, and that recording has been authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor and City Clerk.
RACHEL SUE MCCREADY
City Clerk 7-1b

NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER SALE, HURON - MANISTEE NATIONAL FORESTS — Bass Lake Road Sale, located within Section 6 of T23N, R6E; Sec. 1 of T23N, R5E, Michigan Meridian, Iosco County, Michigan. Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, U. S. Forest Service, Cadillac, Michigan up to 11:00 A. M. local time at place of bid opening on March 17, 1980, for an estimated 2413 Cunits of timber marked or otherwise designated for cutting. The estimated volume by species product and the minimum acceptable bid rate is: 327 Cunits of Jack Pine Sawlogs at \$16.42 per Cunit; 271 Cunits of Mixed Hardwood Pulpwood at \$3.28 per Cunit; 736 Cunits of Jack Pine Pulpwood at \$6.43 per Cunit; 1049 Cunits of Red Pine Pulpwood at \$2.87 per Cunit; 30 Cunits of Aspen Pulpwood at \$4.49 per Cunit. Applicable purchaser road credits are \$675. The required bid guarantee is \$300. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Full information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale, and the submission of bids should be obtained from the District Ranger at Tawas, Michigan, or the Forest Supervisor, Cadillac, Michigan. 7-1b

SQUIRES WHEEL ALIGNMENT—Will close December 14 and reopen March 17, 1980. Have a good winter. 48-16b

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Iosco Must Again Develop A New Solid Waste Plan

"You are in the landfill business, whether you want it or not."

This was the opinion expressed Wednesday by the Iosco County Board of Commissioners by John Weible of Alabaster

Township, who, with Susan Lambrecht represented the Iosco County Planning Commission at a recent workshop held by the state on landfills.

Under a 1979 state act, the county must prepare a solid

waste management plan and have it approved on or before July 1, 1981. The state has appropriated money to provide 50 percent of the funding for development of such a plan and Weible felt that this county should take immediate action.

He emphasized, however, that this county should make an immediate decision if Iosco wishes to join an adjoining county or counties to develop a regional landfill.

He urged commissioners to seriously consider joining with Alcona County, which operates a landfill presently "certified" by the state. New requirements probably would entail a considerable expenditure of money for that facility to meet new state regulations.

Iosco County has been in the process of studying landfills for a number of years and expended \$5,000 for a recent update of its existing plan, which has yet to be approved by the state. Because of the fact that plan was developed by the planning commission through the East Central Michigan Planning and Development Commission, that document does not meet current engineering requirements, although some information possibly can be used in a new one.

It is estimated that Iosco will have to spend \$3,000 in local money to receive matching money from the state for a new 18-member board to develop an entirely new plan.

If the county board of commissioners takes no action to comply with the state act, municipalities and townships within the county have two months to decide by majority vote if they will file a notice of intent to prepare the county solid waste management plan.

Should local units fail to file notice, the regional solid waste management planning agency would decide whether or not to prepare a plan and, if no action is taken at that level, the direc-

tor of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources would prepare a plan which would be final.

At the present time, the county is under contract with Multi-County Landfill to provide a facility. Weible said that from information he received from the DNR, that facility could not meet the new requirements, although he did not believe the DNR would close it until after 1984. An Ogemaw County landfill serving Plainfield Township was recently closed by the state, while the Alcona landfill serves Wurtsmith Air Force Base.

During discussion on new requirements, some of which call for clay and plastic liners, tile drainage systems and deep wells for monitoring, it was pointed out that the county currently spends more than \$100,000 annually on its operational contract with Multi-County Landfill.

"Who is going to pay for operation of a landfill five years down the road," asked Com. Merschel. He disagreed with Weible that the cost of operating a landfill in conjunction with Alcona County would be less than today's cost and pointed out that present operational funds come from federal revenue sharing money.

Unless congress again approves federal revenue sharing with states and local units, the entire cost would be borne locally. In that event, Merschel was of the opinion that the cities and townships would have to bear the cost as county funds would not be adequate.

In any event, citizens of this county can expect that the cost of burying garbage and debris in this county or any adjoining county will be higher than at present when new state landfill standards are enforced. In the meantime, much more will be heard on this subject at future meetings of the county commission.



WILFRED HOLZHEUER of Hale, who served 12 years on the Iosco County Planning Commission, resigned recently to give another person the opportunity to learn about local government. In accepting a certificate of appreciation Wednesday from John Webb,

right, chairman of the county board of commissioners. Holzheuer said that "if anyone owes a debt of gratitude, it is me." He called his service on the planning commission a real education.—Tawas Herald Photo.



WOMEN of many European countries fought alongside their menfolk during World War II, as depicted by this poster.

Women

(Continued from page 1.)

lond in England is Earl Davis of Tawas City. A member of a B-17 combat crew in the 351st Bomb Group, Davis said that the two of them met briefly between flights at the same airfield and exchanged news from home.

Finally, in the spring of 1945, the war in Europe came to an end and hostilities with Japan were concluded that August. The Herald's service column noted a steady stream of returning military service personnel, including the following women from Iosco County who had served during the war: Lt. Evelyn Smith, Lt. Elizabeth Metcalf, Pfc. Marjorie (Musolf) Baclawski, Pvt. Lucille Malcolm, Lt. Irma Kasischke, Lt. Dorothy Arnold, Pfc. Lucille (Schmidt) Dye, Pfc. Shirley Waters, Pfc. Doris Brugger, Pvt. Leah (Pelton) Reaves, Pvt. Goldie M. Ziehl, Lt. June Latter.

The above list does not include all the names of Iosco

County women who served enlistments in the various military services during World War II, but it does point out that these women serving in various parts of the world played an important role in the Allied victory. Unfortunately, the importance of their service is often forgotten.

As for Flight Nurse Haglund, she married a fellow officer in the Army Air Corps, Robert Lane, and they make their home at Louisville, Kentucky. Lane is employed there by a major oil company.

During a visit to East Tawas during the Christmas holiday, Marilyn told her mother that she would soon retire from her long career as a registered nurse.

After tending to the well-being of her patients for nearly 40 years—including her dangerous occupation as a flight nurse in an unarmed C-47 plane in the European war zone during World War II—she has met many challenges in her profession, but the greatest reward in a nurse's career often is the knowledge that her skill has helped to relieve suffering or to save a life.

Mushroom Soup A Michigan Dish

One of the easiest ways to forget about old man winter outside is to sit down to some hearty Michigan soups, including cream of mushroom. Mush-

rooms are just one of more than 50 major good things growing in Michigan.

Mushroom growers produce about nine-million pounds each year in Michigan, to rank the state third in the nation in mushroom production, according to the Michigan Department of Agriculture.

Commercially grown mushrooms, those purchased in stores, are not to be confused with wild morels growing in the woods. Commercial mushrooming is an art, practiced by skillful growers who say it is easier to raise orchids than mushrooms!

Mushrooms are one of the paradoxes of agriculture. They grow in total darkness, indifferent to light. They will not grow in acidic soils or improperly ventilated houses and there must be a constant temperature of 55 to 62 degrees.

Sterile conditions are necessary during the entire mushroom growing process. Mushrooms are porous, making them susceptible to disease, for which there is no cure. Mushroom beds, made of a compost combination, must be pasteurized, cleaned and fumigated after each crop.

Due to this painstaking process, fresh mushrooms never need peeling. They require only wiping with a damp towel. An eight-ounce can of mushrooms is comparable to a full pound of fresh product. Canned mushrooms are packed as buttons, sliced or stems and pieces.

Basically three kinds of mushrooms are commercially grown, cream, brown and white. The only difference in the three is outside coloration. They taste the same and have the same texture.

Mushrooms are rich in vitamin B, protein and other minerals and should be refrigerated in a container which has holes for ventilation or a paper bag.

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- Thursday, February 14—**
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- Friday, February 15—**
Veal parmigiana, parsley buttered potatoes, mixed vegetables, tossed salad, bread and margarine, baked apple, coffee, tea, milk.
- Monday, February 18—**
Swiss steak, potatoes and gravy, carrots, brown bean salad, bread and margarine, tapioca pudding, coffee, tea, milk, juice.
- Tuesday, February 19—**
Chop suey on rice, carrot and raisin salad, roll and margarine, fruit cocktail cake, coffee, tea, milk.
- Wednesday, February 20—**
Salisbury steak with mushrooms, potatoes with gravy, three bean salad, bread and margarine, applesauce drop cookie, coffee, tea, milk.

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Case No. U-5365

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PIPELINE REFUNDS

On September 28, 1978, the Commission issued an Opinion and Order in the above-entitled matter authorizing Michigan Consolidated Gas Company (Consolidated) to revise its rates for natural gas service and approving the rates and tariffs attached thereto for service provided on and after September 29, 1978. The approved tariff for Consolidated's Purchased Gas Adjustment Clause provided:

"E. Purchased Gas Refunds:

If an increase in the cost per Mcf of gas payable by the company in any supply components contained in A. above is reduced by the final decree by court, if appealed thereto, and such order of a duly constituted regulatory body or the final increase shall have been included in the company's rates to the extent and in the manner specified in this Purchased Gas Adjustment Clause, the company shall report to the Michigan Public Service Commission the receipt of any refund or credit as a result of such final order or court decree and shall submit for Commission approval a plan to make equitable refunds to its customers of such monies to the extent they represent increased charges paid by the company's customers as a result of this Purchased Gas Adjustment Clause."

On July 12, 1979, Consolidated submitted a letter to the Commission, pursuant to the above rule, proposing to refund \$23,800,630 to its customers in September 1979. On July 20, 1979, Consolidated submitted a revised proposal to refund an additional \$277,101 to reflect refunds from Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Company and additional interest. The total proposed refund, \$24,027,731, consisted of:

- (1) \$21,247,068.40 which Consolidated received from Michigan Wisconsin Pipe Line Company pursuant to an order of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) dated March 30, 1979 in Docket No. RP77-60. The \$21,247,068.40 consisted of the portion of Michigan Wisconsin's rates for natural gas purchased by Consolidated and passed on to its customers through the operation of its Purchased Gas Adjustment Clause which FERC determined was unreasonable and excessive.
 - (2) \$214,556 which Consolidated received from Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Company pursuant to an order of FERC dated November 22, 1978 in Docket No. RP78-11. The \$214,556 represented the portion of Panhandle Eastern's rates for natural gas previously purchased by Consolidated and passed on to its customers through the operation of its Purchased Gas Adjustment Clause which FERC determined was unreasonable and excessive.
 - (3) \$313,280 which Consolidated had not refunded under the last refund plan approved by this Commission.
 - (4) \$1,485,045.60 which Consolidated had billed under its Purchased Gas Adjustment Clause, based upon the rates which were subsequently reduced by FERC in Docket No. RP77-60.
 - (5) \$767,781 of interest on the above amounts.
- Consolidated proposed to refund the \$24,027,731 to its customers based on the gas usage billed during its September 1979 billing cycle. A separate refund factor was developed for gas sales made under each rate schedule and a special refund factor for residential and commercial heating customers who would have a low usage in that period was used to provide those customers with their proportionate share.

On August 21, 1979, the Commission approved Consolidated's request to refund \$24,027,731 to its customers during its September 1979 billing cycle.

On September 7, 1979, Consolidated commenced mailing the September 1979 billing cycle bills to its customers, and those bills included refund credits based on the gas usage billed. The refund credits reduced the amount billed to the customers, and the amount of the reduction for the average residential heating customer was approximately \$10.50.

On September 10, 1979, Frank J. Kelley, Attorney General of the State of Michigan, filed a motion to halt the refund. The motion asserted that all of Consolidated's customers being billed during the September 1979 billing cycle were not entitled to refunds (i.e., new customers) and that because of usage changes the

usage billed in the September 1979 billing cycle would not be representative of usage during the period Consolidated was paying the refunded rates to Michigan Wisconsin Pipe Line Company and Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Company. On September 25, 1979, the Commission denied Attorney General Frank J. Kelley's motion to halt the refund.

On October 3, 1979, Attorney General Frank J. Kelley, General Motors Corporation and Great Lakes Steel Division of National Steel Corporation commenced actions in Ingham County Circuit Court against the Commission, seeking review of the Commission's order of September 25, 1979 and the refund plan approved August 21, 1979. They requested the Court to enjoin the refund and to require the Commission to hold a hearing to determine the most appropriate way for Consolidated to refund the \$24,027,731 to its customers, because the Commission's refund was not designed to refund the rates found excessive by FERC to the customers who paid those rates.

On October 31, 1979, the Ingham County Circuit Court issued an Order of Preliminary Injunction temporarily vacating the Commission's approval of Consolidated's refund plan on August 21, 1979, enjoining the further refunding of any portion of the \$24,027,731 not previously refunded by Consolidated, and requiring the Commission to hold a hearing to determine an appropriate method of refunding the \$24,027,731 and to give notice of said hearing.

Jurisdiction in this matter is pursuant to 1909 PA 300, as amended, MCLA 462.2 et seq.; Section 4 of 1919 PA 419, as amended, MCLA 460.54; Sections 4, 6, 6a and 6b of 1939 PA 3, as amended, MCLA 460.4, 460.6, 460.6a and 460.6b; Section 3 of 1923 PA 238, as amended, MCLA 486.253; Chapter 4 of 1969 PA 306, as amended, MCLA 24.271 et seq.; and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 1954 Administrative Code, 1968 Annual Supplement, R 460.11 et seq.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT:

A. The Michigan Public Service Commission will hold a hearing to determine the appropriate method of refunding the \$24,027,731 Michigan Consolidated Gas Company was directed to refund by the Commission on August 21, 1979. Any customer of Michigan Consolidated Gas Company may appear and participate in the proceedings in accordance with the Commission's rules.

B. The initial hearing in this case will be held at 9:30 a.m. on March 7, 1980 in the offices of the Commission, Mercantile Building, 6545 Mercantile Way, Lansing, Michigan, which hearing will be held for the purpose of setting a schedule of hearings, and exploring and, if possible, agreeing upon matters which will expedite this proceeding.

C. Any person seeking to intervene, in accordance with Rule 11 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure Before the Commission, shall file with the Commission, on or before March 2, 1980, an original and 12 copies of a petition to intervene, together with proof of service upon Consolidated.

Subparagraph (2) of said Rule 11 provides as follows: "(2) A petition to intervene shall set out clearly and concisely the facts supporting the petitioner's alleged right or interest, the grounds of the proposed intervention, and the position of the petitioner in the proceeding, so as fully and completely to advise the parties and the Commission of the specific issues of fact or law to be raised or controverted." (Emphasis added)

The Commission will require strict compliance with the above-quoted rule.

D. THE REFUND CREDIT FOR GAS BILLED BY MICHIGAN CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY IN SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER 1979, MAY BE AFFIRMED, OR INCREASED OR DECREASED FOR CERTAIN CUSTOMERS. THEREFORE, ANY CUSTOMER WHO RECEIVED A REFUND CREDIT REDUCING THE COST FOR THE GAS BILLED DURING SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER 1979 MAY BE RECHARGED FOR THE NATURAL GAS USAGE IN SAID BILL TO RECOVER ALL OR A PORTION OF THE CREDIT AS A RESULT OF THE HEARING IN THIS MATTER.

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