



SCHOOL IS OUT and these two youngsters were pleased about it when they left the East Tawas Elementary Unit last Thursday morning. Both showed the photographer how high they could jump as they headed home for the start of the summer vacation.—Tawas Herald Photo.

City Hires Architect to Plan Modest Fire Hall - Library

Unanimous action by the city council Monday night authorized hiring of an architect to assist in developing plans for a "bare bones" building to house a fire hall-library and to make minor renovation to the city hall.

After meeting with the architect, the council would then decide if a proposal would be placed before voters in the November general election seeking approval of the construction.

Two previous proposals seeking construction of a city hall fire hall-library complex have been rejected by voters, but Coun. John (Joe) Martin was of the opinion Monday night that voters "might go" for a smaller package.

Farmers Home Administration has extended its previous offer of low interest (five percent) financing until November and City Mgr. Lowell Thomas said Monday night he had learned that FmHA would be agreeable to using the funds to include minor renovation of the city hall. In the past, it had been stated that FmHA would not finance a renovation project.

Because of the current state of the economy, Coun. Hugo Keiser felt that the council should look toward financing the largest share of repaying the loan from funds presently in the city budget. He felt that the people would not approve any additional tax levy at this time and the council may have to revise some of its priorities—delay river mouth development for a few years—in order to finance the fire hall-library and city hall renovation project.

The city manager had asked permission to open negotiations with the Detroit and Mackinac Railway for the purchase of a vacant lot at the corner of Mathews Street and Fourth Avenue as a location for the new fire hall-library.

Coun. Donald Hayes felt that the city should meet with the architect before starting negotiations on any property purchase. Because of the depressed construction business, Hayes felt that the city should be able to negotiate a good price on building a "bare bones" fire hall-library, but believed the

people would not approve any major project because of current unemployment. A steel building to house fire equipment and the library is being considered and the city manager felt that an architect should be utilized in order to ensure that all specifications are met. He said it was obvious that the facility should be designed "in the least expensive route we can go and still provide safety concerns." He felt that a prefabricated steel building would be adequate.

Thomas also pointed out that an architect was necessary in order to qualify for FmHA financing.

The city manager was of the opinion that any project should include minor renovation of the city hall. This would include converting the former fire department quarters into a meeting room, plus redecoration of present offices which have not received a coat of paint in a number of years. Basement rest-rooms would also be moved to the main floor.

The city manager reported that the Iosco-Arenac Regional Library was agreeable to moving the library from its present quarters in the Robert Rollin building south of the river bridge to the city-owned dwelling west of the city hall. The library would be housed there temporarily until new quarters are secured.

Some minor improvements would be made to the house, including a change in lighting, painting ceilings and the front porch.

The city is to move fire equipment and the library out of the Rollin building before the end of the month.

State Boundary Commission Hears Pro and Con on Annexation

After listening to convincing testimony for and against Tawas City's annexation petitions, most observers at Friday's hearing were thankful that the final decision rests with the State Boundary Commission.

At the conclusion of the two hearings held at the Iosco County Building, David Calhoun, boundary commission chairman, commented that all units of government involved made excellent presentations—"much better than some larger units involved in annexation proceedings."

Additional written comments and testimony may be presented by any of the three units of government involved—Tawas City, Tawas and Alabaster Townships—before what will be a lengthy study process by the commission in making its final adjudication.

Boundary commission members, besides Chairman Calhoun, include James Smith, Peter Lamberts, John N. Brugger and George Stalker. The last two named are local appointees of the probate judge while regular members are appointed by the governor.

During Friday morning's hearing, City Mgr. Lowell Thomas testified that the city's interest and action in seeking annexation of approximately 230 acres of Tawas Township were "prompted primarily by concerns related to proper planning and development and the city's need for additional space."

With two noncontiguous areas under consideration, Thomas said the larger area comprising approximately 190 acres surrounds the west side of the city on three sides. One of the "fingers" that jut into the township is the city's proposed industrial park and the other is the city's cemetery. In addition, the city plans to purchase, in the near future, approximately 40 to 60 acres of the area just west and south of the industrial park to install lagoons for a wastewater treatment facility.

"Annexation of this area will incorporate within the city those lands needed for and surrounding these public facilities and will square off the boundary in a logical fashion in this area," said Thomas.

Thomas said the city was concerned with the sensitive and publicly oriented natures of an industrial park, wastewater treatment facility and cemetery which require that the development of surrounding land be controlled and properly coordinated by the public entity which controls those facilities. He said there must be centralized and positive coordination and control of street layouts, drainage flow, utility sizing and access, plus zoning for compatibility of adjacent uses with proper greenbelts and buffer zones.

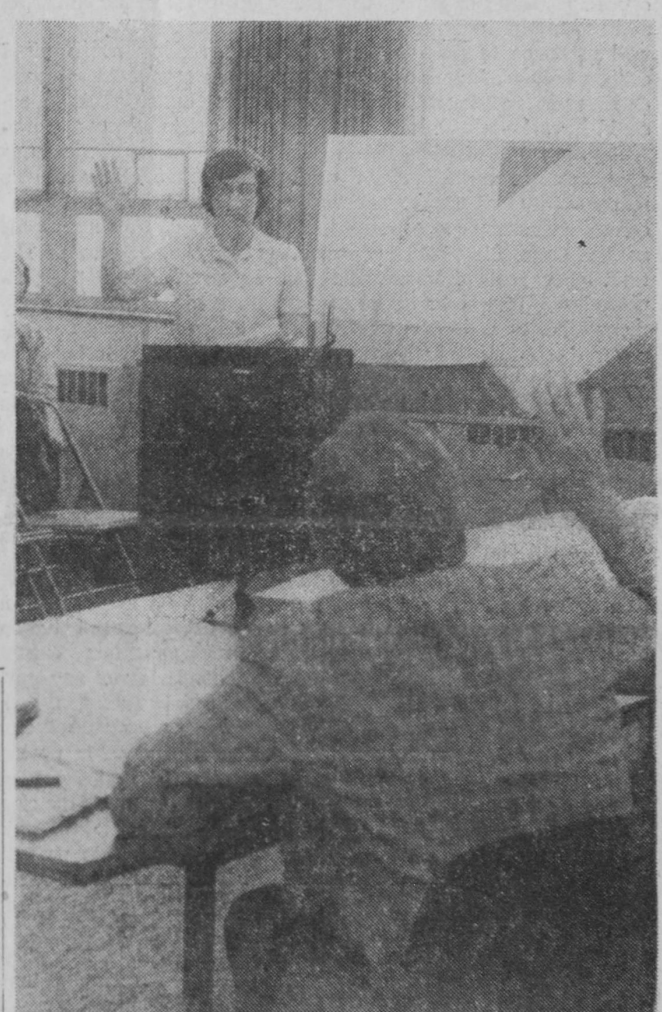
Thomas said the area proposed for annexation is part of a larger "Tawas area" referred to in the Iosco County planning document. The county plan states that "further development of this area is encouraged; septic tank use is essentially a mute question here—density patterns and the numbers of people in the area demand public facilities."

Thomas said that the need for the city to control the planning, zoning and development of this area was demonstrated by contradictions between the recently adopted Tawas Township zoning ordinance and the county's development objectives plan. Thomas said that the county planners noted that some of the land in the area proposed for annexation had only slight limitations for residential development with septic tanks and should be excluded from an agricultural classification, while land west of the area and further into the townships has severe limitations for residential development with septic tanks and should be preserved for agricultural purposes.

Thomas said the Tawas Township zoning ordinance, on the other hand, shows the developable land zoned either agricultural or industrial and shows 2½ sections west, with severe development limitations, zoned as multi-use residential, permitting residential lots to be developed as small as one-quarter acre in size.

"The need for coordinated and compatible land use planning for this area was further demonstrated by an apparently amended township zoning map, filed with the county clerk this year after the city filed its annexation petition with the boundary commission, showing this 40 acres rezoned from agriculture to industry," said Thomas. "I am not sure what the township has in mind. Its industrial zoning district calls for quarter-acre building lots as a minimum and yet the township has no water or sewer utilities to service such a potentially congested area. Since the township recently elected not to participate with the city in a regional wastewater treatment facility, I can only assume that the township expects the city to provide any needed service."

(Later testimony by Nancy Huck, a member of the township planning commission, said there was some misunderstanding on this point as the township zoning ordinance clearly stated that the land was being retained for agricultural use, that the Hughes family owned the entire parcel of land that the township



IRENE HUGHES, Tawas Township treasurer, was one of those who testified during Friday's annexation hearing. She is shown here receiving the oath from James Smith of the State Boundary Commission before taking the witness stand.—Tawas Herald Photo.

East Tawas Council Denies Zoning Change

A requested change in zoning to permit construction of an office building on land lying between the "Y" intersection of US-23 and Tawas Beach Road was denied Monday night by the East Tawas Council.

It was stipulated, however, that the property owner should appeal the council's decision to the zoning board of appeals for a possible variance in zoning.

This action was in line with a decision made at the previous meeting, giving the property owner's attorney, Kenneth J. Myles, the opportunity to appear before the council before a decision was made.

Myles represents Charles Schreck Jr. and presented further material on behalf of his client requesting a change in zoning from residential to commercial.

The attorney pointed out that his client wished to remove the old log building on one parcel of the property and construct an office building on another lot.

On the basis that once the area became commercial and there would be no way to prevent complete development of the area, adding further congestion and confusion to traffic on Tawas Beach Road, the council adopted a resolution proposed by Ralph Western denying the zoning change.

The resolution was adopted on a three to two roll call. In favor were Eugene Fernetto, Western and Larry Wingrove. Opposed were Jacob Montgomery and George Staudacher. Gerald Klenow was absent from the meeting.

Unanimous action of the council denied the Christian Record Braille Foundation from soliciting funds from businessmen of the community on the basis that such funding should be provided through the United Fund.

Original Park Designer Believes: Silver Valley Winter Sports Could Boost Area Economy

Fifteen years ago, the Silver Valley winter sports park in Huron National Forest closed—presumably for all time—and the beautiful natural area was later closed to all vehicles due to the damage caused by motorcycles and other off-road vehicles.

Today, an East Tawas resident who played an important role in the original design of the park in the late 1930s is attempting to interest the United States Forest Service and the local communities in reopening of the park as a major attraction.

City Clerk Clyde Soper was a member of the United States Forest Service when the winter sports park first opened in 1938. He had charge of developing plans for the location of toboggan slides, parking lots, skating rink and downhill skiing facilities. Work was accomplished by men of the CCC stationed at Silver Creek under forest service supervision.

The East Tawas Council recently adopted a resolution written by Soper asking the forest service to place a high priority on development of and reopening of the Silver Valley winter sports area.

In cooperation with Roger Jackson, executive director of Tawas Chamber of Commerce, Soper sent a letter to the forest service last week asking that a meeting be held to consider the possibility of reopening the park.

The park was closed in 1965 following two disastrous winters—there just was not enough snow for tobogganing. In addition, the cost of liability insurance had increased to such a point that members of the Silver Valley Committee, an arm of the chamber of commerce, just could not see their way clear to continue operation of the nonprofit organization.

The park closed that year and a small debt owed by the committee was assumed by the chamber of commerce.

Soper said Tuesday that he believed some type of corporation should be formed to operate the park, but he felt that a costly skating rink and downhill skiing which formerly had been a feature should not again be considered because of the expense involved.

It is Soper's thinking that an entrance road could be located at some other point and that a safer toboggan slide could be designed.

He feels, however, that major emphasis should be placed on cross-country skiing and snowmobiling, which would not require any major financial consideration.

"It would be a real boost to our area during the winter if facilities were available at Silver Valley. With gas costs increasing, this area is in a good position to serve the Bay City-Saginaw-Plint area and the facilities would again prove to be an outstanding attraction for our local residents," he states.

Soper and Jackson are now attempting to get the county planning commission interested in the project and hope to meet soon with forest service officials.

During its heyday, Silver Valley often hosted upwards of 5,000 persons during the week-end "fun in the snow" outings. Soper is not looking for that to happen again, but he does believe that beautiful Silver Valley could again prove to be an important attraction.

During a recent outing, he showed his grandchildren where the toboggan slides were once located. "Those Norway trees we planted more than 40 years ago are now beauties and Silver Valley looks better now than it did when it was one of Michigan's first winter sports areas," said Soper.

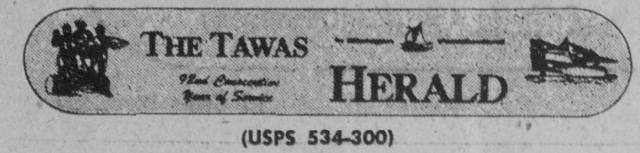


CLYDE SOPER



SATURDAY EVENING'S heavy rainstorm created a flash flood in the parking lot along the Tawas City Park and the water flowed over the curb into the park. A miniature waterfall was created by water rushing over these concrete steps. Persons participating in the Flag Day ceremony were trapped in the bandstand and most took off their shoes to wade through the water after the brief storm passed over.—Tawas Herald Photo.

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EDITORIAL

Some Comments on Annexation

Friday's hearing before the State Boundary Commission proved one thing—it is not always necessary to hire a high-priced attorney to present convincing testimony concerning opposing points of view.

The matter of deciding the issues, based on merit, is now the responsibility of the boundary commission and no one present at the hearings is envious of its task.

Much is at stake for the three units of governments involved: In Tawas City's case, it must plan for future utility services, provide room for industrial expansion, wastewater treatment and possible residential expansion to ensure a sound economic base to finance needed improvements.

That Tawas City officials committed a serious blunder 10 years ago when the city council authorized the crossing of Townline Road into Alabaster Township with water service was reemphasized Friday.

The city should have learned long ago that informal arrangements often result in confusion and a "loss of memory" in later years when a dispute arises.

The city council adopted a resolution two years ago prohibiting extension of municipal services outside of the municipal boundary, but that could be changed by some future administration and presumably could be changed by court order if the need arises in the future, if public health is involved.

Therefore, the city's present expansion of sewer plant facilities should be designed to handle only the future needs of the present corporate boundaries—when the time arises, new areas would be required to pay a full share of needed expanded facilities.



(Read John 8:25-32) "Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." (John 8:32)

While glancing through my daughter's college textbook on music appreciation, I unexpectedly gained a clearer understanding of the Bible. The textbook contrasted notes of music to words of a language.

In one respect, Bible verses are similar to musical notes. The hundreds of verses in the Bible complement each other and tell a total, complete story.

PRAYER Dear Father, guide us as we seek Your truth in the Bible. Give us the courage and strength to apply Your truth daily in our lives. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY To be truly free, we must continually seek the whole truth as revealed in the Bible.—Judd A. Moss (Virginia)



Meehleder Promoted by State Police

Ill. Thomas G. Meehleder, 51, assistant district commander of the Michigan State Police Post at Northville, has been promoted to captain and district commander at Grand Rapids.

From a historical viewpoint, the above may not be a sound judgment for, over the years, one lesson which should have been learned is that the Tawas area should attempt to anticipate the unexpected.

While it is desirable to plan for the future, from a practical point of view, the present generation cannot be financially burdened with over designed municipal facilities to handle a new expansion which may or may not take place.



DR. LARRY COLE and his wife, Jane, are shown here with Frank Storey, right, a member of the Arenac Shores Improvement Association.

New Member of Hospital Staff

Dr. James Jacques, chief of staff at Tawas Hospital, announced that Larry M. Cole, D. O., has been granted membership on the medical staff of the hospital.

Melvor News

Pvt. Gary Manning of Whittemore visited his aunt, Mrs. Gladys Melvor, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Marsh attended open house honoring their granddaughter, Sherry Martin, at her parents' home in Corunna last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder helped their granddaughter, Tam Schroeder, celebrate her graduation at an open house at her Pontiac home last Saturday afternoon hosted by her parents.

Minnie Jordan and Helen Eckstein attended an open house in honor of their nephew, Michael Kohn, at his parents' home in Flint last Sunday.

Last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wood were guests at an open house at the Richard Kaiser home in Glennie honoring their son's graduation.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Seiling of Toledo, Ohio, enjoyed last week-end with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parent.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams of Flint and their son, Sgt. Robert Williams, and children, Robert and Misty, of Wurtsmith Air Force Base spent last Wednesday with their sister and aunt, Mrs. Gladys Melvor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Schroeder and daughter, Pamela, and niece, Tara Brown, of Pontiac were Saturday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peck entertained the Clyde Woods at their Whittemore home last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reise and family of Mt. Pleasant enjoyed a few days at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Faria of Royal Oak spent the week-end at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Horton of Mt. Morris visited his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Viehl and sons, Dennis and David, of Swartz Creek spent the week-end with her mother, Florence Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wood, who enjoyed the winter in Zephyrhills, Florida, and are now staying in East Tawas, visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wood, last Thursday.

Lower Hemlock

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Groff and Cara of Coloma returned to their home after a five-day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Groff, and sister, Tammie, who is home from Lake Superior State College.

The Charles Groff family returned to their Warren home after a four-day vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Groff.

Monday, June 9, Mr. and Mrs. James Katterman and sons arrived home from a two-week combination business-pleasure trip to Denton, Texas.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Uiman, the Arnold Drumm family and Mr. and Mrs. Laurel Whitford and family were at an open house celebration for Scott Durant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gale Durant of Burton, Sunday.

The group traveled to Montrose for a graduation party honoring Kay Webber, a niece of Mr. Uiman.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown visited his sister, Mrs. Clare Herriman, enroute to their Flint home from Minnesota.

Toni Frank, one year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Frank, is a patient at St. Luke's Hospital, Saginaw.

Miss Julia Gackstetter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Gackstetter, is attending a citizenship seminar at Albion College, sponsored by Farm Bureau. During the session, participants will study and compare political policies of the world.

Wilber News

Mr. and Mrs. William Eckinger, Lawrence Eckinger and the Ray Hartleys returned home to Kawkawlin Saturday after spending a couple of days at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brookins and family of Grand Rapids came Friday night to spend the week-end with Mrs. Linda Aida and family.

Friends and relatives gathered at the Louis Alverson home on Sunday for a graduation party and dinner to honor Louis R. Alverson, a graduate of Oscoda Area High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert O'Neil of Lansing came Saturday. Mrs. Olive Lotridge accompanied them after visiting at the O'Neil home about a week.

Relatives and friends gathered at Mrs. Linda Aida's home Saturday for a party and dinner honoring the graduation of Larry Aida from Oscoda Area High School.

The Rev. and Mrs. Stephen Meeks from AuGres visited Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Harris and John Newberry Thursday.

Tania Giltz, Deborah Pyne and Susan Thompson were among the graduates at Oscoda Area High School.

Mrs. Franklin Jarrell and Tammi arrived from Texas to visit her mother, Mrs. Alice Dawes, and other relatives here a few days.

Henry Bacon took his mother back to her Petoskey home. She spent the week-end here and attended graduation.

Sand Lake

Michael Trudell has been discharged after undergoing surgery at Tawas Hospital.

Retirees will meet at 1:00 p. m. Thursday, June 19, for potluck dinner with an advisory board meeting following.

Sunday, the community building was the setting for an open house gathering for 1980 graduate, Michelle Clark, hosted by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Clark. Relatives, neighbors and friends had dinner and presented the honoree with gifts and money.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Snow have returned after an extended business trip to Venezuela in South America.

John Dodson passed away last week after a lingering illness. Condolences are extended to the family by his many friends in the area.

Glenn Bearss was readmitted to Tolfree Hospital, West Branch, last Friday.

Burt Reid attended the graduation exercises last week for his granddaughter, Becky Chargo, at Durand.

Doris Reeside underwent surgery last week at Bi-County Community Hospital, Warren.

A summer youth program is in progress at the community grounds for children three to seven years of age from 9:00 to 11:00 a. m. and ages eight and up from 1:00 to 5:00 p. m., Monday through Friday.

Sherman

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lichota were at Bay City Saturday.

Enjoying the week-end with her mother were Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Lewicki and Mary Jo of Bay City.

Steven Bellows reported for duty with the United States Navy on Monday.

William White was honored at an open house marking his graduation from high school.

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The Sewing Circle met at the home of Shirley Cottrell Thursday. Ten members were present.

Clark Hinkley and sons arrived in time to enjoy dinner with the group.

Last Thursday, Gladys Rakestraw called on the Harry Kelleys.

Shirley Cottrell, Gail Petri and Howard Parkhurst enjoyed last Sunday dinner with the Charles Cottrell family.

Substance Abuse Meeting Thurs.

Parents concerned about substance abuse (alcohol and marijuana) will meet Thursday, June 19, 8:00 p. m. at Tawas Area High School library.

A town hall type discussion will take place.

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IHM Church Scene of Simmons - Paitl Wedding

A reception for 400 guests was held at the East Tawas Knights of Columbus Hall following the exchange of wedding vows Saturday, June 14, when Tammy J. Paitl became the bride of Kenneth Simmons at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Tawas City.

The Rev. Lawrence Boks officiated at the 4 o'clock ceremony and Marilyn Suessmuth of Bay City, vocalist, was accompanied by Mary Byrd, organist.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Simmons of Whittemore and Mr. and Mrs. George Paitl of Tawas City.

For her wedding, the bride, who was given in marriage by her father, chose a candlelight gown of embroidered lace accented with seed pearls. Her rear-train bouquet was comprised of roses, daisies and gardenias.

Maid of honor was Roberta Richter with Pamela Novik, Lisa Brueback, Cheryl Shillair, Kim Konenski and Cindy Hubbard, bridesmaids. Their gowns were fashioned in pastel pink with sculptured bottom. They carried red silk roses.

Mrs. Paitl selected a pink gown with floral jacket and Mrs. Simmons wore pale green. Rose corsages adorned their attire.

Assisting the bridegroom were James, Dennis, Gary and Michael Simmons, Joseph and Chad Paitl.

The couple will reside at 39 Ridgeview Drive, Tawas City, upon their return from a two-week trip to Mackinac Island and Sault Ste. Marie.

The bride, a graduate of Bayshire Beauty Academy, Bay City, was honored at showers hosted by Miss Novik, Miss Richter, Lola Hubbard and Karen Samuels.

T. Hospital Kicks Off Fund Drive

The annual support/special gifts committee of the Tawas Hospital Development Council, chaired by Gary Wood of East Tawas, met at the hospital Monday evening, June 9, for dinner and the kickoff of a fund-raising competition for the group.

The committee has split into two competing groups to raise a total of \$25,000 by August 1. The "Appendectomies" are composed of Tawas City and East Tawas committee members and captained by Marshall Wood of Tawas City and Donald Schriber of East Tawas. They will be challenging the "Tonsillectomies" composed of Au Gres and Oscoda committee members, captained by Marjorie Gibbs of Oscoda and Louise VanSickle of Au Gres. The question is: "Which operation will net the most in donations for the surgical suite expansion at Tawas Hospital?"

The winners of the competition will be eating steak at a celebration dinner at the hospital on August 1, while the losers will be eating beans!

Wood stated that committee members are committed to doing their part in reaching the over-all development council goal of \$95,000 for the surgical suite expansion. Wood pointed out everyone in the community will be winners in the competition, because every dollar donated helps to make possible necessary expansions and additions of facilities at the hospital benefiting all.

Anyone interested in joining the Tawas Hospital Samaritan Club (\$100 donation or more per year) or desiring to donate funds can contact any development council member, or Rose Blackmore, director of the human resource department of the hospital, 362-3411, extension 352.

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Marilyn K. Johnson of East Tawas graduated with a bachelor degree in sociology from Spring Arbor College Sunday, May 25.

Out-of-town guests attending the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Robert I. Martin in the fellowship hall of First Baptist Church, Tawas City, included Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thompson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, Mrs. Thomas Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wurzel, all of Port Huron; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Everett of Franklin; Julia and Anna Bukowski of Saginaw; Mrs. Vera Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lee and daughter of Deckerville; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Perry and daughters, Jenny and Carol, Garden City; Mr. and Mrs. James E. Martin and sons, Brian and James, and daughter, Cheryl, of Hudsonville; Mr. and Mrs. Garth Thompson of Vassar; Mr. and Mrs. William Martin and son of Flushing; Mrs. Forest Tate and son, Gary, of Grand Blanc, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thompson of Kenah, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Roach of East Tawas announce the graduation of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. John (Nancy) Roach from the University of Minnesota, Duluth, on June 13. She will take her state board examination in August after which she will receive her law degree. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kida of Flint.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Lixey and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Phillips of East Tawas visited friends in Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Willett of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, spent a couple of days in Tawas City with relatives.

Mrs. Irene Reneau from Dallas, Texas, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Kendall at East Tawas during the past week. Also spending a couple of days with the Kendalls were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lutz, Flushing.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blubitz and sons of Reese visited in Tawas City with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blubitz and the Alton Longs, on Father's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. William Davis of East Tawas have returned from Spring Lake and Muskegon where they visited friends and relatives the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hoshach of Tawas City enjoyed Sunday in Saginaw with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hoshach and her mother, Mrs. John Carlisle, and attended the country music show at the Heritage Theatre there.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hines of Hazel Park are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Liske. Mr. Liske is a patient at Provincial House.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Ames and daughter, Laura, of Grand Haven spent a couple of days here last week. They sold their house at 615 Wadsworth Street, East Tawas, to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Torley. While here, they visited with the Walter Moellers.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Herriman and family of Midland were Saturday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Herriman of Tawas City.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Siegrist at their East Tawas home on Sunday were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schumacher, and children from Pinconning and their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Siegrist, and children from Standish.

Mrs. Dorothy Roth of Saginaw is the guest of Mrs. Glen Schlaack, Tawas City, this week. Roland Brown of Sterling spent Father's Day with his sister and guest.

Mrs. Thomas Cross from Menominee visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fraser of East Tawas, on Thursday.

Visiting Russell Rollin of Tawas City for Father's Day were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rollin of Hale and John Rollin of New Braunfels, Texas.

Attending a family gathering at the Harold Bouchard home in Grand Rapids over the weekend were Leonard Bouchard; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bouchard;

James, John and Margaret; Clara Martin and daughter, Casandra; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Spencer and children; Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lorenz and daughter, Sharon Serschen, and sons, Kurt and Scott, all of the Tawas; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bouchard Jr., Saginaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lorenz and children, Kalamazoo. Ladd Lorenz came home with his grandparents to spend a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Daly and son, Joel, of Flint arrived Sunday to spend the week with her mother, Mrs. Elsie Roach of Tawas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Donahue of Saginaw visited his mother, Mrs. Eleanor Donahue of Bay Park Tower, over the week-end and helped celebrate her birthday.

Stephanie and Heather Wojahn of Clio are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Ruth Tree of Tawas City and other relatives this week.

Mrs. Ella Kelley from Lafayette, California, spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. W. A. Luce, and sister, Edna, of East Tawas.

Mrs. James (Joan) Leigh of Portland, Oregon, has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mark of Tawas City, the past week. Over the week-end, the family met in Flint and attended open house honoring Dawn Diener.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Good of East Tawas included Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Merrill from Mt. Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Robert St. John from Owosso.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Mark of Tawas City were Sunday visitors in Flint. Their granddaughter, Elizabeth Mark, and cousin, Annette Tondreau, both of Livonia, accompanied them home for a week's visit.

Spending Father's Day with Edward Seifert Sr. at East Tawas were his daughters, Mrs. Violet Leonard of Flint and Mrs. Glenn Spears of Petoskey, and her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Moe of Tawas City and daughters, Miss Sherry Moe and Mrs. Nancy Stonehouse, visited several days in Eckert, Colorado.

Mrs. Irma Brunet of Bay Park Tower is visiting her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Thompson, and daughters in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Gwynn and son, James, of Fayetteville, North Carolina, are spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Albert Buch, and Mr. Buch. Mrs. Gwynn is the former Shirley Boomer.

Mrs. Eleanor Donahue of Bay Park Tower attended graduation of her grandson, Kelly Donahue, in Clio last week. She also attended graduation of her niece, Christie Reinke, in Saginaw.

Hospital Aux. to Elect Officers

Officers of Tawas Hospital Auxiliary will be elected and installed at the luncheon meeting to be held Tuesday, June 24, at Lakewood Shores, Oscoda. Sister Evangela will conduct the investiture. Guests and interested persons are invited to attend.

Reservations for the noon luncheon may be made by calling Doris Crafley at 362-6064 or Jane Churchill, 362-4525, by Thursday, June 19.

Randy Look is CMU Grad.

Randy Look, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Look of Tawas City, recently graduated from Central Michigan University with a bachelor of science degree in accounting. A 1976 graduate of Tawas Area High School, Look has accepted a position with the Alexander-Grant Accounting firm and is presently working at its Muskegon office.

Hayes-Bergeron Wedding

Tawas United Methodist Church was the scene of the double ring ceremony Saturday, June 14, uniting in marriage Kimberley Bergeron, daughter of Patricia Bergeron of Tawas City, and Kenneth Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hayes, also of Tawas City.

The Rev. Kenneth Tousley performed the 5:30 o'clock ceremony before an altar decorated with carnations and Donald Silvester, vocalist, was accompanied by Mrs. Alden Phelps at the organ.

Escorted to the altar by her brother, Richard Bergeron Jr., the bride wore an organza gown with Queen Anne neckline featuring silk Venice lace trim and seed pearls adorning the bishop sleeves. A pick-up flounce swept to a chapel train and the fingertip veil was attached to a mantilla with matching lace floral appliques. Her bouquet was a cascade of white chrysanthemums and pink roses.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Samuel Clawson of Oscoda with Mrs. Steven Klenow of Tawas City and Mrs. Grant Ulrich of Bay City, bridesmaids. They were attired in peach sundresses designed in dotted Swiss with ruffles at the neckline and shoulders. They carried wicker baskets of silk flowers to match their gowns.

Serving as best man was Steven Bettis of Tawas City. Groomsmen were Dennis Hayes and John Buckmeier. Dennis Bergeron and Darin Hayes seated guests.

For her daughter's wedding and reception to follow at McIvor Hall, Mrs. Bergeron chose an aqua A-line gown with chiffon overlay and Mrs. Hayes wore a pleated yellow dress. Baby orchid corsages enhanced their attire. The couple greeted 350 guests.

The bride, a graduate of Bayshire Beauty Academy, Bay City, and her husband, who attended Tawas Area High School, will reside at 3045 Miller Road, Tawas City.

The former Miss Bergeron was honored at showers by her fellow employees at Carol's Curl Corner and by Pearl Rabi-deau, Donna Jarvis and Linda Hayes.

Kobel-O'Neil Nuptial Vows Said June 14

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Richard Kobel are residing at 205 Evans Street, East Tawas, following the exchange of wedding vows Saturday, June 14, at Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Tawas City. Performing the double ring ceremony was Elder Edwin Bellinger. Emma Oudakirk was organist.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold O'Neill of Hale are parents of the bride and Mrs. Anna Kobel of Stayton, Oregon, is the bridegroom's mother.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white taffeta gown with sheer overlay accented with velvet squares. A headpiece featuring lace and pearls secured the fingertip veil. She chose white chrysanthemums and shattered red carnations surrounded by babies breath for her bouquet.

Mrs. Dean Hoskey of Flint was matron of honor and Darlene O'Neill was bridesmaid. They wore white taffeta gowns with nylon overlay adorned with red velvet circles, ruffled bottoms and pinafore aprons for their sister's wedding.

Paul Farrand of Tawas City, cousin of the bridegroom, was best man with Dean Hoskey, groomsmen.

Mrs. O'Neill chose a pink gown with lace top. Pink and white carnations comprised her corsage.

The couple was greeted by 85 guests from Pontiac, Clio, Burton, Flint, Davison and Tawas at a reception at the O'Neill home.



Patterson-Oates Marriage Solemnized at UM Church

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Patterson will reside at 3090 Minnipata Trail, National City, following a wedding trip to Cedar Point Amusement Park, Sandusky, Ohio. The couple exchanged vows Saturday, June 14, at Tawas United Methodist Church, Tawas City, with the Rev. Kenneth Tousley officiating. Mrs. Alden Phelps was organist for the 1 o'clock single ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Oates of Tawas City are parents of the bride and Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson of East Tawas are the bridegroom's parents. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an ivory V-neckline polyester knit gown with lace trim and featuring a capelet collar. The gathered skirt was attached to an Em-

pire waistline. Her bouquet was comprised of yellow roses encircled with daisies and babies breath.

The bride's sister, Mrs. Richard Niles of Grand Rapids, was matron of honor. She was attired in a beige linen gown with cap sleeves trimmed in white. She carried a bouquet of roses and carnations.

Serving as best man was Richard Niles. Michael Hueber of Oscoda and David Bates of Whittemore were ushers.

A reception for 125 guests from Mt. Clemens, Rochester, Lansing, Bay City and Owosso followed the ceremony in the fellowship hall. Mrs. Oates was attired in an aqua print gown accented with floral border.

Audrey Pinney honored the bride at a pre-nuptial shower.

Initiation Dinner Held by Quota

Quota Club of Isosco County recently held its annual initiation dinner at Lakewood Shores Country Club. Conducting the ceremony were Marion Killingbeck and Elizabeth Rosenberg. New officers for the 1960 year are president, Irene Hosbach; first vice president, Phyllis Langley; second vice president, Phyllis Stonehouse; treasurer, Shirley Wingle; recording secretary, Judith Verccryusse; corresponding secretary, Louise Gingerich. Directors for two years are Rosemary Klenow and Agnes Utter; Virginia Forster and Patricia Farmer will serve for one year.

The Quota Club project for the year will be the refurbishing of the hearing clinic at Tawas Hospital.

Naomis Plan Pot - Luck

The Naomis (widows' group) will hold a pot-luck Sunday, June 22, 6:00 p. m., at First Baptist Church, Tawas City. The program is on Christian view of death. Any woman living alone is welcome to attend. Bring table service and a dish to pass.

New Owners of Berger Stop DI

New owner of The Burger Stop drive-in in the Tawas City Park is Mrs. Stanley Brockenbrough of Tawas City. A grand opening is being held this week. See advertisement in this issue for grand opening special.

Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seafert of Whittemore celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, June 8, at an open house at Kawkawin Township Hall, hosted by their children. The former Ida Hiltz and her husband were married in Zion Lutheran Church, Tawas City, on June 5, 1930.

The couple has five children, Frank, Mrs. Irene Dietlein, Mrs. Gloria Dietlein, Mrs. Marilyn Kolb, all of Bay City, and Mrs. Louise Jammer, Auburn. They also have 14 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Women's Aglow Fellowship Meet.

The Women's Aglow Fellowship will assemble Saturday, June 21, 9:00 a. m., at Oscoda Area High School Auditorium.

Colette Paget of Petoskey will be sharing the experiences she and her husband have had in their lives and ministry. Her husband, Jack Paget, is chaplain of northern area hospitals.

An invitation is extended to men to attend this meeting. Donations are accepted. Coffee and rolls will be served.

Women's Aglow Fellowship is an international Christian organization consisting of women who are "aglow" with the Holy Spirit and who love to magnify Jesus Christ.

Engaged



Arthur Rybinski of South Lyon announces the engagement of his daughter, Susan Lynn, to Mark David Elliott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Elliott of East Tawas. The bride-elect and her fiancé are graduates of Ferris State College. The wedding will take place September 27.

Water Colors Featured at Art Gallery

Tawas Bay Artists will feature water colorist, Virginia Imbronone, in a series of workshops beginning Monday, June 23, at the art gallery. The series will include beginning lessons with continuation of lessons given last season. For further information, call 362-6305.

Tuesday workshops continue with Mrs. Marvin Steffens from 11:00 a. m. to 1:30 p. m. at the gallery. Articles are being crafted by the members for the hobby and antique show Saturday, July 5. The theme, "Christmas in July," denotes many gifts for an early Christmas list.

Cochairmen for the event are Gail Blury and Marilyn Jurczyk, who ask that applications be sent in early to insure a space. Applications are available at the chamber of commerce office and the gallery.

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Obituaries

John Dodson Died June 11

A retired lineman of Consumers Power Company and a former Tawas area resident, John T. Dodson of Lake Wales, Florida, expired Wednesday, June 11, at Provincial House Nursing Home, Tawas City, following a lingering illness.

Born October 11, 1908, at Brandy, Virginia, he was a member of Baldwin Lodge No. 377, Independent Order of Odd Fellows; Tawas Bay Aerie No. 2588, Fraternal Order of Eagles, and Tawas Bay Elks Lodge No. 2525. He served with the Seabees during World War II.

Funeral services were held Friday, June 13, at Jacques and Kobs West Chapel with the Rev. Charles Cerling officiating. Interment was in St. Joseph Cemetery, East Tawas. Elks Lodge memorial services were conducted Thursday evening.

Surviving are his wife, the former Muriel Kelly; a son, James of St. Ignace; three daughters, Kathy Matthews of Oscoda, Sheila Brady of Bay City and JoAnn Coffey of Chambersburg, Pennsylvania; eight grandchildren, and two great grandchildren. He also leaves two brothers, W. J. Dodson of Richmond, Virginia, and Lacy Dodson of Unionville, Virginia, and a sister, Mary Beahm of Lake Wales.

H. C. Robinson Passed Away

Funeral services for Harold C. Robinson of Grant Township, who succumbed Tuesday, June 17, at Iosco County Medical Care Facility, are to be conducted Thursday, June 19, 1:00 p. m., at Jacques and Kobs West Chapel, Tawas City. Burial will follow in Pioneer Cemetery, Grant Township.

Born January 20, 1901, at Detroit, he had been employed as a factory worker prior to moving to the area seven years ago.

Surviving is a daughter, Evelyn Taylor of East Tawas.

Rites Today for Doris Schatz

Doris L. Schatz of Tawas City passed away Sunday, June 15, at Tawas Hospital at the age of 82. She was born March 30, 1898, in AuSable.

Mrs. Schatz was a member of Emanuel Lutheran Church, an active member and past president of the Emanuel Ladies Aid and a member of the church sewing club. She was also a member of the Iosco Farm Bureau and the Tawas City Garden Club.

Surviving are two stepdaughters, Ruth White of Stuart, Florida, and Helen Himman of Northville; three stepgrandchildren; two brothers, Walter Miller of Tawas City and Herbert Miller of Wheeling, West Virginia; three sisters, Irma Roseberry of Blackshear, Georgia, Alvera Fahselt of Cranbrook, British Columbia, Canada, and Floreen Klieves of Palm Springs, California. Her husband, Henry, died in 1973.

Services will be held Wednesday (today), June 18, 2:30 p. m., at Emanuel Lutheran Church with the Rev. James F. Rockhoff officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery.

The family requests that any memorials be directed to Emanuel Lutheran Church General Fund.

Center Needs Quilt Donations

Developmental Disabilities Center of AuSable Valley Mental Health Services is in need of furniture donations and material to be used for quilts. The training center is located at County Line School where clients are being trained in vocational skills. Among the skills being taught are furniture refinishing, janitorial training and sewing. Donated material will be sewn into quilts.

Donations can be brought to school and dropped off at one of the drop boxes found at the following locations: Tawas at Kroger parking lot and Oscoda behind the Rexall Drug Store. For large furniture items call 739-9291 for pick up.



MEMBERS of the class of 1930 at East Tawas High School are shown above during Saturday night's reunion program. Front row, from left: Inez Larson Conklin of Tawas City, Grace Teal Williams of Hale, Elsie Ahonen Solomon of East Tawas, Ruth Merschel Wood of East Tawas, Lucille Klump Calvert of St. Louis, Missouri. Standing, from left: Prof. Steven Youngs of Sault Ste. Marie, Josie Adams Lange of

Roscommon, Lillie Adams Holmes of Lansing, Goldie Sheltenberger Bohl of Long Lake-Hale, Helen Coley Ulman of Tawas City, Lloyd Bowman of Bradenton, Florida, Eunice Anschuetz Gaffke of Bay City, Ada Harris Kennedy of Sanford, Anne Piper Osgood of Farmington.—Tawas Herald Photo.

East Tawas Class of 1930 Marked 50th Anniversary of Graduation

Members of the East Tawas High School class of 1930 rolled back the years Saturday night as they commemorated the 50th anniversary of their graduation.

The event, with 27 in attendance, was held at Lixey's China House, East Tawas. Ada Harris Kennedy of Sanford gave the invocation and Eunice Anschuetz Gaffke of Bay City served as mistress of ceremonies.

Highlight of the program was a group of songs by vocalist, Elsie Ahonen Solomon, accompanied by Helen Hertzler on the piano and assisted by John Clark Solomon, who played the violin obligato.

A letter from class adviser, Miss Helen Courtade (now Mrs. Helen Wyatt), was received

with applause by the group. She is remembered with well-earned esteem for her superior teaching ability.

As each class member gave a brief personal history, it was gratifying to hear each couple present say they had been happily married for periods ranging from 40 to 47 years. One member, Helen Coley Ulman of Tawas City, could boast of having a three-year-old great grandson.

A moment of silence was observed to honor the eight deceased members: Jennie Burgeson Mackey, Forest Butler, Myrton Curry, Lois Doak Mikolaizk, Deloise Durant, Gerald Mallon, Dorothy Merschel Mueller, Esther Osgerby Lak-

tos. Originally the class numbered 30.

A humorous article written by Erma Bombek concerning reunions was read by Richard Osgood of Farmington, husband of class member, Anne Piper Osgood.

Welcomed were Lloyd Bowman and his wife, Ella, from Bradenton, Florida, as well as Lucille Klump Calvert and her husband, Francis, of St. Louis, Missouri, who traveled the farthest for this reunion. Also present was the former principal of ETHS, Steven Youngs, and his wife, Edna, of Sault Ste. Marie. Since retiring from the teaching profession, Professor Youngs has established his own business, The International

Vocational-Educational Testing Service, which has franchises in this country and also Poland, the latest addition being one at Livonia.

Group singing of some oldies but goodies, led by Mrs. Solomon, was enjoyed—particularly the ETHS pep song. Porcelain mugs, hand crafted by Mrs. Gaffke and bearing the inscription, "ETHS 1930-1980," were presented to each class member as a memento of this auspicious occasion. Planners for the reunion were Mrs. Solomon, Ruth Merschel Wood and Mrs. Gaffke.

Consumer Questions Answered

What are consumer cooperatives and how do they work? Can they really help people save money? What are their advantages and where do the problems enter in? These are a few of the questions which will be addressed at three upcoming Cooperative Extension programs.

Evening sessions are scheduled throughout Iosco County as follows: Tuesday, June 24, Hope Evangelical Lutheran Church, 219 West River Road, Oscoda; Thursday, June 26, Iosco County Building, Tawas City; Wednesday, July 2, Reno Township Hall, M-65 (about two miles north of M-55). Starting time for each session is 7:30 p. m.

These sessions were planned as a result of numerous requests for information on cooperatives. All interested persons are invited to attend the session which is most convenient for them. There is no charge for the program. For further information, contact the Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service in Iosco County, 362-3449.

Tawas Hospital

BIRTHS—

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Randall Brewer, Tawas City, June 10, a son, Ryan Michael, weight nine pounds, one-half ounce.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Yeung Ko Ng, East Tawas, June 10, a son, Anthony Kenhung Ng, weight seven pounds, five ounces.

ADMISSIONS—

Visiting hours 1:00-8:00 p. m. Tawas City: Florence Trask, Minnie Pfeiffer, Allen Anschuetz, Mabel Theis, Josephine Nemeth.

East Tawas: Alfred Marsili, Allen Rouiller, Bruno Traczinski, Lawrence Corrado, Marie Drzewiecki, Colleen Roulo.

County: Gaylon Coy, Harold Savage, Oscoda; Charles Eno, Eunice McTaggart, Hale.

Other communities: Terrance O'Connor, Harrisville; Nelson Smith, Mikado; Kenneth Turner, Prescott; Anna Storm, Greenbush; Nancy Ulrich, Sterling Heights.



BETTY KUBIAC presented a check for \$875 to the Iosco County Medical Care Facility Auxiliary Monday, representing proceeds from a benefit dance revue held Saturday night at Oscoda. Accepting the check are Louine Docking, cochairman, and Betty Anschuetz, right, chairman of the auxiliary. The money is to be used to help finance purchase of an awning to be erected over the patient's patio at the facility. Total cost is \$1,400 and the remainder is to be raised by

the auxiliary. The organization is holding a bazaar July 25-26 entitled "Christmas in July" and all patients and employees are to be treated to an early Christmas dinner. Recent improvements by the auxiliary include drapes in each patient bedroom and lobby and a bulletin board for each patient. Mrs. Kubiak said it was the largest amount ever raised by her dancers.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Federal Grant for Economic Growth in NE Michigan

Iosco is included in a 14-county area which has been approved for a \$55,000 federal grant to help continue a program of planning for long-range economic growth and new jobs.

East Central Michigan Planning and Development Regional Commission, based at Saginaw, applied for the grant to the Economic Development Administration (EDA) of the United States Department of Commerce.

The fund will be used to help pay the administrative costs of the commission for a year.

The commission is the official planning organization for an

economic development district consisting of Arenac, Bay, Clare, Gladwin, Gratiot, Huron, Iosco, Isabella, Midland, Ogemaw, Roscommon, Saginaw, Sanilac and Tuscola Counties.

Aim of the EDA district program is to encourage neighboring jurisdictions to work together to overcome regional problems blocking growth and to create jobs through the development of local resources.

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Thank you dancers for the beautiful plaque, and the "Rock Hound" T Shirts, and thank you mothers for your kind help.

A special thanks to the piano accompanist Don Parrish, and the stage manager Dave Feltz. Also a special thanks to The Knight of Columbus of East Tawas, and the Lions Club, Kiwanis, and V. F. W., all of Oscoda, for their kind donations.

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37 Attend Past Presidents Parley

Tenth District American Legion Auxiliary Past President Parley luncheon was held Thursday, June 12, at the Barn Door Restaurant, West Branch. In attendance were 37 members. The oldest was Marguerite Dawson, a charter member of West Branch unit, who is 88 years old. She was district president in 1935. Past President Parley chairman, Marguerite Bowers from Skidway Lake unit, presented her with a corsage.

Also in attendance were Dorothy Hughes, Bay City unit, and Catherine Bogart, East Tawas, past Department of Michigan presidents.

Past district presidents in attendance were Florence Baker, Bay City; Nell King, Oscoda; Beatrice Wintrowd, Alice Dismone, Gertrude McGuire, Midland; Bessie Gortner, Hale; Roxane Treat, West Branch; Myrtle Gage, St. Helen; Iolaine Richards and Leona Smith, Mio, and Mrs. Bowers.

Prayers and an original reading were given by Nora Brene, Luzerne unit. Pledge to the flag was led by the 10th district president, Rosezella Ruby. Singing was conducted by Mrs. Gage.

A contribution of \$41 was received for the nurses scholarship fund.

Announce Bookmobile Schedule

On Monday, June 23, the Iosco-Arenac Regional Library bookmobile will begin the following summer schedule of public stops:

Monday: Oscoda - Aldersgate Apartments, 2:15-2:45 p. m.; AuSable, Second Avenue, 3:00-3:25 p. m., and McKenzie Street, 3:30-4:15 p. m.

Tuesday: Alger, 2:30-2:45 p. m.; O & M Trailer Park, 2:50-3:15 p. m.; Sterling, 3:30-4:15 p. m.

Wednesday: Turner and Twining on alternate weeks, 3:00-4:15 p. m.; Maple Ridge, second and fourth Wednesdays, 12:30-2:00 p. m.

Thursday: Sand Lake, 10:00-11:30 a. m.; Omer, 3:00-4:15 p. m.

Friday: Point Lookout, 1:30-2:45 p. m.; Whitney Township Hall and Singing Bridge on alternate weeks, 3:00-4:15 p. m. For further details call the Iosco-Arenac Regional Library, 362-2651.

Craig Miller Interim Chief at T. Hospital

Tawas Hospital officials announced the appointment of Craig Miller to the position of interim administrator at the hospital. Miller is vice president of Flint St. Joseph Hospital and has 10 years experience in hospital administration. He will be available an average of four days a week at the hospital for an approximate four-month period.

According to Donald Miner, hospital assistant administrator, the hospital will receive assistance from its larger sister hospitals in Flint and Detroit in the search for a permanent administrator.

Tawas Hospital and Flint St. Joseph are two of five hospitals sponsored by the Sister's of St. Joseph of Nazareth, St. Johns, Detroit; Lee Memorial, Dowagiac, and Borgess Medical Center, Kalamazoo, comprise the other three.

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Hearing Date Set on Shoreline Plan

John Beckett, planning consultant, presented an updated shore line use plan Thursday night to the Tawas City Planning Commission. Development of the plan is one phase of a contract which is funded 80 percent with coastal zone management funds through the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

Beckett's report included observations that the Tawas City shore line is divided into seven districts, yet internally cohesive elements beginning with the residential and resort areas at the south end of town and ending with the railroad complex at the north end.

After carefully analyzing the seven elements and the uses in each, Beckett made the following conclusions and recommendations:

1. There is an overabundance beyond any reasonably projected demand of commercial zoning, particularly in the B-2 auto related commercial service category, encouraging "strip development."
 2. The extensive commercial zoning along the shore line encourages uses that inherently restrict identity with the lake and discourage public access.
 3. Public access opportunities along the shore line should be improved.
 4. In general, nonstructural approaches to shore line protection should be pursued. Specifically, removal of rubble fill and construction of wooden groins with a program of beach nourishment is recommended to develop and protect a sand beach along the entire shore line.
 5. Public access should be developed to the riverfront in the commercial district.
 6. Parking areas should be consolidated to achieve consistency and improve the cumulative efficiency.
 7. The number of curb cuts should be minimized within the pedestrian oriented town center commercial area.
 8. A US-23 corridor beautification program should be instituted with the public sector providing streetscape improvements and the private sector providing building improvements.
 9. The waterfront center (motor inn-restaurant-conference center) east of the city park should be encouraged as an economic development stimulus.
 10. Every effort should be made to achieve greater visibility of the lake from Lake Street.
- Beckett then outlined two alternative futures for Tawas City and the development strategies which should be eliminated for each. The first alternative assumes that community growth patterns and local economic development activities typical of the past decade will not materially change in the future.
- Significant potential community development characteristics of this alternative include:
- A greater emphasis on developing recreational facilities and programs for local residents; a greater emphasis on developing a local based, non-tourist economy through industrial expansion; a greater emphasis on the role of Tawas City as a re-

gional commercial area providing goods and services for residents of the county.

In addition, Beckett said a greater emphasis should be placed on the role of Tawas City as the governmental center for the county; a greater emphasis on shore line access and the development of lake related recreational opportunities aimed at short term (one day or less) use by persons within easy driving distance; greater emphasis on maintaining and improving existing public and private facilities.

A second future alternative assumes a major change in the role of Lake Huron to a significant midwestern recreational resource and an attraction of significant private investment for construction of tourist related facilities. Under this, the city would assume a major role as the "gateway" to Lake Huron.

Potential community development characteristics of this alternative include emphasis on development of tourist and visitor accommodations and entertainment activities; specialty retail and commercial service activities; developing an overall community theme; greater emphasis on sponsoring major special events; redevelopment of marginal structures and facilities.

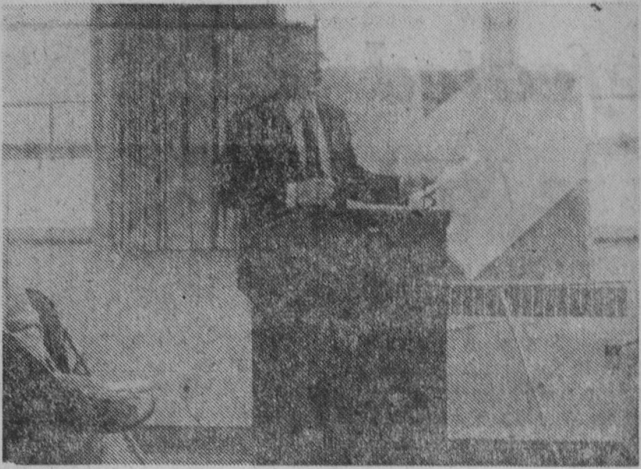
The most significant component of Beckett's study is a proposed new commercial zone. Envisioned as a commercial resort district, the new zoning area would encompass virtually all of the shore line southeast of US-23 from Bay Drive to US-23 north to the city limit, with the exception of the "500" block and the Gamble's block. The proposed commercial resort district would also include property along the river between Dead Creek and the Tawas River mouth, along with two blocks at the corner of US-23 and M-55.

Uses permitted in the proposed district would be limited to motels, hotels, restaurants and night clubs, public parks and beaches, marinas and certain types of multiple-family housing. Retail services and professional offices would be permitted, but only upon special approval and provided they were housed incidentally to or as part of one of the permitted principal uses.

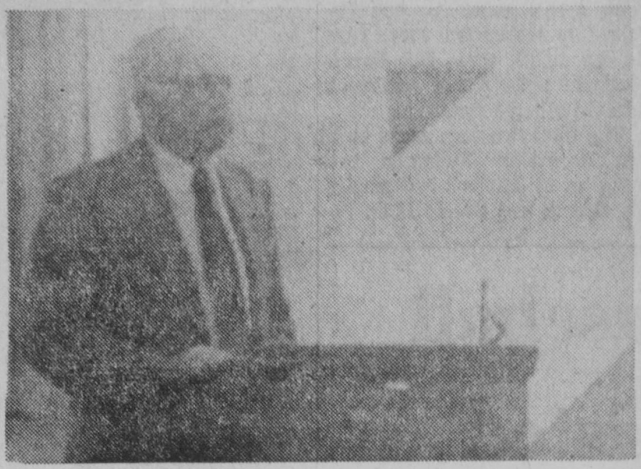
With more stringent area and bulk requirements, such as lot width, coverage and yard setbacks, the purpose of the district is to achieve some of the planner's recommendations outlined above and to treat the shore line as a unique resource.

The public will be given an opportunity to comment on the report and recommendations of Beckett at a public meeting scheduled for Thursday, June 26, 7:30 p. m., at the city hall. City Mgr. Lowell Thomas urges all interested residents and property owners to review the various maps, recommendations and proposed regulations on file at the city hall and then attend the public meeting to comment.

Following the public meeting and any additional input from the planning commission, Beckett will proceed to finalize the shore line use plan which has a contract deadline of July 31.



City Mgr. Lowell Thomas of Tawas City



LaVerne Koepke, supervisor of Tawas Township



Betty Hammond, clerk of Alabaster Township.



Members of the State Boundary Commission are shown here during Friday's hearing.

Hire Engineer for Industrial Park Rd.

Approval was given Monday night by the Tawas City Council to secure engineering for opening and construction of a new road leading into the industrial park west of Ninth Avenue.

Preliminary approval had been given by the council at its last meeting and this action authorizes Edmands Engineering Company to prepare plans for roads and drainage.

Extension of the road would open two industrial sites in the park which could be readily served by municipal water and sewer facilities.

Estimated cost of the engineering is \$2,300 and construction of the road by a contractor is expected to be in the neighborhood of \$24,000. It was felt that this cost could be lowered by utilization of the city equipment and crew.

Need for opening at least two lots was expressed at recent meetings of the council. The city is considering a long-range development of the property for industrial use, but it was felt that some attempt should be made to encourage industrial expansion there before any major expenditure of money is made.

In other business, the council approved an adjustment to lot sizes at the corner of Oak and Fir Streets requested by Edward Brenner, along with converting five lots into four lots requested by Ben Leslie. Approval was given under terms of Ordinance No. 175.

The city manager was authorized to survey property owners along a drain between North Park Acres and Huron Gardens Subdivision to determine if property owners wish the city to assume responsibility for the drain.

A covered six-inch tile located in one section of the drain currently restricts the passage of water and one property owner asked the city to investigate.

The city manager told the council that the drain is located entirely on private property and easements would be required before the city would assume responsibility. Any improvement would be paid by the property owner or through a shared program with the city. The ditch also drains property west of Fifth Avenue, but is not considered a county drain.

Approval was given to transfer of the lease on the concession building at the city park to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brockenbrough. The annual lease on this property is \$2,200 and the concession is to be called the Burger Stop. This is the last year on a five-year lease and a November deadline for negotiations on a new five-year lease was established by the council.

A number of transfers within the 1980 budget were authorized by the council to balance the books at the end of the fiscal year on June 30.

Information was received by the city Monday concerning procedures and proper forms for an application to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources for a public use deed for submerged bottom lands to be used in development of improvements at the mouth of the Tawas River. An aerial map indicates the established meander line.

A letter from the Imlay City clerk thanked the city for its hospitality during the recent mayor's exchange day.

Believe Barn Fires Caused by Arsonist

Iosco County Sheriff's Department is investigating an attempted arson of two barns owned by a Whittemore area farmer.

Elwood Ruckle, whose farm is located 2 1/2 miles southwest of Whittemore, received a telephone call around midnight Sunday stating that his barns were on fire.

Ruckle discovered that several bales of hay were burning in one barn containing cattle and he kept the blaze under control using a fire extinguisher until the fire department arrived.

The farmer and a neighbor brought another fire under control which had been set in hay on the floor of an older barn.

Only minor damage was sustained. Iosco County Sheriff's Department is investigating. It is believed the fires were set by someone with a grudge against the owner.

Hearing

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knew that the property owner did not desire to develop the property. That fact was later borne out by testimony from both Mr. and Mrs. Buryl Hughes.)

In concluding his points on the 230 acres, Thomas said the city was requesting control "so that the development can be orderly, compatible and protective of the public resources existing and planned" for this area—resources which will benefit the entire region. It is high time that small cities worked to help guide growth and not be at the mercy of and dictated by inevitable growth.

"The county developmental objective plan states that Iosco County shows a considerable increasing trend in terms of immigration and that the primary growth center in the county consists of the Cities of Tawas City and East Tawas," said Thomas.

Concerning the 40-acre parcel west of Fifth Avenue, Thomas said it is located at a busy four-corner intersection across from a commercial area and was presently zoned for both commercial and residential development. He said there were severe limitations for development without sewers. He said the parcel would provide the city with the only parcel of land suitable for the kind of peripheral large scale shopping center kind of development sought after by commercial outlets and noted that storm and ground water drainage of the area is presently channeled into the drainage ditches through the city to the river.

The city manager said one of the significant aspects of the city's annexation petition "involves our need to provide space and depth for planning, zoning and development techniques which will enable Tawas City to compete in the provision of living environments and neighborhoods to suit the needs, demands and wants of contemporary society."

Edward Wojahn, owner of the 40 acres of land west of Fifth Avenue, testified that he had found that much property remained undeveloped within the present corporate boundaries of the city and saw no need for annexation. Mrs. Hughes presented a petition signed by all property owners involved objecting to the annexation.

In his official presentation, LaVerne Koepke, Tawas Township supervisor, said that it has been the township's position that Tawas City does not need to annex property to stay healthy at this particular time. The city, he said, has more than enough undeveloped areas within the present city limits to accomplish expansion and development of commercial, industrial and residential areas and thereby increase the tax base, providing the city is financially able to supply water and sewer to those areas.

He claimed that expansion within the limits of the city had been stalled by lack of ability to provide sewer service, that

the present sewer service is polluting the Tawas River, that the city would not be able to provide sewer and water to the proposed area to be annexed and would not be able to provide any other services not now being provided by the township.

(During discussion on the above, Thomas pointed out that both Tawas City and East Tawas had signed consent decrees with the state admitting that both primary waste treatment plants were polluting the river, but that each community was proceeding to develop plans for construction of secondary wastewater treatment facilities under a state-prescribed timetable. The city manager also pointed out that the adjoining townships had withdrawn participation after the first step in the planning process.)

Other points made by Koepke was that annexation would not straighten boundary lines, that there is approximately 120 acres of land within the city that are undeveloped, that the area to be annexed could not expect to receive the usual urban type services in the foreseeable future even though the tax schedule would be effective immediately.

He said that the city had made the annexation attempt at this time to escape the effect of a new proposal in the legislature which would require a vote on annexation, that the township would lose revenue through the loss of land and population, that annexation would invite development and go completely against the township zoning and land use ordinance.

"It is quite obvious that our township has not become an urban community and has no future plans to do so, especially in the proposed annexation area and especially since we have just spent four years updating and replacing our zoning ordinance with this new one effective April 13, 1979, and dedicated to making Tawas Township an agricultural and residential area," said Koepke.

During the afternoon hearing, Thomas testified that the urban development which had occurred in Alabaster Township along Bay Drive had been a natural and logical extension of the city's development. "The city ran out of development room in the adjacent area where water and sewer utilities existed, but the pressure for development continued and it spilled over into the township. In fact, the road was a natural

extension of the city's Bay Drive and it acquired the same name."

Thomas said as this area grew and developed, the interest and pressure for an extension of municipal water utility from the residents occurred around 1970. In response to these requests and on the basis of only an informal letter of approval from the township, the city extended the water line over 600 feet into the township.

"I should point out that the requesting property owner had to pay for the line. The water utility pays for extensions in the city. One of the property owners requesting the extension, who now lives in the area proposed for annexation, was a member of the city planning commission in 1970. According to the planning commission minutes of September 16, 1970, that gentleman stated: 'The residents of the lake shore south of Bay Drive should be annexed to the city.'"

In 1974 and 1975, after additional requests, the city extended the line to serve three additional properties in the area. This brought the total length of the line in the township to about 950 feet. Annexation, said Thomas, would formalize the informal arrangement under which water is being provided in the township and provide security for both the property owners and the city.

"Although it is difficult, but not impossible, to quantify or document, I believe no one will dispute the fact that, the township resident who builds and buys on the edge of the city gets a far greater return for his tax dollar—a return that is a little unfair to his neighbor just over the line in the city. It is, generally, this urbanized township resident who uses the city streets, parks, libraries, etc., more than the rural township resident. The economic and social stability of the core city in a general, urbanized area requires orderly extension of the boundaries in conjunction with real or anticipated growth and development.

Thomas said the city reluctantly was bringing the petition before the state boundary commission, that the city had enjoyed working with the township in the past and was looking forward to working together in the future, regardless of the outcome of the boundary commission's decision.

Betty Hammond, Alabaster Township clerk, responded by

stating that more than 90 percent of the property owners involved in the area proposed for annexation were opposed to the move. She said that the 39 residents in the area represented 14 percent of the township's population, that natural boundary lines would be disturbed through annexation and felt that alternatives should be considered.

Mrs. Hammond pointed out that Alabaster was an under-sized township to begin with because of the irregular lake shore and the upper half of the township was a part of Tawas Township. A large area of the township is comprised by the Alpena State Forest and another large area is owned by Michigan State University.

She said the township simply could not afford to lose any high valuation area along the lake shore or any of its commercial area included in the area proposed for annexation. She also pointed out that the proposed boundary line at the southwest end of the area to be annexed was fixed at the wrong angle as some property would fall both within the city and the township.

She said that annexation would provide an irregular boundary line as the proposed area would protrude into the township and would actually provide a threat for future annexations.

She pointed out that the water line had been installed privately with no formal agreement with the township, that all lots along the shore were now developed and that six homes were served by city water and six had private wells. She pointed out that the city operational tax levy is 16.45 mills, as compared to 2.5 mills in the township; that the township would lose eight percent of its equalized valuation and about \$2,000 annually in state and federal revenues.

Mrs. Hammond felt that the city had room to expand within its own boundaries and that a low tax area was necessary to entice people to move to this area. "There is no logical reason for annexation other than shifting the tax base from the township to the city," she stated.

Others speaking in opposition to annexation were Trustee Gary Lutes, Noreen Jerome and Florence Lingle.

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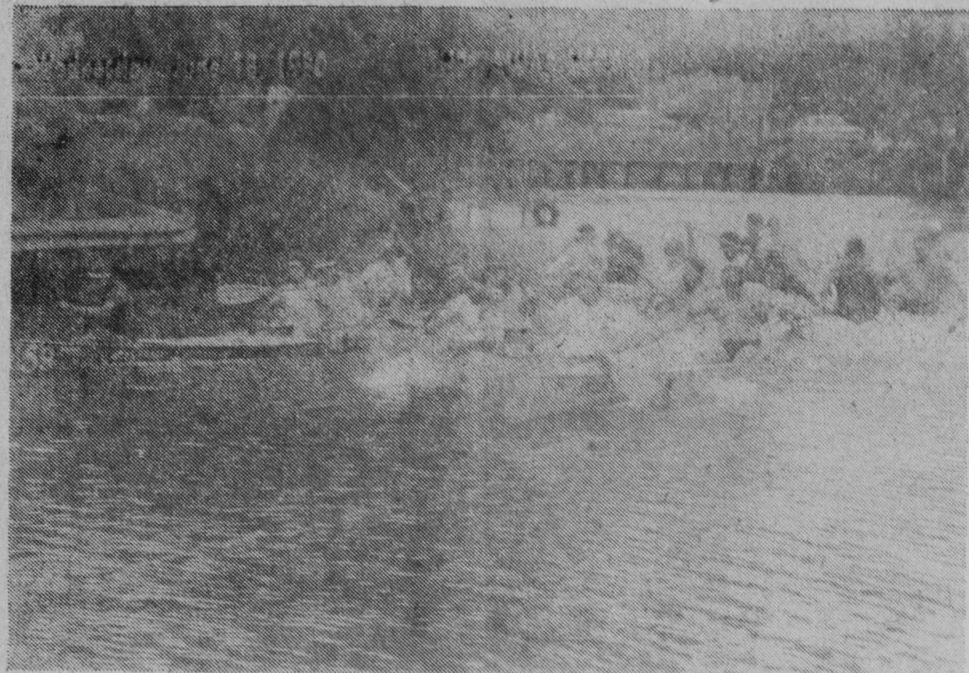
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Hayes - Kolka Team Won Tawas River Canoe Race

The strong paddling duo of Dave Hayes of Roscommon and Jeff Kolka of Grayling won the professional division of the Tawas River Canoe Race Sunday. The race was renewed after an absence of several years under sponsorship of Tawas Chamber of Commerce. Gary Nelkie was race chairman. Hayes and Kolka completed the course from the Ninth Avenue launching ramp to Tawas Lake and back in one hour, 22 minutes and eight seconds, three minutes and 48 seconds ahead of the second place team

of Paul and Tony Short of South Branch. John Nemeth of Flint and Robert Cherba of Linden won the amateur division, while Gary Rodte and Al Porter of East Tawas won the novice division. Racing conditions left much to be desired for both contestants and spectators, although the cool weather was much to the liking of the paddlers, who had to work hard in navigating canoes upstream from the M-55 bridge. The next three places in the

professional division winning trophies and prize money included Bruce Foss and Larry Ashley of Fenton, who turned professional only this year, with a time of one hour, 27 minutes, 36 seconds; Rick Joy and Gary Mundy of Fenton, only 10 seconds behind the third place team; Jim Bouchard and Dennis Tyson of Spruce and Alpena, one hour, 28 minutes and 28 seconds. Winning second place in the amateur division were Tim Berkam and Mark Hines of Big Rapids, Frank Adkins and Mark Sass of Flint and Bay City won third place, Ron Nolan and Steve Ellis of Williamston won fourth place, Bob Zaleski and John Hollands of Port Huron won fifth place.

Jeff Royce and Rick Mazoni of Silverton won second place in the novice division, while George Serman and Peter Sheffer of Iosco County won third place.

Hale Area News

PAST MATRONS-PATRONS MET WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Lizzie E. Schaffer Past Matrons and Past Patrons Club met Wednesday evening, June 11, at the Hale Masonic Temple. Dinner preceded the meeting conducted by the vice president, Blanch Douglass. Prayer was offered by Helen Taylor, chaplain. Secretary report was presented by Ruth Miller. Sunshine activities were updated by Vida Bannister. It was announced that Leone Townsend is staying with her daughter at the following address: Star Route Box 40576, c/o Maurice Bellville, Fairbanks, Alaska 99701. Hostesses for September are Berenice Peters, Lucille Davis and Mrs. Taylor.

and Mrs. Robert Schaule, Helen Taylor, Barbara Harvey and Bessie Allender.

Friday evening, several members of Hale Chapter No. 482 participated in and attended the special meeting of Pine Tree Chapter No. 264, Order of the Eastern Star, for the ceremony of initiation. Helen Taylor was guest officer for the station of Esther and Jane Lewis, the guest for the station of Electa. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brandt, Shirley Carter and Berenice Peters.

Mary Lorenz will undergo surgery at Saginaw General Hospital Thursday.

Phyllis and Barbara Harvey, accompanied by Mary Lorenz, were in Bay City Monday. Glen Staley Unit No. 422, American Legion Auxiliary, will meet Wednesday evening, June 18. Pot-luck dinner is at 7:00 p. m. Bring a dish to pass and table service. Meeting will follow at 8 o'clock.

Elks Sponsor Chip 'N Put Golf Tourney

Tawas Area Elks are sponsoring a Chip 'N Put golfing contest at Tawas Golf and Country Club Friday, June 27, 10:30 a. m. The contest is open to all boys and girls up to the age of 18. Boy and girl winners will be selected in each of three age categories, up to 13, 14-15, 16-18, with winners advancing to district competition in Flint. For further information contact Gary Chapman, 362-2187.

Indies Defeated Meredith in NEM

Tawas City Indies staved off a late inning threat to defeat Meredith, 9-5, in Northeastern Michigan Baseball League action Sunday afternoon. Brad Potts started on the mound for Tawas and breezed through seven innings, allowing one run, one hit and walking five batters. He struck out five opposing batters. Tiring in the seventh, Potts was relieved by Bill King, who retired the side in order. In the eighth inning, Meredith scored three runs on two walks, an error and one hit. In the ninth inning, G. Fuller led off with a homer, but King then re-

tired the side in order. The locals capitalized on two walks, a bunt and a single by Randy Scales to score three runs in the first inning, added a single run in the second inning when Dale Revord walked and scored on a two-base hit by Pat Jordan. Gracik opened the fifth inning with a solo home run and Tawas City scored two more runs in the eighth when Bill Harris walked and Kevin Mielock blasted a home run. The final two runs came on a walk to Frank Jordan, a two base hit by Mielock and singles by Gracik and Bernie Link.



TAWAS AREA Elks Lodge No. 2525 held its annual observance of Flag Day on Saturday, June 14, at the Tawas City Park. James Machleit, exalted ruler of the lodge, is shown in the top photo giving a program concerning development of the flag since Revolutionary War times. Brownies and girl scouts participating in the program included Monique Marshall, Theresa Conklin, Tammy Stoddard, Jennifer Kovacs, Amy Durant and Betsy Thornton. Each girl carried a flag to the platform as it was being described. —Tawas Herald Photos.

Junior Baseball Results Listed

Play in the Tawas junior baseball leagues had the following results:

KNOTHOLE LEAGUE

On June 4, the Braves downed the Yanks, 6-4, while the Cubs defeated the Red Sox, 42-0; three games played June 5 saw the Jets winning over the Tigers, 11-3; the Indians shut out the Dodgers, 17-0; the Eagles outscored the Scouts, 8-4.

Games played June 9 saw the Yanks trouncing the Red Sox, 14-1; the Cubs won over the Tigers, 12-3; the Indians edged the Braves, 4-3; action June 10 saw the Jets tripping the Eagles, 18-5, and the Scouts ran over the Dodgers, 29-8.

Action Wednesday night saw

the Tigers outscoring the Red Sox, 21-7, and the Cubs won over the Braves, 7-4. On Thursday night, it was the Yanks over the Dodgers, 16-0; the Eagles defeated the Indians, 6-1, and the Jets edged the Scouts, 2-1.

PONY LEAGUE

Games during the two weeks saw the Eagles winning over the Twins, 19-8; the Yanks took the measure of the Braves, 8-2; the Braves defeated the Twins, 11-6; the Yanks downed the Dodgers, 5-4; the Eagles registered a close win over the Hawks, 4-3; it was the Yanks over the Twins, 15-5; the Eagles trounced the Dodgers, 22-5; the Braves won a close game over the Hawks, 10-8.

Loan Balance at Local FHA Office

A recent accounting of all Farmers Home Administration loan programs shows the local office in West Branch has a loan balance outstanding in excess of 38-million dollars.

Philip Shaw, the local supervisor, whose office services Ogemaw, Iosco and Roscommon Counties, says this represents a substantial return of federal dollars into the area.

The loans and principal outstanding in the various program areas as of January 1 are as follows: 65 Farmer loans for 2.7-million dollars, 872 housing loans for 17.9-million dollars, seven rental housing loans for four-million dollars, and 11 community facility loans for 13.5-million dollars. In addition to this, two bank loans for businesses have been guaranteed for amounts in excess of 2.9-million dollars.

Shaw stated that as it becomes more popular to complain about taxes it is also important that taxpayers know more about where their taxes are going. He says the number one criteria for eligibility for all FmHA programs is that other credit is not available at terms the applicant can afford. Therefore, none of this credit would have been likely without this federal program. Also, vigorous effort is made to get borrowers to return to commercial credit when it appears it is financially feasible.

Shaw stated that there have been numerous changes in the housing program to purchase new or existing homes for low and moderate income families (Section 502).

The primary item is that funds for this program are running far short in comparison to the number of families needing to purchase a home. The office currently has a backlog in excess of 100 applications. Therefore, applicants today cannot normally expect their request funded (if eligible) before a minimum of six months.

However, due to the fact that FmHA now will prequalify applicants, Shaw encourages anyone interested to not delay their application as this gets them "in line" for a future loan. Sales and purchase of currently FmHA financed homes get top priority, however, Shaw says, so processing of them should be a more normal

two-three-month period. He also still recommends complete package applications (package application and house option and information) because often families are top on the funding list but do not find a house promptly when requested and therefore funds are occasionally used for some later applications. He indicates that if the home information is provided then the FmHA appraisal is completed so the package can be ready when funds are available. Often this means the buyer rents the house temporarily.

Shaw says the recapture provision was developed because the subsidy portion of the program is substantial and growing. He said a recent study of the West Branch office borrowers shows a current half-million dollar subsidy (grant) is being provided to about 440 FmHA families in this area per year.

Currently, interest rates on FmHA home purchase loans (Section 502) vary from a low of one percent for some qualifying low income families to a maximum of 13 percent for moderate income families. The average modest home financed by FmHA ranges up to and around \$40,000.

Shaw encourages potential home buyers who lack other financing but have good credit and income to afford a home to contact licensed builders or realtors who are familiar with the program or call the office at 345-5470. The office is located at 240 Wright Street, West Branch.

Councilman Complains of Increasing Vandalism in Tawas City

A complaint of an increasing amount of vandalism on Lake Street was made to the Tawas City Council Monday night by Coun. James Lansky.

Lansky told the council that he had had to replace four gasoline pumps at his station during the past year, all damaged by vandalism. Barber poles in front of a nearby shop have been replaced twice in recent months and Huron Auto Parts has reported that broken bottles and glass have covered the sidewalk each morning.

"We have never had this much of a problem in history," said Lansky and asked the city manager to contact the sheriff's department for additional surveillance.

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'Bob' Mattson Ends Career in Education Field

Robert Mattson, who retired Wednesday, June 11, after a 24-year career in the field of Michigan education, doubts if he will have any trouble finding things to do during his retirement.

First off, he will be heading north to Lake Superior for his favorite sport—deep water fishing for lake trout—followed by sight-seeing travel to the Gaspé Peninsula in Quebec, Canada, and to the Maritime Provinces.

After that, with some perch fishing on Tawas Bay thrown in for good measure, he will probably be doing some part-time work in his career field. Mattson, a school psychologist, was the first employee hired by William Tracy, who was Iosco Intermediate School District superintendent in 1965. The district had a couple of small offices in the county building before moving into larger quarters.

Fifteen years and three superintendents later, Mattson was honored at a retirement party given Wednesday afternoon at Iosco Intermediate School District headquarters on Aulerich Road, Baldwin Township.

A native of the Upper Peninsula "Copper Country," he spent his youth at Bay City and

Detroit and graduated from Arthur Hill High School, Saginaw.

He worked for Michigan Bell Telephone Company for eight years, then spent three years in the United States Navy during World War II. As a naval officer, he flew "Hellcat" and TBF "Avenger" torpedo planes with aircraft carrier action in the Pacific and Atlantic Theaters.

After military service, he returned to his home state and attended Michigan State University where he received his bachelor of science and master degrees.

He was a classroom teacher for one year, then moved into his specialized field of school psychology, being employed in Gratiot County. There were only 135 school psychologists in the state when he started and there are now more than 500.

Mattson has three children, one of whom, Gail Ellenbaum, is a teacher in a Chicago, Illinois, suburb.

Mattson plans to continue maintaining his home on East State Street at East Tawas, which is not all that far from Tawas Bay where he expects to give his boat a good workout this summer.

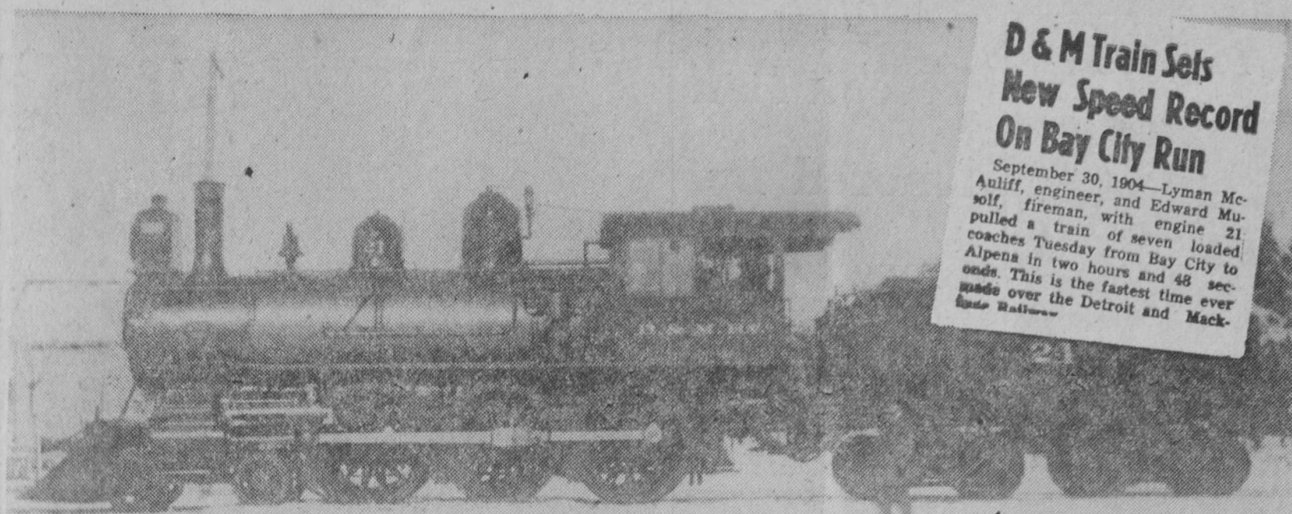
CLOSING OUT a 24-year career in Michigan education was Robert Mattson, who is shown in the office which he vacated Wednesday at the Iosco Intermediate School District. He served the district as a school psychologist since 1965. —Tawas Herald Photo.



Tawas River Canoe Race Resumed

REGISTRATION DESK for the Tawas River Canoe Race is shown in the top photo. The starting line for the professional division is shown in the lower photograph. Despite cold weather conditions, an excellent field of canoeists and spectators was on hand for renewal of the race, which had been

discontinued several years ago. The first race was held in 1954 as part of the Tawas City centennial celebration. This year's race was sponsored by Tawas Chamber of Commerce.—Tawas Herald Photos.



D & M Train Sets New Speed Record On Bay City Run
September 30, 1904—Lyman McAlliff, engineer, and Edward M... pulled a train of seven loaded coaches in two hours and 46 seconds. This is the fastest time ever made over the Detroit and Mackinac Railway.

NORTHERN MICHIGAN'S RAILROAD WAR

In the late 1800s, competition between two or more railroad common carriers often resulted in pitched battles in many parts of the country and it was not uncommon to see competing lines constructing parallel tracks to serve the same area. As a result, bankruptcies of railroads were rather common in those days and, if unprofitable lines were not forced into receivership, competition for passenger and freight traffic dollars often proved disastrous to otherwise healthy railroad organizations.

This was not the case in Northern Michigan: As early as 1873, towns situated along the Lake Huron coast practically begged the Jackson, Lansing and Saginaw Railroad, later called the Michigan Central, to construct a railroad up the shore to serve the booming lumbering industry.

Northeastern Michigan communities rightfully pointed out that extensive deposits of gypsum, limestone and gravel would add materially to the shipping tonnage offered by the white pine industry and that developing farmlands would soon provide a profitable business to any railroad which would extend its tracks north along the shore.

Despite the pleas, the Michigan Central Railroad chose to construct its northern division through the center of the state, touching Lake Huron at Cheboygan. On paper, the central route seemed to be the proper location, but it did not work out that way.

This left the Northeastern Michigan region to its own devices to secure rail transporta-

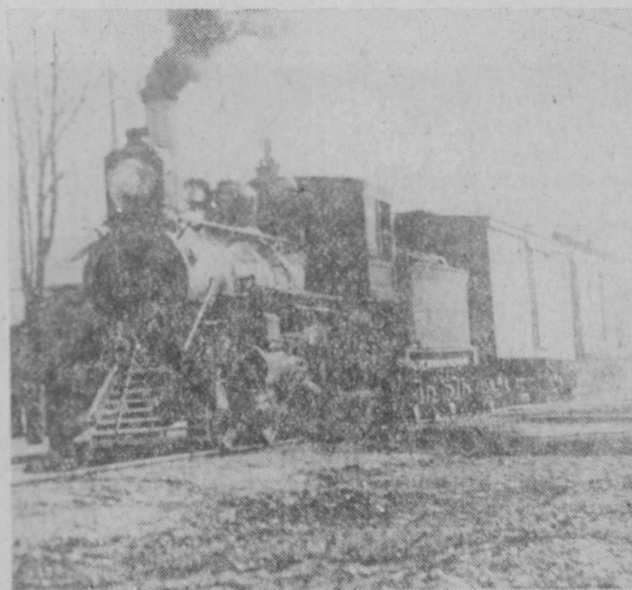


TOWNSPEOPLE of Cheboygan posed in front of this Detroit and Mackinac Railway locomotive following the railroad's entry into that community in June 1904, which touched off a "war" with the Michigan Central Railroad. The late Joseph Stepanski of

Tawas City, as a youth, accompanied a train which took the special "diamond" crossing to Cheboygan upon which the above locomotive is standing. The late Eugene Hanson of East Tawas helped to fashion the crossing from steel rails at the Tawas shop.

tion. It was an uphill struggle for railroad promoters and success came only after a gaggle of small narrow gauge lines situated at various points along the shore were combined to form the Detroit, Bay City and Alpena Railroad in 1883. The point of origination was in Tawas City, from which a narrow gauge railroad had been constructed in a southwesterly direction in 1878.

The older established Michigan Central Railroad never took too seriously the prospective competition offered by the struggling DBC&A, but was soon to find that it had made a serious mistake in curving its route toward the center of the state to take advantage of free land offered by Michigan as an incentive to construct its track-



PURCHASING two entirely new trains of passenger cars and locomotives, the Detroit and Mackinac Railway opened fast through service between Cheboygan and Bay City in 1904, but first had to win a fight on the northern end of its route to gain entry into Cheboygan.

age. Towns in mid-Michigan relied almost wholly upon the lumbering industry, which was to be short-lived, while the railroad along the eastern shore line, which received no state land subsidy and purchased all right-of-way, offered a more diversified and stable traffic.

Extension of a railroad from its 1884 terminus at AuSable to serve Northeastern Michigan

in October 1893 and the bondholders were forced into receivership.

The receivership ended a year later under a profitable management and the railroad

was sold by court order at public auction, becoming the Detroit and Mackinac Railway Company on January 12, 1895.

Continued aggressive management saw purchase of the Alpena and Northern Railroad that year, plus completion of a new route to Bay City. Rumors then began to fly that the D&M planned to extend its rails from Alpena to Cheboygan, resulting in the first and only railroad "war" in this section of the state.

This was the scene in 1904 when the upstart D&M Railroad decided to take on a gigantic national railroad corporation in a knock 'em down, loser take all fight. The D&M announced its plans to extend rails to Cheboygan and purchased two complete passenger trains, including new locomotives, to open through service between Detroit and Mackinac Island. This was accomplished by a boat connecting from Cheboygan north and connecting at Bay City with the Flint and Pere Marquette Railroad, the principal business adversary of the Michigan Central.

Speed of these new trains and the maintenance of the schedule proved to be a record for Northern Michigan but, before that happened, the Michigan Central and the Detroit and Mackinac Railway had a real "Donnybrook" at Cheboygan.

In order for the D&M to enter Cheboygan, it had to construct its tracks across the MC's "tan-

nery spur" south of town. Trouble arose over a dispute as to the D&M right-of-way and a court injunction was secured forbidding the Michigan Central to interfere with the competing line.

Until then, the former road had blocked the crossing with a locomotive and several cars. When the Cheboygan County Sheriff served the circuit court's order to remove the obstruction, the Michigan Central merely moved the engine and cars inside the city on its paper mill spur, effectively blocking that crossing point.

In June 27, 1904, The Tawas Herald reported that "through the combined efforts of the employees of the Detroit and Mackinac Railway, the sheriff of Cheboygan County, Judge Shepard and 2,000 citizens of Cheboygan, the blockade which had been maintained by the Michigan Central for 24 hours was removed from the D&M crossings and a mile and a half of track was laid by the latter road into the city, bringing rails to within 50 feet of the Michigan Central depot."

Railroad employees, aided by citizens, fought off the Michigan Central men guarding the obstruction and, with crowbars, ropes, pulleys and other equipment, removed the blockading equipment.

"During the melee at the blockaded diamond, the sheriff (See Railroad War, page 4.)



A CREW of the Detroit and Mackinac Railway which extended tracks into Cheboygan poses in front of the work train. The crew was aided by citizens of Cheboygan, along

with an order signed by a circuit judge and enforced by the sheriff, in breaking through a roadblock thrown up by the Michigan Central Railroad.

Engaged

Prescott Man Honored by Moose Lodge



The engagement of Susan M. Burtzloff to Michael Steeb of Ann Arbor is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burtzloff of Tawas City. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Steeb of Ann Arbor. Miss Burtzloff is attending University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, and her fiance attends Washtenaw Community College following four years in the United States Navy. The couple plans a December wedding when the bride-elect will graduate from U of M.

James E. Markel of Prescott was awarded the highest degree of the Loyal Order of Moose on June 8 during a ceremony held in Mooseheart, Illinois, a community established and supported by the fraternity for needy children. Markel, a member of Moose Lodge 440, was awarded the Pilgrim degree of merit for his "outstanding service and continued devotion to the humanitarian programs of the fraternity."

Markel was one of 200 Moose members from the United States, Canada and Great Britain to receive the award. The degree is coveted but only one of every 5,000 Moose members receive the degree each year.

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Honor Martins on Anniversary

An open house celebration marking the 50th anniversary of the June 10, 1930, marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin was held Sunday, June 15, at the fellowship hall of First Baptist Church, Tawas City. Hosting the festivities were the couple's children, Mrs. Edward (Marilyn Jeanne) Perry of Garden City and James Everett Martin of Hudsonville. Attendants at the ceremony, performed by the Rev. W. L. Jones at Deckerville in

1930, were Mrs. Martin's cousin, Delta Simmons Lee, and Mr. Martin's brother, the late Charles Martin. The former Frances Tate and her husband lived at Deckerville where they operated a meat market with Charles and then at Detroit where he was employed by Wallway Company until his retirement three years ago when they moved to Tawas City. The couple has six grandchildren and are active in the First Baptist Church of Tawas City.

Iosco Republican Women Schedule Annual Party

Iosco County Republican Women's Club will hold its annual cocktail party Sunday, June 22, at Lakewood Shores Beach Club, Oscoda. Refreshments and hors d'oeuvres will be served from 4:00-6:00 p. m. Tickets are available at the door or information may be obtained by calling 362-2159 or 362-8596.

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List Honor Roll at Hale Area School

Honor roll students for the final marking period at Hale Area High School are listed below with asterisks denoting all A grades.

Ninth grade: Lisa Adkins, Beth Beldsn, Kathy Boughner, Lori Caverly, Mary Caverly, Teresa Finner, Melissa Foco, Becky Grinnell, Ken Jansen, Kim Maher, Michele McNeerney, Gena Meiers, Julie Nichols, Brenda Pelton, John Pergord*, Kim Reilly, Connie Thornton, Lee Wallace.

Eleventh grade: Angie Bar-num, Darla Bissonnette, Roxanne Blancher, Kim Boughner, Linda Dane, Dan Dear, Mary Gohedotte, Kristi Hart, Sherrie Hyatt, Bob Janci, Kristin Ketzler, Tom Lesneski, Judy McKenzie, Patti Michalski, Sue Millard, Allen Niederquell, Carla Powers, Missy Sharp, Debbie Short, Mike Turnbull, Donna Wallace, Rick Williams, Kurt Wilson, Robert Wilson.

Tenth grade: Jeanann Bissonnette, Lynette Clark, Melissa Clayton, Renee Janci, Janet Johnson*, Dorothy Kaiser, Ken Karcher, Michael McNeerney, Deana McNicholl, Lisa Purkey,

Twelfth grade: Jill Armstead, Alan Baker, Scott Barnes, Bonnie Bell, Glen Bell, Beth Bellville, Tammy Brandal, Martin Bratly, John Brindley, Bill Denstedt*, Missy Humphrey, Eugene Kalinski, Brian Klug, Tim Lesneski*, Fernando Martinez*, Marie McKenzie, Melanie Matthews*, Tammy Morgan, Brian Niederquell, Troy Peters, Stacie Purkey, Vern Reed, Merry Rollin, Deanna Saunders, Marie Schulte, Carrie Shell, Gail Tamplin*, Lisa Thomas, Mark Turnbull, Carl Webb, Ken Weyandt, Teresa Wilson, Sue Worden, Kathy Yager.

Dan Foran, a 12th grader, was named to the special education honor roll.



Mielocks Mark 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Mielock were honored at a Mass Sunday, June 1, at St. James Catholic Church on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary. A reception at the social center for friends and relatives was hosted by their children, Margaret Mielock of West Branch, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mielock of Midland, Mrs. De-

lores Mielock and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Mielock of Lansing. The couple has six grandchildren. Also present at the celebration were attendants at the June 10, 1930, wedding, Mrs. Gerald Fitzpatrick of Royal Oak and Mrs. Robert Berg of Whitney Township, and their ring bearer, Edward M. Mielock.



CLARENCE ASHMORE, a resident of Tawas Township, was named member of the month by Tawas Senior Citizens at its meeting Wednesday. He has resided in the Tawas area since 1945 and worked for George Prescott and later National Gypsum Company before retiring. His hobby is driving a horse and buggy. There were 94 members attending the meeting. The next meeting on June 25 will feature the Betty Kubiak Dancers. There will be a sack lunch. The meeting is to be held at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall. Birthdays and anniversaries will be celebrated.—Tawas Herald Photo.

Engaged



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ruckle of Hale announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Roma Jean, to Robert Lavern Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Peterson of Turner. The couple plans an October 4 wedding.



Betty Cross Retiring as Wilber Clerk

Betty Cross, whose 29 years of service as Wilber Township clerk is believed to have set a local record, has announced that she will not be a candidate for re-election in the August primary election.

Mrs. Cross will be filling out the balance of her term which expires December 31 and, is to turn the township books over to the new clerk elected in November.

Appointed to fill the vacancy of Leota Hobart on August 14, 1951, she has served under five different supervisors: Lewis Rodman, William Creamer, William Olsen, Albert Mochty Jr. and Edwin B. Cavell, present supervisor.

During that time, she has seen a number of changes in the township, particularly the number of new homes constructed during the past 29 years, black-topped roads, higher valuation and a slight increase in population.

"When I was first appointed to office, the township board met at the various homes of officers and, in those days, caucuses were held to nominate candidates for election," she recalls.

Only twice during her long tenure has she had opposition in a township primary election and she was returned to office each time by the voters.

She took an active part in the township's centennial observance in 1978 and presented a historical program on the day of the township's 100th birthday. This took some extra research on her part as township records do not extend beyond 1922, for a fire that year destroyed all the books.

The salary during her first year of service was \$25, plus filing fees, and her duties included taking minutes at township board meetings, maintaining the voter registration list, selling cemetery lots and recording burials, along with handling of township correspondence and other matters.

She has been an elementary teacher employed by Tawas Area School District for the past 26 years and Thursday was storing books in her room at the East Tawas Elementary Unit in preparation for another term of teaching.

Stating that she and her husband, Raymond, an employee of the Iosco County Road Commission, had not made any plans as yet for their vacation, she said she was looking forward to enjoying the summer and returning to her teaching position in the fall.

One candidate, Karen Alda, filed her nomination petition to succeed Mrs. Cross as township clerk.

Pockrandt Accepted Into 40&8 Club

Thomas Pockrandt, commander of Jesse C. Hodder Post No. 189, American Legion, was accepted into the Forty and Eight Club, an organization of the American Legion that combines fun with business of supporting local girls through nursing programs, at a wrecking ceremony Saturday, June 14, at Harrison.

Pockrandt is the first Tawas area American Legionnaire to be accepted into the four-county organization. The initiation allows membership in Voiture 669 of Oscoda.

Iosco-Alcona School Retirees Meet June 24

June meeting of the Iosco-Alcona Association of Retired School Personnel will be held at Lakewood Shores Beach Club Tuesday, June 24, 12:30 p. m.

Richard Percy, president of the Michigan Association, will be a guest. There will also be the annual election of officers. Those attending are asked to bring a dish to pass for the potluck luncheon and table service.

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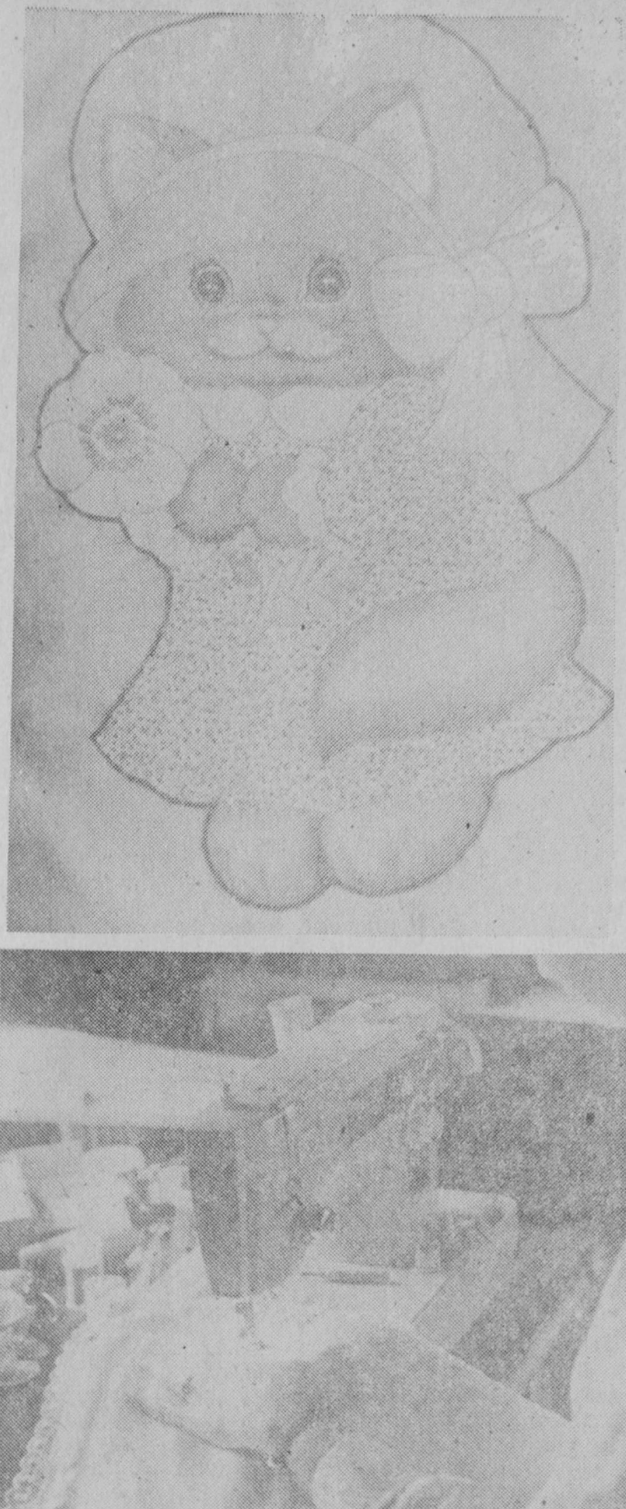
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Ready for Hobby Show

ONE OF THE LOCAL exhibitors preparing for the annual art, crafts and hobby show to be held July 5 at the East Tawas Elementary Unit under sponsorship of Tawas Bay Artists is Elaine Stewart of East Tawas. Several years ago, she made a comforter for her son then attending college and it proved to be so popular that two others in the college dormitory wanted one. From that small beginning, her hobby has grown to the point where she fashions 50 comforters a year and offers them for sale at the local show as well as a similar program at Harrisville and the Iosco County Fair at Hale. In all, she has made more than 200 comforters. All of her creations are machine washable and color coordinated. The picture at right shows one of her latest creations while the stack of about 50 comforters (far right) is ready for area shows. The center pictures show a closeup of one of the decorations applied to a comforter while the bottom picture shows a closeup of her sewing machine at work.



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COMMUNITY EVENTS

JUNE 18-24
Wednesday, June 18—
Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, birthday dinner, 12:00 noon, Masonic Temple. Reservations necessary.
Tawas Area Rotary Club, 12:15 p. m., Holland House.
Twentieth Century Club, pot-luck luncheon, 12 noon, home of Mrs. Richard Erspamer.
Glen Staley Post No. 422, American Legion, and Auxiliary, 7:00 p. m. pot-luck, 8:00 p. m. meetings.
Iosco Historical Society, 7:30 p. m., museum, East Tawas.
Thursday, June 19—
Tawas City Business Association luncheon, 12:00 noon, Coyle's Restaurant.
TOPS Chapter No. 1318, 6:30 p. m., weigh in, 7:00 p. m. meeting, Grant Township Hall.
Self-Help Group for Cancer Patients and Families, 7:30 p. m., Christ Episcopal Church, East Tawas.
St. Joseph's Council of Catholic Women, 6:30 p. m. pot-luck picnic, social center.
Alpha Shrine No. 62, Order of White Shrine of Jerusalem, 7:30 p. m., Tawas Masonic Temple.
Monday, June 23—
Veterans of Foreign Wars 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, June 24—
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.

JUNE 25-JULY 1
Wednesday, June 25—
Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, 7:00 a. m., chamber building.
Tawas Area Senior Citizens, noon sack lunch, Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall.
Tawas Area Rotary Club, 12:15 p. m., Holland House.
Irene Rebekah Lodge No. 137, 8:00 p. m., Odd Fellows Hall, East Tawas.
Thursday, June 26—
Tawas City Business Association luncheon, 12:00 noon, Coyle's Restaurant.
TOPS Chapter No. 1318, weigh in 6:30 p. m., meeting 7:00 p. m., Grant Township Hall.
Tawas Bay Arts Council, 7:30 p. m., Graystone Bld'g., Tawas City.
Tawas Council No. 2709, Knights of Columbus, 8:00 p. m., K of C Hall, East Tawas.
Friday, June 27—
Jesse C. Hodder Post No. 189, American Legion, 7:30 p. m., Legion Hall, Tawas City.
Tuesday, July 1—
Tawas Kiwanis Club, regular meeting, 12:05 p. m., Lixey's China House.
Tawas City Garden Club, 12:30 p. m. pot-luck, home of Hattie Evril.
TOPS Chapter No. 979, 6:00 p. m. weigh in; 7:00 p. m. meeting, East Tawas City Hall.
Tawas Lodge No. 274, Free and Accepted Masons, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple.
Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525, 8:00 p. m., 124 1/2 Newman Street, East Tawas.

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Lake Shore Chapter No. 661, American Association of Retired Persons, noon sack lunch, East Tawas Community Building.
Tawas Area Rotary Club, 12:15 p. m., Holland House.
Iosco Sportsmen's Club, 7:30 p. m., clubhouse in Baldwin Township. All interested persons welcome.
Hale Chapter No. 482, Order of the Eastern Star, 8:00 p. m., Hale Masonic Temple.
Thursday, July 3—
Tawas City Business Association luncheon, 12:00 noon, Coyle's Restaurant.
TOPS Chapter No. 1318, weigh in 6:30 p. m., meeting 7:00 p. m., Grant Township Hall.
Self-Help Group for Cancer Patients and Families, 7:30 p. m., Christ Episcopal Church, East Tawas.
Monday, July 7—
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, July 8—
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.
Tawas Area Lions Club, 6:30 p. m., Lixey's China House.
Royal Arch Masons, 8:00 p. m., Tawas Masonic Temple.
Royal Arch Widows, 8:00 p. m., Tawas Masonic Temple.
Hale Lodge No. 518, Free and Accepted Masons, 8:00 p. m., Masonic Temple.

JULY 9-15
Wednesday, July 9—
Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce board of directors, 7:00 a. m., chamber building.
Tawas Area Senior Citizens, noon sack lunch, Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall.
Tawas Area Rotary Club, 12:15 p. m., Holland House.
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Irene Rebekah Lodge No. 137, 8:00 p. m., Odd Fellow Hall, East Tawas.
Thursday, July 10—
Tawas City Business Association luncheon, 12:00 noon, Coyle's Restaurant.
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Railroad War

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of Cheboygan County arrested 12 Michigan Central employees, including the train crew and roadmaster, and they are held charged with violating Judge Shepard's injunction.

"Chief Roadmaster Burns of the Michigan Central arrived in Cheboygan late last night to look over the situation and, with the company's attorney, will advise the local employees as to their actions today."

That advice apparently was to discontinue the harassment of the D&M, which had the support of the circuit court, the sheriff and Cheboygan citizens.

Within a few weeks, the Herald was to report that North-eastern truly had a speedy passenger service: "Lyman McAlam, engineer, and Edward Mout, fireman, with engine No. 21, pulled seven loaded passenger coaches from Bay City to Alpena in two hours and 48 seconds. This is the fastest time made on the D&M and the above gentlemen are to be congratulated on the success."

(Based on mileage between points, the train had an average speed of over 60 miles per hour.)

Competition between the two railroads continued to be fierce during the early part of this century, but the wisdom of constructing a line close to the Lake Huron shore line soon began to pay dividends for the D&M.

Passenger traffic, which peaked in 1911, practically became nonexistent in a few years through development of the automobile and good roads in Northern Michigan; but the D&M continued to show a profit because of its diversified tonnage carried by freight trains.

The larger and older Michigan Central never gave up its disdain for the smaller D&M, however, despite continuing to lose freight business to the Huron Shore Line.

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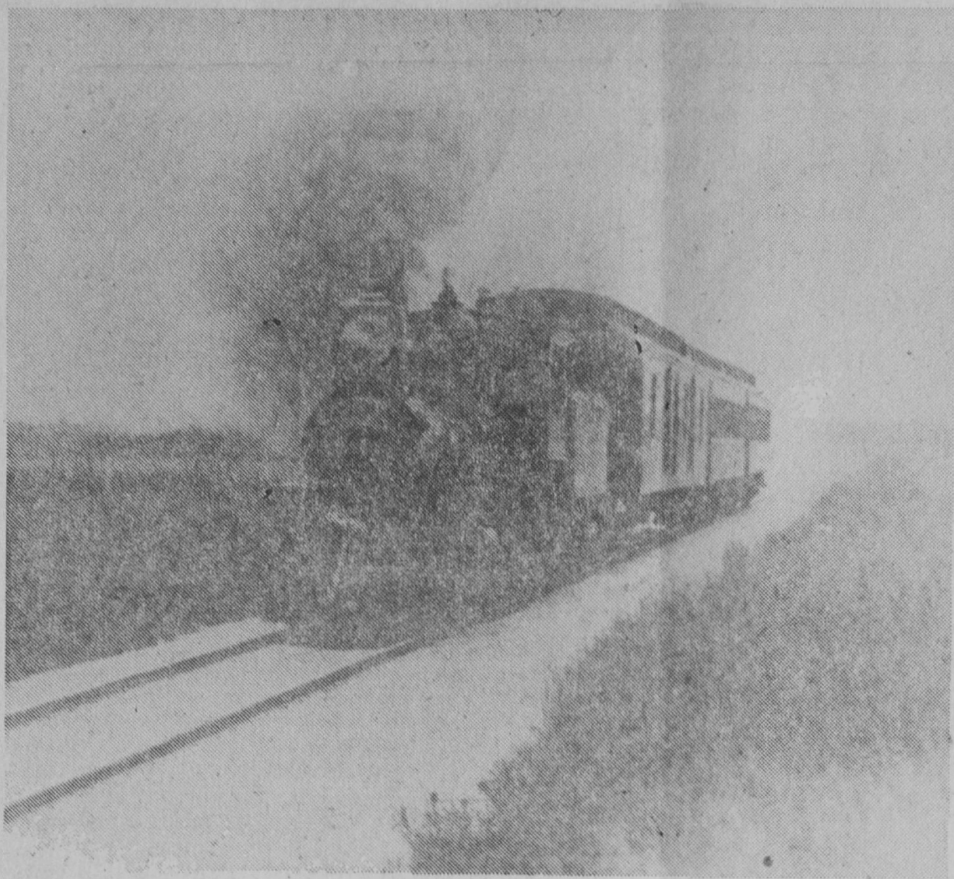
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THE FIRST TRAIN to enter Alpena on October 11, 1886, was operated by the Detroit, Bay City and Alpena Railroad, forerunner of the Detroit and Mackinac Railway. The firm had expanded its tracks to standard gauge, but the rapid decline of the pine industry soon made the railroad a losing proposition and its bondholders were forced into receivership.

Brides Need New Social Security Card

New brides, along with anyone else who has had a recent name change, should visit the nearest social security office to arrange to have their names changed on social security records and to apply for a new social security card showing their new name, a social security representative said recently.

Unless the bride plans to use her maiden name after marriage, the record should be changed so that earnings are correctly reported to the correct record.

To apply for a new social security card, which will show the person's new name, but old social security number, he or she should come to the social security office because a personal interview is necessary.

In addition, two items of evidence showing the person's identity under both the new and old names must be submitted. Possible evidence includes: Driver's license, State identity card, voter's registration, marriage record, divorce decree, work badge or building pass, passport, court order for name change, welfare case record, insurance policy, or any other document showing identification data such as a physical description, photograph, or signature.

Only original documents or copies certified by the issuing agency are acceptable, the representative said. Uncertified photocopies are not acceptable.

It takes about 6 weeks to get the new card after acceptable evidence has been submitted.

For more information about applying for a social security card, ask for a copy of the leaflet, "Applying for a social security number," at any social security office. The address and telephone number of the nearest social security office can be found in the telephone directory.

Q. I recently started working for a local farmer. Is my work covered by social security?

A. Wages from farm work are covered by social security if you receive at least \$150 in cash pay from your employer during a year, or if you are employed on 20 or more days during a year for cash pay figured on a time basis (by the hour, day, week), regardless of the amount of pay. You will get one quarter of coverage for each \$290 of your covered earnings, up to a maximum of 4 quarters for a year.

Q. My next-door neighbor's sole source of support is a small social security check. He won't apply for SSI payments because he thinks his assets will disqualify him. Will his assets count against him?

A. A person may have resources (assets) of up to \$1,500 and be eligible for SSI payments. Not all resources are counted in determining this \$1,500 amount. The house a claimant lives in and the land adjacent to it are not counted, regardless of their value. Personal effects or household goods with a total equity value of \$2,000 or less and life insurance policies with a total face value of \$1,500 or less per person are not counted. A car is not counted if its current market value is \$4,500 or less. Under certain conditions, a car may be excluded regardless of its value. For more information, call any social security office.

Q. I just got a notice from Medicare telling me that my medical insurance claim couldn't be processed because the doctor bill I submitted wasn't itemized. What exactly should be on an itemized bill?

A. An itemized bill must show a complete description of the service or supply you received;

the date, place, and charge for the service or supply; the name of the doctor or supplier who provided it; and your name and complete health insurance number exactly as they're shown on your Medicare card. Whenever you are sending in a bill with your medical insurance claim, make sure it includes all of this information. If it doesn't, ask the doctor or supplier to fill in what is missing.

Q. I am receiving social security disability benefits. The last time I visited my doctor, he said my condition had improved and I could return to work. Should I tell social security about this?

A. You should notify social security promptly. Your doctor's decision indicates that you may be able to do substantial gainful work. If you are able to work, you may no longer be entitled to disability payments. Failure to report may result in an overpayment of benefits which you will have to repay.

The people at any social security office will be glad to help provide the answer to any question about social security. The address and telephone number of the nearest social security office can be found in the telephone directory under "Social Security Administration."

PWP Plans July Events

Friday, June 20, Parents Without Partners will hold a regular meeting during which events for July will be planned. The meeting will be at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Hall beginning at 7:30 p. m. following a 7 o'clock hospitality session.

The Wolverine Regional Board will meet at Graying at Henshen Haus on Old US-23 beginning at 1:00 p. m. Saturday, June 21. Call 362-4493 for more information or for riding arrangements.

An old-fashioned pig roast is slated for Sunday, June 22. Reservations may be made by calling 739-2685. Campsites are available for the family affair. Women are to bring a dish to pass and the men are to furnish beverages.

Tuesday, June 24, is the deadline for news items to be placed in the club newsletter for July.

Real Estate Transfers

(Recorded June 2-6)

Irene Timar and Emma Connaughton to Thomas P. Connaughton and wife, Lot 84, Ausable Beach No. 4.

Gary P. Bauer and wife to Larry S. Lesatz and wife, Lot 9 and 10 of Avalon Woods Subdivision.

Carl B. Babcock and wife, et al, to Philip Leon and wife, Lots 519 and 520 of Kokosing Subdivision.

Jack Weston and wife to Thomas C. Murray and wife, Lot 3 of Block 7 of Chain Lakes Health Resort Subdivision.

R. L. Dykes and wife to Edwin H. Bennett and wife, Several Lots in Gratwick, Smith and Fryer's Second Addition to Oscoda.

Jessie E. Sherman to Robert E. Glancy Jr., the S $\frac{1}{2}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 31, T22N, R7E.

Victor A. Zaharias and wife to Randall C. Rollin and wife, Lot 45 of Huron Gardens of Tawas City.

Terry P. Maluchnik and wife to Carl W. Lay and wife, Lot 291 of Lakewood Shores No. 3 Subdivision.

Guy E. Pasador and wife to Derek N. Seed and wife, Lot 34 of Block B of Sylvan Shores Subdivision.

Irving W. Stockman to Edward Kozubal and wife, Lot 17, 18, 19 of The Stockman Subdivision.

Susan Davey to Paul Westcott, Part of the W $\frac{1}{2}$ of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 2, T21N, R7E.

Eva E. Norton to Edgar J. Kent and wife, Lot 1 of VanEtan White Pines Subdivision.

Louis White and wife to Robert Braley and wife, Part of the S $\frac{1}{2}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 32, T21N, R5E.

Alberta M. Mexicotte to Alberta M. Mexicotte, et al, Lot 5 and Part of Lot 6, Block 38 of the City of East Tawas.

Robert V. Sharkey to John L. Ringwelski and wife, Part of Lot 13 of the Supervisors Plat of Sharkey's Resort.

Esther Look to Richard J. Yanna, Part of Lot 7 and All of Lot 8 of Map of Tawas City.

Helen Hertzler to James L. Hearl and wife, Lot 1 and 2 of Block 3 of The Hunter's Cove Subdivision.

Stella Hlywa to George W. Mellendorf and wife, Lot 10 of Block Q of Horace D. Stockman's Addition to Ausable.

Carsten W. Samuelson and wife to Martin J. Schultz and

wife, Lot 29 and 30 of Supervisors Plat of Timbers Sky Harbor.

Earl O. Maltby and wife to Russell Hicks and wife, Lot 3 of Sand Lake Realty Company Subdivision.

LOOKING BACKWARD

Start Work on New Iosco MC Facility

15 Years Ago—

June 23, 1965—Contracts are to be let June 25 and ground broken sometime in July for the new Iosco County Medical Care Facility. Low bids totaling \$475,516 were accepted and final application for a \$290,000 federal grant has been submitted to the Michigan Department of Health. When approved, federal funds are to be combined with proceeds from Iosco's \$300,000 bond issue to finance cost of the project.

Lyle Klinger won first place in the mile bicycle race for boys and Marjorie Schaaf won first place in the girls' division. The junior Olympic bike races were sponsored by the East Tawas Business Association.

Building permits approved in Tawas City included a 60 by 94-foot steel warehouse for Krumrei Distributors, \$25,000, and an eight by 10-foot tornado shelter for Del Myles, \$150.

Several persons saw a cub bear walking along a street at Whittemore one evening last week.

25 Years Ago—

June 23, 1955—Traffic in Tawas City was brought to a standstill late Sunday afternoon when the former S. S. Western States was inched into position at the Tawas City Park dock. The ship is being converted into a hotel.

Emphasizing a policy of conserving today's natural resources and outdoor recreational facilities for tomorrow's youngsters, Gov. G. Mennen Williams formally dedicated and then turned over to the public the new Michigan Waterways Commission Dock at East

Tawas last Saturday.

The new 47-foot all steel cruiser, Miss Charity Islands, owned by Melvin Brown, was launched Tuesday and a group of 30 persons went to the Charity Islands on its initial cruise.

Jack Bronson of Arnold Bronson Motor Sales, Tawas City, has received a plaque from Chrysler Corporation for two years of participation in the master technician service conference.

Iosco Quota Club voted to accept a hearing project as a club activity.

A grand-slam homer by Russ Anschutz in the bottom half of the third inning propelled Tawas City to an 8-1 victory over West Branch, the local team's second win of the season.

35 Years Ago—

June 22, 1945—Iosco County has an equalized valuation of \$9,500,000.

The board of supervisors has authorized the buildings and grounds committee to purchase an honor roll for Iosco's men and women in service. The honor roll is to be erected in front of the courthouse.

Logging and sawmill operators are invited to a chain saw demonstration June 27 at Glen Miller's farm near Hale.

Extensive improvements and remodeling are being made by George Myles to what was formerly known as the Kelly Building, which he recently purchased from Annabel Davidson.

Melvin A. McArdle, aviation radioman third class, is aboard a carrier-based navy plane now pressing home the attack in the Pacific.

Iosco 4-H Club members attending camp near West Branch include Bud Rick, Dortha LeCureux, Joan Fullerton, Donna Wagner and Mildred Stewart, Oscoda; Richard Mewery, Greenbush; Janice Dumont, Marlene Teeple and Betty Teeple, Mikado; Harold Smith, Ernest Nash, Philip Partlo, Mary Beckley, Leonard Bronson, Ann Nash and Gertrude Smith, Whittemore; Ronald Herriman, Tawas City; Dick Deering, Alabaster; Dale Blust, Leighton Kohn and Arlene Kohn, Turner; Ruth Webb and Virginia Webb, Hale.

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- Becky Fournier
- Karen Coveyou
- Robin Greene
- Diane Prieskorn

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2 Blocks South on US-23 from M-55 Stop Light—Tawas City

Here in Tawas Area
Allstate can insure your house, your apartment, your condominium, or your mobile home.

Phone 362-3425
Myles Insurance Agency Inc.
504 LAKE STREET — TAWAS CITY

questions and answers

SIX WAYS TO HELP KEEP YOUR PHONE BILL FROM LEAVING YOU SPEECHLESS.



How much your phone costs depends partly on how you use it.

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2. Call during off-peak calling times. Long distance rates are lower after 5 p.m. weekdays, all day Saturday and Sunday until 5 p.m.

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5. Hang up on bad connections. And have the person who placed the call tell the operator. You'll be reconnected, and you won't have to pay for the interrupted time.

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HELP WANTED

WANTED—Insurance and billing clerks needed. Required experience: Knowledge of Medical Insurance Forms. Apply Tawas St. Joseph Hospital, Personnel Office, Tawas City, MI. An equal opportunity employer. 24-2b

SECRETARIAL POSITION—Must be proficient typist, able to take shorthand and dictation, filing and organizational ability, pleasant telephone voice. Please send handwritten reply to Post Office Box 502, East Tawas, Michigan 48730. 24-2b

LADIES PART TIME—Age 21 or older. Live within five miles. Apply at Norman's, East Tawas. 11-11b

NEEDED—Secretary, 20 hours a week from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. If interested please call 362-8695 between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. 25-2b

CHORE SERVICE WORKER—Needed in the Sand Lake-Tawas area, to do household chores for senior citizens. Automobile necessary. Call Trio Council on Aging, Inc. 345-3010 for interview. 25-11b

WANTED—Mature woman to babysit four month boy in Tawas City home; 8:00-4:30 Mon.-Fri. throughout school year. Request references. 362-2036. 25-11p

MISC. SERVICES

SMALL ENGINE REPAIR—Lawn mowers, outboards, etc. Have your tune-up done now at Tawas City Sports Center, 362-3173. 20-3b

DON'S HANDY MAN'S SERVICE—Painting, paneling, roofing, siding, garages, most carpenter work, plumbing and heating repair, carpet and linoleum installation, janitorial service and light hauling. Call 362-4044. After 5:00 p. m. call 362-6964. Call for free estimate. 1-11b

ALIGNMENT, BALANCING—Ford Twin I Beam and 4 x 4 alignment. Squires Wheel Alignment, 724 E. Bay Street, East Tawas, phone 362-6341. 12-11b

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Phone 362-3404 4-11b

FOR SALE - Real Estate

HOUSE FOR SALE—By owner, 4 Bedrooms, 2 baths, well insulated, 10 acres. Heated pool, barn, 2 1/2 miles from Tawas Area Schools, land contract. Call 362-5825 after 5:00 p. m. 23-4b

CASH FOR LAND CONTRACTS
Any type property anywhere in Michigan 24 Hours
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FOR SALE - MISC.

18' I/O 1964 UNIT TRAILER—Fiberglass \$1,995. Jerry's Marina, Tawas Point, East Tawas. 517-362-3939. Closed Wednesday. 25-11b

ELECTRIC BEDS—Are here now! Stop for a free demonstration for the greatest. Sleep or relax with automatic mattress positioning. Sale Introductory Prices now! TAWAS FURNITURE CENTER, on U. S. 23, south edge of Tawas City. phone 362-4437! 25-11b

FUEL OIL TANK—200 Gallons. Call 362-5277. 24-2p

NO TRESPASSING SIGNS—\$0 For \$2.50. Cash and carry. The Tawas Herald, 408 Lake Street, Tawas City 37-11b

THANK YOU NOTES—Three patterns from which to choose. Box of 50, \$3.50. The Tawas Herald, 408 Lake Street, Tawas City 24-11b

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17-11b

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Whittemore Area
Chamber of Commerce
Call 756-2271 24-11b

COMING EVENTS

BINGO
EVERY WEDNESDAY
Early Birds—6:45 p. m.
Whittemore Area
Chamber of Commerce
Building Fund 24-11b

BINGO
SUNDAY
Knights of Columbus Hall
821 Newman East Tawas
EARLY BIRD at 6:30 P. M.
17-11b

AFTERNOON BINGO
EVERY THURSDAY
12:30 P. M.
American Legion Post. 189
North Street—Tawas City
42-11b

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

EAGLES CLUB
803 W. Bay St. — East Tawas
Sunday, June 22 — 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
All you can eat!
\$2.50
Includes, Pancakes, sausage, eggs and coffee.
25-11b

FOR SALE - MISC.

HIDEABED—Large new shipment just arrived, excellent prices and really lovely to look at and live with! We are proud of our selection and our low prices for them! TAWAS FURNITURE CENTER, on U. S. 23, south edge of Tawas City. We deliver all around the area! 25-11b

GUEST BOOKS—For all occasions. Several colors from which to choose. The Tawas Herald, 408 Lake Street, Tawas City. 9-11b

PEOPLE ARE—Always telling us how beautiful our store and our home furnishings are! Stop in and browse! You will get ideas and can plan better when you are ready to buy! TAWAS FURNITURE CENTER, on U. S. 23, south edge of Tawas City. You will be glad you took a little drive. We deliver areawide! 25-11b

TRAILERS—New 1980 550 lb. capacity with winch. Jerry's Marina, Tawas Point, East Tawas. 517-362-3939. Closed Wednesday. 25-11b

LAWN FURNITURE—That won't blow over, most comfortable you can buy! Visit our patio shop, enjoy our lounge, lazy collection all summer! TAWAS FURNITURE CENTER, on U. S. 23, south edge of Tawas City! 25-11b

USED FURNITURE—Trades-ins, estates, store odds 'n ends! Visit the Annex at TAWAS FURNITURE! U. S. 23, at the south approach to Tawas City. We are stuffed full of bargains, we will cut prices to get some room back this week, hurry! TAWAS FURNITURE, phone 362-4437! 25-11b

OIL FURNACE—Central type in good condition, 2 oil tanks, offer. Phone 362-4437. 25-11b

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE
After June 1, 1980 the Grant Township Zoning Ordinance Book will no longer contain the word "Occupied" in Section 7.11B. Will all owners of this Ordinance Book please erase, cross-out or in some way remove that word in order to avoid further confusion?
Mr. H. J. ROBINSON
Secretary
Grant Township Zoning Board 24-2b

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE
GMAC 0234 53627
1978 Chevrolet Pickup CKL148F-322128. Public auction will be held at 1859 N. US 23, East Tawas, MI on June 24, 1980 at 11:00 a. m. Unit may be inspected at above address prior to date of sale. Seller reserves the right to bid. 24-2b

Lear Masonry will not be responsible for any debts contracted by anyone without my written consent as of June 1, 1980.
Audrey Lear 25-1p

PUBLIC NOTICE

NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER SALE—Huron-Manistee National Forests, Slosser Road Timber Sale, located within Section 33, T24N, R6E, Michigan Meridian, Iosco County, Michigan. Sealed bids will be received by the District Ranger, U. S. Forest Service, East Tawas, Michigan up to 11:00 AM local time at place of bid opening on July 3, 1980, for an estimated 287 Cunits of timber marked or otherwise designated for cutting. The estimated volume by species product and the minimum acceptable bid rate is: 33 Cunits of Jack Pine Sawlogs at \$12.22 per Cunit; 85 Cunits of Mixed Hardwoods Pulpwood at \$.60 per Cunit; 101 Cunits of Jack Pine Pulpwood at \$5.79 per Cunit; 68 Cunits of Red Pine Pulpwood at \$1.66 per Cunit. The required bid guarantee is \$100. 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, East Tawas, Michigan. 25-2b

SUBSCRIBE TO THE TAWAS HERALD

NOTICE

The Annual Meeting for the Township of Sherman will be held at the Sherman Township Hall on Saturday, June 28, 1980, starting at 1 p. m.

A budget will be presented at this time, also a hearing on Revenue Sharing Funds.

HAROLD PARENT
Sherman Township Clerk
National City, Mich. 25-2b

SEALED BIDS WANTED

Bids wanted for Antique Upright Piano. Piano can be seen at the Grant Township Hall, corner of M-55 and Sand Lake Road. Please contact Supervisor, Olen Herriman at 368 N. Sand Lake Road, or Lucile Blackmore, Township Clerk, 1199 Sand Lake Road. Sealed bids to be in by July 1st, 1980.

Township Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, in the interest of the township.
Lucile Blackmore, Clerk 24-2b

CITY OF TAWAS CITY NOTICE SHORELINE USE PLAN

A Public Hearing will be held by the Planning Commission Thursday, June 26 at 7:30 PM at the City Hall, 508 W. Lake Street, to receive public input and comment on recommendations developed by the Planning Consultant under the Coastal Zone Management Grant for the City's Shoreline Use Plan. Maps and preliminary recommendations are on file at the City Hall for review Monday - Friday, 9:00 - 5:00. Interested parties are encouraged to review these documents prior to the public hearing.

Wayne Thompson, Chairman
Planning Commission 25-11b

NAVY, AIR FORCE AND MARINE VETS. JOIN US FOR \$90 A WEEKEND, AND UP.

Don't be surprised to find some of your old buddies serving with your local Army Reserve unit. Why not? It's a chance for a recent E-4 with 3 years to earn over \$90 a weekend, over \$1,300 a year. Not bad for 16 hours a month and two weeks a year. Come join us. For details, call your Army Representative, in the Yellow Pages under "Recruiting".

MEET TODAY'S ARMY RESERVE.
Illustration of a man in a suit pointing.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Iosco County Road Commission
May 12, 1980 10:00 a. m.
Summary
Meeting called to order. Present; Commissioners' Conley, Aulerich, and White; Engineer - Manager Buchanan; Secretary-Clerk Ferguson. Also, parties interested in the bid opening. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.
Old Business:

1. Bids: Bids were received from the following: A.) Trucks: Inglis Ford Sales, Diesel Truck Sales, Bruce Wenzel Ford. B.) Dumptrucks: Bolen Trucking, Miller Equipment, Scientific Brake. C.) Underbody Scrapers: Scientific Brake, Shults Equipment.
Motion by Commissioner Aulerich, supported by Commissioner White to accept all the bids for consideration. Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried. 2. Radio Maintenance: Bids for the three year radio maintenance contract were received from the following: 1.) Motorola Communications, 2.) Cook Communications, 3.) Northeast Radio Engineers, 4.) Oscoda Communications. Motion by Commissioner White, supported by Commissioner Aulerich to accept all the bids for consideration. Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried. 3. Overhead Sign F-41: The engineer-manager read a quote from Bemis Sign Company to erect an overhead sign at the intersection of F-41 and U. S. 23. Motion by Commissioner White, supported by Commissioner Aulerich, to proceed with the installation. Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried. 4. Electronic Measuring Device: The engineer-manager reported on the quotes received for an Electronic Measuring Device. Motion by White, supported by Commissioner Aulerich, to accept the quote of Level Best Sales, based on prior service and the recommendation of the engineering department. Roll call vote, all yeas. Motion carried.

New Business:
1. Critical Bridges: The engineer-manager reported on the status of the Critical Bridge applications currently on file. 2. Road Tour: The monthly road tour was scheduled for May 21 at 10:00 a. m. 3. Bills and payroll: Motion by Commissioner Aulerich, supported by Commissioner White to sign the bills and payroll as presented. Roll call vote, all yeas. 4. Adjournment: Upon motion made and supported, the regular meeting adjourned at 11:30 a. m. with an Executive Session scheduled for 1:00 p. m. with the Employees Negotiating Committee.

HENRY M. CONLEY
Chairman
STEPHEN D. FERGUSON
Sec-Clerk 25-11b

NOTICE

Petition to rezone from Agricultural-Residential to Industrial by United States Gypsum Co., a piece of land situated in Alabaster Township, Iosco County, Michigan, described as follows:

Parcel No. 1: All of Section 28 with the exception of E-1/4 NW-1/4 and SE-1/4, and NE-1/4, SE-1/4 totalling 579.6 acres more or less; Parcel No. 2: SE-1/4, SE-1/4 Section 21 totalling 80 acres more or less; All being in Township 21 North, Range 7 East.

PUBLIC HEARING on July 9th at 7:30 at the Alabaster Township Hall.

JOHN BENSON
Chairman 25 and 27-11b

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

GMAC 1318 54180
1978 Chevrolet Wagon, CKL-188F173791. Public Auction will be held on July 1, 1980 at 1859 N US 23, East Tawas, MI at 11:00 a. m. Unit may be inspected at the above address prior to date of sale. Seller reserves the right to bid. 25-2b

As of June 11, 1980, I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by anyone other than myself.
Cary L. Towns 24-2p

PUBLIC NOTICE

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TAKE NOTICE, That the Michigan Department of Natural Resources proposes to hold a hearing in the Plainfield Township Hall, 300 North Washington (M-65), one-fourth mile north of the four corners in Hale, Michigan, at 7:00 p. m., Monday, the 23rd day of June 1980.

The purpose of this hearing is to secure the views of interested persons concerning the following application for permit: Application for permit (80-7-7) under the Inland Lakes and Streams Act (1972 PA 346) by Robert Newman, 5149 North U. S. 23, Oscoda, Michigan 48750, to dredge in Long Lake, Section 32, Plainfield Township, Iosco County, Michigan.
The application may be reviewed at the Land Resource Programs Division Office, c/o DNR Region II Headquarters, 8717 North Roscommon Road, Roscommon, Michigan, during normal business hours.

The hearing will be held pursuant to Section (6) of the cited statute. The hearing will not be a court-type proceeding; witnesses will not be sworn, and there will be no cross-examination. Public hearings are primarily informational and are held to encourage the expression of views and presentation of facts. Written comments will be appreciated and incorporated into the hearing record.

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources will, upon written request, provide a copy of the hearing transcript and/or advise of the Department's decision on this application.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
By: D. J. Haywood
Date: June 3, 1980
Lansing, Michigan 25-1p

NOTICE OF FUNDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT EFFECT ON THE ENVIRONMENT

Iosco County June 11, 1980
Iosco County Courthouse
Tawas City, MI 48763
517-362-4212

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

The above named County proposes to request the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to release Federal Funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) to be used for the following project:

County Wide Housing Rehabilitation Program (Project Title)
To rehabilitate substandard housing (Purpose or Nature of Project)
County Wide Iosco, Michigan \$400,000.00 (Estimated Cost of Project)

It has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and, accordingly, the above named County has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (PL 91-190).

The reasons for such decision are as follows: The impact of the proposed project is negligible and, where such impacts exist, then are of a beneficial nature.

An Environmental Review Record with respect to the project has been made by the above named County which documents the Environmental Review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such Statement is not required. This Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying, upon request, between the hours of 9:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m.

All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the County to the Chairman of the Iosco County Board of Commissioners. Such written comments should be received at the address specified on or before July 7, 1980. All such comments so received will be considered and the County will not request the release of Federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.
MR. JOHN WEBB, JR.
Chairman
Iosco County Board of Commissioners
Iosco County Courthouse
Tawas City, MI 48763 25-11b

PUBLIC NOTICE

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage made on the 15th day of November, 1976, by Ronald L. Nichols and Diane S. Nichols, his wife, as Mortgagor, to the AuGres State Bank, AuGres, Michigan, as Mortgagee, and recorded on November 18, 1976 in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds for Iosco County, at Liber 252, Page 98 of Mortgages; On which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid on the date of this Notice the total sum of ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY ONE and 50/100 (\$1,561.50), and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale in said mortgage contained having become operative by reason of default.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on July 10, 1980, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Tawas City, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Iosco, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at Public Sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amount due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with statutory legal costs, charges of sale in said mortgage mentioned and described as:

County of Iosco, Township of Burleigh: The West 165 feet of the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 28, Town 21 North, Range 5 East; STATUTORY REDEMPTION PERIOD is One (1) year from date of sale.

Dated: June 6, 1980
SUSAN FORSYTH KNIGHT
Attorney for AuGres State Bank
Business Address:
Box 666, Courthouse
Standish, MI 48658
(517) 846-6941 25-4b

STATE OF MICHIGAN

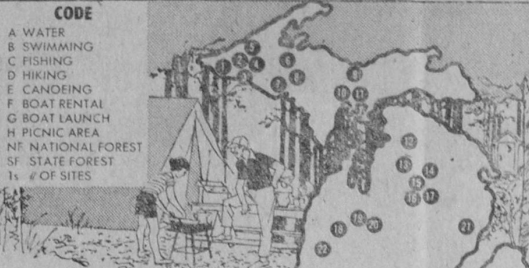
Probate Court, County of Iosco
File No. 8257
Estate of Lloyd Ray Johnson, Deceased

TAKE NOTICE: On July 1, 1980 at 10:00 A. M., in the probate courtroom, Tawas City, Michigan, before Hon. William H. McCreedy, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Victor Louis Johnson for probate of a purported Will and for granting administration of said estate to Victor Louis Johnson or some other suitable person for a determination of heirs.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said Victor Louis Johnson, % Kenneth J. Myles P. C., Attorney for Victor Louis Johnson, 502 Lake Street, Tawas City, Michigan 48763 and proof thereof filed with the Court on or before September 5, 1980.

Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.
June 16, 1980
VICTOR LOUIS JOHNSON
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Guide to Michigan's FREE CAMPGROUNDS



1 Sylvania Recreation Area (NF), 4 mi. w. of Watermeet, then 4 mi. sw. on Co. Rd. 535, 845, all water access or hike-in (registration required) (CDEG), motors prohibited on most lakes. **2** Burned Dam (NF), 6 mi. e. of Watermeet on USFS Rd. 157, then 1 mi. n. on USFS Rd. 169, 115, (AC). **3** Paulding Pond (NF), 8 mi. n. of Watermeet on US-45, 46, (ACH). **4** Robbins Pond (NF), 5 mi. n. of Watermeet on US-45, then 5 mi. n. on USFS Rd. 181, 35, (AC). **5** Matchwood Tower (NF), 8 mi. e. of Bergland on M-28, then 5.5 mi. s. on USFS Rd. 178, 55, (AC), primarily a hunting camp. **6** Lower Dam—Lake (NF), 5.5 mi. e. of Kenton on M-28, then 5 mi. s. on USFS Rds. 139 and 137, 75, (AC). **7** Point River Forks (NF), 10 mi. n. of Iron River on Co. Rd. 657, 55, (ACE). **8** Deer Lake (SF), 17 mi. n. of Crystal Falls via US-141 and Deer Lake Rd. 125, (ABCDFG). **9** Hovey Lake (NF), 8 mi. sw. of Munising on M-94, then 4 mi. se. on USFS Rd. 225, 46, (AC). **10** Haymeadow Creek (NF), 9.4 mi. n. of Rapid River on Co. Rd. 509, 165, (ACD). **11** Flowing Well (NF), 3 mi. n. of Nahma Junction on USFS Rd. 13, 105, (ACH). **12** Pine Grove (SF), 12 mi. e. of Wolverine via Wolverine and Webb Rds., on the Pigeon River, 55, (ACD). **13** Chubb Creek (SF), 6 mi. e. of Waters via Marlette Rd. 65, (AC). **14** McCormick Lake (SF), 5 mi. n. of Lewiston on Co. Rd. 481, then 2 mi. e. 105, (ACG). **15** Big Creek (SF), 4 mi. ne. of Lovell on Co. Rd. 612, 105, (AC). **16** Rainbow Bend (SF), 16 mi. e. of Grayling via M-72 and McMaster's Bridge Rd. 55, (ACE). **17** Big Creek (SF), 5 mi. n. of Red Oak via Co. Rd. 489, 65, (AC). **18** Ravine (NF), 12 mi. w. of Cadillac on M-55, 1 mi. e. on 21st St., 2.5 mi. w. on 46th St., 1 mi. s. on 17th St., 55, (AC). **19** Long Lake (SF), 6 mi. n. and 2 mi. e. of Cadillac via US 131, 195, (ACG). **20** Whitlock Lake (SF), 2 mi. s. of Lake City on M-66, then 4 mi. w. on Jennings Rd., 4 mi. n. on La Chance Rd., 55, (ABCDFG). **21** Gordon Creek (NF), 8 mi. nw of East Tawas on Monument Rd. 8 hike-in sites, (A). **22** Timber Creek (NF), 10.5 mi. n. and w. of Baldwin along US-10, 95, (AC).

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ROGER JACKSON, newly-elected chairman of the executive committee of the North Private Industry Council, talks with Donald Schurr, manager of the Region 7B Employment and Training Consortium. Jackson, executive director of the Tawas Area Chamber of Commerce, heads the six-person committee

that will study and evaluate various employment and training programs to be presented to the council. Those duties go along with already initiated efforts to inform the business and industrial community of labor search, screening and referral services offered free of charge to all business and economic development organizations.

Highlights And Sidelights

State Prosecutes Fishermen

Atty. Gen. Frank J. Kelley has filed suit accusing three commercial fishermen of fraudulently claiming to be Indians and illegally gill netting tons of fish from Lake Michigan. The Hermes family owns and operates the Big Bay DeNoc Fisheries, one of the largest commercial fishing companies in Michigan. While most commercial and sports fishermen are prohibited from using gill nets by state law, the Hermes family claimed immunity from state regulation under the federal court ruling which exempts Indian fishermen from state regulation and thus enables them to use gill nets. The attorney general and Department of Natural Resources—backed by sports fishermen and environmentalists—are appealing that ruling, but the issue is still pending before the United States Court of Appeals in Cincinnati, Ohio, and will possibly be resolved in the United States Supreme Court. The eventual outcome of that legal action has no bearing on the suit against the Hermes family because they are not Indians, according to the suit. In 1978, William Hermes applied for—and was granted—an identification card from the United States Bureau of Indian Affairs certifying him and his immediate descendants as members of the Sault Ste. Marie Chippewa tribe. The identification card had been granted on the basis of Hermes' claim that one Mary Cadreau—listed as a member of the tribe in 1907—was his great grandmother. The defendant members of the Hermes family were subsequently disenrolled as members of the tribe after data indicated that Mrs. Cadreau could not have been the great grandmother claimed by Hermes and thus they were not legally entitled to use gill nets or enjoy other fishing privileges extended to members of the tribe. Kelley is asking the circuit court to enjoin the fisheries' continued illegal use of gill nets and to order the defendant commercial fishermen to comply with all state law. The attorney general is also asking for civil penalties of nearly \$40,000—the retail value of the fish illegally caught by the defendants—and for compensation for the cost of the investigation and legal fees. The case has been assigned to Judge Clair J. Hoehn, who will schedule a hearing at a later date.

Safety Award

THE NATIONAL CITY PLANT of Gold Bond Building Products, a National Gypsum Division, has worked the entire year of 1979 without a disabling injury. This represents approximately 400,000 man hours. As a result of this achievement, the National City plant won the Division Annual Safety Award over 40 other plants and supply centers. In the photo at left, Plant Mgr. R. M. Harris, right, is being presented the award by K. G. Walker, director of mines and properties of the division office. In the bottom photo, the plant safety health committee is shown displaying the division award, an award from the National Safety Council, and an award from the Kemper Insurance Group. From left are L. Koepke, personnel and safety director; D. Bergquist, E. Shaffer and L. Perkola, all safety committee members; S. Mason, safety observer, and J. Schlep, safety committee member. Other safety committee members not present are T. Wrathell, C. Quarters Jr. and L. Groff Jr.

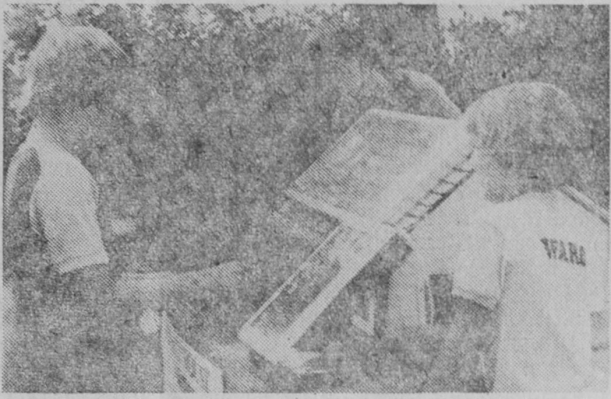


4-H's Give Tips On Effective Leadership

How do young people view leadership? 4-H'ers, who have received \$1,000 scholarships for their outstanding leadership roles say that, for them, an effective leader has these qualities:

- Creates an atmosphere of mutual respect between oneself and those with whom one deals.
- Remembers the importance of standing up, stepping up and then stepping back.
- Correctly receives, interprets and sends both verbal and non-verbal signals.
- Willing to accept and take advantage of criticism when it's due.
- Realizes that leadership means giving, learning, sharing and developing the "best you possible."
- Above all, remembers that there's more to leadership than just being up front.

Preparing youth to become effective leaders of tomorrow is a major objective of 4-H. The 4-H leadership program, supported by Reader's Digest, encourages youth to learn by doing and to develop skills in this area



Junior and teen 4-H leaders nationwide provide direction and support for younger club members. The national 4-H leadership program, supported by Reader's Digest, encourages the 190,000 juniors and teens to learn-by-doing. by active participation in their local clubs. More than 190,000 junior and teen leaders are carrying out projects in a variety of areas including work with the handicapped and emotionally disturbed children, teaching horticulture to underprivileged children, and serving as role models for younger club members. As an added incentive, 4-H'ers are eligible for awards donated by Reader's Digest and arranged by National 4-H Council. They include four medals of honor for each county, and one expense-paid trip to the 59th National 4-H Congress in Chicago, Nov. 30 - Dec. 4, for each state. Nine national winners also receive \$1,000 scholarships and two high-ranking 4-H'ers receive silver trays, presented in the name of the President of the United States. Winners are selected by the Cooperative Extension Service, which supervises 4-H projects and activities in each state. Youths can learn more about the leadership program by contacting their county extension office.



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Friday, June 20—
Liver in Spanish sauce, baked potato, broccoli, tossed salad, biscuit and margarine, assorted cookies, coffee, tea, milk.

Monday, June 23—
Tuna casserole, lima beans, tossed salad, bread and margarine, pastry turnovers, coffee, tea, milk.

Tuesday, June 24—
Chicken, potato and gravy, stewed tomato, carrot and raisin salad, bread and margarine, peaches and diet gelatin, coffee, tea, milk.

Wednesday, June 25—
Salisbury steak with mushrooms, fry-baked potatoes, corn, tossed salad, bread and margarine, fresh fruit, coffee, tea, milk.

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