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LET'S MAKE IT
A GOOD YEAR



H. W. BANBURY ELECTED VICE PRESIDENT OF WHITE PINE COPPER COMPANY

Chester O. Ensign, Jr., President of White Pine Copper Company, has announced the election of Harry W. Banbury as a Vice President of the company. The action by the White Pine Board of Directors was effective March 1.

Mr. Banbury retains his position as Comptroller and Assistant Secretary and also serves as Manager of Administrative Services.

He joined the Copper Range Company in January, 1951, at Painesdale and transferred to the White Pine Copper Company on June 1, 1952. He served successively as Field Auditor, Audit Supervisor, and Cost Accounting Supervisor. He was elected Assistant Comptroller in 1961 and Comptroller in 1968.

A native of Kingsford, Michigan, he served in the Navy from 1943 to 1946, at which time he entered Northern Michigan University. He graduated from Northern in 1950 with a degree in Business Administration. He has been active in community affairs, having served fourteen years as a member and treasurer of the White Pine Board of Education and two years as a member of the Ontonagon County Board of Commissioners. In 1974 he was elected a director of the Citizen's State Bank of Ontonagon.

He is a member and past president of the White Pine Lions Club, a member of Nonesuch Post 462 American Legion and the Lake Superior Chapter of the National Association of Accountants.

He and his wife Dorothy reside at Lake Gogebic in Bergland. Their four children are: JoAnn, a teacher in the Baraga School District, Gary, serving with the U.S. Air Force in Germany, Mrs. Catherine Pierpont of White Pine, and Jane Lee, a student at Green Bay, Wisconsin.

WHITE PINE MAN NAMED STATE COORDINATOR

Albin L. Mattson has been named the state coordinator of native American substance abuse programs by Robin Johnson, chairman of the Michigan Native American Council on Substance Abuse.

In his new position, Mattson will be working with the Office of Substance Abuse Services and the Commission on Indian Affairs to coordinate all efforts in Michigan directed toward assisting native Americans with an alcohol or other drug problem. The new position was grant administered by OSAS.

Mattson has been actively involved in volunteer Community Alcoholism Programs and was instrumental in establishing the Lac View Desert Substance Abuse Program at Watersmeet.

A resident of White Pine, Mattson is an Ottawa Indian and a member of the Northern Ottawa Association based in Petoskey. He served 11 years in the U.S. Army and is a graduate of Newberry High School. Mattson is married and the father of five children.

Mattson assumed his new duties the first week of February.

He can be contacted at the Commission on Indian Affairs, 3500 N. Logan St., Lansing, Mi. 48914.

ONTONAGON VILLAGE ELECTION RESULTS

In the Ontonagon Village general election held last week James E. Clark won his second term as Village Clerk. A Republican, Clark defeated his Democratic opponent Debra Miles 477 to 295. It was the one real contest in the election as three others were automatically elected by virtue of lack of opposition.

Thomas Hartzell, William White and Thomas Harris were elected trustees. Laura Ross was elected treasurer and Kurt Giesau was reelected president. Also reelected and unopposed was Eleanor Hawley, assessor.

A total of 789 voters were at the polls on Monday.

COUNTY AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION BEGIN PLANS FOR 1976 FAIR

The board of directors of the Ontonagon County Agricultural Association met on March 4th and began planning for the 1976 Ontonagon County Fair.

Among the many items of business covered at this meeting was the main concession for this year's fair. It was determined that the board would accept applications until May 1st. A letter of application from interested groups or individuals should be submitted to the Association secretary, Allan Slye.

Other item considered at the meeting and decided upon was the date for this year's fair. It will be held the week-end of August 27, 28 and 29. The horse-pulling attraction will be held again on Saturday, the 28th. Discussion was held on a building to house livestock, however funding at this time prevents any definite plans.

MONTHLY HEALTH CLINICS SET THIS WEEK

The Western Upper Peninsula District Health Department will hold regular monthly clinics on Thursday, March 18.

The Ontonagon Clinic will be held in the Health Department offices in the Medical Care Facility. The clinic times are 8:45 until 9:45 a.m. The Clinic will leave for Ewen immediately following this so persons are urged to be on time.

The Ewen Clinic will be held in the Ewen Community Building from 11-11:30.

Inoculations for diphtheria, tetanus, whooping cough, polio, rubella, regular measles and mumps will be offered. This is a free clinic and everyone is urged to attend. A parent or guardian must accompany the child if it is his or her first time at the clinic to sign the consent form for these inoculations.

Tuberculin testing is done every Monday from 8:00 until 9:30 a.m.

Parents are urged to check with their family physician or to call the Health Department to determine if their children are fully protected against childhood diseases.

SNOWFALL TALLY AT MASS SHOWS 'INCREASE'

Snowfall at Mass between 9 a.m. on Thursday to 9 a.m. on Friday of last week was six inches. Between Friday and Saturday the amount was 11 inches. This brings the season total to 258.4 inches....and still snowing.

-- PUBLIC MEETING --

THE WHITE PINE SCHOOL BOARD WILL HOLD A PUBLIC MEETING ON THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 1976 AT 7:00 O'CLOCK.

THE PURPOSE OF THIS MEETING IS TO OBTAIN INPUT FROM THE ADULTS AND STUDENTS OF THE COMMUNITY RELATIVE TO THE FINANCIAL PROBLEMS THE DISTRICT IS FACING.

PROGRAM AND SERVICE CUTS MUST BE MADE AND IT IS VITAL THAT THE CITIZENS WHO WILL BE AFFECTED EXPRESS THEIR VIEWS.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR AND PLAN TO ATTEND THIS PUBLIC MEETING.

RAYMOND BELING
SUPERINTENDENT

-- NOTICE --

U.S. POSTAL SERVICE CUSTOMERS

AS AN ECONOMY MEASURE, THE SERVICE LOBBY OF THE WHITE PINE POST OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY FROM 12:15 P.M. TO 1:15 P.M., STARTING MONDAY, MARCH 22, 1976.

BOX LOBBY WILL REMAIN OPEN DURING THIS HOUR.

CUSTOMERS ARE URGED TO KEEP A SUPPLY OF POSTAGE STAMPS ON HAND FOR USAGE DURING THIS PERIOD AND TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE METRO SERVICE AT THE CURBSIDE BOX ON SATURDAY AFTERNOONS AND ON SUNDAYS.

C. A. BROEMER
POSTMASTER

COUNTY NEWS IN BRIEF...

The Ontonagon High School Gladiators took the 1976 Class C District Basketball title by defeating the L'Anse Hornets, 66-58. The Gladiators later lost their bid for success at the Regional level by falling victim to the Manistique Emeralds, 66-48, in a game played at Marquette's Hedgecock Fieldhouse.

It's no surprise, but the position of County Sheriff will be receiving much attention in this fall's primary. The fifth entry to date in the candidate race was announced last week. So far, two Republicans and three Democrats have declared their intention of running for the position.

The White Pine School Board will be holding a public meeting this week to enlist suggestions and comments from citizens of the community in the matter of impending budget cuts of over \$100,000 for the next school year.

A combined meeting of the Ontonagon County Board of Commissioners and the County Township Supervisors Association took place on March 16th for the purpose of discussion of problems of taxes and assessed valuation. At an earlier meeting of the Board of Commissioners

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Letters TO THE EDITOR

The following letter was received by the editor with a request to reprint, addressed to the 'People of Ontonagon County.' ----

To The People of Ontonagon County:

I am going to run for the Republican nomination for the Office of Sheriff of Ontonagon County in the August primary election. I am currently employed as a police officer for the Village of Ontonagon. I offer almost 10 years of police experience in Ontonagon and Wayne Counties. I also worked for the Federal Government as a police officer in the Veteran's Administration.

I am married and the father of 3 children. I am a veteran of the United States Air Force. If I am elected Sheriff, I can promise law enforcement with compassion. At 6'9" tall, I claim to be the tallest police officer in the State of Michigan. Clearly I stand Head and Shoulders above the competition.

Sincerely,
John H. Gillikin

OBITUARY

A. NEWTON CUNEO

Antonio Newton Cuneo, Ontonagon, died on March 9, following a brief illness.

Mr. Cuneo was born at Port Richmond, New York, on May 2, 1899. He came to Ontonagon in 1923 as manager and auditor of the Ontonagon Fiber Company. He contained as manager when the company became the National Container Corporation in 1945 and again in 1956 when it was changed to the Huss-Ontonagon Pulp and Paper Company. He retired in 1969 from the present Hoerner Waldorf Corp.

He was married to the former Elizabeth Reardon of Ashland, Wisconsin, on August 2, 1928. She survives as does a son John, Big Rapids, Michigan and a daughter, Joan Zbacnik of Blissfield, Michigan, and seven grandchildren.

Mr. Cuneo was an active member of numerous organizations in the community and was a director of the First National Bank from 1956 until the time of his death.

Services were held from the Ascension Episcopal Church, Ontonagon on Friday, March 12. Burial will be in the Riverside Cemetery.

ARNE H. TEIKARI

Arne H. Teikari, 56, Bruce Crossing, died suddenly on Saturday, March 6, enroute to the Ontonagon Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Teikari was born on May 20, 1919, at Paynesville. He was married in 1942 to the former Miriam Niemi at Trout Creek. He was a lifelong resident of this area.

Survivors include his widow, three sons, Danny, at home, and Earl and Wilbert of Milwaukee; four grandchildren; two brothers, Jack of Ewen, and Wilbert of Bruce Crossing. He was preceded in death by his parents, two sisters and three brothers.

Funeral services for Mr. Teikari were held on Monday, March 8, from Our Saviour Lutheran Church, Paynesville. Burial in the Paynesville Cemetery.

ARTHUR J. SWICKARD

Arthur John Swickard, 66, of Rockland died Thursday, March 4, at LaCroix Hospital in White Pine.

Mr. Swickard was born August 5, 1909, at Rockland, and graduated from high school there in 1929. He served with the Army in World War II in the European Theatre. Following his army service he worked at Pontiac and Milwaukee until

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returning to Rockland, where he was employed as a woodsman. In 1951 he married the former Celia Davis. They made their home at Rockland.

Survivors include his widow; three stepdaughters, Mrs. Arlyn Tuttle, Royal Oak, Mrs. Janet Fredrikson, Goodrich, and Mrs. Beatrice Falkner, St. Louis, Missouri; and one brother, Delmar, of Ontonagon.

Funeral services were held on Monday, March 8, at the Rockland United Methodist Church. Entombment was in the Rockland Vault for spring burial in Woodlawn Cemetery.

HUGO A. CARLSON

Hugo Alfred Carlson, 78, of Channing, former Rockland resident, died on March 6th in Crystal Falls.

Born at Trout Creek on July 4, 1897, he came to Rockland with his parents as a youngster. He attended schools there, moving to Channing in 1917.

In 1923 he married the former Ethel Thompson of Iron River. She preceded him in death in 1966. A sister, Miss Ellen Carlson of Rockland, a niece and several cousins survive.

Funeral services for Hugo Carlson were held on March 8th from the Plowe Funeral Home in Channing with the Rev. James McKeever of Ontonagon officiating.

HENRY PENEGOR

Henry Penegor, 86, a longtime resident of the Rousseau area, died Sunday, March 7th, at Maple Manor Nursing Home in Ontonagon.

Born Nov. 7, 1889, at Rockland, he moved to Rousseau as a youngster with his parents. He had been a farmer and a logger.

Surviving is one sister, Mrs. Emily Anderson, Ontonagon and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at St. Peter & Paul Catholic Church, Greenland, on Wednesday, March 10. Burial will be in the Maple Grove Cemetery.

HARRY YEADON

Harry Yeadon, 90, L'Anse, a former Ontonagon resident, died on March 5th at the Baraga County Memorial Hospital in L'Anse.

Mr. Yeadon was born on Jan. 28, 1886 at Bark River. He lived in Canada until the age of 17 when he returned to Michigan. He then lived in the Ontonagon area, working as an independent logger. In 1917 he married the former Rose Wilson and they made their home in Ontonagon. She preceded him in death in 1962. Following retirement in 1957 he made his home with a daughter in L'Anse.

Survivors are a son, Donald, Iron River; a daughter, Mrs. Edward (Kathleen) Rock of L'Anse; seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Maude Finn of Iron Mountain, and nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the Allen Cane Funeral Home in Ontonagon on Monday, March 8, with burial to be in the Riverside Cemetery.



COMMUNITY CALENDAR

W.P. METHODIST CHURCH TO HOLD POTLUCK

The White Pine Methodist Church will be holding a Potluck Dinner on March 21 at 6:00 p.m. at the church. Featured guests will be the Reality Singers of Hurley, Wisconsin.

Persons attending are asked to bring one main dish and an extra dish, such as dessert or salad, eating utensils and a beverage other than coffee (will be furnished).

Everyone is invited. Come and bring the family.

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WHITE PINE BROTHERS SERVING IN ARMED FORCES MEET OVERSEAS FOR VISIT

Mrs. Joseph Sustarich of White Pine recently received word that two of her sons, both in the U.S. Armed Forces and serving overseas, were reunited and spent several days together visiting.

Joe Sustarich, serving with the 175 Aviation Company in Illesheim, Germany drove to Nuremberg, Germany, where he met his brother Francis, presently serving aboard the U.S.S. Casablanca, which has been on maneuvers in the Mediterranean. Francis' most recent tour aboard the Casablanca has taken him to such ports as Rota, Spain; Augusta Bay, Sicily; Brindisi, Italy; and Cannes, France.

The brothers spent several days together visiting in Illesheim before Francis returned to his ship.



CLUBS

WHITE PINE WOMEN'S CLUB MEETING REPORT

Fourteen women braved the blizzard to attend the White Pine Women's Club meeting held Friday afternoon, March 12th, at the Konteka.

The calendar was turned back over half a century as Dorie Harris told of old White Pine as related to her by her mother-in-law, Mrs. William Harris.

Mrs. Harris came to White Pine as a bride in 1916 and stayed here until 1923, after which she moved to Green. She now resides in Ontonagon.

Things were different then! Except for Cherry Street and Alder Lane, the town site was mainly in the area of the Mall. The hospital was located on Alder Lane, the home where the Bill Born family now reside. There was no smelter then and the ore had to be shipped out.

Dorie showed pictures taken in the area at the time. The old school house, men in the mine, the old bunk houses, and many others.

Dorie's husband John was born here; the house has since been moved to Silver City.

Karalyn Johnson reminded us that next month will be guest day and a Bicentennial special. We are asked to wear either a long dress befitting the time or dress in red, white and blue.

Bicentennial plates must be ordered before June, 1976. After that the molds will be broken.

Eleanore Wertz urged all members to attend the important special school board meeting to be held Thursday evening, March 18, at the high school.

The new slate of officers are: President, Karolyn Johnson; 1st V-President, Mary Deason; 2nd V-President, Karen Brockelsby; Treasurer, Rose Pakonen; Recording Secretary, Marion Girucky; Corresponding Sec., Lee Parker; Auditor, LaVern Evans. Trustees for two years, Eleanor Wertz and Barbara Jones; Trustees for one year, Ann Garcia and Helen Whiton.

Hostesses for the March meeting were LaVern Evans and Irene Frisk.

'LEGION NOTES' NONESUCH POST 462, WHITE PINE, MICHIGAN

WHITE PINE BOYS' STATER'S SELECTED

Even though doubts existed for some time whether the Boys & Girls State programs could be held this summer due to the interpretation of Title IX of the 1972 Education Amendments, by the Civil Rights office of HEW. Their claim that the American Legion and the Sponsors are discriminating in these programs because HEW has determined that the Boys' State & Girls' State programs are sexually segregated. (We've always

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Shown left to right in the photo are area representatives to the affair: Ewen; Darcy Juntunen, Bruce Crossing, Leonard Perttula, Ramsay; Arlene Makä, and Joy Popke, Bruce Crossing.

LOCAL 4-H LEADERS ATTEND STATE MEET AT CAPITAL CITY

Volunteer 4-H leaders from Gogebic and Ontonagon counties journeyed to Michigan State University March 6 and 7 to be welcomed, educated, entertained and honored. They were attending the 20th Annual 4-H Leadermete at MSU's Kellogg Center for Continuing Education in East Lansing.

The aim of Leadermete is to teach volunteer leaders about new programs available in 4-H, to help them improve themselves as leaders and to honor their successful efforts.

SOCIAL SERVICES COUNTY FORUM SET FOR MARCH 22 IN ONTONAGON

Local citizens who want a say in the priorities for services to be offered by the Department of Social Services statewide, beginning in October of this year, are invited to a county forum. The forum is scheduled for March 22, 1976, at the Holy Family Catholic Church in Ontonagon.

The open meeting is a forerunner for statewide briefing to be held sometime in April, at which legislators, advocacy organization representatives and State agency officials will be appraised of the results of deliberations at this forum and similar ones to be held in counties throughout the State.

At stake in all this planning is how the State will allocate money available for a wide variety of social services from day care for children to transportation for senior citizens. Participants will be asked to indicate their priorities for social services from among those offered by the Department of Social Services. Summary information from the meeting will be forwarded to the Department State Office for analysis.

William Johnson, Chairman of the Ontonagon County Social Services Board, which is sponsoring the local meeting, says that he hopes to hear from five key groups: current services recipients, service organizations, local government officials, public and private human services agencies, and other interested citizens.

All this activity is spurred by some recent federal legislation in 1975, which amended the Social Security Act to give states more flexibility in spending federal funds available to each state for human services.

Johnson says he hopes the additional lead time for planning this year will enable more citizens to have input as to how the money will be spent.

He explained that last year a very short time was available for planning between the time Congress passed Title XX of the Social Security Act and July, when proposed plans for spending the money had to be completed and published by each State.

Participants at the county forum will be asked to indicate their priorities for social services from among those offered by the Department of Social Services. A summary of this information will be analyzed by the Department's State Office and incorporated in a report which will be both available to the county and utilized to conduct the statewide briefing.

Following the briefings, a proposed plan for social services in Michigan will be published July 1st for further public comment. The final plan will be implemented by October 1, 1976.

Members of a Michigan County Social Services Association Sub-Committee, as well as staff from the Department of Social Services State Office, are involved in the Title XX planning.

Sub-committee members are Chairman Gerald Schultz, Director, Branch County Department of Social Services-Margaret Eaton, member of the Jackson County Board of Social Services-Donald Wilson, Director St. Clair County Department of Social Services-and Paul Spata, III, Supervisor of Neglect Services at the Saginaw County Department of Social Service.

TOPICAL FLOURIDE APPLICATIONS OFFERED TO CHILDREN BY W.U.P.D.H. DEPARTMENT

If enough interest is expressed parents in Ontonagon County, the Health Department will be able to operate a topical flouride program again this summer to protect the teeth of children from tooth decay.

Similar programs have been conducted in communities throughout Michigan since 1949 and each summer more than 40,000 children in over 200 towns have their teeth treated with a solution of sodium flouride. The solution applied on the surfaces of the teeth is effective in reducing new tooth decay by an average of forty percent as compared to a sixty to sixty-five percent reduction from water flouridation.

The service is offered to students in grades 2, 5 and 8, since it is at these various growth levels that children have newly erupted teeth which should be protected against decay. This service is also offered to special edu-

cation classes in our health district. A fee of \$5.00 per child will be charged to cover necessary expenses of the program. A specific time for the clinic will be announced in May.

A survey letter has been sent out and this is the final week for sending in these forms. If any family has not received a survey letter or has questions regarding this program, they should call the Health Department in Ontonagon at 884-4485.

SPORTS EVENT FROM THE PAST RECALLED THROUGH OLD NEWSPAPER CLIPPING

A Nonesuch reader, Mr. George Stueser of Ontonagon, was kind enough to pass along the following account of a sports event from the year 1915 which had the county agog back in the summer of that year. The story was originally printed in the Ontonagon Herald.

"Ontonagon spent a quiet 4th of July this year, but on that date in 1915 one of the biggest prize fights ever held in this area took place in Silver City.

"Ontonagon's Phil "Baker" Ciesznski and Jack Whitaker of Superior, Wisconsin put on their boxing gloves and battled to a 20-round draw on the 1915 holiday before a huge crowd including many from Ontonagon.

"Phil was one of Ontonagon's best young boxers and beat some of the best prizefighters that ever fought in this area. Phil is a retired Ontonagon baker and has continued his hobby of collecting and polishing agates. He still operates an Agate Shop from his home on M-64, west of Ontonagon.

"E. O. Woodbury was one of the spectators at this memorable fight and was recalling event here this week. He reminded us that at that time Silver City was known as Iron River and said that the two fighters slugged their way to a 20-round draw before a large crowd.

A ring was erected just east of Paul Machamer's store in Silver City and customers paid \$2.00 a head to watch the match.

"Del" Woodbury was one of a group of Ontonagon people that traveled to the bout on Couture's fishing boat. Others in the party included Mrs. James Pene-gor, Mrs. Alec Couture, Bertha Couture, Ed Tousignant Sr., Frank Smithing and Hughie McLaughlin. The boat was operated by Earl & Russ Couture.

Mr. & Mrs. Woodbury own a picture of the group on Couture's boat. Since few pictures were taken early in the century, we believe the picture is quite valuable.

Information available indicated that Mr. Whitaker is still a businessman in Superior. Apparently the marathon fight did not have any ill effects on either contestant.

TRANSCENDENTAL MEDIATION! FREE PUBLIC MEETING & INTRODUCTORY LECTURE. 7:00 P.M., MARCH 24TH. ABOVE TEEN ROOM IN WHITE PINE.

- ANNUAL MEETING -
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SETTLER'S COOPERATIVES INC.

APRIL 5, 1976

7:30 P.M.

AT

-- PAYNESVILLE SCHOOL --

Paynesville, Michigan

The following speech made by Rep. Philip Ruppe to the Subcommittee on Research & Development on March 3rd, regarding the location of the Navy's Project Seafarer in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan is reprinted here in its entirety. The great controversy surrounding the siting of Project Seafarer and the possible consequences of Seafarer on the area of placement, makes the issue one of extreme concern to a great portion of the population of the Western U.P.

"Mr. Chairman: I would like to thank you and the members of the Subcommittee for the opportunity to appear today and present my views concerning the authorization of funds for the Navy's Project Seafarer.

The Navy has, of course, indicated their strong desire to locate the ELF system in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan in a geological area known as the Laurentian Shield. The Navy has argued that not only is the Michigan site geologically advantageous, but also that it is less costly than other possible site areas.

The proposed Michigan site area is in my Congressional district and I have therefore taken an extremely active interest in the project. The site survey area, comprising roughly 10,000 square miles in seven counties, has become a focal point of debate and controversy in recent months.

My own position relative to the siting of the system is very straight forward. I have stated publicly on several occasions over the years that, in my view, the very magnitude of the system and the controversy which surrounds it dictates that only the people can decide if it should be located in the Upper Peninsula.

I am fully cognizant of the fact that the military cannot be conducting surveys or holding elections each time they want to construct a defense installation. However, in this particular case, the Navy has already set the precedent of bowing to the wishes of public opinion with regard to possible site areas.

For example, in both Wisconsin and Texas the Navy withdrew from consideration of possible sites due to strong public opposition in each state. In fact, in recently selecting their site survey area in Northern Michigan, the Navy was extremely careful not to cross the Brule River boundary between the two states in violation of the wishes of the people of Wisconsin. They did this in spite of the fact that the Laurentian Shield does not end at the Brule River but indeed extends well into the Northern part of Wisconsin. To me fairness dictates that the citizens of the Upper Peninsula should be given the same opportunity to pass judgement on the siting of the system in their own immediate area as was afforded residents of other states.

I should also point out that the Congress has on two prior occasions made provision for active local citizen input into the final site selection process. I refer to the Committee Reports which accompanied the Dept. of Defense Appropriations Bills in FY 75 and FY 76 state very emphatically the absolute role of state and local governments in the site selection process.

Finally, only recently in response to a request for a specific interpretation Deputy Sec. of Defense William Clements has assured Gov. Milliken that he would not recommend Michigan as a candidate site without the Governor's approval. Such a commitment by the Navy once again clearly publicized a Navy intent to abide by the wishes of a jurisdiction other

than the Federal Government in selecting a final site for the ELF system.

There are of course a number of serious questions concerning Project Seafarer which need to be resolved before any final decision on the siting of the system can be reached. For example, the following questions are representative of the concerns of many citizens in Northern Michigan: Why shouldn't Wisconsin be considered as potential candidate site given the fact that the Navy has indicated it is the top priority site for location of the system? Will Seafarer be a prelude to the development of Project Shelf? As a soft system, what is the impact of the installation of Seafarer on American military strategy? If Seafarer, a soft system, can be knocked out doesn't this insure U.P. devastation in either a limited or in all out war? What happens if the Seafarer system stops sending its signal? How would submarines be prevented from attacking? Wouldn't this fact make the system vulnerable to terrorist attack? What steps would have to be taken to prevent such acts of sabotage? In what manner would the installation of Project Pisces affect the need for Seafarer? What impact will the siting of the system have on land use patterns in the site area? Will the people of Michigan know the actual location of the grid before a final approval is given? What is the economic impact of the construction and maintenance of such a project? What are the biological and ecological effects, if any, surrounding the siting of such a system? What weight should be assigned to negative biological or environmental impacts in making a decision on the projects? Will all tests be completed before the system is constructed or will the U.P. serve as a "Seafarer Laboratory?"

29.8 million dollar authorization request - The 4.6 million dollars requested for deployment is to be used to construct a "Test Bed" or Pilot project in the site area eventually selected by the Navy. The simple fact is that such a request is premature. In my view, the National Academy of Sciences review and the EIS need to be completed and proper time allowed for citizen input and debate before any discussion of deployment can ever begin to take place.

The Navy, in recent conversations with members of my staff, has indicated that the 4.65 million dollars will be used to build one and only one Pilot Project Facility. The Pilot Project will consist of one transmitter, a control center, and roughly one hundred miles of cable.

Because the Pilot system will be deployed only in the candidate site area determined to be most desirable, it does, in fact, amount to a defacto selection of a site and development of the system before the appropriate studies are completed. This would take place before any opportunity for state and local government approval and could indeed completely circumvent the language of past House Committee Reports as well as recent assurances given the Governor of Michigan.

Again, I am not asking the Subcommittee to break new ground. The House Appropriations Committee removed all deployment funds, more than 1 million dollars, from the FY 76 budget request for Sanguine/Seafarer. The Committee indicated that no deployment money would be appropriated until a specific site was selected. In view of existing circumstances, I believe the Subcommittee is fully justified in taking the same action in removing all deployment funds from the FY 77 authorization request for Project Seafarer.

I am hopeful that full and complete answers to these and other questions will be forthcoming in the months ahead.

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The National Academy of Sciences review to be completed by December, 1976, and Navy preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement on each of the candidate sites to be readied by May, '77 must address these and similar difficult questions.

Assuming as I do, the need for a system to communicate with our submarines as part of our total defense posture, I would like to urge the Subcommittee to take several steps which, in my view, will be helpful to all concerned with the controversial project.

First, I would like to urge the Subcommittee to adopt language in its Committee Report guaranteeing both state and local government the opportunity to approve or disapprove the siting of the system in the Upper Peninsula. Such action is not precedent setting but simply follows the path previously established by the House Appropriations Committee in two prior reports and specifically adhered to by the Navy in Wisconsin and Texas.

In addition, I would strongly recommend that the report contain language clearly indicating that all existing candidate sites are to be subjected to the same process of survey, analysis, and reviews during the next fiscal year. In the absence of such direction, the site selection process could be completely and totally geared toward one area and thus the deliberate elimination of other equally acceptable sites in other parts of the nation.

Finally, and most important, I would emphatically urge the Subcommittee to remove all funding for deployment of the ELF project from the Navy.

Thank you again for the opportunity to appear before you this morning. I will be pleased to respond to your questions and be of assistance to the Subcommittee in any way that I can. (Speech by Rep. Philip Ruppe to Subcommittee on Research & Development, U.S. Congress, March 3, 1976)

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\$100	202	1 in 49,282	1 in 2,711	1 in 1,295
\$50	303	1 in 32,895	1 in 2,527	1 in 1,264
\$20	578	1 in 17,223	1 in 1,325	1 in 662
\$10	1,060	1 in 9,282	1 in 722	1 in 361
\$5	2,205	1 in 4,515	1 in 347	1 in 174
\$2	12,868	1 in 774	1 in 60	1 in 20
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Interior Township Supervisor Leslie Curtis stated that the townships may have to have a factor placed on them. The factor is a mathematical multiplier placed on a township's total assessed valuation. The state may suggest that the county or township be factored and such recommendations are made by the county equalization department and must then be approved by the county board of commissioners to become effective. If the county board does not act the state may place a factor. In such cases, the factor is usually higher on the government unit's assessed valuation.

Two Mass men placed high in the Michigan International Snowmobile races in Ironwood last weekend. Hubert Lukkari placed 1st in the 300 super stock and Rodney Myren placed 3rd in the 400 super stock.

Local women volunteers in the Mass area will be canvassing for the Red Cross annual fund drive during the next 2 weeks.

The Ontonagon Volunteer Firemen were honored at a recognition banquet last week attended by area dignitaries and hosted by the Ontonagon Lions Club. Special commendation was given the volunteer department members for their outstanding efforts in fighting last year's chip fire at the Hoerner-Waldorf mill. John Hoeft, president of that company, presented Kurt Giesau,

president of the village of Ontonagon, with a check for \$39,910 in grateful recognition of the services performed during that emergency. The money will be used to purchase a new fire truck for the Ontonagon Volunteer Fire Department.

...NEWS BRIEFS ...ON THE STATE
The reported closing of the Kincheloe Air Force Base near Sault Ste Marie came as a severe shock to private citizens and public officials in the Eastern U.P. and on the state level as well. A spokesman of the Governor has said Gov. Milliken is disturbed and will attempt to prevent the closing. Michigan Senators Philip Hart and Robert Griffin also plan to fight the proposed shutdown, but are not optimistic over the possibility of success. The Defense Department revealed last week that it plans to shut down the \$500 million base by September of 1977. Kincheloe employs over 3,000 military and civilian workers. Michigan Rep. Philip Ruppe said the announcement is "a catastrophic blow to the eastern U.P. and in particular Sault Ste. Marie. Since the Air Force has not demonstrated that the base is any less necessary to the national defense now than the day it opened," he said he would fight the closure. The base was built in the summer of 1941 to protect the Soo Locks. Forty-one Michigan school districts have reported deficit budgets as of

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THE PRIVATE LINE

Many congressmen believe that regulated monopolies are all bad and that the telephone industry should be subjected to competition and/or be nationalized. Even the FCC, the ultimate regulator of the industry, believes in more competition. Yet, the U.S. Department of Commerce says, after a 15-nation-study of telephone service, that the U.S. has the cheapest and most efficient system in the world. No system is ever so good that it can't be improved, but will increased competition and/or nationalization make the system better? Is there nothing to be learned from the experiments of other so-called democratic nations in nationalization?

In the U.S. new telephone service ranges from \$5 to \$35, varying in different states. Basic monthly service is running between \$4.50 and \$15, depending on type of service. In 1975 the industry raised long distance rates for the second time since 1953. But, since 1953 there were 9 reductions... leaving rates at approximately the 1953 level. Recently, it was necessary to raise some long distance rates while others decreased.

Monthly residential service has increased 8.5% since 1960. The Ontonagon County Telephone Company has had no increase since 1961. During this same period food costs rose 78%; housing rose 76%; medical costs increased almost 91%; gas and electricity rose 64%; clothing was up 48%; and transportation rose 65%.

If the telephone industry, as a monopoly subject to federal and state regulation, has maintained this kind of a record during the past 15 years, how can its critics justify the need for more competition and/or nationalization. In the case of the telephone industry, and specifically AT&T, is bigness necessarily bad?

ONTONAGON COUNTY Telephone Company

the start of the fiscal year last summer, say the State Board of Education. Under state law all state aid to a local district with a deficit can be cut off unless the state board can determine the district is making progress toward elimination of the deficit.

Low electric rates as a reward for energy conservation are under consideration by the state PSC. The PSC must act within about a month on \$296 million in electric rate increases for two state utilities. Part of their decision will involve how customers pay for electricity used. A revision will be considered that would charge higher rates to those who use more electricity and lower rates per unit for those who use less. This would in effect turn upside down the utilities current billing procedures which charge about 4 cents per kilowatt hour, no matter how many units are used a month.

Governor Milliken warned of tax increases, reduced public services and layoffs if federal revenue sharing is not continued. The governor along with other county, city and township officials issued a joint statement calling on Congress to re-enact the four-year old program which returns millions of dollars to local and state governments to spend as they wish. The program is due to expire at the end of this year and Milliken said Congress has not begun work on legislation to extend it.

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15% PRICE REDUCTION

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At least 18% of all Michigan's Vietnam veterans were unemployed as of Jan. 1 of this year. This represents 53,700 people. The Assistant U.S. Secretary of Labor William Kolberg said better placement programs, job training and education are needed and added that the business slump is also a factor. Many of the veterans went into service immediately after or during high school and so lack civilian job experience.

Michigan motorists will legally be allowed to "turn right after stopping

for a red light" on March 31. They also will be allowed to make a left turn on red onto a oneway street after stopping to let traffic clear. The new law was passed last December and provides that after coming to a full stop, a motorist may turn right on a red light when vehicle and pedestrian traffic clears, unless the turn is specifically prohibited by a sign at the intersection.

Michigan State Representative D. J. Jacobetti stated recently in Lansing that he is absolutely against any fur-

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TWO ARE OFFICIAL EAGLE-OSPREY WATCHERS IN OTTAWA NATIONAL FOREST

The Ottawa National Forest has two official eagle-osprey watchers according to M.K. Lauritsen, Forest Supervisor. They are Pete Lindbeck, forestry technician, Iron River Ranger District, and Bob Loo, pilot, Iron County Air, Inc., Iron River.

Lauritsen stated they will be doing an important job for a few days this spring. But -- Bob and Pete see it as a dizzy kind of job. Sometimes Bob has to tip up the plane on one wing and spin it around an eagle nest so Pete can count the eggs!

Lauritsen also gives credit to Sergej Postupalsky, University of Wisconsin, Madison and the Michigan Audubon Society's eagle-osprey biologist. Sergej has been carrying out surveys of eagles and ospreys for over ten years. Usually he accompanies Bob and Pete and is their expert teacher in the art of eagle watching.

Once a month this spring, these eagle-osprey observers will carry out aerial surveys of eagle and osprey nests, plot the location of each nest, and count the young. Each nest is visited twice; once to see if adults are sitting on the nest in an incubating position, and again two months later to see how many young were raised. Nesting information is passed on to the National Audubon Society. This organization is keeping track of eagles and ospreys throughout the United States. The bald eagle is our national symbol, an important element of our national heritage. The National Audubon Society's annual eagle-osprey survey is important in our understanding of eagle and osprey population trends.

The location of these nests is important to the Ottawa National Forest. Each site is numbered and accounted for. A protective zone is established around each nest. Noise of logging and road building is avoided during the nesting season. Wind storms take their toll, however, and about 20 percent of the nests blow down each year. Also, new nests are being built each year. Sometimes a pair of eagles will build four or more nests in different trees. So, it is a continuing job for Bob and Pete to keep up with the eagles and ospreys on the Forest.

Last year there were more eagles and ospreys raised on the Ottawa National Forest than any year since records were first kept about ten years ago. There were 67 eagle nests and 11 osprey nests to be checked. These were occupied by 33 pairs of adult eagles and 10 pairs of adult osprey. These birds raised 39 young eagles and 13 young osprey.

Most eagle-osprey nests are located in a huge "nursery" of large rivers, swamps, bogs, and lakes extending over a vast area from Lake Gogebic to Lake Ottawa. Both species of birds usually nest with in a mile of a large lake or river.

Bald eagles usually return here in February. Osprey usually trail a month later. Eagle egg laying peaks about April 1; osprey in early May. Young eagles are fledged by mid-July while the young osprey follow in early August.

And -- in between, Bob Loo and Pete Lindbeck have their work to do.

NATIONAL WILDLIFE WEEK EMPHASIZES WETLANDS - By: David Newkirk, Soil Conservationist, Soil Conservation Service Ontonagon, Mi.

"Save Our Wetlands" is the theme for the 39th annual National Wildlife Week to be observed March 14-20, 1976.

Wetlands are a priceless and irreplaceable part of our national heritage. They are important not only to wildlife but to man as well. They support a wide range of plants and wildlife, aid in the natural purification of our water supplies, provide unique scenic and recreational areas and a good part of our food supply.

There is a wide variety of wetlands ranging from marshes and swamps to lakes and streams. Wetland habitat has diminished substantially in the last few years. Too many developers regard wetlands as waste areas to be drained or filled for construction sites. Airports, houses, industry and highways take an estimated million and a half acres of prime wildlife habitat each year. The steady loss of wetlands habitat has been a major factor in lengthening our lists of threatened and endangered species. Like so many of our other resources, we must preserve what remains and manage these precious areas in a responsible way.

The maintenance and improvement of swamplands for waterfowl existence in northern Michigan is especially important. For survival wild birds need only a place to hide, nest and feed. Therefore, it is mandatory that both the water laden and upland areas be managed for a successful waterfowl program.

Around the shoreline, favor natural growing plants as rice cutgrass, bulrush, smartweeds and wild millets. Cattails should be eradicated. However, if muskrats are to be encouraged, cattails are needed for their houses.

A number of small, strip plantings of corn, barley or buckwheat will whet any bird's appetite. Small, floating loafing sites, located thirty or more feet from the shore and in two feet of water, serve as rest and diving areas for the birds.

Nesting and hiding is provided by the surrounding uplands. Nesting areas should be mowed in the late summer to control growth of woody plants and noxious weeds. Protection from fire, overgrazing by livestock and harmful spraying is advised in order to prevent excessive soil deposition into the bottomlands. Seed, nut and fruit-bearing trees, along with conifers, are favored by web-footed birds.

By simply supplying these animals the mere necessities for life, we are able to "breathe life" into their dying populations. The ecological balance must be adhered to if life on earth is to continue as we know it today.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

WHITE PINE SCHOOLS - MARCH 22-26

MONDAY: Ravioli/sauce, whole kernel corn, chilled fruit, bread/butter/milk
TUESDAY: Oven fried chicken, whipped potatoes, sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, green peas, prunes, bread/butter/milk.

WEDNESDAY: Roast beef/gravy, mashed potatoes, wax beans, chilled fruit, bread/butter/milk.

THURSDAY: Spagetti/meat sauce, green beans, chilled applesauce, bread/butter/milk.

FRIDAY: Choice of cream of tomato or vegetable beef soup, choice of peanut butter or tuna salad sandwich, chilled fruit cup, celery sticks, milk.

LEAGUE BOWLING AT THE KONTEKA

MONDAY NIGHT MEN'S LEAGUE

D & P Automotive	34	10
Legion #2	24	20
Wm Parts & Supply	24	20
W B Thompson	23	21
Smokies	21	23
Paul's	20	24
Legion #1	16	28
Barbers	14	30
HTS, D & P Automotive, 2720; HTG, Smokies, 981; HIS, G Dubey, 580; HIG, J Engberg, 220.		

TUESDAY NIGHT WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Konteka	32	16
Rainbow Cabins	30½	17½
Sparo	27	21
Red Owl	26½	21½
Jean's	23	25
Piper's	20	28
True Value	19	29
Lake of Clouds	14	34
HTS & HTG, Konteka, 2328 & 831; HTS & HTG, D Saubert, 557 & 235.		

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEN'S LEAGUE

Champion, Inc.	25	15
White Pine Standard	24½	15½
Northland Equipment	23½	16½
Porkies Mts. Ski Hill	21½	18½
Salt Lick Inn	20	20
Armco	16½	23½
M H Dietrick	16	24
Burridge Inc	13	27
HIG & HIS, Kempainen, 209 & 563; HTG, Porkie Mts. Ski Hill, 925; HTS, M H Dietrick, 2642.		

WOMEN'S WEDNESDAY LATE SHIFT LEAGUE

Giovanoni's	30	10
Konteka	26	14
Wagner Agency	22½	17½
The Apothecary	22	18
Citizens State Bank	20	20
Antonio's	18	22
Evenson's	11	29
The Medics	10½	29½
HIG, V Gentiline, 192; HIS, M Dhooge, 515; HTG & HTS, Giovanoni's, 520, 1426.		

THURSDAY NIGHT MEN'S LEAGUE

Bingo's	23½	12½
Konteka	21½	14½
Credit Union	21	15
Silent Sam's	20½	15½
Antonio's	16½	19½
Eagles	16	20
Giovanoni's	15	21
Kirby's	10	26
HIG, G Vittone, 228; HIS, J Beber, 601; HTG, Bingo's, 926; HTS, Antonio's, 2644.		

FRIDAY NIGHT MIXED LEAGUE

Atlas Copco	31	9
Konteka	21	19
Burridge Inc	21	19
First National Bank	20½	19½
Wms Parts & Supply	19	21
Coratec	18	22
Mineral River Merchants	15½	24½
Charter Inc	14	26
HTS & HTG, Williams P & S, 3103; 1078; HWS & HWG, B LeMay, 493 & 180; HMS & HMG, B Burgess, 599 & 254. (New high for this year's Friday League.)		


SUNDAY NIGHT COUPLES LEAGUE

Binkley P & H	37	11
Antonio's	33	15
Apothecary #2	31½	16½
Apothecary #1	24	24
Red Owl	22	26
Wagner Agency	17	31
Shangralla Bar	13	31
Silver Court	10½	33½
MHG, L Stark, 207; MHS, B Nowicki, 535; WHG, M Sustarich, 205; WHS, V Gentiline, 514; THG & THS, Antonio's, 1030 & 2970.		

DID YOU HEAR.....?..about the psychotic owl--he goes "Why? Why?", or ... about bread wrappers in Russia now carrying a kietary comment--"U.S.A.ENRICHED.".... or...about the way the banker taught his kid to add--two toasters plus two toasters equals four toasters, or one electric blanket....or...about the group-therapy luncheons--they're called --- "Whining & Dining."

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HELLMAN PROPOSES CHANGE IN FOREST ACT
Rep. Russell Hellman of Dollar Bay, chairman of the Subcommittee on Appropriations for the Departments of Natural Resources and Agriculture, has announced his intentions to propose amendments to the Commercial Forest Act also known as the Pearson Act.

Hellman said, "A bill has been drafted with proposed amendments and submitted to various members of the woods and forest industry and key governmental officials asking for their review and recommendations.

"The bill is in draft form. All recommendations and concerns will be evaluated and taken into consideration before a final bill is introduced in the Michigan Legislature later."

Copies of the draft bill are available from Hellman's office, State Capitol, Lansing, 48924.

"Wise management of our forests require cooperative efforts of the state and private forest owners," Hellman said. "Fair and just laws developed with the industry's input, for the purpose of serving the citizens of Michigan, will insure viable forests and a profitable industry in Michigan."

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Friday: 10-6 Saturday: 10:30-4:30

OUTDOOR REPORT: By Jim Magnuson, MDNR District I Radio Operator, Baraga, Mi.

Winter returned to District I last week with enough snow to more than replace what had disappeared in the thaw of the previous week. The snow gauge at Lake Gogebic State Park was the only one of the twelve gauges in this area that registered less than two feet of snow on the ground. They reported 1.9 feet at the park, but just about 12 miles due north is the Bergland gauge which had the most snow on the ground last Monday, measuring 3.5 feet. The average for the twelve snow gauges was 2.9 feet, so the snow depths are more uniform than the extreme readings would indicate. The increase over the previous week is about 1/2 of a foot.

The stormy days of the past week and the added new, soft snow cut activity on the inland lakes considerably. Foot trails and snowmobile trails on the lakes were filled in by the drifting snow and a lot of shoveling was needed to get down to the ice.

Lake trout fishing on Lake Superior was also hurt by the weather of last week. The success was rated as poor for the few times fishermen were able to get out. Even the species other than the lake trout that have been producing good catches in earlier weeks were not doing so this past week. Strong winds and blowing snow kept most of the fishermen close to shore most of the week. Not only was visibility poor, but ice conditions were hazardous because of the strong winds.

The annual problem of loose dogs chasing or harassing deer is here. Dogs from the L'Anse-Baraga area have only a couple of miles or so to travel from town to the nearest deeryard. Several dogs in a pack can do a lot of damage now that deer have deep snow conditions again to slow them down. When several dogs make up a pack to chase deer, even the smallest of the dogs can contribute to the hunt. Dog owners are urged to control their dogs until the snow is no longer a problem for the deer.

SAFE DRIVING HINTS BY THE PROS

Winter is the time for special driving care. Snowstorms, icy roads and always the unexpected add up to one important word for drivers... "caution." It's a word that pays off for those who do drive in winter months.

The men who sit behind the wheels of Greyhound buses, which log more than a million miles a day as they travel the 100,000 miles of Greyhound routes, undergo intensive training periods before they are approved by safety experts for service. These men follow a rigid set of driving rules which they feel should be passed along to all drivers.

Close adherence to these rules obviously pays off. Published safety records show that when you travel by Greyhound you are many times safer than in your own car.

For your own safety during the traffic heavy months ahead, here are some highlights of Greyhound's instructions in safe driving practices.

- 1) In bad weather, get the feel of the road and adjust driving to meet conditions by increasing following distance that allows you to stop on slippery roads.
- 2) Reduced speed also gives more time and space in respond to accident-producing situations.
- 3) Control a skid by steering into the direction of the skid.
- 4) When braking, DON'T lock your wheels. This will cause you to lose all steering control.
- 5) Clear ice and snow from ALL windows--peek holes are for amateurs.
- 6) Join and keep pace with traffic. Don't fight it.

7) Let others know your intentions by giving proper signals well in advance of stopping, turning and passing.

8) Slow down at night. Don't overdrive your lights. Keep your headlights clean.

THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES - WHAT DOES IT DO? WHO DOES IT HELP?

The Michigan Department of Social Services is an agency of the state whose purpose is helping Michigan citizens maintain a healthy living environment. The help is offered through five financial assistance programs: Aid to Families with Dependent Children (ADC), General Assistance (GA), Medical Assistance (Medicaid), Emergency Assistance (EA), and Food Stamps.

Help is also offered through services that correct problems that money alone cannot solve. These services are grouped as: Counseling Services, Employment & Training Services, Day Care Services, Project Health, Adult Services, Protective Services, Foster Care, Treatment Facilities & Services for Delinquents, Adoptions, and Volunteer Services.

Social Services maintains a network of county offices around the state in order to make its services available to all.

Over the years things change...some good, some bad...but they do change. The Michigan Department of Social Services has changed over the years too. Most of the changes have been made in the hope of improving services to the people of Michigan. Yet, there are still problems with the welfare system today. If questioned, a majority of the citizens in the country would probably agree that the welfare system is in need of reform.

In an attempt to find out the concerns and needs of Michigan's citizens the Department of Social Services is currently conducting a series of meetings with the community. They are called interactions. Over the next ten months, staff from the state and various county offices will be making an extra effort to interact with members of communities in the state. They want to hear citizens' comments and concerns. They want to better meet the needs of communities. Through interaction they hope to explore, in depth, areas that would never surface without this type of forum or until perhaps it would be too late to react. Social Services know that the system is not perfect. But with the help and guidance of ordinary citizens, they should be able to provide a better, more effective system. It will, however, take citizen help.

If you are one of the following, then an invitation to any of the forums is for you: Citizen, Client, Employee, or a member of a client group, a provider group or a Chamber of Commerce group.

The sites of these interactions have been selected for the convenience of every interested citizen. Social Services hopes that people will select a meeting site nearest them and attend to share concerns.

The sites are Escanaba, Grand Rapids, Detroit, Saginaw, Lansing, Ann Arbor, Pontiac, Traverse City, Kalamazoo, Flint. On March 19, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., an Interaction will be held at the Terrace Motor Inn, Junction U.S. 2 & U.S. 41, Between Gladstone & Escanaba.

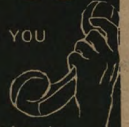
The expected result of these interactions could be a better application of our communities' wants and wishes. It should provide Social Services with a broader education as to the effectiveness and deficiencies of the current system. It will work - with citizen participation.



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EASTER SEAL SOCIETY - A GOOD STORY

The American public has been told much in the recent past about some charitable organizations which are operated inefficiently or, in some cases, with questionable honesty. The sting undoubtedly affected many who are willing contributors. While these stories generally receive wide attention, not much space is assigned to reports about the sound charities with a history of dedicated service and achievement.

These thoughts come to mind as the 1976 Easter Seal campaign gains momentum in our community and appeals to the generosity of good citizens. The Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults has been delivering year-round rehabilitation services for the nation's handicapped for the past 56 years. The Society's operations have always been an open book. Its volunteers and staff take pride in the fact that, nationwide, 76% of expenditures goes into services to the disabled and their families, while 24% goes to management and fund raising costs. Easter Seal facilities where youngsters are taught to cope with their disabilities are often referred to as the toughest schools in America, and we know they are. But like all other schools that we support so willingly, these very specialized treatment centers need money too. Costs continue to rise for wheelchairs, crutches, braces and professional therapy services. More than 250,000 handicapped children and adults received help from Easter Seals' network of services last year. In addition to the many handicapped as a result of birth defects or disease, every year more than 11 million people are disabled, some permanently, from accidents alone. Someday, a member of your family may be in need of the kind of service made possible through the Easter Seal Society. It is a point to remember -- and why we say, When it comes to charities, Easter Seal merits your consideration.

For additional information on how the Easter Seal Society works for you and your community, contact the Upper Peninsula field office in Marquette at 220 Harlow Building.

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TRANSPLANT KIDNEYS, DON'T BURY THEM, SAYS MICHIGAN KIDNEY FOUNDATION

The Michigan Kidney Foundation gives the following list of warning signs to be aware of so that you can protect your own health: Know these signs - 1) Puffiness around the eyes, particularly in children; 2) Swelling of parts of the body; 3) Lower back pain just below the ribs; 4) Visibly bloody or coffee colored urine. Changes in the pattern of urination, increased frequency, urination at night; 5) Burning or any abnormal sensation on urination.

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known this without having our government tell us about it.)

Through letters written to our legislators and Legion meetings with the top officials of HEW the matter was cleared that Boys' State & Girls' State can be held in separate sites in 1976. (Somebody wants a fine program stopped; maybe it is too American.) We don't know about 1977, but to help assure the continuation of these fine programs, concerned citizens and organizations should write to their legislators to support any bills introduced in Congress which would amend Title IX of the Educational Amendment Act of 1972, allowing the Boys' State & Girls' State programs to be held as before.

The following letter is only one of many letters received from the 1975 Boys' Staters throughout the state of Michigan. This letter was taken from the Michigan Legionnaire to show the reader of the goodness of the program. "Dear Sir: I would like to take this time to thank you very much for sponsoring me in the 1975 Boys' State program. It was a very worthwhile experience that I know I will never forget. The friends and acquaintances I made there will last for a long time. The American Legion did a splendid job in organizing and making the 1975 Wolverine Boys' State a big success. I accomplished a lot while I was there. First, I made many friends in the early morning. Then, because I like journalism and hope to get into that field as my life's work, I tried out for the Whirligig staff. I was chosen to be assistant editor of the paper. This was a great challenge to me because I found out how a daily paper runs. Putting out the five issues was a worthwhile experience. The paper did not take up all of my time, however. I was still able to attend meetings, see baseball, football and basketball clinics, attend the Federalist Convention and do many other things. I was even nominated to the position of Baldwin County Register of Deeds. It might have been a small position compared to governor, but my heart jumped when I found out that I was elected to that office. The feeling, the tension and the enjoyment of the 1975 Boys' State made one of the most lasting impressions I will ever know. Thanks again, and please do not discontinue sending young men to this beautiful experience. s/Ron Przystas, Battle Creek

The 1976 White Pine Boys' Staters are Bill Bekkala, Craig Kinninen and Steve Mukavitz. The Department Boys' State Commission urges all Legion Posts to sponsor a boy or several boys to attend these worthwhile and educational sessions. Any organization, however, may sponsor, but it must go through the Legion channels to keep things organized and controlled. The sponsoring organizations do get the credit and the proper recognition. In White Pine the Legion and the Lions Club sponsor and share the costs equally. Last year (1975) eight Ontonagon County boys enjoyed the privilege and honor of attending these sessions in Lansing, two each from Bergland and Ontonagon and four from White Pine. Hopefully the other Communities will consider this program too.

s/George Kaare.
Boys' State Commissioner

(Continued From Page 9) ther authority being taken away from the local assessors and boards of review. Jacobetti said, "The problems that we are facing today from property taxes rising in an unwarranted fashion are the direct result of the creation of the

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State Tax Commission. The Commission is just another one of the new bureaucratic monsters created by the new State Constitution. It is not only insensitive to the problems of the individual property owners, but it cannot, no matter if we give them thousands of staff employees, fairly and equitably assess annually, or review annually, local taxes over the vast area of the State." ".If a supervisor assessed unfairly or acted irresponsibly on the county board he could be voted out by local people at the next township election. Under the new system, the only recourse is to the bureaucratic State Tax Department and the courts, which has resulted in the largest backlog of tax appeals in the history of the State."

Many Michigan counties are being forced to cut back severely on road maintenance and construction due to shrinking funds, as shown by a new County Road Association survey. 57% of the reporting counties state they have reduced permanent road crews as an emergency economy move. 56% have cut construction work on local roads and 28% have trimmed improvement projects on primary routes. 60% of the responding counties reported substantial reductions in equipment replacement schedules while 70% of responding county commissions have already reduced winter snow and ice removal operations to avoid overtime expense.

A federal program that may allow free home repairs for hundreds of Michigan homeowners is scheduled to end on March 22. This is the deadline for filing application for the program which authorizes the U.S. Dept. of Housing & Urban Development to correct or pay for correcting structural and other defects under certain conditions. Check with H.U.D. if you think you qualify.

Wonderland Motel

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