Workers from the Little Traverse Railway jack up one of the last remaining coaches still in Boyne City in preparation to moving it to where it could be restored. The coach, last used as a dining car by the former Depot Restaurant was moved this week to Alanson. The coach was donated to the railroad by the new owners of the Station House, which is to open this spring or

BC girls' ski team takes 2nd in conference See Page 6



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Chipman narrowly holds on to seat by 2 votes

By a slim two vote margin, Bay Township residents voted to retain Supervisor Allie "Bud" Chipman after a recall drive forced the election last Monday.

The vote was 154 'no' votes to 152 'yes'. The no vote meant that Chipman would not be recalled.

The recall drive was led by Lyle Barkey after residents decided they were unhappy over the antinoise ordinance, the over-spending of township money on the cemetery and road work. They were also unhappy with the reassessment of the township and the property taxes they would be paying.

The closeness of the race was possibly reflected in the fact the township reinstated the anti-noise ordinace last Thursday after the court had ruled that the meeting which passed the ordinance was improperly posted within the community.

Many residents, over 70, attended the meeting, were told that there would be no public input allowed as the township board discussed the ordinance issue. They then approved the ordinance with only Trustee Larry Bergmann voting against the

Because of not being able to speak, some residents who had stayed neutral on the noise issue, then decided to consider the recall of Chipman.

Tuesday Chipman said, "There are still things to be done, and we have a lot of work to build on. It was a very large turnout—one of the best we have had. I am sure there are still some unhappy people, but there are a lot of people who did some soul searching and voted the way their hearts in-

dicated."
"We ae going to have to mend a lot of fences. We will have to run a truthful campaign like we have always. It will take some time for

wounds to heal," he added.

to the county courthouse after the group decided to ask about challenging some of the absentee votes that were cast in the election. There were seven ballots that had no vote cast either way, with about 26 absentee ballots.

"I didn't think it would be this close," said Barkley, "and that is why we are challenging. We are sorry it went down to defeat, but I though there were more township people interested in the way the township is being run as far as the

leadership on the board is concerned. There must be a lot of people who are friends of the leaders.'

The group is checking the voter registration list with the Township Clerk to see who was registered and that they were properly registered so they could vote in the elction. If three or more are found not to have been properly registered, then there may have to be another election, according to

Tuesday morning Barkley went bus fleet Boyne starts replacing aging

Boyne City Schools took the fir-

purchase three new buses which st steps towards replacing their aging bus system by agreeing to bus purchase includes three Inter-

Boyne City schools looking at space requirements

To answer a question of "where to add?", members of the Boyne City Schools Facilities Utilization Study (FUS) committee have been looking over past enrollments and are presently looking at future projections.

The FUS committee has concurred with the previous study that was done in 1987 that says the district is looking at a classroom shortage in the near future, so the planning has continued to find rooms for the additional students.

The FUS committee further realizes that the shortage is affecting the school system now, and for the next school year the district will be looking for classroom space outside of the existing school buildings.

To answer the question about space, the committee has been

reviewing grade level structures. Currently the school has a kindergarten-grade four, grade five through eight, and a nine through twelve configuration. The committee is trying to find the best grade level structure for optimum curriculum delivery to the students of the school district.

To assist the committee, they have been listening to a number of curriculum experts over the last few months.

This Thursday, Feb. 15, at 7:30 p.m., Dr. Caroline Cummings, a nationally recognized expert on Early Childhood Education, will be giving a presentation to the com-

The meeting is open to the public and will be held in the elementary school cafeteria.

national Chassis which will have three Thomas bus bodies attached.

In agreeing with the recommendation of the committee that researched the bus purchase, Superintendent Bob Nakoneczny said that in his experience the Thomas bus bodies had the fewest problems.

In other action at the monthly school board meeting, the board approved the annual non-renewals of the Community Education Director and the Chapter One Director's contracts. The annual non-renewal of contracts has been contingent on the federal and St. Ignace funds becoming available later in the year than the contract language calls for when renewing contracts.

They also approved the constitution and bylaws of the new Great Northern Conference which Boyne City schools will become part of next year. High School Principal Joe Tibaldi said that this is the first conference in the north with rules covering sportsmanship of athletes as well as non-athletes.

They then approved the holding of an auction of surplus and obsolete school equipment by the All School Boosters Club, and then accepted, with regret, the resignation of Eleanor West from the school board.

In discussion items, the board agreed to move the matter of stipends for teachers working with curriculum development from the curriculum committee over to the negotiations committee to work out some details and make it part of the contract negotiations with the teachers' union.

They also agreed that Nakoneczny was doing a good job after reviewing his evaluation and extended his contract period. The board has to evaluate the superintendent each year in order to fulfill the agreement that has been worked out covering his contract.

The board was also given an update concerning the new Alternative Education program the school started this year that is running out of money. Shelly Martin told the board that the school was in a critical situation and is in need of about \$25,000 to get through the rest of the school year.

She was told to provide complete financial information to the school board and a budget for next year so the board could decide what needs to be done to continue the program. They all agree that it is a worthwhile program and learned that the school system is in a discussion stage to see if the program could be expanded to all of Charlevoix County with East Jordan becoming the fiscal agent and the Boyne School system providing the facility and the

Martin told of trying to find funding for the program by searching several foundations for fun-

They also approved the purchase of some additional computer equipment, software and textbooks, appointed Jack Gebauer as the high school baseball coach, appointed election inspectors for the upcoming Char-Em Special Election in March, accepted a

retirement letter from Mary Erber, gave permission for the three school principals to attend a conference in July and paid the bills. They also watched a presenwho has been helping to provide some instructional opportunities to middle school students. Last year the students developed a magnetic sorter and learned greatly from the experience. This year the students are designing a device to magnetize and demagnetize material for the middle school using the CAD program and other machinery.

Industrial Magnetics of Boyne City

The board members then heard a report from Barb Martin concerning the annual MEAP test results.

tation of a Partnership for Education flag that was given to Commissioner wants to win war against potholes

Boyne City Commissioner Vic Ruggles wants the city to declare war—war against the annual pothole disease the city is struggling through each spring.

The warm weather has started the influx of potholes earlier this year and Ruggles asked City Manager Randy Frykberg to start action against them.

The city will be looking at new and different ways to install the patching material and Frykberg asked the street department head to look into the cost of the new materials that are on the market to see if they would be cost effec-

The city then authorized the payment of \$500 to the Crooked Tree Arts Council as a share of community programs the council is preparing for the city.

They then agreed to enter into a stipulation agreement concerning the closing and vacation of Park Street north of Ridge Road and one block west of Robinson Street in the North Boyne Area. The street closing is for a road that was never opened but was platted. The action will help to get the street closed through the court system and is a method of helping to reduce the court load.

At the monthly evening meeting, the Commission approved another request of MDOT to confirm the no parking ordinance within the right-of-way of M-75 or Boyne Avenue from Pearl Street to Brockway.

They were also expected to ap-

prove new fees for the Municipal

Marina this summer. The fee structure is more in line with the state guidelines for seasonal and transient moorage. The fees are still lower than the staté but have been raised slightlyon the per day basis. Another reason for the increase to boaters will be the new slips that will be

installed this spring. Rates will vary, according to the size of the boats from \$10 per day to \$39.50. Seasonal rates will be higher for docks with utilities ranging from \$925 to \$2,000 per season. For those docks without utilities, the fees will be \$400 for a 30 foot slip to **\$800** for a 60 foot slip.



Being honored for making the Superintendent's List were these East Jordan Middle School students. The list was set up to honor those who earned all "As" for their grades this past semester. Five students made the list and include, from left: Charless Gulotta, Debbie Staley, Amy Mickey, Julie Mickey and Dawn Meads. Standing behind the students are Middle School Principal Jeff La Roux and Superintendent R.A. (Chip) Hansen. It is hoped that even more students will join these five at the end of the school year.

News Briefs

Boyne City All School Boosters will be hosting an auction Saturday, February 24 at the Knights of Columbus Hall, located on M-75 just outside the city limits of Boyne City, to sell off donated items from area merchants as well as surplus and obsolete school equipment. Sam Kosc and the Honorable Harvey C. Varnum will be the auctioneers for the event which will start at 6 p.m. for inspection and 7 p.m. for the bidding.

Emmet County Democrats will be sponsoring a discussion on "Right to Die - Who Decides" at their February 21st meeting in Petoskey. The meeting will be held at the Bear Creek Township Hall starting at 7:30

Boyne City students must be hitting the books harder as the results of the Honor Roll for both the high school and the middle school show an increase in names for the end of the first semester. At the middle school, about half of the students were honored and at the high school, almost the same.

Obituaries 🗷

of Boyne Falls, Ronald G. and

Sylvester J., both of Boyne City, David J. of Petoskey and Wayne

R. of Orlando, Fla.: four duaghters.

Mrs. Augustine (Eleanor L.) Ruper

of Mio, Mrs. Robert (Ruth C.) Witenski, Mrs. Donald (Diane) May

Jr. and Mrs. Dolores Kroush, all of

Boyne City; 28 grandchildren; 15

great-grandchildren; one brother.

Jim Mosley of Detroit; one sister,

Mrs. Frank (Hazel) Luhellier of

Cross Village; many nieces and

Mrs. Kuzmik was preceded in

death by her husband and one son,

Anthony; two brothers, George

and Guy and three sisters, Viola

Woodward, Louise Hayworth and

The family suggests memorials

Survivors include five sons.

Murton and Chester, both of

Spring Lake, Robert of Boyne

City, Sherlon of Louisville, Ky. and

Kenneth of Allegan; six daughters,

Lowina Hulsey of Boyne City, Mrs.

Clarence (Adella) James of

Muskegon, Mrs. John (Norma)

Pontius of Harbor Springs, Mrs.

Donald (Roberta) Stoops of Grand

Haven, Mrs. David (Bessie)

Warren of East Jordan, Mrs. Burt

(Leanna) Southwood of Petoskey;

four brothers, Lloyd Walters of

Alpena, Forrest Walters of

Washington, Elmer Walters of

Onaway and Leonard Walters of

Cheboygan; 41 grandchildren; 52

She was preceded in death by

one son Blaine and one daughter,

Bonnie; two brothers, Howard and

Mrs. Gary (Audrey) Higley of Bay

Shore and Mrs. Bill (Corrine)

Lyons of Boyne City; four step-

sons, Dennis Carson and David

Carson, both of Boyne Falls, Kirk

Carson of Boyne City and Thomas

Carson of Gaylord; three step-

daughters, Mrs. Mark (Linda)

Goethals of Boyne City, Mrs. Bill

(Sandra) Conklin of Boyne City,

Mrs. Scott (Sharon) Hall of

Maryland; 18 grandchildren; five

brothers, Karl of Boyne City,

Albert of Charlevoix, Andy of

Boyne City, Louie of Bay Shore

and Joe of Grand Rapids; four

sisters, Sister Margaret Speigl of

Manitowoc, Wis., Mrs. Fritz (Fran-

ces) Umlor of Grand Rapids, Mrs.

Kate Swift of Detroit and Louise

He was preceded in death by

Mrs. Edwards is survived by

two daughters, Mrs. Clarice

Bishop of Washington, Mich., and

Mrs. Thelma Thorman of Ellswor-

th; three sons, Stanley of Romeo.

William of Goodrich and Robert of

Sterling Heights; 22 gran-

9 great-grande

She was preceded in death by

The family suggests memorials

to the Missionary Church. En-

velopes for that purpose are

available at the Paullin Funeral

one sister, one grandson and one

one brother, Michael, and one

cluded sewing and baking.

many nieces and nephews.

great-granddaughter.

Home, East Jordan.

Speigl of Florida.

Bruce and one sister, Mina.

great-grandchildren.

Mabel N. Kuzmik, 72, of R-1, Boyne Falls, died Feb. 7, 1990, at Little Traverse Division, Northern Michigan Hospitals.

Funeral was Feb. 10, at the Stackus Funeral Home. Boyne City, Pastor Delbert Nixon of the First Baptist Church, Boyne City, officiated and burial was in St. Augustine Cemetery, Boyne Falls.

The former Mabel N. Mosley was born June 13, 1917, in Boyne Falls, the daughter of James and Maude Gensen Mosley. She was a lifelong resident of Boyne Falls and had been a purse at the state hospital in Gaylord for many

She was married to Edward Kuzmik and he preceded her in death in 1975.

Mrs. Kuzmik is survived by six sons, Paul R. of Brimley, Frank E.

to the Boyne City Ambulance

nephews.

Eunice Skelton.

CLARA MAE SIMONS

Clara Mae Simons, 84, of Boyne City, died Feb. 9, 1990, at Bortz Health Care of Petoskey.

Services were Feb. 12 at the Stackus Funeral Home, Boyne City, Teacher Harry Hyde of the Northern Michigan Restoration Branch of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Later Day Saints officiated.

Burial will be in Maple Lawn Cemetery, Boyne City, in the

The former Clara Mae Walters was born Sept. 25, 1905, in Onaway, the daughter of William and Isabel Walters. She remained in Onaway until 1941 when she moved to Boyne City with her

She married Lennie Simons in 1928 and he preceded her in death on Feb. 18, 1974. She continued to make her home in Boyne City.

GEORGE CIRIAC SPEIGL

George Ciriac Speigl, 60, of Boyne City, died Feb. 9, 1990, at his home, 525 Hanna St., Boyne

Funeral was Feb. 12 at the Stackus Funeral Home, Boyne City, The Rev. Cecil Drost of-

Mr. Speigl was born Feb. 22, 1929, in Bay Shore and had resided there until 1978 when he moved to Boyne City.

He worked for Penn Dixie Cement Co. for 31 years, retiring

On Jan. 14, 1978, he married the former Betty Mapes in Boyne City. Mr. Speigl was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles in

Petoskey and Boyne City. Survivors include his wife; two sons, Thomas Houts of Minneapolis and David Speigl of West Palm Beach, Fla.; two daughters,

sister, Cerance Poley. **DIXIE EDWARDS**

Aldretta (Dixie) Edwards, 81, of East Jordan, died Feb. 10, 1990, at the Avondale Convalescent Home. Rochester, Mich

Funeral was Feb. 13 at the Missionary Church in East Jordan. The Rev. James Duncan officiated and burial was in Sunset Hill

The former Aldretta Stamper was born Nov. 29, 1908, in Mancelona, the daughter of William and Clara M. (Richards) Stamper. She married Roy L. Edwards on

Jan. 13, 1930, in Mesick. He died March 30, 1988. Mrs. Edwards

homemaker and her hobbies in-

EVELYN KERSHNER

Evelyn Kershner, 82, of Gaylord, died Feb. 4, 1990, at Otsego Memorial Hospital, Gaylord. Services were held Feb. 8, at the

Nelson Funeral Home, Gaylord. The Rev. Warren Pettis officiated and burial was in the Conway

The former Evelyn Hopkins was born Aug. 30, 1907, in South Bend, Ind., the daughter of Willie Mae and Harry Hopkins. She had resided in Petoskey before moving to Gaylord in 1948. She was employed by the Hidden Valley/Otsego Ski Club as head housekeeper

ORA A. WEBB

Ora A. Webb, 87, of Boyne Falls, died Feb. 11, 1990, at St. Mary's

Hospital, Grand Rapids. Funeral was Feb. 14, at the Stackus Funeral Home, Boyne City. Elder Raymond Ecker of the Boyne City Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints officiated and burial was in Maple Lawn

Cernetery, Boyne City. Mr. Webb was born Oct. 6, 1902, in Greenup County, Ky, the son of Charles and Louisa (Glasburn) for many years. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Jean K. Flanders of East Jordan; three sons, Allen Robert Peterson of San Jose, Calif., John Peterson of Gaylord and John Kershner of Medical Lake, Wash.; 31 grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren; one sister, Eva Still of Detroit; one brother, Glen Hopkins of Almont.

The family suggests memorials to the First United Methodist Church of Gaylord c/o Nelson Funeral Home, 135 N. Center St., Gaylord, 49735.

Webb. When he was 4 years old, the family moved to Vanderbilt where he grew up and went to country schools.

In his younger days, Mr. Webb was in the logging business and then he and his brother Elmer traveled west to the Yukon Territory working in construction. He returned to Northern Michigan and married the former Elnora Jenkins in 1958. The couple settled See Obits/Page 4



howing Consumers Power commitment to the Community Growth Alliances in the state, John Hadder gave a check for \$2,000 to Dick Beagle, the head of the Northern Lakes Growth Alliance last week prior to a board meeting of North Force magazine in the Wolverine Dilworth

Arts grant to finance premiere of Hocus Pocus

The world premiere of a two-act comedy by an East Jordan playwright will occur in two area locations in May, thanks to a \$1,050 Michigan Council For the Arts grant which will finance the roductions.

The play "Hocus-Pocus" by Lenore Bechtel will be presented on Fridays and Saturdays, May 11 and 12 at Bellaire High School, and May 18 and 19 at East Jordan High School. The productions will be made possible through the joint efforts of Jordan River Arts Council and Antrim Regional Theater.

The arts council will use the play as a vehicle for launching a theater group based in East Jordan to cooperate with the Bellairebased regional theater group. The play will be directed by Jim McKinney, Charlevoix, and the overall project will be guided by Jim Barger, Bellaire.

Bechtel's play was given a successful staged reading last summer at Old Town Playhouse in Traverse City. It stars a fun-loving hypnotist whose unorthodox methods threaten to backfire while he tries to help a man who thinks he's invisible, a punk rock singer who thinks she's being poisoned and an inept beauty whose greatest talent is enticing ogles. Seven men and six women will be needed for the cast.

Bechtel, who drew upon seven years' experience as a hypnosis program developer to plot the light-hearted comedy, is a free lance writer, an award-winning journalist and co-author of two self-help books. She has been a teacher, a behavior counselor, a public relations consultant and a reporter for several newspapers. She currently writes a book review column for Traverse City Record

McKinney, a Wayne State University graduate, has 34 years experience with theater and TV as a playwrite and screenwriter, stage and TV actor, stage manager and set designer. He has been involved with the production of dozens of plays and was associate producer of CBS-TV's "Captain Kangaroo Show." He was producer/director of 5 dramatic plays and 7 musicals for the Thomas Wolfe Playhouse in Asheville, North Carolina, as well as director of "Hello Dolly" for the Cadillac Community Theatre.

Barger is past president of the Antrim Regional Theater in Bellaire and acted in "Plaza Suite" and "Angel Street." He also directed and acted in "Arsenic and Old Lace" and was producer/director for several other plays presented by the Antrim Regional Theater. Bargar is a graduate of Northwestern Michigan College, Michigan State University, Wisconsin Institute of Mortuary Science and Halloway Institute of Real Estate. His theatrical background includes producing TV programs while in college and directing high school plays during his years as a high school teacher and administrator.

Besides the 13 persons in the cast, many volunteers will be needed for the project, including people to work on sets, costumes and lighting. Those interested in being involved in the production of the play will meet at the Jordan River Arts Council building (the old Jordan Valley Library building) on Main Street in East Jordan, on Saturday, February 10 at 10 a.m. Auditions will be held on a date to be announced later. For further information contact project director Jim Barger at 533-8005 or arts council president Fran Pletz

Harbor Light Chapel to host conference in Boyne City

Harbor Light Community Chapel is hosting a "Reaching the Unreached Conference." The introductory speaker will be K.P. Yohannan on Sunday evening, February 25. He is founder of Gospel for Asia. Services continue Thursday through Sunday, March 1 - 4, and will feature Dr. David Shibley, world missions director for Church on the Rock in Rockwall. Texas, and also Dr. Kent R. Hunter who is director of the Church Growth Center in Corunna. Indiana.

Dr. Hunter will present a "Cat-

ching the Great Commission" workshop on Saturday, March 3, 9:15-3:30 p.m. at Water of Life Chapel in Boyne City. Registration for this workshop is \$12. The Thursday through Saturday

evening services will begin at 6:50 p.m. at the Harbor Light Chapel multi-purpose building, 8220 Clayton Rd., Harbor Springs.. All pastors and their congregations are invited to come and be enriched by these challenging speakers! For more information please call 616-347-5001.

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On Monday night the Beta Sigma Phi sorority hosted a Valentine's and bingo games party for the tenants of Litzenburger Place. All enjoyed delicious desserts and each tenant received a special valentine card and a great time was had by all!

Fritz Laughry and Helen Rotherburger accompanied Betty and Elmer Hammontree and attended the Presbyterian Church last Sunday, and the potluck dinner following the service. They also enjoyed seeing many friends while there.

Dane Earl, a resident of Grandvue, claims he has played over 125 games of Solitaire since before Christmas. His sister, Marion Earl, visited him recently. She reads to him while there and says he does play between 10 and 15 games a day.

Katherine Spaniak received word on Sunday that she has a new great-grandson! A baby boy was born to her granddaughter, Gena and her husband, Jake Jacobson of Bradenton, Florida on Feb. 11th. Gena is the daughter of Cet and Jean Spaniak. Also greatgrandparents are the Frank Hershkas of Bradenton.

Over 30 from the Free Methodist Church gathered at the Country Star for a "Sweetheart Valentine's Dinner" on Saturday night. They enjoyed games and seeing a video of the musical concert of Sandi Patti.

Sunday dinner guests of Lillian and Peter Cikalo were Barb and Keith Elliot of Walloon Lake.

Sue and Jack Phillips went to Grand Rapids this past week to visit their daughter Kim and Roger Keestra and children. Another daughter, Stephany, and her husband Tom Ryan have recently a purchased a home here and will soon be bonafide residents of Bovne City!

Among those attending the funeral of Mrs. Mabel Kuzmik on Saturday at the Stackus Funeral Home were her son Paul and family of Brimley, her duaghter son Frank Kuzmik Sr. and family of Boyne Falls, son Ron and family of Boyne City, son Sylvester and family of Boyne City, son David and family of Petoskey, daughter, Ruth Witenski and family, daughter Deane May and family and daughter Delores Kroush and family, all of Boyne City, and son Wayne and family of Florida. Also here were Mrs. Kusmik's sister, Hazel, of Cross Village and brother Jim Mosley of Detroit. Following the last farewell service, family and friends gathered at the Baptist Church for a luncheon.

In an effort to insure or improve upon quality and care services, Grandvue has provided an indepth patient survey for the families, as well as the patients to keep the channels of communication open.

The XI Gamma Sorority met at the home of Gen Varnum on Wednesday. Leslie Boe and Greta Mackler gave the program concerning the American Cancer Society. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Bryan and Jaclyn Hochstetler of Gaylord spent the weekend here with their grandmother, Jan

The senior bowling scores of this past week were: Cleo Davis-464, Jean Marcham-455, Pros Blanckaert-428, Jan Krussell-387, Norm Kruger-385, Nyle Gould-379, Bob Rumfelt-372, (newcomer) George Jones-358, Ardyth Dorgan-

Thursday's bingo games were played this past week and the winners were. 1st regular-Bernice Stackurski, 2nd-Thelma Williams, and 3rd-Leona Griffen. The two specials went to Mary Towne and Leona Griffen, respectively. The cover all went to three time winner Leona Griffen and all games were called by faithful and loyal Lyle Ross.

Thought for the week: Valentine's Day week...let your face be like a window...reflecting hearts and happiness to those you love!

Railroading to be subject of BC Historical Society meeting

Mr. Charles Conn of Gaylord will be the guest speaker at the Boyne City Historical Society meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 20.

Mr. Conn has been working on a project to compile a map of the roadbeds for the Boyne City-Alpena-Gaylord railroads. Much track has been torn up and the grades are being destroyed by various methods. Some have been used as farm land, vegetation has sprung up to hide the pathways, and gas and oil exploration have taken their toll. With the help of Mr. Rick Packman these grades are being found and recorded throughout Otsego County. A similar project in C ty was compiled by Mr. Ron Cady.

It is hoped some day all this work will be collected in a Railroad

Museum. Mr. Conn is also collecting copies of all old railroad and lumbering photographs he can find. If anyone has old photographs they would allow Mr. Conn to copy, he will bring equipment to the meeting and will be able to copy photos that night. He has offered to give our Museum copies of pictures he has that are of interest to Boyne City historians.

Old records from the railroad that have been stored in the Depot have been examined by Bob Morgridge's students and Mr. Conn.

The meeting will be held in the Museum on February 20 at 7:00 tend. Please bring old photos you may have for display and discussion.



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Opinions

Where does money go?

One of the most frequent questions asked about the Parks and Recreation Department of Boyne City is, where does the money go?

The department has seen an almost doubling of its budget from just a few short years ago, due to new facilities that have been added to the city. But, to some, there still isn't enough being done to provide for the recreation of the citizenship.

In looking at the money budgeted for next year, almost \$80,000 total, you could assume that the city is spending it in areas that are not necessary to providing for the populace, but are spending it on the items that are needed for the city as a whole

Of the groups that come into the city to use some of the facilities, like softball and Little League, the budget shows that those groups are helping to pay for the facilities they use.

It should be the same way with some of the other facilities, especially when "outsiders" come into town to enjoy what the taxpayers of the community are providing.

As one person said recently, all it takes is more money. But in this city, the money allocated is in many cases more that it should be.

We would like to see the idea of user fees come more into play, only to help the Parks and Recreation budget be able to do more.

If these skating at the park from outside the city were to

If those skating at the park from outside the city were to pay a small fee for the privilege, then maybe the skating rink could be expanded to include a hockey or speed skating rink.

If those using the beach were to pay a small entrance fee, then that money could go to help pay for an expanded lifeguard system. Or could help pay for the hot water used in the showers at the new bath house.

Of all the expenses the city has for the parks, the greatest amount of money is spent on grounds and maintenance. That takes care of the mowing of the city parks, takes care of repairs caused by vandalism. Just the maintenance of the park system costs \$18,700 for the mowing which is not included in the repair maintenance part of the budget.

Salaries take another large chunk, the use of city equipment to do the mowing even more.

And finally the utility bill so the parks can be utilized more during the night times and the winter takes even more.

So where does the money go? And why can't the city provide even more?

All it takes is more money. A group who wants more recreation facilities should be willing to participate with the construction and the maintenance of the facility.

The city can do only so much with the tax payers' money. Any more should be spread among those who want to use the facilities. With user fees.

by Gail Ware Ware-withal

Nostalgia, a longing for times past, has been hanging around on the American scene for a decade or two now with many convinced that what society needs to get it shaped up is to return to the good old days and ways, just which ones depending on who's proposing it. The general idea has been tried, in fact, in housing, but only the houses get shaped up. Perhaps a smaller piece of the good old days revived recently, the Adirondack chair will help bring back the atmosphere of yesteryear, but those who've had experience with it

Buying old houses, some built as long ago as the turn of the century, has been popular not only for sentimental reasons but because they're cheaper per square foot than new ones. The basic structure of many of them is still sound, they still look good, so many people have figured, why not? The answers are not long in coming.

Once moved in, the new owners have to find places to plug in their

essentials, of course—their TVs, VCRs, automatic homemade bread makers, bathtub whirlpools, etc. It's not easy with the limited supply of outlets in old homes, but with the help of multi-faced plugs, they manage.

All plugged in, they flip on several switches at one time, several fuses blow, and so it goes.

As for the plumbing, besides a disconcerting banging in the wall below announcing every flush, fanfare common in old houses, teenagers denounce another condition common in such places, only one bathroom. They declare this not just inadequate but an outrage and barbarian too.

So as soon as the money can be secured, the wiring and the plumbing are expanded, making the house no longer cheap nor much resembling the good old days either.

The adirondack chair is supposedly reminiscent of the Adirondacks resorts popular at the See Ware-withal/Page 4

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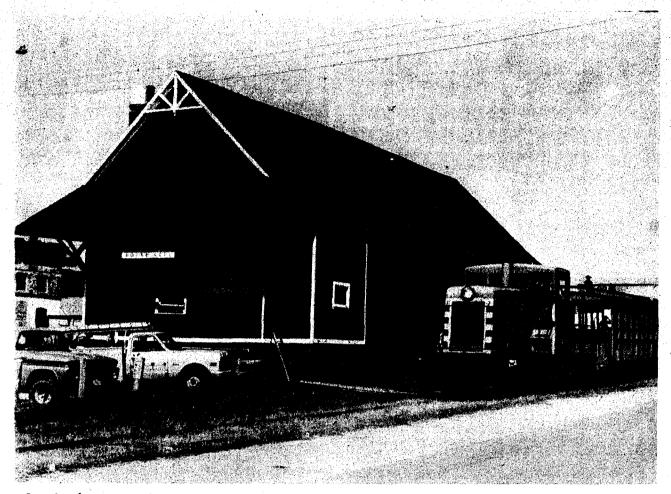
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Remembrances



Just a few short years ago the Boyne City Railroad Company ran a tourist train from Boyne City to Boyne Falls during the summer months. This picture shows one of the last trains to make the run between the two towns. The passengers rode in the open cars so

they could enjoy the sights and sounds of the trip. The railroad closed down for good in 1980 and the equipment was sold off shortly afterwards.

<u>Jottings</u>

BY JIM SILBAR

As I looked out over the lake the past few days, and looking at all of the nice smooth ice, I wondered why there were no ice boats trying to break the land speed record, scooting all over from here to Charlevoix and other places.

Now I know that there are some folks with ice boats, maybe they are all in the Harbor Springs area, but surely we must have some sailors who could get their hands on one of the sleek machines.

Just in looking at the ice I think they would have a great time sailing. So I asked a few of the sailor types around these parts of the iced water to see if they had any interest.

I was told that while this year might be perfect, we usually have too much snow cover on the ice which makes it difficult for the ice boats to work right. That is the reason why not many have one of those types of boats.

That set my mind to thinking about being on an ice boat, and having to try to dodge all the fishing shanties that are dotting the ice these days.

It seems that to an ice boat, a shanty is like a tree to a car. The holes the ice fisherman drill for their tip-ups, has to be likened to all the potholes we drivers see frequently as we drive around towns.

When you hit one, your jarring wakes you up while you have to take the car to the repair shop. Then upon getting the bill, you really wake up and wish you had all of the mechanical expertise to be able to fix your own car.

Ice boaters probably have that expertise. They know how to put up and take down the rigging, sharpen the runners, and put the pieces together every time they want to take the boat out for a sail.

In a way, I would like to try the sport. It is about the only winter sports activity that I have never done. I remember looking at pictures of ice boats on Lake St. Clair and other downstate lakes and wondering what it was like to sail over the ice at a lickety-split speed. I always thought I would enjoy the thrill.

But, as I get older, I am finding out that driving a car at expressway speeds is just about the highest thrill I am getting. And that is a lot slower than when I used to drive all over the state to participate in other thrills, like car racing, skiing, and such.

My taste for speed has

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diminished as my maturity grows, it seems.

It is a known fact, I think, that when you are a kid, you can never wait for anything. If you have to stand in line, you wish the line would move faster. If you have to run a foot race, you wish you could run faster. Now after you get your drivers license you just have to determine how fast your father's car would go. Of course you hope

you won't see a cop or get a ticket for breaking the law, but it is one of those things that you have to do.

My wanting to go ice boating is a little like that. Someday I will get the chance to go out on a boat and then scare the holy blue jeebers out of myself and get it out of my system.

Of course, with my luck, I will probably hit a few of those lake dwelling potholes, and then slide into a shanty where some fisherman is trying to determine if the smelt are still in the lake or have been eaten up by all those larger fish the DNR keeps putting into the water.

That will be determined when the spring smelt run starts, I guess. But in the meantime, I keep looking out at the ice wondering if someone has an ice boat that can take a passenger.



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Black Bart comes cawing

Black Bart is back.

Awakened the other morning by his raucous, insistant calling, we knew that Black Bart, our own personal crow, was back for the coming spring and summer

It all began when-for unknown reanson-he started making a stopover in a big beech tree on the perimeter of our back lawn.

Evidently his binoculared vision must have spotted bits of bread left over from a night feeding

Making it a habit to come for a backyard once-over each morning we began to throw out bread and

Of a highly cautious and suspicious nature, Bart would watch us toss out the chow, then remain silent eyeing each setup. If the coast looked clear he'd voplane down, and with that typical pigeontoed swagger approach the tidbit. Circling it he'd eyeball it then reach out a nip and release it while jumping back; a darn good example of why crows are survivors.

Finally after days of suspicious parrying he'd fly down, grab the tidbit, take it to an aerial dining table on a tree limb, hold the chow down with a foot and proceed to

Well, anyhow, this procedure went on until he'd announce his arrival with an incessant tirade

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in Boyne Falls and Mr. Webb worked for Top O' Michigan REA until retiring in 1964.

His wife preceded him in death in 1984. He was also preceded in death by six brothers and sisters.

Mr. Webb is survived by two sons, Thomas and Jonathan, both of Boyne Falls; two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Marsha) Lewis of Sterling Heights and Beth Webb of Boyne Falls; five grandchildren; many nieces and nephews.

until someone responded with a

A crow's powers of observation and memory are phenomenal. If scraps were scattered around the lawn, and even buried in fluffy snow, Bart would make a quick survey from his aerial perch, fly down, go from one scrap to the other, cramming as much as possible between the bills and fly to a suitable limb for dining.

If there was more chow scattered about he'd hide the excess in different places, even burying some in the snow, then come back hours later and find the food.

Bart has been back for about a week now. Whether he's been fooled by our exceptionally early spring-like weather I'm not quite

Then, too, something else is getting Bart riled up. It seems to be three other crows, not moochers

Now he doesn't come right in for early morning chow. He fraternizes with his likes, and sometimes there seems to be an angry tirade twix them. However, Bart seems to be concentrating on one in particular. I think it is a female with a hot kimono, for crows begin nest building fairly early, and this unusual pre-spring weather has wild critters fooled.

There is no doubt in my mind that crows are the smartest avians in the feathered world.

They are survivors living by their wits.

I believe that when we humans have erradicated ourselves by environmental degredation, and the last human lies dying, there will be a crow to send him on his way with a raucous farewell salute

On Dean's list

Jill M. Burt of East Jordan, a freshman majoring in financial administration, was named to the Dean's List in recognition for superior academic achievement during the past term at Madonna College in Livonia.



Brenda & Jim Carrow accept keys from Neville Weeks.

Mark Kowalske and the team of Century 21 Kowalske welcome Jim and Brenda Carrow, as new owners of Boyne Country Party Shop.

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PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF BOYNE CITY

Closing of a portion of Alley

Pursuant to the rules and regulations as described in Ordinance A-42 - Street and Alley Closures, under the authority of Chapter 2, Section 2.3 (f) of the City Charter, notice is hereby given that a petition has been received to vacate a portion of an Alley located between Pine and Cedar Streets, bounded to the west by Grant Street and to the east by Mud Lake, located in the City of Boyne City.

Lance Johnson, 413 Grant Street has formally filed a petition to vacate said Alley. Alley measures 16.5' wide and has approximately 70' of usable length.

The Planning Advisory Board will meet Monday, February 19, 1990 at 5:00 p.m. in the Commission Chambers, City Hall, 319 North Lake Street, Boyne City, MI 49712, to take testimony and formulate a report for the City Commission on whether or not it is advisable to vacate said Alley.

If the Planning Advisory Board's report is favorable for closure, said matter will be referred to the City Commission to hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, March 13, 1990 at 7:00 p.m. in the Commission Chambers, City Hall, City of Boyne City, MI, 49712, as to whether or not the alley should be closed. Should the City Commission pass a Resolution in favor of the closure, the matter will be filed with the Circuit Court for formal closure.

Additional details and a location map of the proposed closure will be available for review at the City Clerk's office during regular business

All interested persons are invited to attend the Public Hearing or the Planning Advisory Board meeting on this closure request or make their statements via letters or phone calls to the City Clerk. Phone (616) 582-6597 for more information.

Social Security trust funds in good shape

As the balance in the Social Security trust funds continues to grow, so does the public debate about the proper use of this money. Intended for benefit payments in the next century, the increase has stimulated interest in more short-term uses.

At stake is the combined retirement, survivors, and disability trust funds which increased by \$38.8 billion in the last fiscal year. Those funds are projected to reach a trillion dollars by the turn of the century and peak at about 2.8 trillion in today's dollars by the year 2020.

Some of the current debate centers on consideration which is being given to possible other uses, such as higher benefits, or the lowering of Social Security taxes to return Social Security to a payas-you-go system. Both of these suggested alternatives ignore the issues which led to Social Security's current good health.

In 1983, remedies were devised by the bipartisan Commission on Social Security for a then financially troubled Social Security system. Congress adopted the Commission's recommendations higher Social Security taxes, benefit cuts, and coverage extensions — in an effort to resolve not only the immediate problems, but also to insure the ability of the trust funds to pay benefits in the next century.

Projections show that, as the overall population ages, fewer workers will be paying into the system and more retirees will be receiving benefits. During the 1990s the "baby boom" generation in the workforce has assured a ratio of three workers for each person receiving benefits. However, when the baby boomers reach retirement age, around the year 2010, the ratio will drop to only two workers for each beneficiary. The gradual increase in trust fund reserves now is needed to allow payment of benefits to these future retirees.

While to debate will, no doubt, continue, the new Commissioner of Social Security, Gwendolyn S. King, has vowed to protect the trust funds against diversion for other uses. "Our job is to make sure the money is there for the benefits," she has said.

Letting the funds accumulate as provided under current law will insure financial stability for well into the next century.

More information about Social Security financing can be obtained at the Petoskey Social Security of fice, located at 911 Spring Street in Petoskey, MI 49770. The toll free phone number is 1-800-234-5772.

In Service

Marine Pvt. Christopher J. Gray, son of Gloria E. Gray of 09761 Huffman Lake Road, Elmira, MI, has completed the Fiscal Accounting Clerk's Course.

During the eight-week course at Camp Lejeune, NC, Gray was provided with basic accounting

A 1988 graduate of Boyne Falls Public School, Boyne Falls, he joined the Marine Corps in April

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turn of the century, but old timers swear that none of these lodges had them. Still, the chairs first appeared on lawns about 1900, so likely there is some connection.

This time around, the chairs are billed as "classics". It's figured that this will sell well with the Yuppie

Lest anyone is unfamiliar with them, the chairs are made of oneby-six boards, the ends unsanded, and usually stained or painted brown. They require two wellmuscled or four average people to simply drag them across the lawn which the legs carve deep and permanent gashes in.

The seats, and arm rests to a lesser extent, decline sharply toward a slightly outward tilting back forming a wide "v" with the seat that the sitter's rear end slides immediately into. The resulting body position makes eye contact with anyone other than one in a like chair out of the question. Also thus situated, the ends of the boards on the front of

PUBLIC NOTICE

LICENSE TO OPERATE A SMALL GROUP HOME IN BOYNE CITY

The City of Boyne City has received notification from the Michigan Depar-License to Operate an AFC Small Group Home (facility caring for 6 or less persons) located at 232 Court Street.

be submitted to Boyne City Hall by 5:00 p.m. Friday, February 23, 1990.

CITY OF BOYNE CITY Thomas Garlock City Clerk feb 14

Ware-withal

the seat cut into the legs, generally under the knees. Arising from an Adirondack chair without assistance is out of the question

Certainly the good old days had a lot to recommend them with the pace more leisurely, manners more mannerly and all. But this is now and most Americans, used to current comforts and conveniences, are loathe to give them up in exchange for such things. And no one who's ever sat in an Adirondack chair, or helped move one,

can see any value in a rerun of it. But perhaps a smaller, lighter reminiscence of yesteryear would help. How about suggest that people learn to play the mandolin?

Charlevoix County Commission Minutes

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for their

Resolutions adopted included: adopting a resolution to set a cap of \$500 for Grandvue Operating Transfers. In other business the Boyne City Principal discussed the

Copies of the complete minutes of the Board are on file in the office of the County Clerk and are available for public inspection during regular business hours.

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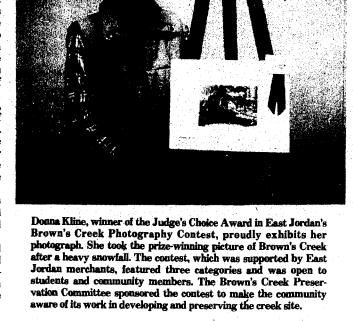
regular session on January 24, 1990, in Charlevoix.

Alternative Education Program.

CITY OF BOYNE CITY 1990 **BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS MEETINGS**

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Economic Development Corp.	12:00 noon	First Monday of every month**.
Airport Advisory Board	5:00 p.m.	First Thursday of every month at the Boyne City Municipal Airport.
Housing Commission	7:30 p.m.	First Thursday of every month at Litzenburger Place, 829 South Park St.
Boyne City Commission	12:00 noon 7:00 p.m.	Every Tuesday**. Second Tuesday of every month*.
Parks & Recreation Board	7:00 p.m.	Second Thursday of every month*.
Library Board	7:30 p.m.	Second Thursday of every month at the Public Library, 201 East Main St.
Planning Advisory Board	5:00 p.m.	Third Monday of every month*.
Historical Advisory Board	7:00 p.m.	Third Monday of every month**.
Zoning Board of Appeals		Special Meetings held as needed. Published in the Charlevoix County Press 10 days prior to meeting.
Board of Review	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	Held every year for two (2) days during the month of March. Notice

Commission Chambers at City Hall, 319 North Lake Street. * Office of the City Manager at City Hall, 319 North Lake Street.



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grade are: Angie Allen, JoDee

Cam. Kori Danforth, Matthew

Dietrich. Bob Donnellan, Jennifer

Dunson, Kirk Falco, Cathleen

SHORT FORECLOSURE NOTICE

(All Counties) MORTGAGE SALE-Default has been

made in the conditions of a mortgage made by DINAH J. CROZIER, A SINGLE WOMAN to AMERIFIRST FINANCIAL CORPORATION, A MICHIGAN COR-PORATION Mortgagee, dated August 9, 1988, and recorded on August 10, 1988, in Liber 202, on page 0587, CHARLEVOIX County Records, Michigan, and assigned by MESNE assignment to GMAC MOR-TGAGE CORPORATION OF IA, AN IOWA CORPORATION by an assignment dated January 12, 1989, and recorded on March 6, 1989, in Liber 207, on page 0441. CHARLEVOIX County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of forty six thousand three hundred fifteen and 18/100 Dollars (\$46,315.18), including interest at 9.500% per annum with adjustable rate

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and approved, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix, MI, at 11:00 AM on March 23.

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DATED: February 7, 1990 ATTORNEY FOR: Assignee of Mortgagee Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C. 401 South Woodward Avenue

State 300 Birmingham, MI 48909-6616

GMAC MORTGAGE CORPORATION OF IA

Assignee of Mortgagee feb 7, 14, 21, 28, mar 7

What's Happening

ASSERTIVENESS TRAINING

The Women's Resource Center of Petoskey is planning an assertiveness training course. The six week course will focus on assertiveness as opposed to agression and passiveness, communication, sex role socialization, and stress. Both women and men are encouraged to register.

The course will be held in Petoskey on Wednesdays from 7:00-9:00 p.m. beginning March 7 and continuing through April 11. A fee will be charged and covers all course costs for participants. A minimum number of people must pre-register and pre-pay before 5.00 p.m., February 21, in order for the course to be held. To preregister or for more information please call the Family Services Building at (616)347-0070.

PANCAKE SUPPER

The East Jordan Rotary Club will hold a pancake supper on Tuesday, February 20th from 4:30 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at the East Jordan Snowmobile Clubhouse, which is located a couple miles south of town on old 66 (Mt. Bliss Rd.) The proceeds of the supper will go toward community activities. Reduced prices for children 12 years of age and under. The menu will be pancakes, sausage, applesauce, potatoes, and coffee or milk.

The Women's Association of the First Presbyterian Church in East Jordan will hold a Soup and Salad Luncheon on February 23, 1990 from 11:00 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. in the basement of the church, located at 207 Williams Street. Reduced price for children under 5. The menu will be soup, salad and

SNOWFLAKE LUNCHEON

The 20th Annual Snowflake Luncheon will be held on Thursday, February 22 at 1:00 p.m. in the Day Ski Center of Boyne Highlands in Harbor Springs. "Mechanized Madness", featuring the Matinee Idols and the Friendship Center Chorus will provide the entertainment. One price includes dinner and entertainment. Tickets must be purchased in advance. Call your local senior centers for further information: 582-6682, 536-7831 or 547-5361. Transportation is available, but a fee will be charged. Bus pick-up is scheduled at the East Jordan Senior Center at 9:30 a.m., at the Boyne City Senior Center at 10:00 a.m. and at the Charlevoix Senior Center at 10:30 a.m.

NEEDED

The sewing room at Grandvue Medical Care Facility is in need of clean, snagged nylons (all colors), sequins. These supplies will be used by the patients in up-coming projects.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

If you or a loved one has a problem with alcohol, we urge you to attend a local A.A. meeting for support.

Boyne Valley Group meets at the Knights of Columbus Hall on M-75 South, Boyne City, every Monday at 8 p.m. (closed met.), Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. (step study closed meeting followed by a regular closed mtg.), Thursday at noon (closed mtg.), Friday at 8 p.m. (closed mtg.).

The Boyne City Group meets every Sunday at the Presbyterian Church on Park St. at 8 p.m. for a closed meeting.

The last Sunday of each month a potluck open meeting is held at 7



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EJ Middle School Honor Roll Superintendent's List.

The honor roll for the second quarter marking period has been posted at East Jordan Middle School, Students earning a 3.0 or B average and acceptable behavior grades were eligible for the list.

Five students earned all As in their classes which allowed them to become part of the "Superintendent's List."

6th GRADE

Charissa Gulotta and Dawn Meads earned places on the Superintendent's List.

Sixth graders on the Honor Roll are: Tracy Albro, Kristy Bennett, Jason Donaldson, Amelia Fleming, Amy Grams, Dan Harris, Brendan Ingalls, Amy Johnson, Chris Kolp, Kevin McArthur, Mandy McKenzie, Tim McWatters, Josiah Middaugh, Andrew Otis, Josh Parks, Johanna Schiemann, and Angela

7th GRADE Debbie Staley attained the

King, Angie Massey, Yaro Middaugh, Cathy Mills, Sarah Mogan, Kim Pinney, Callie Ransom, Angie Reid, Matt Sherman, Solomon

8th GRADE Amy Mickey and Julie Mickey earned places on the Superintendent's List.

Townsend, and A.O. Wood.

Honor Roll achievers for 8th grade are: Jamie Burkle, Jennifer Burr, Nate Clark, Cory Chambers, Jon Crawford, Kevin Dunson, Kim Goebel, Ryan Hoeksema, Mike Legato, Rick Lundy, Cliff Mayhew, Katie Malpass, Craig Meads, Erica Olafsson, Lori Parshall, Tina Richards, Angie Scott, Kari Snyder, Celeste Townsend, Ed Tighe, and Chris Weidlich.

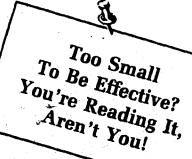
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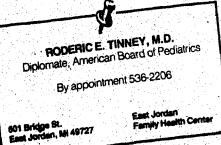
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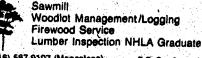






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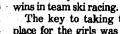
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BC girls finish 2nd upsetting Harbor, Charlevoix

Boyne City girls' skiers pulled out a minor upset when they squeaked into a second place finish at the Michigan Huron Shores Conference ski meet that was held at Schuss Mountain last Wednesday. The boys finished sixth in the nine team conference.

The girls upset Harbor Springs and Charlevoix, both highly touted as part of the powerful Northwest Michigan group of ski racers, beating out third place Harbor Springs by one-half of a point, 98.0 to 98.5 Charlevoix finished fourth with 108.0 points. The low score



The key to taking the second place for the girls was the team's staying close to each other in the standings, finishing in 8th, 10th, 14th, 17th places in slalom, and 4th, 12th, 15th, 18th places in giant

Individually, in slalom, Christina May had an eighth place finish along with Nancy McCullough in tenth. Other placings for Boyne girls included April Silbar in 14th, Hillary Bradord in 17th, Denelle Baum in 20th and Kelly Copeland,

In Giant slalom, Copeland took the fourth place, followed by May in 12th, Bradford 15th, McCullough in 18th, and Silbar in 20th. Kris Crozier finished 26th.

For the boys, the best finisher in slalom was Dennis Moore with a 15th place, while in giant slalom, Derek Baum took 25th.

East Jordan skiers finished in last place for the boys and girls in



Kelly Copeland on her way to a fourth place finish in Wednesday at Schuss Mountain. The girls will again be the Michigan Huron Shores Conference meet last competing on the same hill Thursday for the regionals.

boys continue to roll

Boyne City's varsity ball squad upped their record to 13-2 last week, accumulating wins over Gaylord and Onaway.

Tuesday night, in Gaylord, the Ramblers came up against some stiff competition. While Boyne led most of the game, with increments of 10-7, 30-23, and 43-41 through the first three quarters, Gaylord did manage to pull ahead briefly in the fourth quarter. The Ramblers countered with some good offensive rebounding to stay just ahead of the Blue Devils, and in the last minute of play Shawn Vondra iced the game with four free throws. The Blue Devils hit a three-point basket with mere seconds left on the clock, but Boyne held the ball out-of-bounds until the time ran off, winning the game 63-61.

Eric Smith led the Ramblers with 18 points, followed by Scott Knipe with 16. Wayne Avery had Scott Hammontree 6, Bo Williamson 5, Vondra 4, Joe Jankowski 3, and Kevin Smith 2.

Friday put the Ramblers in the

home court of the Onaway Cardinals. As week earlier the Cardinals had suffered an embarrassment at the hands of the Ramblers, and they sought redemption. It was not their night, however, as Boyne rolled on to a decisive victory despite sloppy play. The Ramblers held only a

four point advantage throughout the first half of the game, leading 17-13 after one quarter, and 30-26 at the half. In the third Boyne broke the game open though, going on a run that put them up 48-37 after three periods, and 69-52 when it was all over.

The Ramblers achieved good

The school conducted the event

as a community service project,

which was developed by the

Michigan Recreation, and Dance to

promote the importance of

point distribution against the Cards. Leading all Boyne scorers was Hammontree and Avery with 11 each, followed by Eric Smith, Williamson, and Jankowski with 10 apiece, Dean Alger had 5, Vondra and Kevin Smith 4 each, Knipe 2, and Gunther Fineout 1.

EJ elementary schoolers jump rope for hearts

A total of \$1,623.46 was raised by the students at East Jordan Elementary School during their Jump Rope For Heart event held earlier this month, according to Jamie Smith, Elementary Physical Education teacher and school coordinator of the event.

Leading money raisers were 3rd grader Michelle Hollie with \$93.15, 2nd grader Suzie Malpass with \$89.00, 1st grader Tommy Hart with \$86.00, 5th graders Becky Whiteford and Kelly Woodward, each with \$85.00.

Everyone, both participants and parents had a great time. We are looking forward to next year!" said Jamie Smith.

physical education.

Proceeds from the event will benefit the American Heart Association of Michigan in its ef-

forts to combat heart and blood

In Service Pvt. Shawn R. Putman has

vessel disease through research,

community education, and

professional education.

graduated from the U.S. Army armor cavalry scout course at Fort Knox, Ky.

Putman is the son of Linda P. and Richard J. Putman of Charlevoix.

EVELINE TOWNSHIP

The Eveline Township Board of Review will meet at the township hall on Ferry Road on Tuesday, March 6, 1990 for the purpose of reviewing the 1990 Assessment Roll.

Residents may examine their property assessments before the Board of Review on Monday, March 12, 1990 from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. and on March 13, 1990 from 1:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at the town-

Eveline Township tentative ratios and multipliers, subject to change by the Assessing Officer, Board of Review, County Equalization, and the State Equalization are as follows:

	Ratio	Multiplier
Agriculture (101)	48.83	1.02388
Commercial (201)	48.24	1.03648
Industry (301)	47.78	1.04644
Residential (401)	48.66	1.02754
Timber Cutover (501)	49.44	1.01132
Personal	50.00	1.00000

Eveline Township Clerk feb 14, 21, 28, mar 7

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Charlevoix County Road Commission will receive sealed proposals at their office at 1051 East Division Street, Boyne City, Michigan 49712, until 10:00 a.m. (EST) Monday, March 12, 1990 for furnishing 1990 requirements of the following:

> **Bituminous Materials Bituminous Patching Mixtures, CP-1** Corrugated Metal Pipe Stone Chips 28B, 31AA **Underbody Scraper Blades**

Further information and specifications may be obtained at the Commission office.

All proposals must be in sealed envelopes, plainly marked as to the tem bid upon and the name of the bidder.

The Charlevoix County Road Commission reserves the right to waive the irregularity of any bid, or to reject any or all bids or to split the award by items, or to make the award in whole or in part, as may

be deemed to be in its own interest. BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS CHARLEVOIX COUNTY John Kujawski, Chairman Wayne Saunders, Member

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Tentative Equalization Ratios and Multipliers Real and Personal Property 1990

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THIS PUBLIC NOTICE IS PUBLISHED IN COMPLIANCE WITH P.A. 165, 1971 BY THE CHARLEVOLX COUNTY EQUALIZATION DEPARTMENT. THE TENTATIVE RATIOS AND ESTIMATED MULTIPLIERS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE BY THE ASSESSING OFFICER, BOARD OF REVIEW ACTION, COUNTY EQUALIZATION, AND STATE EQUALIZATION.



finished 18th in the giant slalom event at the conference meet. **Bowling scores**

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Sportsman	741/2	1051/2	Ron Grunch		222-207
T & C Cedar Homes	69¹/z	$110^{1/2}$	Wayne Kleinschrodt		210-200
Purolls Logging			Dick Dodds		232
Jim Churchill		614	Rip Williams		221
Marty Moody		214	Dale Brummund		218
Bruce Korthase		214	Dave Wilson		217
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Bartlett's Excavating	123	57	Phil Goebel		208
Behling Construction	1131/2	661/z			
IMI No. 1	106	74			
Boyne City Lanes	95	85			

Commission Order - CFI-115.90

(Under the authority of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925, as amended)

WALLEYE AND SAUGER SIZE LIMIT

Under the authority of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925, as amended, being sections 300.1 through 300.5 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, the Natural Resources Commission at its October 4, 1969, meeting ordered that for a period of five years the walleye and sauger size limit shall be 15 inches on all state waters, except Lake Gogebic, Big Manistique Lake, Grand Lake (Presque Isle County), Lake Erie, Lake St. Clair and the Detroit and St. Clair Rivers.

This order supersedes the Commission order entitled "Walleye and Sauger Size Limit", effective January 1, 1985, and assigned number CFI-115.85.

This order shall take effect on April 1, 1990, and shall remain effective through March

aymono Poupore, Chairman Natural Resources Commission Countersigned: David F. Hales, Director

Department of Natural Resources, Box 30028, Lansing, MI 48909

Commission Order - CFI-112.90

(Under the authority of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925, as amended) OPEN SEASONS AND CATCH LIMITS ON PIKE, WALLEYE, SAUGER AND MUSKELLUNGE

Under the authority of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925, as amended, being sections 300.1 through 300.5 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, the Natural Resources Commission at its October 4, 1989, meeting ordered that for a period of five years it shall be unlawful to take the following named species except within the open seasons and daily limits as prescribed below:

Open sesson: On walleye, sauger northern pike and muskellunge (including tiger

Region 1: All Upper Peninsula waters, including the surrounding Great Lakes and connecting waters not otherwise closed to fishing shall be from May 15 through March 15. Regions 11 and III: All Lower Peninsula waters except the Great Lakes and connecting waters not otherwise closed to fishing shall be from the last Saturday in April though March 15.

Regions II and III: The Great Lakes and connecting waters shall be open year around; except that muskellunge in Lake St. Clair, and the St. Clair and Detroit rivers may be taken only from the first Saturday in June through December 15 of each

For the purposes of this order, all drowned river mouth lakes such as Manistee Lake

Lake Macatawa and Muskegon Lake are considered as inland waters and are subject to inland water regulations. Dally Catch Limits: Statewide limits shall be five (5) singly or in combination for largemouth and smallmouth bass, walleye and sauger and northern pike; the daily catch limit on muskellunge is one (1) (including tiger muskellunge) except that the daily catch limit on Lakes St. Clair and Erie and the Detroit and St. Clair rivers shall be six singly or in combination for largemouth and smallmouth bass, walleye, sauger, and northern pike when the catch includes at least one walleye or sauger.

This order supersedes the Commission Order entitled "Open Seasons and Catch Limits on Pike, Walleye, Sauger and Muskellunge", effective April 1, 1987 and assigned number CFI-112.87.

This order shall take effect on April 1, 1990, and shall remain effective through March

Raymond Poupore, Chairman Natural Resources Commission Countersigned: David F. Hales, Director Department of Natural Resources, Box 30028, Lansing, MI 48909

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