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## MEETING THE CANDIDATES!



THE CANDIDATES

(L to R) Rose Benmark for Trustee, Incumbent James Seibert for Trustee, Marian Honyoust for Treasurer, Ellen Barney for Treasurer, Incumbent Karen Cook for Treasurer, Shaun Hughes CCYF member, Lee Swigart moderator, Jason Kinlaw CCYF member, Incumbent Robert Gardener for Supervisor, Margaret Roberts for Supervisor, Incumbent trustee Jack Hubbard for Supervisor.

### BY Terry Honyoust

The CCYF sponsored "Meet The Candidates" Wednesday, September 24, at the Recreation Center. It was interesting for those of us who attended to hear what the candidates had to say.

Each candidate was allowed a 3 minute talk on their history and work experience. Following this, the candidates were asked by Shaun Hughes what they felt was the most important issue in Grand Marais. All candidates answered with issues such as the harbor, tourism, the water system and sewers. Jason Kinlaw then asked what qualified each candidate for the position for which they are running. The answers ranged from many years of history in Grand Marais to listing of past work experiences. When a question period was opened to the observers, a question was asked "Where will Grand Marais be in 20 years?" Answers ranged from inviting more families to Grand Marais to providing better public utilities and possibly inviting small industry to town. Also keeping in mind that too much change would lose the Grand Marais appeal.

Past low voting was addressed and the candidates were asked what could resolve this situation and motivate people to get out and vote. A telephone campaign will hopefully help in this area and be sponsored by the CCYF "Government Committee". Members include Shaun Hughes, Jason Kinlaw, Lee Swigart, Marian Honyoust and James Seibert.

The attendance was very low for the event with less than 20 observers and no attendance by any other organizations in town. It was a chance for all of us to hear what the candidates had to say on their behalf.

### BOB STRUCK, CANDIDATE FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE TO VISIT GRAND MARAIS

Bob Struck, candidate for state representative, will energetically tour the 109th district this weekend. He intends to travel from Michigamme to Grand Marais on bicycle.

Struck's bike campaign will cross the entire district, covering all of Marquette and Alger Counties. He plans to leave Michigamme on Friday morning and arrive in Grand Marais on Sunday afternoon covering over 150 miles. He will visit with people along the route to discuss issues of local concern.

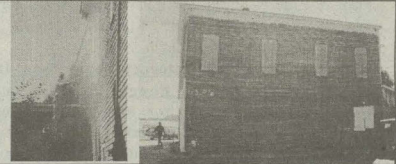
"I need to demonstrate that I am "willing to go the distance" for the residents of Alger and Marquette Counties" said Struck.

Struck also has another incentive for crossing the district on bicycle. As the Executive Director of the UP-EMS Corporation, and the past chairman of the Upper Peninsula Traffic Safety Committee, he has long promoted improved and safer highways. "By riding across every inch of pavement from the west end of Marquette County to the east end of Alger County, I can personally attest to the conditions of local roadways. Anything I can do to bring attention to highway safety issues is a benefit of this campaign" said Struck.

## HISTORIC "GRAND MARAIS GENERAL STORE" GETS A FACE LIFT!



## Ostrander Drug and Post Office



As it began:  
by Terry Honyoust  
History by D. Meldrum

**The Grand Central Saloon;**  
proprietor: Tom Vogan

The above building was first a saloon, one the 29+ that were operating in Grand Marais between 1895-1910. Advertised as the "best lit-up saloon" in Alger County, it had flickering lights in each square of its elaborately tinned ceiling.

**Ostrander's Drug Store;**  
Edwin Y. Ostrander and his brother Sayre H. Ostrander, began one of the early drugstores in the county in 1896. Within a few years, a chain of several Ostrander drugstores was established in other Upper Peninsula cities. The Grand Marais store remained in business for over 60 years.

**The Beaver House;** Proprietors: Neal and Ruth Beaver  
**Grand Marais General Store;** Proprietors: George and Anna McNally.

**Present Owners:** James (Hungry

Jim) and Sherri Seibert.

**ATTACHED IS THE OLD POST OFFICE** which was established in Grand Marais, November 21, 1882.

While attached to the General Store, the building above was established in 1907 by Postmistress Flora McLachlan. The building was unique in that it has five sides, and a story and one-half, with a decorative false front.

The original wood siding was painted white and it is considered to be a horse and buggy era country post office.

The older generation of Grand Marais still have many fond memories of the days when it was the daily meeting place in town, as they came in to wait, and visit, while the mail was being sorted.

There was a succession of postmasters, most serving short terms until the appointment by President Woodrow Wilson in the spring of 1917. Shortly after the sudden death of postmaster William Haines, President

Wilson appointed Elfreda Louise Mulligan. She was to serve for almost 40 years. Her workday started at dawn, with building a fire in the post office wood stove, and getting the mail ready for the haul to the depot at Seney. This round trip took all day and by the time the mail was distributed, dusk was often setting over the village. Mrs. Mulligan went way beyond the duties designated for a Postmaster. Since many of the people who came to Grand Marais were immigrants, who had never learned to read or write English, Mrs. Mulligan gave of her own time in helping them write and answer letters. If someone one in the village was sick and couldn't get to the post office, she personally delivered their mail. Though they weren't aware at the time, she also took the time to answer Santa Claus letters from the children who would mail one in. She retired from the post office in October of 1956, and will always be remembered as one of Grand Marais' outstanding citizens.

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**Burt Township Board Meeting  
September 10, 1996 - 7:02 p.m.**

**Present:** Bob Gardner, Karen Cook, Jack Hubbard, K. Wampler, J. Seibert

**Approval of Agenda** as amended on motion by Seibert, Wampler - 5 ayes.

**Correspondence and appointments:** Motion by Seibert, Cook to appoint Nancy Fuller to Board of Review - 5 ayes.

**Public comments on Agenda items:** None

**Minutes of previous meeting:** August 13 approved as amended on motion by Hubbard, Cook - 4 ayes, 1 abstain. August 26 approved as submitted on motion by Seibert, Wampler - 4 ayes, 1 abstain.

**Treasurer's report** accepted by Supervisor. Cook reported that bank statements had not been received and balances in the accounts were tentative. Motion by Seibert, Hubbard to have Kay write a letter to the bank and explain inconvenience - 5 ayes.

General Fund \$75567.53, Improvement \$24757.92, Fire Dept. \$26170.06, Ambulance \$12308.68, Marina \$7353.36, Woodland Park \$86490.07, Water Receiving \$36895.57, Water Receiving Savings \$25544.96, Water Operation \$9633.32, Water Bond & Ind \$12729.47, Tax Acct \$49.02, Recreation Program \$1694.08, Frail & Elderly \$8422.24, Reassessment \$3.73, EDC \$48898.03, Medical \$543.03, Medical Savings \$1340.65, Beach Access \$3213.64, Payroll \$1507.02, Sno-Trails \$-173.42.

**Payment of bills** approved as amended on motion by Seibert, Wampler with the exception of \$5933.95 to EDC from General - 5 ayes, 1 abstain

General Fund \$12761.04, Sno-Trails \$858.00, Improvement \$4881.91, Recreation Program Account \$ 1.33, Water Op \$2603.32, Frail & Elderly \$0.00, Ambulance \$3250.51, Fire Dept \$3331.94, Woodland Park \$47417.07, Marina \$4847.12, Water Receiving Transfer \$3500.00, Medical Ctr \$1211.70

**Reports: Committees, Attorney, Supervisor, Dept. Managers: Recreation Program (K Bowen):** Reported having been granted \$2500 from CCYF & \$500 from Rural Health Organization toward fall programs. Motion by Seibert, Cook to allow the Recreation Committee to go ahead with Winter Programs - 5 ayes.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS: a) Computer Assessing Discussion and Request:** Assessor requesting additional \$6546 Estimated for inputting assessing card data into the new computer system, Seibert wants more information, Hubbard wants request typed and presentable - postponed until next meeting. **b) Bid on Material for Pavilion in Park:** Two quotes were presented for \$4008 and \$4364 Estimated excluding floor and labor - Seibert reported that the Grand Sable Publishing Co. may be willing to contribute money and brought up the possibility of a community service program for erection of the pavilion, Seibert offered to work with Pam Hicks and the Rec. Committee, there was discussion over the use of township employees to begin construction within the next month if approval for purchase of materials granted. No motion at this time. **c) Employee Policy**

**Conformance:** Reported by Wampler, in reference to last months request and denial of a waiver for Mike L. Beek to work under the supervision of his father, time sheets for the first half of August showed 27 hours worked for funds under the supervision of Joe V. and 53.5 were worked for funds under the supervision of Mike (Sr.) with time sheets approved by Joe Venturato. Much discussion ensued about the obvious attempt not to conform to policy, Wampler submitted her resignation from the Employee Policy Committee to Seibert, Motion to accept Kay's resignation on the Employee Policy Committee with regrets was made by Seibert with no second.

**NEW BUSINESS: Exterior Improvement of Township Office/Medical Building:** Discussed that funds were not budgeted and the current board should not use up funds before the next board comes into office. Motion by Seibert, Wampler to table exterior improvement of township office - 4 ayes, 1 nay. **b) Acceptance of Dave Bell, Planning Commission Resignation:** Motion by Seibert, Wampler to accept resignation on the planning commission and as the representative to the Zoning Board of Appeals-5 ayes. **c) WLUC TV Request for Support:** Motion by Seibert, Cook to donate \$75.00 to WLUC TV from the Fire Fund toward their fire safety program - 5 ayes. **d) Marina Dock and Harbor Inspection Report:** Gardner presented the Inspection report that detailed some 24 areas that needed improvement at the Marina, Motion by Seibert, Hubbard to have Joe V. pursue grants to make the repairs to the Marina to include installation of toilet facility-5 ayes. **e) Citizen Resolution Time Request:** John Markes presented four resolutions associated with 3 proposals that will be on the November ballot: #1 -Motion by Seibert, Hubbard to adopt Water Fee Structure with 1 free turn on /off per year to seasonal users-Roll Call vote: Seibert-aye, Hubbard-aye, Cook-aye, Gardner-aye, Wampler-abstain. #2-Motion by Seibert, Hubbard to adopt resolution 1 if tax passes in November-Roll Call vote: Gardner-aye, Hubbard-aye, Seibert-aye, Cook-aye, Wampler-abstain. #3 -Motion by Seibert, Hubbard to adopt resolution II if tax passes in November. Roll Call vote-Cook-aye, Seibert-aye, Hubbard-aye, Gardner-aye, Wampler-abstain. #4-Motion by Hubbard, Seibert to adopt \$0.50 water park user fee if tax proposal passes-Roll Call vote: Hubbard-aye, Seibert-aye, Cook-no, Gardner-aye, Wampler-no. (For a copy of the resolutions, please contact the township office or John Markes.) **f) Road Paving Update:** No official action. **g) Zoning Ordinance Amendment on Dimensions:** Several issues discussed regarding dimensions/height restrictions not being addressed-no official action taken. **h) R. Schultz Street Light Request:** Tabled until next meeting. **i) Other: Cost of Stripping Floor:** no official action. **Joe Wampler Resignation as Zoning Administrator:** Resignation provides for continuation on position until a new person is appointed. Motion by Seibert, Hubbard to accept resignation with regrets - 4 ayes, 1 abstain. No further action taken.

**Public Comment on non-agenda items:** None

**Adjournment** on Motion by Seibert, Wampler - 5 ayes at approx. 9:12 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Kay L. Wampler, Clerk

**Burt Township Special  
Board Meeting  
September 24, 1996 -  
1:30 p.m.**

**Present:** Bob Gardner, Karen Cook, Jack Hubbard, K. Wampler, J. Seibert

**Approval of Agenda** as amended on motion by Seibert, Wampler - 5 ayes.

**Public comments on Agenda items:** None

**Bid Approval of Road Paving by Payne and Dolan:** Moved by Seibert, Hubbard to approve Bid to pave road [behind and next to Bayshore Market to the veterans monument in front of the General Store] by Payne & Dolan, Inc. for \$14,337.50 [from Township improvement fund]. Roll Call Vote - Cook - aye, Hubbard - aye, Seibert - aye, Wampler - aye, Gardner - aye. Moved by Hubbard, Cook to pave [the easement along Crawford Street] next to the General Store for \$1265.00 by Payne & Dolan - 4 ayes, 1 abstain. **CCYF Meet the Candidate Forum:** Motion by Seibert, Hubbard to waive the \$100 deposit requirement on the Recreation Center for the "Meet the Candidates" - 5 ayes.

**Public Comment on non-agenda items:** None

**Adjournment** on Motion by Seibert, Cook - 5 ayes at 1:20 p.m. Respectfully Submitted,  
Kay L. Wampler, Clerk

These are the unapproved minutes of the September 24, 1996 Special meeting. Included in the body of these are all of the official actions taken by the Burt Township Board.

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O B I T U A R I E S

WILLIAM LOUIS TORNOVISH

Lifelong Grand Marais resident, William Louis Tornovish, 82, died Saturday September 14th at Helen Newberry Joy Hospital in Newberry following a prolonged illness.

Born November 10, 1913 in Grand Marais, son of the late Anthony and Carolyn "Cora, (Goronish) Tornovish, he was a graduate of Burt Township School in Grand Marais. He was a commercial fisherman and Great Lakes sailor for many years and also worked for the Grand Trunk Western Railway Company for several years. William was a member of the Holy Rosary Catholic Church of Grand Marais and also the National Maritime Union.

William is survived by two sisters, Sister Marguerite Tornovish of St. Louis, MO and Alice Grauzer of St. Clair Shores; sister-in-law, Evelyn (Tudy) Tornovish of Holland; and several nieces and nephews.

A Funeral Mass was held Tuesday September 17th at 12:00 noon at the Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Grand Marais with Fr. Pawel Mecwel officiating. Rite of Committal followed at the Holy Rosary Cemetery in Grand Marais, MI.

Beaulieu Funeral Home in Newberry handled the arrangements.

RUTH HELEN HOLZHAUER

Ruth Helen Holzhauser, 83, died Saturday, September 28, 1996 at 4:15 A.M. at her home following a brief illness.

Born February 16, 1913 in Detroit, MI, Ruth had previously lived in Detroit and Royal Oak before moving to Grand Marais in 1970. She was born to the late Herman and Alma (Frantz) Hardies. Ruth worked in her father's store when she was growing up. She married Henry William Holzhauser on February 7, 1930 and worked in Detroit & Royal Oak as a retail salesperson for an apparel and shoe department store. Ruth and Henry moved to Grand Marais after retirement, and owned and operated the Sunset Resort.

Survivors: 2 Daughters & Sons-in-law Carolina Ruth & Harold Fromhart of Farmington Hills, MI; Elizabeth Ruth & Carver Hendrix of Birmingham, MI; 6 Grandchildren. Kevin, Lance, Kim, & John Henry Fromhart and Branch Hendrix & Brooks Hendrix - Williams; 5 great - grandchildren; 1 Brother - Arthur "Sunny" Hardies of Tawas City, MI.

The funeral was Tuesday, October 1, 1996, 11:00 A.M. at the First Lutheran Church of Grand Marais, MI. Clergy: Pastor Robert Gardner. Place of interment Rosehill Cemetery, Grand Marais, MI.

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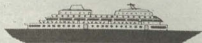
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DATA is compiled by  
Karla Bugg,  
Cooperative Weather  
Observer.

DATE	MAX	MIN	PRECIP
SEPT 17	62	46	
SEPT 18	63	44	
SEPT 19	68	30	
SEPT 20	70	30	
SEPT 21	69	48	
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SEPT 23	66	43	
SEPT 24	63	40	.64
SEPT 25	N/A		
SEPT 26	59	39	
SEPT 27	65	45	
SEPT 28	60	43	.01
SEPT 29	56	38	.35

Karla Bugg

SNOW EMERGENCY AID  
BILL CLEARS U.S. HOUSE

The U.S. House passed and sent on to the Senate a bill which could help clear the path for federal emergency assistance to states facing the debilitating effects of unusually severe snowfalls.

Although the House has faced a blizzard of legislation as it tries to clear its agenda before adjournment, the Snow Removal Policy Act of 1996 attracted broad bipartisan support in its passage today.

Rep. Bart Stupak, an original co-sponsor of the bill, was one of the spokesman on the House floor for the legislation, which directs the Federal Emergency Management Agency to develop guidelines for providing assistance to states and local governments struggling with snow-related events.

The guidelines would spell out the criteria for declaring a disaster or emergency, and they would spell out the nature of any assistance, including financial reimbursement for snow and debris removal.

While FEMA is prepared for sudden disasters like floods or earthquakes, Stupak has argued, it does not have guidelines to offer assistance in situations like northern Michigan's winter, where the financial crisis was reached through a slowly developing set of circumstances.

"One area in my district recorded a total snow accumulation of 321 inches, or nearly 27 feet," Stupak told House members. That much snow, he said, "would completely bury the typical two-story family home, and would nearly reach the ceiling of the House chamber."

He said local units of government in his First Congressional District were forced to bear the financial burden of the added winter road maintenance, estimated at \$10 million.

The series of record-breaking storms, Stupak said, "caused snow and flood damage to roads and structures, curtailed agricultural planting, delayed home-building and tourism, and induced other detrimental personal and financial effects."

Stupak emphasized that, despite the change in guidelines, no federal assistance can be provided if the governor of that state does not make a request for aid. Regardless of the nature or extent of a disaster, the decision to ask for federal help would remain with the state's chief executive.



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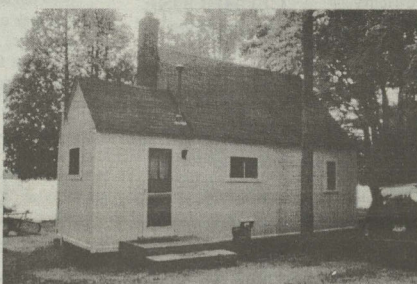
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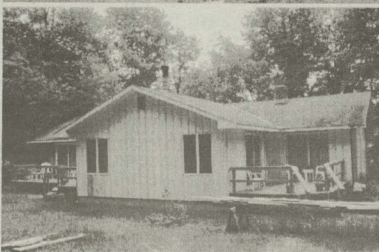
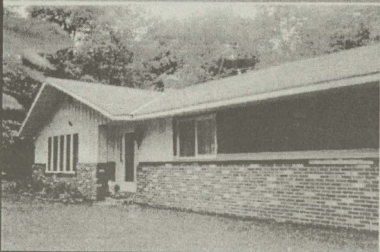
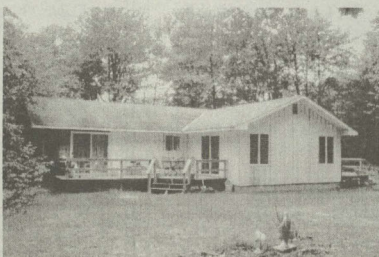
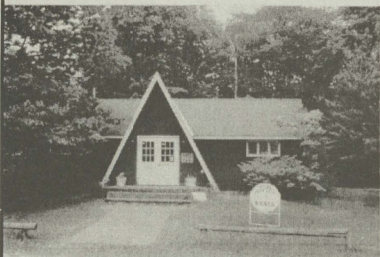
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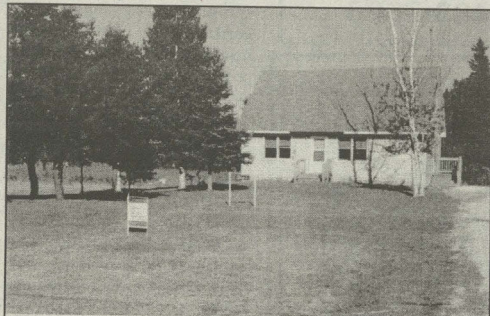
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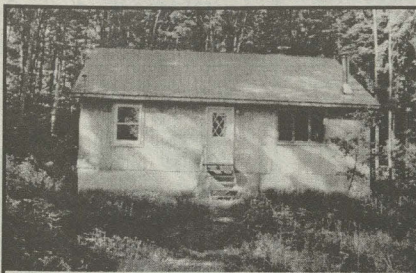


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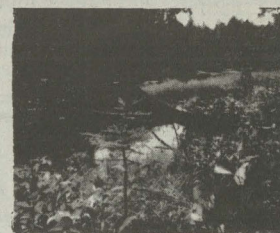
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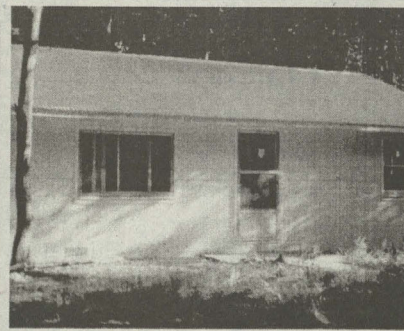
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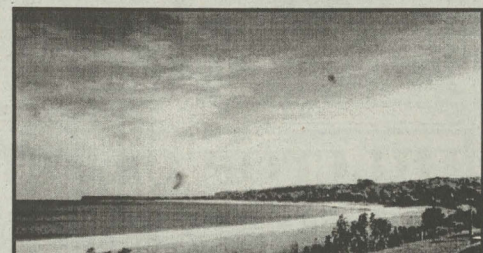


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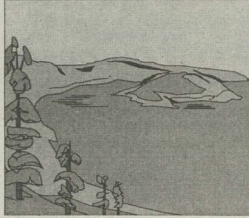
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If you've been looking for a piece of our Grand Marais West Bay beach frontage, then you should check this out. 127 feet of beautiful sand beach PLUS back up lots to H-58---- almost a half a block of property. 2+ acres AND RIGHT IN TOWN. IT'S ALSO A RARE FIND AS THERE'S VERY LITTLE, IF ANY, AVAILABLE, AND NOT LIKELY TO BE IN THE FUTURE.



**AROUND THE BAY:  
BY EVELYN MORRISON**



You can tell fall is here. We have some of our snow birds leaving already. Felix and Doris Krempa are on their way south. At least as far as the kids house. They are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.

Renee' Beaver and Bob Stocking from Grand Rapids were up for a long weekend. Woody came with them. He had a great time running on the beach and running after sticks. Also in from GR were Terry Hardy and the albino brothers. I'm sure they had a great time, they

always do.

Bill Branch and Penny Barney were up for the weekend along with papa Branch.

John, Jenny, and I went to Grand Rapids to visit with Sara and Wendy. GVSU had a craft show and open house for families of the students. Despite the rain we really had a good time. Ate at some great restaurants. It seemed nice to have restaurants open all the time and so many to chose from.

Sandee Sibbald did it again and planned a surprise birthday party for Georgina Mixon and Judy Crampton, at Georgina's. A great variety of food and drinks. The carrot cake was delicious and the presents were great. We had a fire outside with music provided by Gail. Who will be next? Well, we will have to see, Sandee is our organizer.

If you would like something in "Around the Bay" let the Gazette know. See you around the bay.

Keep on smiling .....Evelyn

**THANK YOU!**

To all you fine people who visited my friend Edwin Adler while he was a patient at Marquette Hospital. To all who took time to send cards and telephone calls, I thank you.

Georgina

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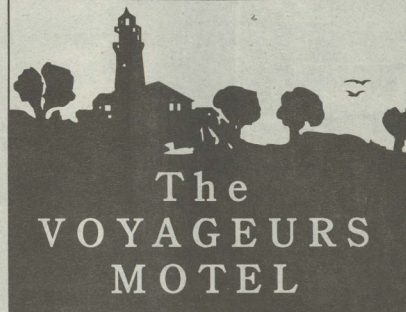
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**LEONARD MCLEOD  
RECEIVES AN  
APPOINTMENT FROM THE  
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COMMISSIONER**

In July, CCPOA Finance Chair Leonard McLeod received an appointment from Insurance Commissioner Chuck Quackenbush to the Governing Committee of the Workers' Compensation Insurance Rating Bureau.

The Bureau, which meets bimonthly, oversees all issues involving pure premium rates, classifications, rating plans, rating systems, manual rules and policy, and endorsement forms. The Workers' Compensation Insurance Rating Bureau is a private organization for the purpose of collecting, analyzing and compiling rating data. McLeod's appointment is a two-year term.

In 1994, McLeod was appointed by CA Gov. Pete Wilson to the Commission on Health and Safety and workers' Compensation, after serving on the Governor's Task Force on Workers' Compensation in 1993.

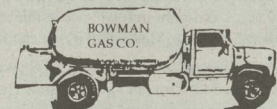
McLeod has been a member of CCPOA since 1982, and has headed CCPOA's statewide workers' compensation program for the past seven years.

Leonard McLeod is the son of Marge McLeod and the nephew of Della Meldrum of Grand Marais, MI.

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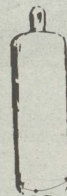


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Editor: Grand Marais Gazette

Several readers have asked me to expand on your very reasonable comments concerning the pot-holes on H-58 west of Grand Marais.

The one mile re-work of H-58 in Grand Marais was complex for two reasons. One was our desire to move the road southerly onto the correct right-of-way in order to correct a 70 year error. This change involved the Village Water Department, the electric co-op and the Fire Department. The second complexity was our desire to repair and widen the box culvert at First Creek.

Planning, co-ordination of the involved parties, engineering and finding the funds took five years of hard work by County Road Commission Superintendent Dan Johnson and his staff.

The plan called for an extension of the culvert which would necessitate an encroachment of four feet of back-fill onto the private property in the Creek Valley. The first two property owners gave us permission with enthusiasm and grace. Land owner number three refused. This refusing did not create a major problem because the north side owner suggested we just use eight feet of his land and proceed. "WE DIDN'T KNOW THE HALF OF IT!"

Land owner number three had not only refused, as is his right - he had filed a complaint with the D.N.R. claiming that the road repair would destroy several endangered species of flora and fauna.

Now the D.N.R. had to be involved with both feet! We were informed that a complete study of these endangered plants would take up to 2 years.

One of my final acts as Road Commission Chairman was to conclude that in 2 years the funding for this project would be gone and we should proceed without doing the culvert job. Commissioners Maki and Pearson agreed as did the newer commissioners.

It is doubtful that the current Road Commissioners and staff will ever attempt to repair the First Creek culvert again. The result is there for all to see:

The "McLOUNGE" NARROWS!

Neal Beaver, Former Chairman  
Alger County Road Commission

To the Editor

When Bob Dole proposed his economic plan earlier this month, a plan to cut taxes and balance the budget, it was immediately criticized as being unattainable and irresponsible. The centerpiece of his plan, a 15% across the board tax cut, was heralded as a return to the "voodoo economics" of the 1980's, which caused the federal deficit to soar. Did the economic policies put in place during the Reagan Administration cause the drastic increase in federal budget deficits during the 1980's, and would the Dole economic plan, if enacted, make it impossible to achieve a balanced federal budget? A look at some facts may help to answer these questions.

The table below shows federal tax receipts over a 5 1/2 decade period in constant 1987 dollars. This data shows a trend of increasing federal tax receipts, in dollars and as a percentage of gross domestic product (GDP) - although tax receipts as a percentage of GDP in the 1990's show a small decline. Tax rates were reduced by President Kennedy in the early 1960's and by President Reagan in the 1980's, but these reductions in tax rates do not seem to have had any long term effect on total tax revenues. Tax rates were increased in 1990 by President Bush and increased again in 1993 by President Clinton. Notice that after these tax rate increases, the increase in tax receipts is actually less than in earlier decades. Another trend to notice is that Personal Taxes have gradually replaced Corporate and Other Taxes as the largest component of tax revenues (as it should be). Other Taxes are made up of Estate and Gift Taxes, Excise Taxes, Customs Duties and Miscellaneous Taxes.

Billions of 1987 dollars.  
Average Tax Receipts Per Year

Years	Total	Personal	Social Insurance	Corp. and Other	Total Taxes As % of GDP
1940-1949	\$ 197.9	\$ 76.0	\$ 20.6	\$ 101.3	14.97%
1950-1959	293.4	126.8	34.7	131.9	17.14%
1960-1969	451.3	197.4	88.3	165.6	17.73%
1970-1979	587.5	266.3	165.8	155.4	17.75%
1980-1989	785.2	362.1	272.5	150.6	18.60%
1990-1994	928.0	409.4	345.4	173.2	18.40%

Source: Economic Report of the President (1995)

The true cause of the high federal budget deficits during the 1970's and 1980's was not caused by a lack of sufficient tax receipts. It was caused by the inability of Congress to control spending. Let us remember that NOT ONE CENT of federal spending can occur without the approval of Congress. Most spending bills originate in the House, and then work their way through the Senate and then, if passed by both Houses, go to the President for his signature. The President does submit his budget to Congress early in the year, but Congress is under no obligation to follow any of the President's wishes. Some will recall that the term "dead on arrival" was the standard congressional response used to refer to the budgets submitted by President Reagan. The President, of course, must either sign or veto the bills presented to him, but he does not have the authority to make changes to bills that

# Letters to the Editor



Your letters are welcomed. The views expressed by our writers and guest correspondents reflect the opinions of those writers and correspondents and are not those explicitly endorsed by the Gazette.

reach his desk. The recent passing of the line item veto does allow the President to eliminate parts of some bills passed by the House and Senate, but this was not the case when Ronald Reagan was President.

Looking at budget data from the past several decades, it can be seen that several areas of spending have exploded since the 1960's. The table below shows the various categories of federal spending, again in constant 1987 dollars. Other Outlays are made up of spending for Education, Housing, Commerce, Veterans Benefits, Transportation and Miscellaneous. Total federal spending in real terms has more than doubled from the 1960's to the 1980's. Spending for Health and Welfare, Social Security and Medicare, and Net Interest increased fourfold during the same period. Spending for Foreign and Other was more than 60% higher in the 1980's than in the 1960's. Compare total outlays as a percentage of GDP to total receipts as a percentage of GDP in the table above. Tax receipts increased, but they did not keep up with spending increases.

Billions of 1987 dollars.  
Average Outlays Per Year

Years	Total	Def.	Health and Welfare	Social Security and Medicare	Net Interest	Foreign and Other	Total Outlays % GDP
1940-49	\$ 339.8	\$ 250.1	\$ 14.7	\$ 1.9	\$ 16.9	\$ 56.4	24.38%
1950-59	300.7	178.7	23.4	19.0	22.3	57.3	17.60%
1960-69	446.3	207.8	42.4	66.5	30.5	99.3	18.54%
1970-79	656.0	188.3	110.5	153.4	48.6	155.2	19.96%
1980-89	954.3	248.9	163.8	260.3	120.5	160.8	22.58%
1990-94	1,134.5	240.5	225.2	336.1	163.0	169.7	22.48%

Sources: Economic Report of the President and Statistical Abstract of the United States (1995)

Did the Reagan Administration, as many have said, shamefully neglect the poor during the 1980's to fund our defense buildup even though the Soviet Union was headed for collapse? Many (including myself) believe that the Reagan defense buildup caused or at least accelerated the Soviet collapse, as well as the collapse of other communist governments that had been supported by the Soviets. Considering the role America has to play in our world as being the number one supporter of freedom and democracy, the defense buildup during the 1980's was money very well spent. It was truly an investment in world peace.

The economic policies of President Reagan were simple, common sense policies. Lower taxes to put more money in the pockets of average citizens instead of government agencies. Less burdensome government regulations that stifle innovation, efficiency, and job creation. Mr. Reagan believed that the average American could make better choices than the government concerning most areas of our lives. He also believed that the free market, with limited government intervention, was the best means for solving our economic problems. Many Americans today still share those beliefs. They are what Bob Dole's economic plan is all about.

I believe that the Dole economic plan, if accompanied by a Republican controlled House and Senate, can and will create a better economy by cutting taxes, and will at the same time balance the federal budget. It is an entirely credible plan. The key is to have a Republican in the White House and in control of both Houses, for it is obvious that the Republicans - and not the Democrats, have the will to get federal spending and taxes under control. Republicans, including Bob Dole and Jack Kemp, are not any less concerned than Democrats about the problems facing poor people and minorities. They're just more realistic about the fact that because our knowledge and resources are limited, we must make some very serious choices about what can and cannot be accomplished within our government.

Sincerely, Steven E. Hines  
Newberry, Michigan

Dear Editor:

Raggedy Ann and Raggedy Andy taught me how to read. Every night my dad or mother read me stories about the Raggedys giving me the incentive to read on my own.

Now that school has started, parents are once more alerted to an educational fact: The ability to be a good reader is key to academic success. Psychologists tell me you can't start reading to your children too early.

But I know that for a fact. I was read to, and in turn, I read to my children who are all good readers today, and take a lot of joy in reading good books.

I have been told even a baby, when he or she is read to, begins to associate those marks on a page with the pleasant experience of being held and hearing a parent's voice. When it comes to the first grade and learning to read, the child has a positive attitude toward reading.

Most great ideas are simple. And reading aloud to your children is a great idea.

Sincerely,  
Jim Leavenworth  
Grand Marais, MI

## INVITATION TO BID

Burt Township School will accept bids for a piano located at the school. Interested bidders may view the piano during business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Bids will be accepted at the Superintendent's office until 3:00 p.m., October 14, 1996. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

## INVITATION TO BID

Burt Township School will accept bids for snow removal for the 1996-97 season. The area to be cleared includes the Colwell Street sidewalk, the entire area south (behind the school) and the entrance to the garage for the school vehicles. Clearing must be completed before 7:00 a.m.

Successful bidder must furnish proof of a minimum of \$100,000 liability insurance. Bid should specify total yearly cost.

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- 1/3 of yearly cost on January 13, 1997
- 1/3 of yearly cost on March 10, 1997

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# "HUNGRY" BUTS & ASSES

JIM

So the "Lizard" may not be lily white or at least that is a possibility according to the "bipartisan" ethics committee investigating our illustrious Speaker of the House. Come on now, you've got to be kidding! It must be a mistake. I mean: could a "good" elephant lie? Could a "Rusty Limbo" endorsed politician be less than perfect? Could the Lizard be less than what he demands of others? The huge donations that GOPAC and the "Progress and Freedom Foundation" have made to Newt's campaign and other projects of his certainly are made with no favors attached. A "family value" elephant would do nothing to soil his exemplary character, the fact that he dumped his first wife and kids and was a little late with alimony payments doesn't make him a hypocrite. This pillar of government is being picked on by the "asses" and the "liberal media" is blowing the whole thing out of proportion. Nothing to worry about "Lizard", as long as this is an elephant controlled congress; hell Rostenkowski avoided prosecution while the "asses" controlled congress; of course he's in jail now.

Staying with the elephants for awhile and their "family values" issue; I wonder if some of you "good" elephants could help me out a little. How can the "family values" party nominate a man who dumped his first wife and kid for president, elect the Lizard as speaker and use Rusty Limbo, twice divorced, as a spokesman? Now I'm not defending the "family values" of the "asses" but it does seem strange to me. I wonder how "Mr. Holy" Ralph Reed rationalizes that? Maybe this is another "liberal press" distortion? Must be!

The "asses" get the award for stupidity and disgusting behavior this time and it goes to "Slick Willie". His nonchalant manner concerning the use of marijuana

on MTV is sad, sickening, ridiculous, inexcusable and undefendable! Regardless how you feel about marijuana and it's use it is illegal! The President of the United States has a responsibility to at least appear to uphold the laws of this country and he failed miserably.

Israel is murdering Palestinians again but that's okay because Israel is our ally and the Palestinians are Muslims. It amazes me that the Jews that have been persecuted so horrendously because of their religion can justify persecuting Muslims for theirs. It does not surprise me that our government sees no comparison between the Jews' actions in Israel and "Sodom Insane's" actions in Iraq. No religious favoritism here!

On the state level I hear that my favorite "rock," "Debbie Stab-in-the-back", is running for congress. She in my opinion is the literal as well as the figurative "dumb ass". For those of you who forgot (I haven't) she is the "intelligent as a rock" Democrat that allowed Adolph Engler to overturn the vote of the people with bipartisan support. She has been trying to live it down ever since; apparently some people have short memories.

On the local scene the candidates' forum went well other than the low attendance. I'm sure that many of the people that were too busy to attend will have plenty of time to complain. I thought that all the candidates did a fine job of expressing their opinion in a positive way and that everyone in attendance heard what the priorities of the candidates were and will be able to make a more intelligent choice this November.

And finally. Sherri hit the big 50 last Saturday. Our two sons, their wives and our three granddaughters were here to help the celebration; Poo, Boo and grandson Hoo were here in spirit. I'm still not smoking, a little less cantankerous and losing weight. Has anyone got a fat free pie they aren't using?

Till next time,  
"Hungry" Jim

## WEDDING BELLS RING

On Saturday, September 14, 1996 Dennis and Kathy Russeau were united in marriage at First Lutheran Church in Grand Marais, MI by Pastor Robert Gardener.

Present were their children Joshua, Sarah, James and Beth. Kathy's parents James and Joanne Kern, Dennis's parents Eugene and Phyllis Russeau. Others present Michael Russeau and Michelle, Edgar and Barbara Pfaff, Judy Reed and Joe Venturato Jr.

The maid of honor was Mary Beth Pfaff. The best man Thomas Reed.

The couple will reside in Clawson MI and plan many more trips to Grand Marais in the future.

Peace is liberty in tranquility  
Cicero

## To whom it may concern:

By Jan Consier

I happen to be the proud owner of a toy miniature poodle whose name is Precious. I usually call her "PR" for short. She is completely adorable and unbelievably smart. "Tuu," who passed away the 10th of September, was especially fond of her and "PR" thought the world of Tuu. Tuu called her "Pea Pod". Nearly every night we visited the Tuu while they spoke sweet nothings to each other. Someone made the remark that "PR" was terribly spoiled. Tuu responded that if she could think of another way to spoil her, she would.

Anyway, the end was coming for Tuu - everyone could see this. So, Betty, Tuu's daughter called "PR" in to see Tuu and "PR" kept rolling her eyes looking at her. We said our good-byes and came

home. "PR" jumped up on her window seat and hung her head and made moaning and groaning noises looking out at the dark. I couldn't stand it and said "come down here with your mother and we will do this together." The floodgates opened and stayed open until after the services.

Tuu and Winston Churchill wrote their own funerals complete with bagpipes etc.. Trish, Betty's sister said, "are you taking 'Pea Pod' to the service". I said I hadn't thought of it. She said if you don't I will. I took her, expecting at the very least howls at the pipes, but nary a sound. It seemed as though she knew this was part of Tuu and behaved like the classy lady Tuu would want her to be. Lucy Pine introduced me to her mother and she said 'You have the best behaved dog I think I have ever seen.' I thanked her and said "She's smart too!" Anyway, this was "PR's" first visit to a church-how many dogs can boast of this? We will always miss you, old friend.

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**"DO THE RIGHT THING"**

By Lee Goewey

"They" say that what you don't know can't hurt you. Josh Billings' 1874 corollary that "It is better to know nothing than to know what ain't so" is perhaps more to the point.

As we come down to the last 30 days before the election, it continues to bemuse me that an electorate which professes to be well over 50% conservative-minded on such things as a balanced budget, the death penalty, term limits, tax reform, cutting the size of government, ending the discrimination inherent in "affirmative action" and dealing effectively with the Social Security and MEDICARE crises is apparently prepared to return to office a man who has lied about and taken the opposite position on all these issues and more.

A large part of the problem is that most of these "conservatives" never read or hear or watch any truly unbiased or conservative reportage or discussion on these issues. All that reaches most of us is filtered by CBS, NBC, ABC, CNN, NPR, Public TV, TIME, NEWSWEEK, U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT and all the other common sources of "news" whose leading luminaries freely admit, as I've previously observed, to have voted 90% for

Clinton and the Democrats in the past.

This being the case, I would commend to your attention the letter to the editor in this issue of the *Gazette* from Steven Hines. I know it's long and full of numbers, but it contains information you need to have in order to be an informed voter in November.

A lot of misinformation and outright lies have been churned out over the last 10+ years concerning Ronald Reagan's economic legacy and more of the same is now being circulated concerning candidate Bob Dole's proposals for healing our financial woes

Please, DO THE RIGHT THING and read Steve's letter; then vote Republican in November. In the meantime, continue to educate yourself on the issues by seeking out sources of information free of the liberal media's bias.

You may agree or disagree with me, but the important thing is to let your elected representatives know what you want from them. Write or call them today: You can make a difference! Contact your public servants at the following addresses and phone numbers:

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**FAMED ADAMS TRAIL -** Three beautifully wooded high parcels ranging from approx. 3 to 4.5 acres on H-58, 10 miles east of Melstrand, with 300' +/- of road frontage. All lines have been marked by a forester and property borders corporation lands to the north for unlimited hunting opportunities. Electric and telephone are available along H-58 which is plowed year round. \$5,900 to \$6,400, terms. #AC-103

**VERY ATTRACTIVE Picturesque Land with Great Location!** Surveyed 2.5 acre building site with full services on corner of Miners Castle Road and H-58, 5 miles northeast of Munising. Full mineral and timber rights are included. This is a choice building tract, very scenic, partially wooded with gently rolling terrain. \$15,000, terms. #AC-104

**NEWLY REMODELED Three Bedroom Chalet** on 12 acres. Beautiful high land with large pines and hardwoods. Ten miles south of Munising in area of nice homes. Offered at \$72,500. #CH-100

**NEWBERRY AND TAHQUAMENON FALLS -** Surveyed 11.5 acres on seasonal road with 496' of road frontage, 15 miles north of Newberry. Beautiful high wooded rolling land near state lands and lakes. Excellent hunting and recreational property. \$6,500 Cash or \$7,000 with terms. #AC-105

**16 MILE LAKE AREA -** Nicely wooded and surveyed 10.08 acres with 333' road frontage on 16 Mile Lake Road, 12 miles S.W. of Munising. Several great building sites among giant white pines. This parcel borders a marsh on the back of the property for a unique wildlife habitat. \$10,000. #AC-108

**PRIME M-28 FRONTAGE -** Surveyed 13.17 acres with 699.36' on M-28, east of Munising. This site is partially cleared, all high land with south facing exposure. An excellent site for motel, truck stop, restaurant or any commercial venture. Property can be split if purchaser does not need entire parcel. \$157,500, terms. #CP-100

**RECENTLY REMODELED 1 1/2 Story 3BR Home,** newly carpeted, on West Onota St. in Munising with many extras. Newly painted exterior and landscaped yard. Offered at \$54,900. #TH-100

**ALECK LAKE LOTS -** Several nice lake lots in the heart of the Hiawatha National Forest 18 miles south of Munising. Near many streams and lakes ideal 2nd home sites. Beg. at \$9,900 with low down payment. #VW-100 **FOUR SOLD - FIVE LEFT**

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**ADAMS TRAIL -** New 24' x 20' Cabin with loft under construction on 3.5 acres and 330' on H-58 near Nevins Lake. Ideal 4-season recreational area. \$25,000. #RC-100

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GRANOLA SERIAL  
 By Jean Mehlenbacher

Well, how are the radiation treatments going, you ask? Just fine, says me. Everyone at the hospital is SO nice. You'd think that perhaps the atmosphere in the patients' lounge might be gloomy but it's not. Just friendly with lots of concern for each other. The staff is great and the treatment itself is only 15 or so minutes long, no strain or pain. Some of us don't even have to put on a hospital gown, we just (pardon the phrase) drop our pants. Not that any of it is dignified but anyone who has had a baby knows that dignity lurks in the hallway when it comes to the nitty gritty.

Son Russ suggested that since we're having this mad whirl in Marquette, I might think about doing comparative reviews of

eating places. So far, it's been Subway, the hospital cafeteria, Bonanza and the Italian Place and N.Y. Deli. Well ... Skip had the best cheese and veggie sub he'd ever had at the Washington St. Subway but I'm sure it was because he finally had the young man add a little mayo. For price, you can't beat Marquette General Hospital and there's always fresh fruit. Skip was bowled over by Bonanza - once you get by the cashier, you can eat all you can, and the NY Deli has great veggie sandwiches. I'm starting at the top and going to work my way down the menu since we'll be munching around the city for a couple more weeks.

I was thinking that rather than restaurants I could do a comparative analysis of hospital tests but I'm not sure that this is appropriate for a family newspaper. However, remembering some of the things Pickle has written, I shouldn't hesitate.

If you compare the amount of time it takes to prepare for a test to the length of time the test itself takes, they seem to average out pretty well. For example, for a CT-scan you have to come up with an empty gastrointestinal tract (I'll skip the details as to how you achieve this) so that they can fill you up with "contrast" - 3 glasses of

"lemonade" at one end and a variety of who-knows-what at the other, and of course, you have to take off all your clothes. However, the scan itself doesn't take very long. On the other hand, getting ready for a bone scan is duck soup. An injection a couple of hours ahead of time, come with your innards full if you wish, and keep your clothes on. But it takes an hour for you to be s-l-o-w-l-y inched past the camera. As I said, it all evens out pretty much.

The test that came out ahead in my book for simplicity was a mini-CT scan with no contrast which meant no pre-scan cocktail and nothing inserted to light things up at the other end. Clothes do get in the way but when I asked if I should put on a hospital gown, Scott said, "No, just drop your pants like you always do." It was all I could do not to retort that I do not "always" drop my pants, but that was because I had had only one treatment at that point. I am getting a lot more practice!

In the meantime, we're having fun going to the movies (loved Fly Away Home), Skip still has not exhausted his Radio Shack or Menards list, and we haven't even started in on the museums. We're trading housecleaning with Kathy in exchange for a place to lay our heads which I hope continues to be a win-win situation!

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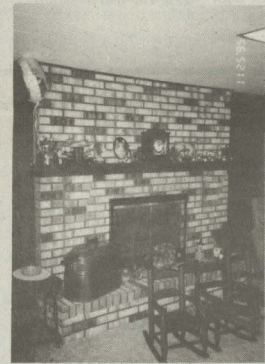
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