

Bolivar Branch Citizens Bank To Hold Open House

The Citizens National Bank of Bolivar will be the scene this Saturday, September 19, of an "Open House" to celebrate the completion of an extensive remodeling project that has been going on for the past several months. The public is cordially invited to attend the event that will take place during the hours from 1 to 5 p. m. at "The Bank on the Corner", 319 Main Street, Bolivar, New York.

Richard Ade, Architect of The Carl C. Ade Architects, Rochester, designed and performed the architectural services and The L. C. Whitford Company of Wellsville were the general contractors.

The remodeled building provides a modern bank facility utilizing the latest designed techniques for customer convenience and banking security. In addition to the redesigned exterior appearance, the main banking floor has been completely remodeled with acoustical ceiling, recessed lighting, new teller stations, and executive officers area, a spacious lobby and night depository facility. The book-keeping department will be equipped with electric accounting machines. A completely private office has been enclosed at the front left of the bank for bank officials to carry on private transactions with their customers, when needed.

In commenting on the completion of the remodeling of the building, **John D. Dunn**, Vice President and Manager of the Bolivar Office, stated: "with the completion of this building program, the public in the Bolivar area will be provided with one of the finest up to date banking facilities to offer complete financial services. Speaking on behalf of the Directors, Advisory Board Members, Officers and the Staff of our institution, I am indeed pleased to announce the formal opening and further dedicate ourselves to further the prosperity and progress of our area."

The former State Bank of Bolivar was consolidated with the Citizens National Bank of Wellsville in June of 1962. The Citizens National Bank maintains other Allegany County locations at Andover, Alfred, Whitesville and Wellsville. The State Bank of Bolivar was organized in 1882 and has provided continuous banking services to the Bolivar area since that date.

The present officers and staff of the Bolivar Office are: Louis B. Dunn, Vice President, Director and Manager; Mrs. Bernice Hitchcock, Assistant Vice President and Stewart B. Irvin, Assistant Cashier. Mrs. Joan Dunning and Mrs. Marguerite Shaner are Teller-Bookkeepers and Mrs. Eve McElroy is Bookkeeper.

The Bolivar Advisory Board Members in Addition to Mr. Dunn are: John C. Bradley, John D. Bradley, Frank Dougherty, Edward F. Mergler, Fred C. Shaner, Forrest J. Wilson and Clarence D. Schaffner.

Mr. Schaffner was named to the Advisory Board in 1964. He is President of the Hahn and Schaffner, Inc., Mayor of the Village of Bolivar and active in community progress.



Ronald Smith, Barney St., is a patient in the Jones Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Pearl Coats was admitted to the St. James Mercy Hospital last week as a medical patient.

Niels Nelson is a patient in the Bethesda Hospital.

Enter College

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Childs, her mother, Mrs. Leona Slocum, accompanied William (Bill) Childs to Ada, Ohio, where Bill entered the Ohio Northern University Sunday. They returned home Tuesday.

Miss Sandra Thorp returned to Sterling College, Sterling, Kansas last Saturday as a sophomore. She was accompanied by her father to Elba, where she met friends en route to Kansas.

Miss Kay D. Bostwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bostwick, Main St., has enrolled as a freshman at Keuka College in Liberal Arts.

Mrs. R. J. Sootheran returned this week after spending a week with her daughter, Miss Beth Sootheran, who entered Trinity University at San Antonio, Texas, as a senior.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Fuller accompanied their daughter, Miss Bonnie Fuller and Miss Ethel Perry to Syracuse Sunday where the two enrolled as freshmen at the Central City Business Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Kearby Hames and son, John accompanied their daughter, Miss Penelope Hames to Syracuse Saturday where she enrolled as a freshman in University of Syracuse.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Harvey accompanied their son, Donald Harvey, who entered the University of Syracuse, enrolled as a freshman, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Karcanes of Yorkshire spent Sunday with family. They returned from Syracuse where their son, John, enrolled as a freshman in the LeMoyne University, Syracuse, Saturday.

Miss Beth Cable registered at the Roberts School of Beauty Culture in Buffalo on Monday, September 14. She will be living at the WYCA Residence, 245 North Street, Buffalo.

Miss Mary Ann McClure, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McClure, has entered the University of Hartford, Hartford, Conn., as a freshman in Liberal Arts.

Mrs. Doris Reil and daughter, Janis were in Potsdam Monday, where Janis enrolled in her sophomore year at the State University College.

Miss Jeanne Campbell, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claire Backus, enrolled as a sophomore this week at Alfred University, Alfred.

Principal and Mrs. James H. Kessler accompanied their daughter, Miss Lee Kessler to Grove City, Pa., Sunday, where she enrolled as a freshman at the Grove City College.

Miss Judy Woodruff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Woodruff returned to State University of New York at Buffalo, enrolled as a sophomore.

Miss Pearl Perry returned Friday to Gordon College of Liberal Arts in Wenham, Mass., for her sophomore year.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lehman (Sylvia Clark) are the parents of a son born Saturday, September 12, 1964 at the Bethesda Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lehman are the paternal grandparents and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clark, Joyce Hill, are the maternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Richard Baker (Doris Barnhart) are the parents of a son, Lee Harry, born Wednesday, September 16, 1964 at the Bethesda Hospital. Harry Baker, First St., is the paternal grandfather and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnhart are the maternal grandparents.

Notice Firemen

All the firemen who can, are invited to go to Cuba, N. Y., on Sunday, September 20th at 1:00 p. m., for a practice session on fighting inside fires and the use of self contained breathing apparatus.

W. V. Woodruff, Chief

News That's Print To Fit

ANDOVER, N. Y.—makes headlines all across the Nation — on the weather map—that is!

In the Wednesday evening edition of the Buffalo Evening News, it stated that: "Thermometers dipped to 24 degrees this morning at the Allegany County community of Andover, making it—unofficially—the coldest spot in the nation."

However, from our standpoint of view, this didn't quite do us justice since according to the boys down to the Pump Station, the recorded low on Wed. A. M., was 22 degrees. Besides, this wasn't the first time this week that it dropped down to that low point since it was down to 22 degrees Sunday morning, also.

Here are the recorded lows and highs since Sunday: Sunday—Low 22; High-65; Monday—Low-25, High 68; Tuesday—Low-37, High 57; Wednesday—Low-22, High-68; Thursday (today)—Low-34, High-74.

This sure is quite a difference from the recorded High's of 90 degrees on both Tuesday the 8th and Thursday the 10th, with the cold front moving into this area sometime Friday followed by Jack Frost's hoary breath that finished just about everything in this area—as far as plant life is concerned.

Oh Well! That's something else that Man hasn't learned to control—besides women! 10-4?

On driving down Route 17 towards Corning last Friday, we noticed that the State Highway Department has come up with some very appropriate warning signs on both sides of the approach to the overhead highway bridge that crosses the railroad, on the other side of Addison.

This has been the focal point of many accidents and is just about on a par with the overhead crossing 2 miles West of Andover towards Wellsville where the latest fatality just occurred less than a month ago.

We know that the Addison Advertiser has waged a strong battle in an effort to have their situation corrected and it appears as if something did some good since there are the huge warning signs in plain view of all approaching motorists.

Perhaps they may have received a little more public support than we have received in our campaign to have sufficient warning signs erected at our "Graveyard Overhead"—so won't some of you readers who actually "do give a tinkers' dam" about this dangerous highway hazard", drop a line to the Editor and express your feelings on this subject.

While still on the subject of Highway Safety—we still haven't seen any more action taken about correcting this dangerous situation as far as the Bridge is concerned at the corner of Rochambeau Ave., and Main St.

We have had several more reports of near accidents at this street junction, with our in-laws having a close shave there just this past week! What in HELL do we have to do to convince these "Hard Heads" that the "Safety First" slogan applies here just as much as anywhere else?

After the first frosts, winter won't be too long in following along—and with it comes snow and ice. Just how long are these people going to keep on tempting fate anyway?

Millions of dollars are being spent everyday in the line of accident prevention—and still here we sit with an accident just waiting to happen—and people are too unconcerned to put enough pressure on to have the situation corrected before disaster strikes!

REMEMBER—that the life that could be saved—might be yours—or just as important—one of your children!

We notice that the street improvement plan is under way

4-H News

The Elm Valley Pokes held their first meeting of the new 4-H year at the home of their leader, Leona Glover, Saturday, Sept. 12th. This was a business meeting and the following officers were elected:

President, Elaine Burch
1st Vice President, Betty Burch
2nd Vice President, Nancy Burch
Secretary, Cindy Preston
Treasurer and News Reporter, Dorothea Glover
Song Leader, Marie-Wahl
Nine old members and three new members were enrolled.

We voted to send our leaders to the training lesson "Start & Go" at Belmont, Sept. 18. We also voted to take part in the 4-H Fire Inspection Program. We planned our program for the following year.

We are going to start our cooking lessons with the older girls having their first lesson Sat. Sept. 19, at the home of our leader, Leona Glover from 1 to 4 p. m.

Our club sent Dorothea Glover to Cornell University to the New York State 4-H Club Congress from June 24 - 26. Eight girls and seven boys attended from Allegany County. Dorothea reported a very nice, interesting and educational trip, she wishes to thank the club and 4-H agents, Lawrence Dedrick, Hugh Wightman and Roberta Baker for making it possible for her to attend. Dorothea Glover, Newsreporter

Scout News

The first monthly committee meeting of the 1964-65 Cub Scout Pack No. 77, will be held in the Masonic Temple in Andover, Thursday, September 24th at 7:30 p. m. It is requested all Committeemen, Den Mothers and interested parties attend.

Robert C. Ennis, Committee Chairman

Jack Collins County Red Cross Fund Chairman

Red Cross today announced the appointment of Jack Collins, of Elm Valley, as County Fall Fund Campaign Chairman. He will serve his third consecutive year as the Chapter's Fund Chairman in the 1965-66 campaign.

An employee of the New York Telephone Company, Mr. Collins is a 4-gallon blood donor and a recipient of a Red Cross First Aid certificate. He is past-president of Little League and has served as production manager for the Lion's Club Minstrel Show in recent years.

The drive scheduled for October 1 to 15 has requirements amounting to \$16,851 including the blood program now in danger of suspension.

"Unless our quota is reached in this campaign", Mr. Collins said, "we shall have to eliminate one of our most vital services, the blood program". Budget requirements for the blood program alone are \$4,329.

Various towns and villages thru out the county are now being canvassed by the chairman for area fund chairmen. Only territories outside United Fund or Community Chest drive will be included in the Fall Drive.

List of Delinquent Tax Properties Being Prepared

Belmont—The Allegany County Treasurer, Edgar C. Dillie, has announced that his office is preparing the list of 1964 delinquent taxes for the purpose of advertising a tax sale to be conducted December 3, 1964.

Property owners who may wish to pay their taxes before advertising costs are added should make remittance to the County Treasurer's Office before October 2, 1964, Mr. Dillie advised.

since Railroad Avenue already has been given the treatment, with the others to follow very shortly according to our reports.

New Fishing Regulations Effective Oct. 1st

New fishing regulations designed to protect rainbow trout populations in eight central New York lakes become effective October 1, the Conservation Department has announced.

Under the new regulations, all brook, brown and rainbow trout taken from Canadice, Canandaigua, Cayuga, Hemlock, Keuka, Owasco, Seneca and Skaneateles Lakes must be at least 12 inches long. In addition: an aggregate catch limit is established at three trout per person per day. Both changes pertain to the main waters of the lakes as well as their tributaries upstream to the first waterfall impassable by fish.

According to the Conservation Department, many young rainbows are being taken from the streams leading to the lakes before the fish migrate to deep water where they can grow rapidly.

Normally, rainbow trout stay in the streams where they were spawned for one to two years before heading to the lakes. By raising the minimum size limit, more young trout will have a chance to enter the lakes where they can grow up to lunker size, the Department said.

Excepted under the new regulations are Keuka and Owasco Lake Inlets where a seven inch minimum size will remain in effect.

Reading Conference And Film Discussed By ACTA

At its monthly meeting, held in Fillmore Monday night, the Allegany County Teachers Association was informed of progress in the planning of a Reading Conference to be held at Wellsville Central School on October 19th.

Featured speaker will be Dr. Walter Crewson, Associate Commissioner of Education for New York State and Dr. Edna Margan, State Reading Coordinator for grades Kindergarten through 12. The Association has arranged for twenty-five other reading experts from the State Education Department and colleges and Universities in New York State to attend the conference and assist in small group meetings during the day.

The delegates voted to assess all of the members of the association to pay for this conference.

The Allegany County Film Library, it was reported, has been joined by seven schools this year, making a total of twelve member schools who jointly own 500 different educational films for use in classroom teaching.

The election of delegates from the supervisory district to the New York State Teachers Association House of Delegates was discussed and teachers will vote in their own school district on September 28, 1964.

Miss Doris Church and Mrs. Rose M. Burger represented Andover Central School at the County Teachers Meetings.

Home Demonstration

Elm Valley Unit
The Elm Valley Home Demonstration will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard Burdick, Tuesday, Sept. 22nd at 10:30 A. M. for lesson I on "Interior Design". Tureen dinner at 12:30. Bring table service and a dish to pass.

Masonic Notice

The First Regular Meeting of the Fall Season of Andover Lodge No. 558 F. & A. M., will be held Monday evening, Sept. 21st at 8 o'clock p. m. Come out to this meeting and help to start the season off with a good attendance. All Master Masons welcome. Refreshments.