

"Inside The State Capital"

By James L. Emery

At the end of last week (Oct. 8) Governor Carey and his fiscal wizards came up with their latest scare and confuse tactics by declaring that the state could end the year with a deficit, no less. I am frankly astounded that State Comptroller Arthur Levitt would go along with such nonsense, but let's take a look at some other facts in relation to our state's finances.

Figures which became available not long before this latest revelation by the Carey Administration showed our state's revenues ahead of projected estimates by 9 or 10 per cent, and the most dramatic showing is with the Corporate Franchise Tax which is up some 75 per cent. Of course, a good share of that increase was predictable because of the staggering new business taxes imposed by the Legislature in December of 1975, despite the bitter objections of many of us in the Minority Party in upstate areas.

It is interesting to note that a recent poll taken by the news media in upstate areas showed nearly 80 per cent of the people feel that it's time for a tax break for business and industry in the state. This would act as an incentive for that business to remain in this state for new firms to locate here. If Governor Carey and Commerce Commissioner Dyson are really serious and sincere in all of their talk, they ought to come back to the Legislature and ask it to pass the business and industrial tax incentive program which was proposed earlier in the year by the Republican Minority of the Assembly, a program which has already passed the State Senate. This program, incidentally, also gives certain tax breaks to individual taxpayers when the state revenues reached the point they are now at.

There is no reason to leave this money in Albany with state government to be spent on programs which we can ill-afford at this time. We must trigger that money back into the economy so that we can help generate business in this state and thus indicate to the commercial world that "we want you to stay and thrive in this state". It is increasingly evident that Governor Carey is using every trick & means at his disposal to keep these extra monies in the state coffers instead of returning them to the taxpayers. Thus every time there is an indication of a slight surplus in state revenues, the "executive press release machines" begin to churn with announcements that there is a "deficit" here or there to absorb the money.

The recent revelation by the Governor that welfare costs in the state are draining funds and causing another "fiscal crisis" was hardly a new fact. Many of us in the Legislature predicted months ago that this would happen and that is why we have urged Governor Carey to call a special session of the Legislature now to deal with two problems — (1) the economic problems of this state which certainly would include tax breaks for business and industry as well as individuals and (2) the welfare and Medicaid mess with an eye to curtailing some of these programs so that we do not run into a deficit situation and do not utilize the surplus monies in those programs.

One of the things of which I am most cautious and suspicious is that every time the state sees a little daylight in its revenues and a slight surplus develops, the Governor finds every conceivable way possible to channel that money down to New York City as he did under the guise of "court reform" earlier this year. You should be aware that the very next day after the Legislature, in special session in August, passed the financial takeover of local court costs around the state, including New York City, the city officials went to the federal government and used that bill as collateral to renew their notes.

Miss Karen Sampson and Sylvester Cox, Jr., were united in marriage September 25 at the American Legion Hall in Greenwood under an arbor covered with yellow chrysanthemums. The Rev. Richard Warriner of the RLDS Church, performed the double ring ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Sampson of Niagara Falls, N. Y., and the groom is the son of Mrs. Sylvester Cox, Sr., of Niagara Falls.

The bride wore a floor-length beige, long-sleeved, high necked gown of batise over satin. She wore a beige garden hat with beige streamers and a corsage of red roses. Mr. and Mrs. Tom York of Rochester, N. Y., were the attendants.

The Matron-of-Honor wore a full length, A-Line printed dress. Her white garden hat was trimmed with pale green streamers. She wore a corsage of pink roses.

A buffet dinner for approximately 150 guests was served immediately following the ceremony. The hall was decorated in a theme of pale green and beige. The three-tiered wedding cake, made by Mrs. Harlie Herrick, was with cupids and a bubbling fountain bride and matron-of-honor served the cake. Miss Elizabeth Vance and Miss Pamela Heckman, cousins of the bride, served the punch.

Dancing followed the buffet dinner. The band "Montana Rolls" was under the direction of Tommy York.

Out-of-town guests attended from Niagara Falls, Rochester, Pultney, Hammondsport, Prattsburg, Hornell, Almond, Wellsville, Canisteo, Andover, Rexville, Greenwood and Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Cox is a graduate of Niagara Falls Senior High School. Mr. Cox graduated from Niagara Falls Senior High School and is employed as a machine operator at Carborundum Corp., Niagara Falls. After a wedding trip to the Thousand Islands, the couple will live at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Sheldon Atherton, Greenwood PFA Advisor and Prattburg PFA Advisor Gerald Reed, took an PFA Judging Team of four from Jasper, Troupsburg and Prattburg, to the recent All American Dairy Show in Harrisburg, Pa. The team took first place honors for Jersey

I predicted at the time we passed this court financing bill that it was a charade and said that this would not help upstate areas at all. It was another gimmick for the state to assume more costs from the City of New York. I think it's time for the Governor and his administration to stop playing this kind of game and to stop shifting the burden from one area to another.

Furthermore, a recent Senate Finance Committee Study revealed that part of the state's welfare deficit — at least \$70 million of it — was due to a speedup of claims to the state filed by New York City and another \$35 million was attributed to the failure of the Carey Administration to implement \$100 million in Medicaid and welfare costs approved by the Legislature last spring. In light of this, I think there must be a very hard line taken by the Legislature in indicating to the Governor that when we pass something we want it implemented.

It must be pointed out that, time and time again, advanced money to speed-up payments have been made from the state to the City of New York since Governor Carey took over in 1975, but never once has this been done for upstate areas. The several times in which the Republican Minority of the Assembly has attempted to pass legislation to make this possible for upstate areas, it has been defeated, not only by the New York State Democrat legislators, but by upstate Democrat Assemblymen who have betrayed their own constituents in such moves.

GREENWOOD NEWS

Grace Young, Reporter

Judging; Third for Ayshire and Third for Holtsein.

Remember the Parent-Teacher-Student Organization and Scholarship Fall-Festival Ham and Turkey Dinner at the Central School, Saturday night, October 16.

The date for the School Fair has been set for October 29 — 1:00 to 9:00 P. M., with exhibits and game booths.

The Senior Class and Advisors left Saturday for their trip to Boston, Mass. Glenn Stephens drove the bus.

Coming Church events, A Good News Crusade, October 21 - 24 at the Greenwood and Andover United Methodist Churches with singer, Evangelist Rev. James Davis. The guest evangelist is founder-director of the boys Jim (Jesus Is Mine) Club of America at Bemus Point on Chautauqua Lake. For the past 30 years he has been in churches all over the nation with his program of music, magic and message which consists of solo singing with stereo orchestral accompaniments. He is also a trumpeter.

Mr. Davis is a graduate of Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, and of the University of Southern California and Seminary. He uses the mystery and bafflement of magic to capture the attention of both young and adults alike. He uses this medium to illustrate to his listeners moral and spiritual lessons of lasting worth. You will not want to miss these services. Pastor Albaugh has been acquainted with the ministry of Rev. Davis since he himself began his ministry twenty years ago. He is highly recommended to all our families with children and youth, but his program of preaching and singing is for all ages.

His services in both churches are as follows: Andover, Thursday October 21 at 7:30; Saturday, October 23 at 7:30 (followed by punch and cookies); Sunday, Oct. 24 at 11:00 A. M., followed by a fellowship dinner for everyone. A tureen to share and table service beverage furnished.

Greenwood — Friday October 22 at 7:30; Sunday, October 24 at 9:45 A. M. special appeal for the Greenwood children, also Sunday, Oct. 24 at 7:30 P. M., followed by fellowship and refreshments.

Mrs. Daniel Redmond, Olean District Treasurer of United Methodist Women attended a Retreat Conference, Monday through Wednesday at Silver Lake for UMW District Officers.

The Young Hickory Baptist Church is having special meetings every night, October 19 - 24 at 7:30 P. M. The evangelist is Rev. Cobb who has a great program for all ages. The area Baptist Churches will take part and they will help bring special music. The meetings are aimed to bring revival to the Young Hickory area. Also to build the church in member and spiritually.

Pastor Norman Schlegel, Jr., has been in charge of the church for three months. He is teaching released time to the sixth grade at Troupsburg Central School and is also a bus driver there. He taught at American Christian Church in Olean, N. Y. He has pastored several other small rural churches and has worked as a missionary with the Indians and Negroes.

Services at the church are held Sunday — Sunday School at 10:00 A. M.; Worship at 11:00; Evening Services at 7:30; also Thursday evening 7:30 Prayer Service. If you can't come to one service, come at another time and take part in the church.

The Senior Citizens met Wednesday Noon at the United Methodist Church. Dinner was served to 41 by hostesses: Jennie White, Grace Woodworth, Permella White and Mamie Coleman. Invocation was given by Virgil Hussey and dinner was taken out to Francis Acker. President Myra Campbell was in charge of the meeting. She was asked by the Central School to have 14 Senior Citizens for judges for the Annual Grade Halloween Parade at School at 11:15 on October 29. Myra reported on her trip with the Woodhull Senior Citizens and Helen Russell on a DA trip to New England. Readings

were given by Rita Brown, Grace Young, Margaret Postell, Irene Zeltwanger. The sick were reported and a moment of silent prayer for Catherine Hendy.

Mrs. Elizabeth Canty of Belmont came Friday and took her mother, Mrs. Hilda McDobough to the Mall at Horseheads for shopping and dinner.

Cafeteria Menus at Greenwood Central School for the week of October 18 - 22 are:

MONDAY—Chicken with Gravy on Biscuits, Buttered Green Beans, Rolls, Fruit, choc or white Milk

TUESDAY — Juice, Hamburg with Roll, French Fries, Cabbage Salad, choc or white Milk

WEDNESDAY: Soup, Submarines, Raisin & Peanut Cups, Cake choc or white Milk

THURSDAY — Spanish Rice, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Buttered Carrots, Fruit, choc or white Milk

FRIDAY — Macaroni & Cheese, Stewed Tomatoes, Egg Salad Sandwich, Fruit, choc or white Milk

Monday the boys Varsity Soccer Team lost to Canaseraga 1 - 0. Tom Babcock made 9 saves; Greenwood outshot the winners 31 - 27. Wednesday, the Varsity boys played Troupsburg to a 3 - 3 tie. Kevin Moore made a goal in the first period; Mike Holt made a goal in the second period, and Greenwood scored on a team goal in the 4th quarter.

Tuesday afternoon the girls soccer scored a 2 - 2 tie with Addison. Cindy Dytche scored a goal and the teams ended deadlocked after two overtime periods. Thursday Greenwood won over Troupsburg 2 - 0. Peg Hancock's unassisted goal in the 6th period broke a scoreless tie and gave the only score in the game. Shell Simontini made four saves in the net for Greenwood.

Girls Soccer goes to Jasper, Oct. 18 and Varsity Boys at Airport Girls Soccer goes to Campbell, Oct. 19 and JV Boys at Jasper; Oct. 20 Cochoctoa comes here to play Boys Varsity; Oct. 21 Girls Soccer, here, Canisteo; and Boys Varsity at Jasper.

Mrs. Redmond Cochrane of Tonawanda, was a weekend guest of Mr and Mrs. Daniel Redmond of West Greenwood.

Monday, the people on the 2nd floor of the Hornell Nursing Home who had birthdays in October were taken to The Big Elms for lunch. Mrs. Blanche Wallace of Greenwood, was one of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown of Kenmore, called on Miss Grace Young Monday afternoon. He was a former Greenwood resident and she was Edna Morse, a former teacher in the Union School. They wish to be remembered to friends here.

Mr. Gene Hendy of Lookout Mountain, Ga., spent Monday with his mother, Mrs. Catherine Hendy at Bethesda Community Hospital.

Charles Rockett of San Diego California, came Tuesday to visit Mrs. Grace Woodworth who looked after him for 5 1/2 years when he was a child. His mother, Mrs. Catherine Rockett, taught a grade at Greenwood Central School, Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Rauber and son, Timothy of Wayland, came and brought a birthday supper for her mother whose birthday is Monday.

Mrs. Howard Siernag went to Wellsville, Wednesday and took Clarence Webster, who had been a patient at Jones Memorial Hospital since Saturday to his home at Ellisburg, Pa.

Mrs. Richard Willover of Attica, Mrs. Dudley Box of Erwin and Mrs. Larry Willover of Painted Post spent Wednesday with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Willard.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur May and daughters of Coeclawaga were Saturday night and Sunday guests of their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. David Mays and two children of Buffalo came Sunday afternoon and spent Monday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzpatrick



40 YEARS AGO

August 14, 1936

Claire C. Backus, Editor

The 60th Harvest Home will be held on the Church Lawn, August 20, with Mrs. Ila Snyder and Mrs. Sara Harder Co-Chairmen. Mrs. Will succeed Mrs. Arling Baker, who faithfully served as Chairman for 20 years. The young people will revive, this year, what has fallen by the wayside, "Home-made Ice Cream". The American Legion Band, under the direction of A. L. Stone, will furnish the music during the dinner which will be the famous Calceon Pie. The Rev. Eric Chisholm will be the guest speaker.

The Andover Boy Scout Troop No. 42, left Andover Monday, August 10, on the truck of Don Kemp for Cuba Lake for their summer camp. Roger Tuttle will be in camp with the boys. The following boys are at camp: Charles Burgett, Kenneth Gath, Donald Oakes, Donald Hardy, Richard McAndrew, Donald Emory, "Bud" Dolan, Clyde Briggs, John Howland, Leo Nobles, Charles Gath, and George Joyce. The camp is under the leadership of Dronoskiel, Croyle and Tuttle.

Cecil Hoagland of Canandice, N. Y., and Miss Doris Euger of Buffalo, were married August 9 by the Rev. A. D. Shepard.

Miss Catherine R. Killegrew of Corning, has been engaged by the Board of Education as French and Latin teacher in Andover High School to fill the vacancy in the teaching staff caused by the resignation of Miss Gretchen Trenkle who has accepted a similar position in the Olean School.

Fay E. Boyd, County American Legion Commander, will head the Health Camp Committee in Andover in the drive to raise funds to clean-up the camp's present indebtedness and place it in a position to take care of the increasing number of children asking for admission each year.

Chester K. Mason died August 6 at Bath after a long illness. He was born in Fremont where his early life was passed and was awarded the Golden Sheaf in recognition of 60 years as a Grange Member there. Twenty-five years ago he moved to Bath where he served as Clerk in the Sheriff's Office. Mr. Mason will be remembered in Andover as an uncle of Miss Mary White.

Mrs. Bridget Gavin Doran, wife of the late Bernard Doran, died at her home in Friendship, August 4 at the age of 82. Most of her life was passed in Andover where she was born, January 14, 1854 a daughter of James and Mary Gavin. Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Katherine Hart of Buffalo, Mrs. Nora Barrett of Corning, and Miss Rose Doran of Friendship; five sons, Frank of Poughkeepsie, Raymond of Friendship, Thomas and William of Rochester, and James of Pittsburgh, Pa.; brothers, Anthony Gavin of Fort Wayne, Ind., and Michael Gavin of Andover; four sisters, Mrs. Mary Murphy of Johnstown, Pa., Mrs. Kate O'Leary of Sugar Grove, Ohio, Mrs. Ellen Dougherty and Mrs. Sara Guinn of Andover. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery, Belmont.

The Robinson Reunion was held at the Rodney Robinson Cabin on Dyke Creek, August 12. Officers for next year are: President, Carl Childs; Historian, Rodney Robinson; Secretary and Treasurer, Ruth Robinson. The Reunion next year will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Childs.

As Next Thursday is Harvest Home, the Editor of The Andover News would like all advertising and correspondence to be at the office 1 day early so we can get ready for it.

The Annual Home Bureau Picnic will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Burdick, August 18. Mrs. James Lynch will give the lesson on "Flour".

Mrs. Sara Adams died at her home on Priday Hill in Wellsville Township August 11. She was born in Andover April 14, 1865, a daughter of Chauncey and Martha Houghtaling Deming. In 1882 she married Homer Adams who was

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