



New bank is opened at Pine Island

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. John S. Felczak, pastor of St. Stanislaus Roman Catholic Church, Pine Island, cuts ribbon Saturday to open the Pine Island branch of the National Bank of Orange and Ulster Coun-

ties. The branch, one of three, will have two employees. The main office is in Goshen, and the other branches are in Woodstock and Rosendale.—TH-Record photo by Malcolm A. Booth.

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Community dump plans advance

The Pine Island Chamber of Commerce has moved closer to establishing a community dump. It appointed committees to investigate dump sites and to survey opinions on a community dump. The chamber met Monday night in Stanley's Inn. The chamber also appointed a committee to investigate marking hazardous highway sections with signs, markers, and reflectors. Two trouble spots are the Pine Island Turnpike and the Mission Lands Rd.

Sylvester Krasniewicz, public relations chairman, said total chamber memberships 90, chamber president Francis A. Roy said the chamber's purpose is to bring civic improvement to Pine Island. The chamber also passed a resolution commending the Pulaski Fire Co. for its community services and extended chamber congratulations for the company's 25th anniversary. The next chamber meeting will be May 8 at 8 p.m. in the Polish Legion of American Veterans Hall.

Pine Island Chamber To Ask School Delay

PINE ISLAND — The Pine Island Chamber of Commerce has also come out in favor of a postponement of the Dec. 12 referendum on the \$1.1 million addition to the junior-senior high school at Warwick. The action took place at a meeting of the group Monday. The chamber is the second group to petition the Warwick Valley Central School Board of Education for such a postponement; the Warwick Taxpayers Association is circulating petitions requesting postponement. The Board of Education on Monday formally resolved to advertise the referendum vote for Dec. 12.

Chamber members unanimously directed secretary Sylvester Krasniewicz to write a letter to the board requesting a temporary postponement. No time period is to be stipulated. The Warwick Taxpayers Association is asking postponement until Jan. 12.

The chamber also directed Alfred Roy, chairman of the Street Lighting Committee, to begin circulating petitions this week asking permission to establish a lighting district. The boundaries will be the area of the Pine Island Fire District, the street lights to be at each populous area and street and road junction. The cost would be borne by Pine Island residents.

A nominating committee also named six men as candidates for four posts as directors for three year terms. They were Stanley Schultz, Clayton Ochs, Edward Petrak, T. Souček, Albert Daus, and Edward Gerszak. The balloting will be by return postcard, and is to be done at the Dec. 11 meeting. The directors will choose a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer from among their membership.

An installation dinner will be held during January.

The chamber also directed that a letter be sent to the Warwick Town Board requesting that voting machines be used in the district in the next election, rather than one as on Nov. 7. It was noted that many persons had to stand in line for long periods in order to vote.

Pine Island Chamber Working For Dump, Street Lights, Signs

PINE ISLAND — The dump committee of the Pine Island Chamber of Commerce is still looking for available dump sites, according to a report made at the Chamber meeting Monday night. This committee is headed by Jacob H. Feagles.

Henry Langitz announced that he is establishing a garbage collection service which he feels will solve the area garbage problem.

President Francis Roy presided at the meeting in the Pulaski Fire Company meeting rooms. Following approval of the minutes of the previous meeting read by Secretary Fred Wilcox and a financial report by Treasurer Joseph Pinczontka, committee reports were heard.

The street lighting committee report was given by Sylvester Krasniewicz who stated that a street lighting section was prepared by Orange & Rockland Utilities engineers for Pine Island proper and that an opinion is being awaited from the Town Attorney as to the legal basis for establishing a lighting district in the community.

The sign committee headed by George Gurda Sr., reported that an answer was being awaited from the Warwick Town Board on a letter requesting signs for the approaches to Pine Island.

It was voted to send representatives to the Regional Chamber of Commerce meeting at Goshen on June 13th. In this respect, a formal resolution was adopted that the Pine Island Chamber of Commerce go on record as opposing the jetport in the Pine Island area. A committee consisting of Vincent DeRosa, Sylvester Krasniewicz and Stanley Gurda was delegated to draw up a letter setting forth the reasons for objecting to establishing a jetport and to delay voting on a resolution for the jetport as set forth by the Regional Chamber of Commerce for further study.

John Brozowski, a member of the Town of Warwick Planning Board, explained with the aid of a large map the proposed new zoning ordinance and urged the members to voice their opinions at a hearing to be held in the Warwick Valley High School auditorium on Thursday, June 15.

The next meeting of the chamber will be held at the Polish Legion of American Veterans Hall on July 17.



NEW STREET LIGHT — Kenneth Mullins of Pine Island observes new street light near St. Stanislaus Church, Pine Island. Sixty-five new street lights will be installed in Pine Island, Little York, Little Brooklyn and Edenville areas.



Lines waiting at opening of Jolly Onion Inn.

Inn opened at pine island

PINE ISLAND Orange County's newest restaurant, the Jolly Onion Inn, opened in Pine Island Wednesday. By six p.m. there was a line-up of people waiting to be seated.

The Onion Inn is part of a new building in the heart of Pine Island housing the community post-

office, a service station for trucks and accommodations for truckmen engaged in the transportation of produce from the black dirt area.

Mrs. Kosuga and Mrs. Walter Seeley of Edenville. Among guests for the opening were Mr. and Mrs. Michael Myslinski of Pulaski Highway who

A JOB WELL DONE

Hats off to the Pine Island Chamber of Commerce for the wonderful job they did in planning and executing the "Black Dirt Tour," and the Harvest Barbecue this past weekend. We have heard much comment from people who were on the tour, not native to this region, who were quite amazed at both the fertility of the land and the modern methods used in harvesting the crops. It certainly is a tribute to those who turned this swamp into the productive rich farmland it now is.

An out-of-state tour member hardly could believe it, when told that this was the area under discussion as a possible jetport site.

His comment: "A jetport here? For Shame!"