

## 3 Weekly Newspapers Consolidated

Gilbertsville — Three weekly newspapers serving areas of Otsego and Chenango counties have been consolidated into a single publication.

Starting this week, the Otsego Journal of Gilbertsville, the South New Berlin Bee and the Morris Chronicle emerged as the Otsego-Chenango Bee-Journal-Chronicle.

"The decision to consolidate . . . was reached after a careful study of all the factors involved and in the firm belief that it will be possible to provide a better newspaper for each of the communities represented, including Mount Upton," said John A. Bacon, editor and publisher.

The new format calls for a weekly newspaper with slightly larger pages, printed by the offset process, he explained.

## The Morris Chronicle consolidated



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