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CELEBRATION OF 70TH YEAR OF CIVIL SERVICE STARTS; EMPLOYEE SKILLS STRESSED

ALBANY, May 4—A luncheon meeting of a special committee for planning the 70th anniversary celebration of the passage of the Civil Service Law was held in the headquarters of the Civil Service Employees Association.

Representatives from the groups were as follows: Morgan Strong, Conference of Mayors; James Sul-

livan, Albany chapter of the Civil Service Assembly; Mary O'Connor, Business and Professional Women's Club; Mrs. Morris Schaefer, League of Women Voters; Helen Drummond, Civil Service Reform Association, NYC; Harold G. Winckless, Capital District Conference of the CSEA, Philip Hagerty and Robert Quinn, Civil Service Department; Foster Pot-

ter, chairman, public relations committee of the CSEA; Philip Kerker, director of public relations, CSEA.

Dinner on May 25

The final arrangements for the anniversary dinner to be held at the Aurania Club on May 25 were made. Tickets are now on sale.

Speakers at the dinner will be Bernard L. Gladieux, assistant to

the director of the Ford Foundation; Gerald H. Salisbury, managing editor of the "Knickerbocker News"; and Winston W. Paul, chairman of the executive committee, National Civil Service League.

Mr. Salisbury is a widely known newspaper man, and at present is director of the Associated Press Managing Editors Association, and also a member of the American Society of Newspaper Editors. He is also widely known as the chairman of the Freedom Train Commission in 1948, and which, will 1950, displayed historic documents of New York State and the United States before some million people.

He is former editor of "The Saratogian," Saratoga Springs, and has been associated with the Rochester "Times-Union" and the Syracuse "Herald." Governor Dewey has appointed him several times to serve on citizen committees.

Library Exhibit

An exhibit in commemoration of the anniversary will open at the State Library, Albany, this week and continue for the month. The theme is the development of the Civil Service Law. The documentary material was gathered from the Library, the CSEA, Cornell University, and the Civil Service Commission.

There is a full display of the early activities of citizen organizations as far back as 1877 when the several citizen groups were agitating for the passage of a Civil Service Law, developing chronologically to the present. Current documents, such as the publications of the Civil Service Employees Association, copies of the Civil Service Leader, and booklets of

the Civil Service Reform Association, and the other groups, will be shown.

Creative Skills Dramatized
Another feature will show creative work of contemporary civil service employees. Woodworking, ceramics, photography, playwriting, musical scores, short stories and novels will be a part of this exhibit.

An outstanding feature will be a display of 6,000 miniature soldiers symbolizing the coronation parade which will take place in London on June 2, and also other incidents in the development of the British Empire. These soldiers, artistically molded figurines, are part of a vast collection made by John V. Fox, a member of the Association and an employee of the Division of the Budget in Albany. This particular collection will be featured in special articles and other programs.

The creative work of the contemporary civil servants is part of the CSEA program to encourage profitable leisure-time activities.

Radio Programs

A series of five radio programs during May has been arranged over Albany stations. The first was on May 1, over WKKW. The other dates: May 11, WROW; May 14, WKKW; May 15, WTRY, and May 20, WPTR.

Governor Dewey designated today as Civil Service Day in New York State.

In a proclamation he said: "Our Civil Service Law has achieved its Biblical maturity and it is fitting that we should not only commemorate the anniversary but also consider seriously the methods by which it can be made still better in the years to come."

McFarland Asks Dewey To Put Reallocation Fund On Special Session Agenda

ALBANY, May 4—Jesse B. McFarland, president of the Civil Service Employees Association, stated today that the Association has urged upon Governor Thomas E. Dewey that he include on the agenda of the special session of the Legislature, which it is reported will be called shortly, the appropriation of sufficient funds to permit upward adjustment of

State salaries during the current fiscal year.

"The Association has placed before the Governor and the Legis-

5 Appointed By Dewey

ALBANY, May 4 — Governor Dewey has made the following appointments to State jurisdictions: Edmund H. Lewis of Skaneateles, Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals.

John Van Voohis of Irondequoit, Associate Judge of the State Court of Appeals.

Kenneth M. Ingison of East Williamston, member of the Board of Visitors, Newark State School.

W. Hugh Peal of NYC, Commissioner on the Commission on Uniform State Laws.

George C. Balst of Rochester, member of the State Fire Advisory Board in the Division of Safety.

lature during the past inflationary years the facts as to economic changes which have left the State worker at a serious disadvantage with citizens generally in maintaining a fair standard of living," said Mr. McFarland.

"At the past session of the Legislature no action was taken to correct the salary situation, and without action at the special session there can be no relief until April, 1954. The Civil Service Department, following a salary study, recognized and recommended upward salary adjustment.

"We believe it is wholly unfair to balance the budget at the expense of the civil servant.

"We believe that the civil service employees should be compensated on at least same basis as their fellow-workers in private employment. To ask them to work year after year at a substandard salary is not only unfair but an invitation to competent workers to avoid public service and thus to risk waste and inefficiency in government."

Dietitians Are Raised Two Grades

ALBANY, May 4 — Dietitians and senior dietitians in State institutions have just received a pay boost.

Division of the Budget has approved recommendations from the Department of Civil Service's Division of Classification and Compensation for a two-grade upward reclassification.

Dietitians, formerly Grade 7, \$2,931 to \$3,731 become Grade 9, \$3,251 to \$4,025.

Senior dietitians go from Grade 10, \$3,411-\$4,212, Grade 12, \$3,731 to \$4,532.

There are 30 positions as dietitian and 16 as senior dietitian. Not all are filled.

The closing date of an exam for filling the vacancies, scheduled to close Wednesday, May 8, has been extended to May 15. The exam date is June 13.

Association Art Show Committee to Meet

ALBANY, May 4 — The special art show committee of the Civil Service Employees Association will meet on May 7 at 8 Elk Street, Albany, to plan the third annual art show of the Association for the fall. Joseph Rothman will be

chairman. The other committee members are Margaret Mahoney, Margaret Ciccolella, Helen Leahy, Robert Wheeler, Angelo De Sousa, Vincent J. Popolizio, Herbert J. Steinke, Charlotte Osgood, Edwin Becker, Matthew Lo Russo and William Siegal.

Second Television Show

ALBANY, May 4—On Monday May 18 the Civil Service Employees Association will have another television show over WRGB in Schenectady from 11 to 11:30 A.M. The show will be a panel discussion on "Good Citizenship—The Enemy of Bad Government". The theme will be "What can the community do to foster good government?"

The program will be moderated by Arvis Chalmers, legislative correspondent of the Gannett News Service, and special reporter for the "Knickerbocker News" of Al-

bany. The panel members will be the Rev. Wallace T. Viets, pastor of the Calvary Methodist Church, Albany; Herbert Smith, assistant principal of the Columbia High School, East Greenbush; William J. Murray, administrative director, State Department of Civil Service; and Mrs. John Rex of Delmar, representing the League of Women Voters.

This is the second television show which the Association has had commemorating the 70th anniversary of the passage of the Civil Service Law.

J. Edgar Hoover Features New Issue of 'CHILDREN'S TIMES'

A little known story about the youth of J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, highlights the second issue of CHILDREN'S TIMES, new nationwide newspaper for children from 5 to 12.

In its feature, "Little Stories about Famous Men," the story is titled "The Boy Who Couldn't Make the Football Team." Here is the story:

"I'm sorry, Ed, but you're too small for the team." These words were spoken by a school football coach. They left a schoolboy feeling pretty sad.

More than anything, the boy wanted to play football. But he decided to help his school in some other way. He joined the school cadet corps and learned to march and handle guns. He was so well liked and such a good student that his classmates elected him "outstanding student" of his class.

Little Ed grew up to be big — more than six feet tall. He has helped keep America safe by outsmarting and capturing our nation's dangerous bad men and enemies.

The boy who couldn't make the football team is now the head of all of the G-Men. He is the director of the F.B.I. — J. Edgar Hoover.

CHILDREN'S TIMES, which has been hailed by such national leaders as Governor Theodore McKeldin of Maryland and Senator Estes Kefauver of Tennessee, is on sale on all newsstands throughout the State at 10 cent a copy. Turn to back page for more news about it.



Dr. N. D. C. Lewis, senior director of Psychiatric Institute, presents fellow-employees' farewell gifts to Marquerite Vaughan, senior occupational therapist, who is retiring from State service.

State Decision Broadens Competitive Principle

ALBANY, May 4 — While the NYC Board of Education is fully justified in appointing junior high school principals non-competitively, it must fill jobs, under existing law, of administrative assistant in high schools, assistant administrative director, and junior principal in elementary schools through competitive examination. So the State Department of Education ruled, in an opinion written by Charles A. Brind, Jr., counsel.

Both the Board of Education and its Board of Examiners previously treated all four positions as being in the noncompetitive class. The opinion was based on the provisions of the civil service section of the State Constitution, which requires competitive exams where practicable, and on Subdivision 10 of Section 2573 of the Education Law.

This section reads: "10. In a city having a population one million or more, recommendations for appointment to the teaching and supervising service, except for the position of superintendent of schools, associate superintendent or assistant superintendent, or director or (of) a special branch, principal of or teacher in a training school, or principal of a high school, shall be from the first three persons on appropriate eligible lists prepared by the board of examiners."

The question was whether the four titles came within the excep-

tion of this section, which would render competitive exams unnecessary. The rule of three, contained in the section, relates to competitive choice.

"The first three are clearly not covered," hence competitive, wrote Mr. Brind, and added that the term "high school principal" has no limitations, hence is included, and noncompetitive.

Brind's Opinion

The opinion continued: "The Board of Education strongly urges, in respect to the other three positions listed, that its act of placing the incumbents therein is an assignment and not an appointment; that it has the right so to do; and that the assignment does not take the individuals out of the positions they were in theretofore, which they continue to hold. The Board insists that the assignees serve during the pleasure of the Board; that they do not obtain any tenure in such assigned position and that the assignment may be terminated at any time. This, the Board insists, takes them out of the category covered by the aforesaid statute requiring their appointment to the position from eligible lists.

"In my opinion, the aforesaid statute may not be avoided by terminology. In other words, merely calling the act of the Board an assignment rather than an appointment does not, in my opinion, help the situation. I recognize that on occasion where it is not possible for the Board to fill a position immediately, it has the legal right without recourse to a list to appoint a person to a position in an 'acting' capacity. The person serves in the position only until the Board is able to fill the position permanently.

"However, if positions could be filled on a permanent basis through the expediency of utilizing such an approach, then it would seem to me that the same situation would be applicable to all administrative positions in the New York City school system. The Board would be free to fill any position it wished through an assignment, thereby avoiding the necessity of recourse to a list and the necessity of according tenure to the assignee.

"Clearly, the avoidance of the aforesaid statute by such a procedure is not contemplated by the provisions of the Education Law."

What gave the case broad importance was the principle of inclusion of higher level positions in the competitive class.

Hiram Phillips Is Praised For His Work in Assn.

THIELLS, May 4 — Addressing the Letchworth Village chapter of the Civil Service Employees Association at its annual dinner, William F. McDonough, executive assistant to CSEA president, praised the "splendid initiative and cheerful service for the welfare of civil service employees by past presidents and members of the Letchworth Village chapter" and particularly commended the present president, Hiram Phillips, "for his long and untiring efforts."

Pressing Needs
Mr. McDonough reviewed present civil service administration and efforts of the Association toward continuous improvement.

ASSEMBLYMAN O.K. AS JUSTICE OF PEACE

ALBANY, May 4 — A State Assemblyman may also serve as a Justice of the Peace, Attorney General Nathaniel L. Goldstein has ruled, in an informal opinion. There is no constitutional or statutory bar, he said, nor is there any immediately apparent incompatibility between the general duties of the offices.

and stated that the Association must now increase its activity to meet what he outlined as his concepts of pressing needs. These needs he itemized as extension of the merit system, sound classification and compensation, abolition of the 48-hour week in institutional service, and establishment of a permanent Labor Relations Board and a State Retirement Board.

(Mr. McDonough's analysis of these needs will be published in next week's LEADER.)

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Rules of Eligibility Issued for Art Show Of Metropolitan Unit

The eligibility requirements, and other facts, concerning the art show to be held under the auspices of the Metropolitan Conference of the Civil Service Employees Association, were announced this week. The show will be held from June 5 to June 19, inclusive, at the Riverside Museum, NYC.

A committee of outstanding artists is being formed. To the committee will fall the principal part of the judging of exhibits. The text of the entry blank is published below, but anybody desiring to obtain official blanks should write (not telephone) to Miss Edith Fruchthender, care of Public Service Commission, 233 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

The Conference's art show committee consists of Henry Shemin, chairman; Miss Fruchthender, Philip Wexler, Helen C. Peterson, Julia Steinbaker, Kenneth A. Valentine, Elizabeth McSweeney, Leon Sandman, Clyde H. Morris, and Charles Culyer.

Rules Set Forth
The official announcement follows:

ARTISTS ELIGIBLE: State, county and municipal employees residing in the following counties: Rockland, Orange, Putnam, Westchester, Nassau, Suffolk and New York City. Employees of the Federal Government and of New York City are not eligible.

WORKS ELIGIBLE: There will be five (5) groups of exhibits: 1. oils; 2. water colors, tempera, casein and pastels; 3. ceramics; 4. sculpture; 5. pen and ink, charcoal, pencil, etchings and wood cuts.

NUMBER OF EXHIBITS: One work in each group may be submitted.

METHOD OF SUBMISSION:

Artists should clearly mark each work submitted with their name, address, the place of employment, the title of the picture or object, media and the price, if for sale. Be certain that this information is typewritten or printed and firmly attached. Exhibits should be delivered directly to the Riverside Museum on Monday, June 1, between 1 P. M. and 9 P. M.

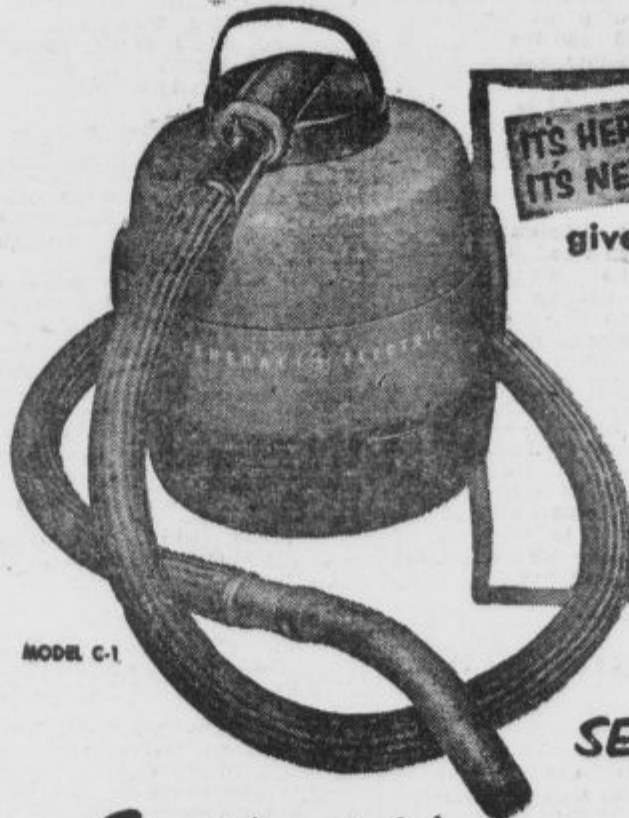
PRIZES: A jury of artists and critics will select the exhibits to be awarded a prize. They will be as follows: best of show (selected by judges) \$50 bond; best of show (selected by public), \$25 bond. In each group there will be prizes, as selected by the judges: first, \$25 bond; second, \$10; third, \$5. In addition, merit certificates will be awarded in each group.

PLACE AND TIME OF EXHIBITION: Riverside Museum, West 103rd Street and Riverside Drive, NYC, June 5 to June 19, 1953. The formal opening will be held on Friday evening, June 5 from 7:00 P. M. to 9:00 P. M. Thereafter, the Museum will be open daily (except Mondays) from 1:00 P. M. to 5:00 P. M., including Saturdays and Sundays, and on Friday evenings from 7:00 P. M. to 9:00 P. M. All prizes will be awarded at the opening of the Show.

SALES: All the proceeds from sales go to the artists, the Riverside Museum taking no commission.

OWNER'S RISK: The Riverside Museum or the Civil Service Employees Association will not be responsible for loss or damage to works submitted. It is expected that all entries will be personally transported to and from the museum. All works must be claimed on Saturday, June 20, between 10 A. M. and 4 P. M.

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DEPT. EMPLOYED

(New York City municipal employees and Federal employees should not enter this show).

PHONE NO. EXT.

Attach entry blank to exhibit and deliver to Riverside Museum, 103rd Street and Riverside Drive, NYC, on Monday only, June 1, 1953, between 1 P.M. and 9 P.M.

How Plan of Insurance Against Accident and Sickness Has Grown

The Civil Service Employees Association's new Accident & Sickness Plan is the same one that has grown and been expanded through the years as more and more public employees have become insured under it. It is only through the wholesale purchasing power of so large a group such a plan is made possible. If it were not that 22,000 public employees in this State are already insured in the plan, if it were not that Ter Bush & Powell, Inc. has developed the technique necessary to operate such a plan with a maximum of efficiency, and if it were not that The Travelers Insurance Company, with \$2,250,014,461.07 of assets and \$89,115,750.00 of group premiums, is willing to assume the underwriting of a plan of this kind, no such plan would be possible. It is only through teamwork and the common interest in the welfare of the members of the Association that Ter Bush & Powell, Inc. and The Travelers Insurance Company can make such a plan possible.

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New Benefits, No Extra Cost

A. **Principal Sum Increases:** For injuries occurring before you are 60 years old, the Principal Sum of \$1,000 increases \$500 at the end of each consecutive year of insurance until the Principal Sum reaches \$2,500. So, for such injuries the Principal Sum would be \$2,500 at once if you have been continuously insured for three

years under the Association's Accident and Sickness Plan.

B. **Period of Sickness Indemnity Increases:** For total disability due to sickness (except tuberculosis and pregnancy) and commencing before you are 60 years old, the indemnity limit of twelve months is increased four months at the end of each consecutive year of insurance until the indemnity limit reaches twenty-four months. So, for such total disability the indemnity limit would be twenty-four months at once if you have been continuously insured for three years under the Association's Accident and Sickness Plan.

NOTE: In computing the above periods of continuous insurance credit will be given for continuous insurance under the present policy with the Commercial Insurance Company if you continue your insurance without interruption under the new Travelers policy.

C. **Sickness Benefits During Hospital Confinement:** For total disability due to sickness and commencing before you are 60 years old, total disability benefits are payable while you are in a hospital forty-eight hours or more during the first seven days of total disability. The old plan did not provide any benefits for the first seven days of sickness indemnity.

D. **Minimum Indemnities for Fractures and Dislocations:** In the event of certain fractures, dislocations or amputations, monthly indemnity of not less than specified amounts is payable irrespective of the period of total disability. Under the old plan the indemnity for total disability due to any injuries, including fractures and dislocations, is limited to the actual period of total disability, even though you should return to work shortly after the accident with your arm or leg in a cast, splinter or brace.

NOTE: For complete statement of these benefits see Section B of the Additional Benefits Rider which will be attached to your new Travelers policy. These benefits apply to any policy in which the rate of monthly indemnity for total disability is \$75 or more. If the monthly indemnity rate of your policy is less than \$75 you can arrange for it to be increased to \$75 at the premium for that amount by written request mailed within 60 days from the date of your new Travelers policy to Ter Bush & Powell, Inc., 148 Clinton Street, Schenectady, New York.

2 Exam Appeals Sustained While 12 Other Are Lost

ALBANY, May 4 — Continuous recruiting is being advanced into new fields with the approval at its April session by the State Civil Service Commission of several new areas for the service.

On behalf of the Department of Mental Hygiene the continuous recruiting program will be extended to senior psychiatrist, associate nutritionist and physician titles.

The Commission approved a request from Westchester County for extension of continuous recruiting for stenographers and typists.

Exams for associate and principal actuary (life) will soon be opened by the State.

There are four associate vacancies and one principal. The associate jobs pay \$6,801 to \$8,231, while the principal actuary job pays \$8,350 to \$10,138. These exams will be opened nation-wide.

The Commission sustained two appeals from exam decisions and disapproved 12 others.

Winning their point were John J. Halpin, who protested a mark in a promotion exam for assistant

civil engineer, and Herman P. Lindeman, who appealed from his rating in a promotion exam for institute patrolman, Suffolk county.

Among appeals dismissed were those of Louis Cohn, senior truck mileage tax examiner, promotion; Marie J. Duignan and Edwin P. Lange, unemployment insurance accounts assistant supervisor, promotion; Marie E. Hotchkiss, senior account clerk, open competitive and Lyle Naylor, financial secretary, open-competitive, also Celeste Rosenkranz, senior U. I. claims examiner, promotion, and senior employment interviewer, promotion.

The appeals of Florence Volkman and Simon Kleiman, in connection with a group oral exam for probation officer, Queens County, also were discussed, as were those from Lottie Edwards and Louis Rabineau, associate in higher education, open-competitive. Mark A. Grenan, Jr., was turned down in his building guard appeal, as was Paul Magenheimer for institute patrolman, Suffolk County.

19 Graduates Start State Career

ALBANY, MAY 4 — The State has hired 19 public administration interns. At an employment pool at the State Capitol 27 eligibles appeared. A total of 42 passed.

Those assigned to departments and agencies thus far include: John C. Heagney, Tarrytown, Labor; Alfred P. Wehren, Voorheesville, Civil Service; David G. Smith, Long Island City, and David Levine, NYC, to Social Welfare in NYC; Morton Baruch, NYC, Workmen's Compensation Board; Sherman Lieber, Brooklyn, to Civil Service.

Also, Murray S. Becker, Brooklyn, Health; John J. Mackey,

Syracuse, Budget; Joseph Levinson, Brooklyn, Civil Defense; Maurice Blanken, Staten Island, Education; David A. Solomon, Syracuse, State Liquor Authority; Arthur Harvey, Brooklyn, Rent Control.

Morris H. Ripps, Albany, Education; Sheldon R. Weaver, Far Rockaway, Tax and Finance; William J. Levine, Bayside, Banking; Eleanor J. Webber, NYC, Employment; John J. Joyce, Albany, Budget; Donald K. Hess, Syracuse, Health, and William E. Muldoon, Syracuse, Civil Service.

27 Receive 25-Year Pins At Marcy State Hospital

MARCY, May 4—The staff and employees of Marcy State Hospital honored 27 employees of 25 years' service in the Department of Mental Hygiene at a reception attended by 500.

Charles D. Methe, president of the Civil Service Employees Association chapter, acted as master of ceremonies. He then turned the program over to Dr. George L. Warner, acting director, who introduced Dr. L. L. Bryan, assistant director.

Dr. Bryan presented a gift, on behalf of the staff and employees, to Stuart Morgan, who retired on April 1 after more than 28 years'

service. Mr. Morgan was in charge of the hospital meat department.

After a buffet supper, Dr. Warner introduced Dr. Henry Brill, Assistant Commissioner, who presented the 25-year pins to Grant Akins, Frances V. Amo, Daisy Baker, Wallace Barber, Nell D. Black, M. D., Gladys Burke, Albert Sassaw, Mabel Cassaw, Walter Chamberlain, Robert H. Evans, Mary Haley, Kenneth W. Hawken, John A. Howard, M. D., Evelyn Huss, Ardie Jones, Elizabeth Jones, Owen D. Jones, Grace Moneysmith, Corinne Mortimer, Lila Noble, Russell F. Ray, Pearl A. Ruby, Merrill R. Shaler, George

Turner, Everett Weaver, Charles Williams, William Newlands. Doug Younghanz's orchestra played the music.

General co-chairmen of the event were Rogera Eurich and Mary F. Terrel. Members of the general committee also included Janet Boxall, William Rice, Gertrude Rice, Mary Methe, Olive Jones, Fannie Abaled, Al Cahill, and Betty Smith.

Serving on other committees were Helen Owens, Marion Eurich, Margaret Coyne, Jona Mason, Moe Moshaty, Alex Magnitsky, Frank Pizer, Howard Kane, George Humphrey, Al Cahill, Olive Davis, Frank Collea, G. Falardo, Elmer Dykeman, Olga Allwood, Fred Jakubowski, Betty Smith, John Amo, Carl Blue, Dorris Blust, Rose Robert, Florence Spring, Ester Kittredge, Jean Poderis, Anne Quinlan, Frances Quinlan, Willard Jones, Joseph Allwood, J. Ed. Terrel, Elmer Dykeman, Eugene Schmelcher, and Robert Stockwin.

Others who served on committees were Douglas Younghanz, Betty Cahill, Madeline Cole, Arthur, Cole, L. Jackson, M. Jackson, Mary Buck, Dick Buck, Joyce Erwin, Paul Sohovic, Ben Bathke, Marie Wengert, Marvin Wengert, Stark Mallory, N. Juchniewicz, Mary Magnitsky, Robert Stockwin, Joe Mezza, Carl Robert, Walter Hunzinger, William Bayer, Eugene Schmelcher, Howard Austin, Yulonde Deck, Sharon Graves, Arthur Walsh, Elva Jones, Glenn Brennan, Frank Filler, Helen Younghanz, Leo Graves, Clarence Owens, Nelson De La Marter, Clifford Spring, Clifford Leuthauser, Hank Humphrey, Donald Walsh, Charles Powers, Verna Bayer, Thomas Conroy and Edward Knamm.

New Job Plan Put in Effect In A. & M.

ALBANY, May 4 — A classification study of all 564 positions in the State Department of Agriculture and Markets has been put into effect, announced J. Edward Conway, President of the State Civil Service Commission.

Kelly Conducts Survey

The survey, the first complete field audit of all jobs in that department, was conducted under the supervision of J. Earl Kelly, Director of the Classification and Compensation Division.

The resulting changes in job titles and salary grades became effective on April 1, 1953, with the approval of Budget Director T. Norman Hurd.

"While the final result brought about the correction of many improper title and pay relationships, the salaries of only seven positions in the entire department were affected adversely," said the Civil Service Department.

"They are among the group of 34 positions which were reduced to lower salary grades. All but these seven had reached the maximum pay of their old grades and by law their attained rates of compensation continue while they hold their jobs. The lowered rates will apply to future appointees in these positions. While the seven employees affected will not actually receive pay cuts, the lowering of their grades will prevent them from attaining the maximum pay under the former rates.

More Study Later

"Of the 400 positions found to be receiving appropriate pay rates, 155 were retitled for more accurate description.

"Twenty-eight employees paid by the day, will derive such benefits as annual vacation, sick leave and the like which go with full time employment because of the change of these positions from a per diem basis to an annual status.

18 Titles Passed

"Ten positions, all of which are vacant, were reclassified to lower titles. There are 52 others having permanent incumbents which will undergo study as they become vacant.

"Higher titles and salary grades were applied to 18 positions in the department."



Mrs. Cecilia Abrahamer, assistant director of nursing services, Department of Mental Hygiene, was guest speaker at capping exercises, Craig Colony School of Nursing.

County Groups Attend Workshop

ELMIRA, May 4 — Executive officers from several central New York counties held a workshop conference and dinner meeting on Saturday, April 25 at the Mark Twain Hotel. Among those in charge of the program were Ernest L. Conlon of Binghamton, field representative of the Civil Service Employees Association; Ferd Koenig of Oneida County; Mrs. Lula Williams of Broome County; Anthony Giordano of Chemung County; Vernon Tapper of Onondaga County, and Helen Musto of Ithaca, member of the Association's executive committee.

Miss Musto discussed current legislation, on the first panel. Sarah Bisbee, in charge of the local veterans service office, was moderator. Henry Galpin, of Albany, CSEA research analyst, discussed fringe benefits and fiscal benefits, on the second panel. The moderator was Kenneth Y. West of the County probation department.

Tapper and Conlon Speak

Speakers at the afternoon session were Vernon Tapper, who discussed retirement, and Mr. Conlon, who spoke on chapter planning. Kenneth West was toastmaster.

He introduced the guests, including State Senator Dutton S. Peterson of Odessa; Assemblyman Harry J. Tift; City Manager Robert E. Quin; Anson Saunders, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors; Claude O. Stuart, Chairman of the Elmira Civil Service Commission; and Attorney Boyd McDowell, secretary of the Chemung County Civil Service Commission.

The Rev. Dutton S. Peterson of Odessa delivered the invocation at the dinner. Recorder Daniel J. Donahoe was principal speaker. He reviewed accomplishments of the Association both locally and throughout the State, and noted the improvement of working conditions through Association efforts. He said programs sponsored by the Association had resulted in more efficient government on State and local levels.

Delegates were welcomed to the afternoon session by Mrs. John J. Decker, secretary to the district attorney, and Anthony Giordano. The workshop discussed various phases of employee-employer relations.

The next workshop meeting will be held in Utica on or about August 15.



Participants in the workshop conference and dinner meeting of executive officers from central New York counties included, left to right, Ernest L. Conlon of Binghamton, field representative of the Civil Service Employees Association; Ferd Koenig of the Oneida County chapter, CSEA; Mrs. Lula Williams of the Broome County chapter; Anthony Giordano of Chemung County chapter, and Vernon Tapper of Onondaga County chapter.

Activities of Civil Service Employees in N. Y. State

Otsego

THE ANNUAL DINNER of the Otsego chapter, CSEA, was held at the Shingle Inn, Springfield Center. The following officers were installed: Arnold Koelliker, president; William Bice, 1st vice president; James Whipple, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Verna Jewell, secretary, and Catherine Lynch, treasurer.

James Pigott, field representative, spoke on membership and the establishment of a program for chapter activities for the coming year. He stressed the importance of a strong membership committee. Plans were discussed for mail solicitation of all public employees in Otsego County.

Howard Sherman, outgoing president, was presented with a gift from the membership for his service to the chapter.

The next chapter meeting will be held in the Municipal Building, Oneonta, on Wednesday, May 13.

Rochester

MAY 23 is the date of the annual dinner dance of the Rochester chapter. Merely Blumenstein, chairman, has Agatha O'Boiger and Lillian Wilson at work on posters and flyers to advertise the event, which is to be held at Hotel Seneca. Jim Kennelly and Rose Nicoletta are handling tickets. More workers will be named as plans progress.

Laura Tarricone of the Rent Control Office is being called Aunt Laura by her fellow workers. It is the eighth time she is an aunt.

Speaking of recent family additions, does anyone know of a younger-looking grandfather than

Don Macri of the State Fund? His daughter has a son.

Also receiving congratulations are two girls of the Employment Service: Antonette Izzo, on her engagement to Robert Brown, and Barbara Kick, on her engagement to Jerry Taylor.

Best wishes for recovery to health to James McMahan, absent a month and still unable to work; to Harriet Dean, who was home ill for over two months and following her return to work mornings, suffered the loss of her brother with whom she lived. Harriet is home again, and the chapter extends most sincere sympathy to her.

Speedy recovery to Jim Donnelly who has lost scarcely a minute of time since he came to the Employment Service in 1931, but who will be out for many weeks with a persistent throat ailment. Jim was a chief participant in a joint party for him, for Frances Bock who resigned to follow the role of housewife, and for Frank Rodgers who went to the Rochester Institute of Technology in its testing department.

Orleans County

THE ORLEANS County chapter, CSEA, elected officers for the coming year, as follows: Laura L. Lyman, County Welfare, president; Raymond Peters, County Highway, vice president; Doris M. Allen, County Welfare, secretary; Arlene Allen, County Probation, assistant secretary; Donald Miles, County Highway, treasurer, and Newell Maxon, Town of Albion, delegate. Board of Directors members are: Glenn A. Page, County Home, and Joseph Boccaccio, County Highway, County; Francis

McCabe of Albion and Corinne Potter of Holley, villages; Arthur Williams of Carlton and William Howe of Shelby, towns; Leonard Rice of Albion and George Day of Holley, school districts.

The Board of Canvassers, headed by Albert DeGraff of Holley, counted the ballots at the meeting.

The officers will be installed at the chapter's first anniversary dinner-dance at 6:30 P. M. on May 11 at the Moose Club, Medina. William A. Monacelli, Mayor of Albion, will be toastmaster at the Smorgasbord dinner. Jack Kurtzman, CSEA field representative, will install the officers. Entertainment, prizes, and dancing to the music of the Eddie Hess Trio will be featured.

Guests from Erie, Livingston and Niagara county chapters and from the State School chapter at Albion have been invited.

Tickets, \$2 per person, are obtainable from the ticket committee, or from Francis McCabe of Albion, or Mrs. Doris Allen, secretary.

The Board of Directors held its final meeting preceding the regular chapter meeting.

William Howe, chapter president, and Mrs. Dorothy Durham and Norman Green of the Board of Directors attended the Association's annual dinner in Rochester.

Mrs. Laura L. Lyman, president-elect, and Mrs. Doris Allen, secretary, attended a membership meeting in Buffalo on April 21.

State Insurance Fund

THE EXECUTIVE board of the State Insurance Fund chapter, CSEA, voted unanimously to submit the name of John Powers, Association 1st vice president, to all chapters as a candidate for Association president.

Charles Culyer, field representative, said there should be revision of the system of rating 1,600 Fund employees. There have been several instances, he said, where service ratings given by supervisors were lowered by higher authority, with no reasons given. There should be at least two employee representatives on the rating board, he said.

Al Greenberg, chapter member, met representatives of Manhattan State Hospital, New York City, Willowbrook State School and NYSES chapters to discuss ways to increase membership, and also cultural and sporting activities in each chapter. Representatives of Suffolk, Kings, Creedmoor, Central Islip, Psychiatric Institute, Pilgrim State, L. I. Parks and Nassau chapters also met.

Bowling results: Moe Brown of Underwriting sparked the Orphans to a four-point take over Medical. He bowled 226 in the first game. Payroll bounced back from defeat at the hands of Orphans and blasted Actuarial (a cellar team) for four points. Claims Seniors stopped Policyholders from moving into sixth place by taking three points. Claims Examiners took three points from Safety. Underwriters, struggling to get into the first division, dropped another three-game series and four points to Accounts. Ouch!

Heard over the grapevine: CSEA is looking to open a branch office in NYC.

Buffalo

THE REGULAR monthly meeting of the Buffalo chapter, CSEA, was held April 15 following a din-

ner in the Elks Club. Albert Killian, president, conducted the meeting. Discussions on freeze-in of increases, retirement and membership were of primary interest. Social Chairman Joseph Dunn is arranging for a party in the near future, date and place to be announced.

A nominating committee was appointed for the forthcoming election of officers and delegates. Committee members are Thelma Pottel, chairman; Ethel Drew, Roy Abel and Mary Lease.

Thomas Cantry of Ter Bush & Powell discussed health and accident insurance.

Jack Kurtzman advised the meeting that he will conduct a four to six-week course on the aims and purposes of the Association. He also requested that any employee problems be brought to his attention.

Chemung

NEWLY-ELECTED officers of Chemung County chapter, CSEA, are: James Hennessy, Elmira Water Board, president; Mrs. Anne Ward, Welfare Department, 1st vice president; Clare Lacey (City Chamberlain's Office, 2nd vice president; Margaret Kesslak, Veterans' Service, 3rd vice president; Jean Sheehan, Veterans' Service, corresponding secretary; Madalon Sanstead, Welfare Department, recording secretary; Clara Radley, Welfare Department, treasurer; David Shay, Fire Department, sergeant-at-arms; Anthony Giordano, chapter representative.

Annual chapter banquet will be held May 13 at Johnson Restaurant, Southport Shopping Center.

Rockland State Hospital

PLANS FOR the annual dinner of the Rockland State Hospital chapter, CSEA, were discussed at the recent chapter meeting. The dinner will be held at Mary Dorman's Club 59, Nanuet, on May 23. Tickets, \$3 per person, include the usual "extras" and are obtainable from CSEA representatives in the various buildings and departments, but not after May 10. No tickets will be sold at the door.

The membership committee reports 64 new members; total, 861. Membership in the Mental Hygiene Association jumped from

Utica Mayor Chosen for Vienna Parley

UTICA, May 4—Boyd E. Golder, Mayor of Utica, has been selected a delegate to represent the United States Conference of Mayors at the International Union of Municipalities Conference to be held in Vienna, Austria, in June.

He will be given a testimonial dinner on Thursday, May 14 at the Hotel Hamilton, Utica, by leaders of civic, business, church, labor and fraternal organizations.

From the time Mayor Golder was elected to the Board of Assessors of Utica in 1937, he has served in various high offices. In 1939 he was president of the New York State Assessors Association, and in 1941 re-elected to the Board of Assessors and named chairman.

He was elected Mayor in 1945 and re-elected in 1947, 1949 and 1951.

Praised by Oneida Chapter

In 1947 he was appointed to the State Comptroller's Committee on City-School Fiscal Relations and to the executive committee of Syracuse Hospital Planning Council. The same year, he was elected president of the New York State Conference of Mayors and in 1950 trustee of the American Municipal Association.

Mayor Golder cooperated with the State Civil Service Commission in the reorganization of Utica municipal civil service.

The Oneida County chapter of the Civil Service Employees Association expressed appreciation of "the cooperation and honest, genuine understanding of the problems of the civil service employees" shown by Mayor Golder, and members are taking part in the dinner.

Jesse B. McFarland, president of the Civil Service Employees Association, has informed the chapter that he will attend the dinner or send a representative. Other chapters in the Utica area will send representatives.

229 to 296. A high rate of membership is essential for successful bargaining, and every member is urged to assist the committee in explaining the functions and benefits of the organization to those who have not yet joined. A prize will be awarded to the person bringing in the thousandth member and additional awards made for each fiftieth member recruited, thereafter.

Dues for new members are \$2.50 for the year ending September 30. Former CSEA members must pay \$5.

Henry Marier was delegate to the joint meeting of the Southern and Metropolitan Conferences.

A contribution will be sent to the Pearl River Summer Recreation Program Committee to assist its work.

The Association sends condolences to Margaret Merritt, former chapter secretary, who lost her sister, and to James Murdoch of Building 58 whose wife Lucy died recently.

Candidates for chapter office will be nominated at the next meeting on May 19 at 7:45 P. M. at the Association Rooms, Home 29.

The following employees have renewed membership or become new members during the past two weeks:

Thomas J. Casey, Trina Diaz, Nicholas E. Keil, Anna Azzara, Nora Halliday, Anne M. Conklin, Vincent J. DeSantis, Alice L. Nelson, Charles A. Boyer, George W. Williams, Joshua W. Jones, Thomas Bedner, Mary Armstrong, Martin W. Neary, Janice L. Tomson and Edward Woods.

Robert H. Brown, Mary A. Simpson, Yashuhiko Taketomo, Bertha May, Hazel Lancaster, Marian F. Mills, Isabelle Merkle, Mary Dirig, Jean G. Lore, Babette C. Slazenger, Walter J. Mills, Hadwin Bowler, Lillian Cullen, and William D. Jones, honorary military membership.

LEGAL NOTICE

SUPREME COURT, BRONX COUNTY: Max Dunner, plaintiff, against Soundview Properties, Inc., Henry Blumenstock, Mrs. Henry Blumenstock. "Mrs. Henry Blumenstock" said name being fictitious, true name unknown to plaintiff, person intended being the wife, if any, of Henry Blumenstock, Ethel F. Ellis, Martha Linde, Delia Aghamalian, "Mrs. Harant Aghamalian" said name being fictitious, true name unknown to plaintiff, person intended being the wife, if any, of Harant Aghamalian, Beatrice Naimoff, Isaac K. Dunes, Esther Dunes, his wife, Benedetta Latteri, Benedetta Scarfia, Nicola Gentile and all of the above, if living and if they or any of them be dead, then it is intended to sue their heirs-at-law, devisees, distributees, next-of-kin, executors, wives, widows, heirs and creditors, and their respective successors in interest, wives, widows, heirs-at-law next-of-kin, devisees, distributees, creditors, legatees, executors, administrators and successors in interest, all of whom and whose names and whereabouts are unknown to the plaintiff and who are joined and designated herein as a class of "Unknown Defendants," defendants.

To the above named defendants: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer, or if the complaint is not served with this summons to serve a Notice of Appearance on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated: New York, July 29, 1952.
HARRY HAUSENECHT,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Office & P. O. Address, 136 Broadway,
New York, New York.
Plaintiff's address is 370 East 149th Street,
Bronx, New York, and plaintiff designates Bronx County as the place of trial.

To the above named defendants: The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of Hon. Kenneth O'Brien, Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated March 8, 1953, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of Bronx County, at 161st Street and Grand Concourse, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

This action is brought to foreclose the following transfers of tax liens sold by the City of New York and now owned by the plaintiff, all bearing interest at 12% per annum and affecting property shown on the Tax Map of the Borough of The Bronx, City and State of New York, as follows:

First number is Lien No.; Date; Sec.; Block; Lot; and Amount.	
60407, May 26, 1942, 16, 3623, 60	\$1,613.22.
64264, March 23, 1943, 16, 4263, 60,	\$11,907.19.
64265, March 23, 1943, 16, 4063, 60,	\$7,853.23.
73847, April 17, 1945, 16, 4263, 60,	\$224.00.
63493, March 5, 1946, 16, 4475, 60,	\$1,332.60.
64205, April 16, 1946, 16, 4580, 30,	\$926.17.
64206, April 16, 1946, 16, 4080, 30,	\$3,239.75.
65668, March 5, 1946, 16, 4755, 15,	\$1,825.37.
66051, July 2, 1946, 16, 4696, 30,	\$2,301.53.
64116, March 15, 1946, 16, 4865, 2,	\$124.74.

Dated: New York, March 12, 1953.
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Employee Activities In Albany

A GOOD representation of lovely young ladies from State offices in Albany will compete for queen to preside over the city's annual tulip-time celebration.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce committee which will preside over the selection has announced the following State workers as nominees:

Audrey Shea, State Laboratory; Josephine Palermo, Law; Pat Caulfield, State; Annette L. Couture and Kay Morrissey, Commerce; Joyce Lewis, Civil Service; Mary Ann Winnicki, Court of Appeals; Harriet Peelinik, Labor, and Joan Wheeler, Commerce.

Phyllis Vadney, Lynn Toohy and Frances Fyfe will represent the Department of Education.

Longest entry list was submitted by the Division of Employment, which entered Edith Riddle, Avril Horchheimer, Mary Balthazard, Nettie DelGiacco, Grace Ann Dennis and Hazel Robinson.

Among the latest entries are Frances Fyfe, a stenographer in Education; Marie Hotaling, of Audit and Control; Joyce Barrows, of Motor Vehicles; Mary Ann Winnicki, of the Court of Appeals Law Reporting Bureau; Lois A. Lund, Income Tax Bureau, Tax and Finance; Frances Haley, Public Works, and Betty Wells, Education.

SCORES more reflective of the past bowling season highlighted a two-team match between a four-some from Audit and Control recently.

Thirteen stroke winners Marty Malloy, chief auditor of welfare accounts, and John Joyce, director of local assistance, enjoyed a dinner at the expense of Ed O'Connell, principal examiner in Methods and Procedures, and Marty Lanahan, assistant administrative finance officer.

To the foursome's credit, no alibis were attempted for the scores: O'Connell, 111; Lanahan, 136; Malloy, 101; Joyce, 133.

Employees Softball League
JOE FEELY, Tax and Finance, new loop prexy, and Don Dickinson, Audit and Control, secretary-treasurer, have things pretty well set for a May 5 beginning. Team captains are Don Hoyt, Civil Service; Jack Harrison, Health; John Weishaar, Tax and Finance; Vic Morelli, Audit and Control; Gene Munsell, Unemployment Insurance; George Cooper, Commerce; Thurlow Barnes, Jr., Motor Vehicle Bureau and Al Turner, Education.

MILITARY VISITORS to the State Street offices of Social Welfare have included Private Alex Ames, U. S. Army, now at Fort Lewis, Wash., and Chief Petty Officer Charles Terenzini, U. S. Navy, now at Jersey City, N. J. Both were with the Bureau of Accounting before going on military leave.

IT WAS A SWELL party for Helen Shell and Natalie Feldman, of Conservation's Finance Division. Helen is resigning now that her husband is home from Korea and Natalie is taking a leave of absence.

NEW officers of the Tax and Finance Bowling League include Kermit Smith, president; Ed Scully, vice president; Ed Mulcahy, secretary, and Art Gundlach, treasurer.

Herm Spector, of Truck Mileage Bureau, is reportedly paying more attention to his gas gauge these days. Mrs. Elizabeth B. Crippen will retire May 10, from her job as senior stenographer in Corporation Tax Bureau. She began working for the Department in 1924.

THAT GLITTERING diamond on the third finger left of Theresa Meleca, Division of Employment, was presented by Vincent F. DeMayo, Dept. of Labor.

ALFRED E. FARGIONE, of Albany, a veteran, topped a list of 27 persons passing a statewide civil service promotion exam for head account clerk, Dept. of Mental Hygiene.

JOE LA FLEUR, public relations man in Public Works, is beaming from behind a brand new desk. PSC employees gave a party to Dr. Roland H. Buckman, director of the Research Bureau, and the for-

mer Catherine E. Clancy, of the Power Bureau, who were married last week. The Buckmans will leave State service in June. . . . There are 363 women veterans in State employment and 26 disabled women veterans.

Walter R. Stohner and Hoyt I. Williams were among the five passing a recent promotion exam for assistant civil engineer, highway planning, in Public Works.

At the Division of Employment, Margaret J. Willi has been re-elected president of the CSEA chapter. Working with her will be Dorothy Honeywell, vice-president; Margaret Sheridan, secretary, and Harold Schwebel, treasurer.

GERTRUDE and Jessie Manville, Employment Division workers from Waterford, will vacation in Hawaii. . . . Marge Baniak, key punch operator, has set her wedding date for July 19. . . . Tom Bolan, long active in Employment Division activities, is leaving State service for private employment.

Exams Now Open COUNTY AND VILLAGE Open-Competitive

8494. SEWAGE PLANT OPERATOR, Village of Westfield, Chautauqua County, \$3,180. One vacancy. Fee \$3. (Friday, May 22).

8495. SEWAGE PLANT OPERATOR, Town of Amherst, Erie County, \$3,577.50. Two vacancies. Fee \$3. (Friday, May 22).

8496. SEWAGE PLANT OPERATOR, Wanakah Sewer District, Town of Hamburg, Erie County, \$2,400 to \$3,000. One vacancy. Fee \$2. (Friday, May 22).

8497. SEWAGE PLANT OPERATOR, Village of Hamburg, Erie County, \$3,466. One vacancy. Fee \$3. (Friday, May 22).

8488. ASSISTANT BRIDGE FOREMAN, Sullivan County, \$1.50 to \$1.80 an hour. One vacancy in Department of Highways. Fee \$3. (Friday, May 22).

8499. SENIOR PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKER, Mental Health Clinic, Department of Health, Tompkins County, \$4,650 to \$5,650. One vacancy. Open nation-wide. Fee \$4. (Friday, June 5).

8500 (revised and reannounced). CLINIC SUPERVISOR (MENTAL HYGIENE), Department of Health, Westchester County, \$4,230 to \$5,350. Three vacancies. Open nation-wide. Fee \$4. (Friday, June 5).

8501. GUARD - METALSMITH, Westchester County, \$3,360 to \$4,120. Fee \$3. (Friday, May 22).

8502. WATER TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR, GRADE II, Westchester Joint Water Works, Westchester County, \$3,660 to \$4,200. Three vacancies. Fee \$3. (Friday, May 22).

8504. WATER TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR, GRADE III, Water Department, Village of Irvington, Westchester County, \$2,690 to \$2,990. One vacancy. Fee \$2. (Friday, May 22).

8505. WATER TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR, GRADE III, Ossining Water District, Westchester County, \$1,800 to \$3,481.40. One vacancy. Fee \$1. (Friday, May 22).

Employee Activities

New York City

THE NEW YORK City chapter, CSEA, has been distributing ballots to representatives, who should see to it that every member casts his vote, so that elected officers may be the choices of the entire chapter, not only a few interested members. All ballots must be filed by May 12. Don't be a lanovac, a lazy non-voting citizen (member of the CSEA).

Deepest sympathy to Lee Rothstein of Motor Vehicle Bureau on the loss of his wife, and to Sam Schwartzberg on the loss of his father.

The membership committee is happy at the response to the drive for new members at the pro-rated dues. The chapter is way above last year's record.

Drop a get-well note to Dorothy Porta, now home from Long Island College Hospital. Mail addressed to 55 Franklin Street, NYC, c/o Plans Acceptance Unit, will be forwarded to her immediately.

Do you know your representative? Court representatives are: Martin Kelly, General Sessions, 100 Centre Street, NYC, RE 2-2442.

Nathan Danziger, Bronx County Supreme Court, 369 West 204th Street, Bronx, JE 6-1031.

John Masterson, Kings County Supreme Court, Joralemon Street, Brooklyn, TR 5-7300.

William Sullivan, Appellate Division, Kings County, 45 Monroe Place, Brooklyn, TR 5-1300.

Francis X. Lapsha, Nassau County Supreme Court, Mineola, Garden City 3-7000.

RECREATION GROUP HOLDS CONFERENCE

ALBANY, May 4—Henry Galpin, research analyst of the Civil Service Employees Association, participated in the 32nd annual New York State Recreation Conference, held at Bear Mountain Park, April 29 to May 2. This conference was sponsored by the State Public Recreation Society.

Mr. Galpin discussed "Salaries in Recreation and Allied Fields".

Other State workers on the panel were Robert L. Carr, associate in physical education and athletics, State Department of Education; Harold Abel, supervisor of recreation, State Department of Mental Hygiene; Price Chenault, director of education, State Department of Correction; Ralph J. Damiano, superintendent of recreation, Rye Recreation Commission, and Vivian O. Wills, assistant superintendent of recreation, Westchester County Recreation Commission.

20,000 FEWER U. S. EMPLOYEES WASHINGTON, May 4—Federal employment, both in the United States and abroad, decreased by 20,135 during March, the U. S. Civil Service Commission announced. Largest cut was in the Defense Department, 16,644.

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New Loyalty Program Must Include Real Appeals

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S executive order, setting new standards and methods for checking employees for loyalty, security and social risks, follows the previously announced pattern and includes no actual provision for appeals. This is a serious omission, as we pointed out in an editorial when the gist of the proposed order was first revealed. Denial of opportunity to appeal is comparable to asserting the infallibility of the boards that will pass on department heads' recommendations of dismissal of Federal employees on charges. Also, the accused will not be entitled to a bill of particulars of the charges, nor need the accuser's identity be revealed, nor is there any right granted to be confronted by one's accuser.

Tough Problem, Tough Policy

We appreciate that the President must meet a serious problem. There has been a disgusting series of revelations of faithlessness of appointive employees. The old Loyalty Board's work was ineffective. The standards it was required to apply were often vague. But appeals were permitted. Perhaps the appeal opportunities were even too great, but that is no reason to repeal all rights of appeal, including the general right of appeal which veterans enjoy in all dismissal cases under the Veteran Preference Law. After May 26 even veterans may not appeal.

The new reviewing Boards will consist of officials or employees of a department other than the one employing the accused, but department heads could carry out proposed firings against the contrary recommendation of such Boards.

Words of Warning

Hiram Bingham, former Republican Senator from Connecticut and chairman of the former Loyalty Review Board, commented:

"I'm sorry that there's no appeal allowed from the decisions of the heads of 60 departments. I have been in the program for two and a half years and have found that people who make decisions in departments on firings do not always do so justly. We have reversed a good many cases where the lower Boards have found people to be ineligible.

"I think there should be appeals allowed to bodies like the Loyalty Review Board, not composed of Government employees."

Amendment Needed

The new standards apply to all agencies and all employees. The CIO says that the new dismissal rules are supposed to be concerned primarily with security risks, "but inking of their true purpose is the inclusion of all agencies, where currently only sensitive agencies are covered."

The fundamental right to even a hearing is denied to 500,000 U. S. employees — those who haven't completed their probationary period. This wouldn't be too bad, if only one's work were found unsatisfactory, as department heads have authority now to drop employees for that reason, during that period. But to be dropped because one's patriotism is found lacking is quite a different matter.

Precluding real appeals, though an act undoubtedly inspired by the highest motives, it smacks too little of justice and too much of statism. It's a backward step in American governmental history. The order should be amended to include right of real appeal, otherwise the remedy may prove worse than the ailment.

Moreover, to equate blabbering and disloyalty altogether in a single dismissal process, has in it obvious seeds of injustice. And is not the way opened for other injustices, too, dismissal for whim, and the use of this new mechanism to dismiss persons whom it might be more difficult to dismiss for other reasons?



Dorothy Carpenter of Plattsburg, secretary to the Clinton County Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, says working for the State government intrigues her no end.

Question, Please

WHEN the NYC Civil Service Commission disqualifies a candidate from taking any more exams, as a punishment for some offense, is it possible for the Commission to rescind that action? L.M.

Answer — Yes. The Commission, however, would lift the ban only on strong proof. Once a name is removed from the list, however, there is no black mark against the candidate in any future exams because of the earlier circumstance.

WHAT is the effect of the Court of Appeals decision, under which a lower court ruling that sign painters and letters come under the Labor Law, in regard to similar titles? M.W.C.

Answer — A court ruling directly affects only the parties involved. Persons in other titles would have to take similar court action to obtain similar relief, or, if they prefer, and NYC is willing, sign a wage agreement, as several groups have done.

WHEN THE NEW Classification Bureau of NYC gets going, will it concern itself with all NYC titles, in all departments? L.P.

Answer — No. It will deal with the titles of the same 80,000 employees covered by the report of Griffenhagen & Associates.

DOES THE NEW executive order of President Eisenhower, regarding dismissal of employees, apply only to cases of so-called security and loyalty risks? L.I.

Answer — No. It covers various types of risks, including social ones. Gossiping, for instance, is one ground for dismissal, even if the blabbering is done by a member of the employee's family. Also, all departments and all employees come under the new order. All agencies are considered "sensitive."

WHEN AN EMPLOYEE of the State or NYC wants to retire, what does he do? P.O.

Answer — He applies for retirement at least 30 days prior to the date on which he wants to retire. The law requires a 30-day waiting period. Until that period has elapsed, he is an employee, and not a pensioner. If he should die during that waiting period, his beneficiaries would not be entitled to a pension, but to the life insurance benefit under the retirement system, and refund of his accumulated contributions, plus interest.

WHAT HAPPENED to the Condon bill to grant retirement service credit, as if NYC service, to those members of the NYC Employees Retirement System who served in World War I? P. O'R.

Answer — As reported previously in The LEADER, the Governor signed the bill (Chapter 799, Laws of 1953). Time spent in military service during World War I counts the same as if City service had been rendered during that time. Present City employees, to benefit, would have to contribute to their annuity account to cover the period, must have been members of the system for not less than 15 years, and apply before July 1, 1953. So any entitled to this benefit, who also want to receive it, should not delay their application. One of the beneficiaries would be the Mayor of NYC.

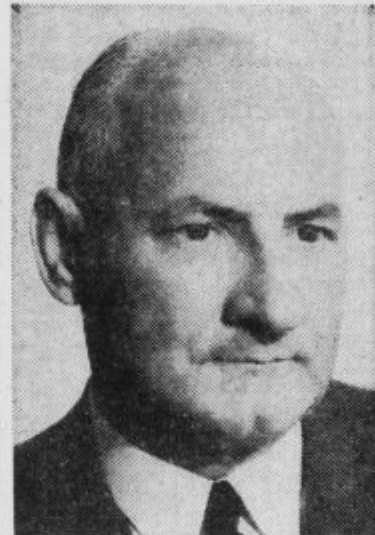
CIVIL SERVICE

NEWS Letter

SOME EMPLOYEES who'd just been approved for jobs in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Washington, D. C., were riding up in the elevator, to undergo a health check-up. In the same elevator were five tourists. When the prospective employees got out, the tourists did likewise. The tourists thought that everybody in the elevator had the same objective — to see the money-making process. The tourists were ushered into the health examination room with the others. One woman tourist was selected first and examined for 17 minutes. Heart, for both systole and diastole, and pulse count; eyes and knee reflexes. Then she asked, "Does everybody have to endure all this just for permission to look at a lot of money?"

FEELING that the Federal employees as a whole have suffered unjustified abuse because of the misdeeds of a scant few, publicity advisers of the Eisenhower Administration wanted to show that employee morale was still high, nevertheless. The means was to be photographs of Federal employees, showing them as contented as the cows in the advertisements. One agency received a request to furnish separate photographs of as many employees as possible "all smiling." Came the fateful reply: "Plenty of photographs; no smiles."

SOME OF THE ELIGIBLES on the new list for promotion to sergeant, NYC Police Department, wondered why so many as 199 patrolmen are being called to special sergeant exams to be held on Saturday, May 16. Ninety-three of the 199 couldn't take the original exam because they were in the armed forces, so are entitled to a special



Mayor Boyd E. Golder of Utica, named to represent the U. S. Conference of Mayors at the International Union of Municipalities Conference, to be held in Vienna, Austria, will be feted by local leaders, including civil service employees.

military test. The other exam — merely a special exam, not special military — is for those who were prevented from taking the original one for various reasons satisfactory to the Civil Service Commission, principally that they were on police duty, many of them on out-of-town missions . . . Mayor Boyd E. Golder of Utica is going places. Latest recognition is appointment as representative of U. S. Mayors at the international conference of Mayors to be held in Vienna, Austria . . . The first batch of jobs included in the new Schedule C of the Federal service set up by President Eisenhower, for jobs to be filled by executive appointment, includes none that anybody would say should be elsewhere than in the exempt class. The total proposed for such inclusion, so far, is 250, and a close watch is being kept by employee organizations on the yet undisclosed identity of the couple of

hundred of that 250, though formerly entertained suspicion has disappeared.

THE THOMAS RIDER, which prohibits the accumulation of additional leave, is slated for either modification or repeal. The Eisenhower Administration strongly opposes the amendment.

ALTHOUGH President Eisenhower's new loyalty order provides that employees dropped from one department for reasons involving loyalty, security or blabbering, may be rehired by another department, with the approval of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, the order itself practically puts all agencies in the "sensitive" class, hence offers little likelihood that such an employee would be rehired. Experience with a related provision in the existing law: only three employees dismissed for loyalty reasons during the past three years were rehired with Commission approval.

U. S. Commission Lets Edwards Go, So It Can Choose Own Director

WASHINGTON, May 4 — Philip Young, Chairman of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, has accepted the resignation of Clarence L. Edwards, the agency's executive director and chief administrative and technical official, effective May 31.

Mr. Young stated Mr. Edwards told him some weeks ago that he would submit his resignation if the new Commission wished to name a man of its own choosing to the post, which involves close personal relationships with the Commissioners. Mr. Edwards, a career civil servant and a veteran, served as acting chairman of the Commission — as provided by law — during the period following resignation of Robert Ramspeck last December and until Mr. Young was sworn in as Chairman March 23.

Mr. Young called Mr. Edwards a fine example of the kind of public servant the career civil service develops, and praised his administrative ability, integrity and good judgment. Mr. Edwards was appointed executive director on retirement of Lawson A. Moyer in July, 1952.

U. S. CIVIL SERVICE CLOSING TWO OFFICES

WASHINGTON, May 4 — Reduction of the number of U. S. Civil Service Commission regional offices from 14 to 12, in July, with the closing of the present offices at St. Paul and New Orleans and the substitution of smaller branch offices there, was announced by the Commission. A saving of \$250,000 a year is expected. The decision on reorganization of its regional setup was based on such factors as size of the federal population served, the workloads and the savings which can be made through these consolidations, the Commission said.

Sanitation Holy Name To Parade to Church

More than 3,000 members of the Holy Name Society of the Department of Sanitation, Manhattan, Bronx and Richmond, will parade up Fifth Avenue to St. Patrick's Cathedral on Sunday, May 10, starting at 8 A.M., to assist at Mother's Day Communion Mass. Breakfast will be eaten at the Hotel Astor.

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LEGAL NOTICE

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, BRONX COUNTY ANTONIO SCALONE, Plaintiff, against ELIZABETH GUIRI, also known as ELIZABETH GUIRE, MARKUS SCHNULMACHER, JOSEPH MARMORSTEIN, all of the above, if living, and if they or any of them be dead, then it is intended to sue their heirs at law, devisees, distributees, widows, heirs and creditors, and their respective successors in interest, wives, widows, heirs at law, next of kin, devisees, distributees, creditors, tioneers, executors, administrators and successors in interest, all of whom and whose names and whereabouts are unknown to the plaintiff and who are joined and designated herein as a class of "unknown defendants," and others, Defendants. TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS: YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the complaint is not served with this summons, to serve a notice of appearance, on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint. Dated: December 29th, 1952. DAVID STEIN, Attorney for Plaintiff Office & Post Office Address 309 East 149th Street Borough of The Bronx, 26 City of New York Plaintiff resides in Bronx County. Plaintiff demands trial in Bronx County. TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS IN THIS ACTION: The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of HON. KENNETH O'BRIEN, Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated March 25, 1953 and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, in the Bronx County Building No. 851 Grand Concourse, Borough of Bronx, City of New York. This action is brought to foreclose the following transfers of tax liens sold by The City of New York to the plaintiff, affecting property shown on the tax map of the City of New York, for the Borough of The Bronx, Section 15 as follows: Tax lien No. 77798, block 4000, lot 28, amount \$271.70; Tax lien No. 73682B, block 4000, lot 28-28, amount \$18,353.35; Tax lien No. 76598, block 4003, lot 40, amount \$3,182.85. Dated: March 26, 1953. DAVID STEIN, Attorney for Plaintiff Office & Post Office Address 309 East 149th Street Borough of The Bronx 26, City of New York

Employees See Defects in Loyalty Order

WASHINGTON, May 4 — Employees and veteran organizations object to some of the provisions of the executive order issued by President Eisenhower, effective May 26, concerning hiring and retention acceptability of Federal employees on grounds of loyalty, security and social habits.

The Government Workers Union, CIO, asks that a centralized appeals agency be established. The President's order does not set up a real appeals procedure, but merely boards of review, whose recommendations department heads may ignore.

The union also asks that employees held to be unsuitable for hiring retention in sensitive agencies be allowed job opportunities in other agencies, that no cases already decided in an employee's favor be reopened, that clear definitions be given of such words as "sabotage" and "sedition," which in the order, are included among the disqualifying offenses.

Veterans Protest

Also, the union asks for a distinction between bad associations or gossip engaged in knowingly, and unwillingly, and that every accused employee be granted the right to be represented by a person of his own choosing.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars protests that the President's order permits a department head to dismiss an employee who is a veteran, without right of appeal, and also asks that an independent board be established to hear appeals from disciplinary rulings.

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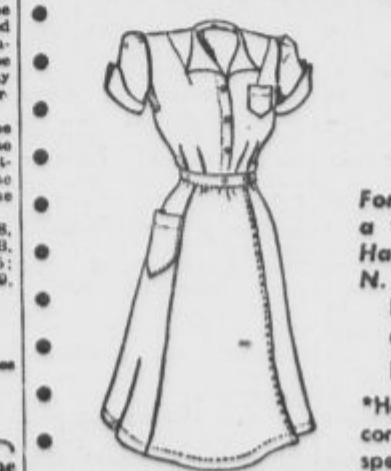
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State Psychiatric Aides Win National Honors

WINGDALE, May 4 — Robert J. Campbell, ward staff attendant at the Harlem Valley State Hospital, Wingdale, has been approved for national honors in the Psychiatric Aide Achievement Awards program sponsored by the National Association for Mental Health. Dr. Leo P. O'Donnell, the hospital director, made the announcement.

Mr. Campbell will be given a Certificate of Achievement and an award of a clock radio on Thursday, May 7, at 2:30 P.M. in a Mental Health Week ceremony to be held in the Harlem Valley State Hospital Auditorium. Mrs. Cynthia Sweet, secretary of the Dutchess County Mental Health Association, will make the presentation.

Psychiatric Aide Achievement Awards will also be presented during Mental Health Week to 89 other hospital attendants at as many mental hospitals in thirty states and the District of Columbia.

Mr. Campbell, 60, has been with the Harlem Valley State Hospital for 15 years. He was nominated for the award by a hospital selection committee.

Campbell's Work Lauded

Dr. O'Donnell praised Mr. Campbell's "outstanding services to patients and the community."

The nominating statement said: "As staff attendant on a disturbed service, Mr. Campbell exemplifies the highest type of capable ward management. His ward is orderly, neat, clean, and cheerful but the mechanics are scarcely apparent behind a careful efficient implementation. His management considers first the patient's comfort, and around the basic fundamental of the patient's comfort a planned routine that includes some interesting activity for each patient on the ward."

Mr. Campbell was born in East-kilbride, Scotland.

Thursday, May 7 will be open house day at the hospital. The general public, patients and their relatives are invited to attend a program in the auditorium at 2:30 P.M.

C. Pearson, Brooklyn State

Brooklyn State Hospital officials also met and named their choice for Psychiatric Aide of the Year, to be honored by the Brooklyn Association for Mental Health. Charles Edward Pearson, attendant on Ward 48, was selected.

'Little Green Book' New Edition Out

The new annual edition of "The Little Green Book," the NYC government's popular official directory, is out. Copies cost \$1 each and are obtainable only from Stephen H. Kelly, Supervisor of the City Record, Room 2213 Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, Manhattan. The book consists of 704 pages, or eight more than last year's edition.

The book costs more to produce than the City charges and serves as an excellent source of information on Federal, State and NYC government, helpful in passing exams for government jobs.

William Viertel is the editor. Every year the edition sells out, and there is no second printing.

Playground Director Jobs Going to 69

NYC is filling 69 vacancies as playground director (men), the first use of the new eligible list. The pay is \$2,930 total. Two of the jobs are in the Police Department, the remainder in the Parks Department.

Dime Club Dances

Seven hundred members and guests of The Dime Club, composed of employees and officers of the Dime Savings Bank of Brooklyn, attended the club's 19th annual dinner-dance in the grand ballroom of the Astor Hotel last week.

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Honorable mention goes to Mary G. Kelly, Claretta Graham Helen Maloney, Patrick Farrell and Vincent Gebbia.

Mr. Pearson has been an attendant at the hospital for more than 16 years. Throughout his service he has consistently had the best interest of his patients in mind. During holidays he decorates his ward, often at his own expense. He frequently entertains patients and sings for them at church services. Many patients, when transferred elsewhere, request a return to his ward. Mr. Pearson served in the Army from 1941 to 1945. He is married and has two children.

The award will be presented on May 6 during Mental Health Week, at the Hotel Granada. The film, "The Quiet One," will be shown at 8:30 P.M. Judge Nathaniel Kaplan of the Domestic Relations Court, and Brooklyn chairman of the Mental Health Fund campaign; Robert L. Cooper, director of the girls' camp, Welfare Island, and technical consultant for "The Quiet One," and Alan B. Rothenberg, chairman, will be guest speakers. Admission is free.

Third Award Winner

John O'Beirne, Manhattan State Hospital, has also been approved for honors in the Psychiatric Aide Achievements Awards of the National Association for Mental Health.

Mr. O'Beirne, age 46, has been employed at Manhattan State Hospital for four years. His services to patients and community have been attested to by co-workers, patients and their relatives. His dedication is representative of the care and rehabilitation of the mentally ill at the institution.

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Sample Questions to Help You Pass Exams

By H. J. BERNARD

The following sample exam questions are based on explanatory articles on arithmetic and grammar, published in the April 21 and 28 issues of The LEADER, with two questions on interpretation of paragraphs added.

ENGLISH

- The modifier of a noun is called an (A) adjective, (B) adverb, (C) conjunction, (D) ellipse, (E) none of these.
- The parts of a sentence are (A) proposition, supposition and transposition, (B) clause, phrase and subjunctive, (C) subject, predicate and object, (D) clarifier, modifier and amplifier, (E) primary, secondary and tertiary.
- "Running at top speed, the building could be reached in two minutes." The grammatical fault in this sentence is that (A) the statement is false; (B) the sentence structure is such that it relates the participle to the wrong noun; (C) all sentences should begin with the subject; (D) the sentence does not express an idea; (E) the word "reached" is incorrectly used.
- "Avaricious" means most nearly (A) greedy, (B) hostile, (C) bird-like, (D) conscientious, (E) lucky.

5. "Concomitant" means most nearly (A) antagonistic, (B) hopeful, (C) fellow-member, (D) gradual, (E) related.

PARAGRAPH READING

- "A nation is free to the degree that its form of government gives effect to the expression of popular will." This means that (A) the public is infallible; (B) representative government is the key to freedom; (C) government by the people is dangerous; (D) freedom is measured by response to popular will; (E) popular opinion decides the fate of nations.
- "The morals of a people are a reflection of their religious spirit." This means most nearly (A) that morals and religion are related; (B) morality without religion is impossible; (C) religion alone does not make a person moral; (D) people are as moral as they desire.

ARITHMETIC

- Pair the correct letters: (A) ratio, (B) proportion, (C) series, (D) relation of numbers, (E) pattern of numbers, (F) relation of equal ratios. Select the three correct combinations from among AD, AE, AF, BD, BE, BF, CD, CE, CF.
- Solve 4:8::16:—with one of these: (A) 20, (B) 28, (C) 8, (D) 32, (E) 4.

- Solve 6, 8, 7, 14, 5, 7, 6—with one of these: (A) 5, (B) 6, (C) 8, (D) 12, (E) 9.
- The inventor of a machine which operates by solar heat says that it accumulates heat in the day time at the rate of 10 units an hour on sunny days and 3 units an hour on cloudy days. During heat. In July there were 22 hours of daylight rain and 42 hours of rain there is no accumulation of cloudy daylight. Assuming on the average 13 hours of daylight per day in July, how many units could the machine have accumulated that month? (a) 339; (b) 403; (c) 3,516; (d) 3,810; (e) none of these.
- Implied question: How many days has July? Answer, 31. Therefore at 13 hours of daylight a day we are dealing with 13 x 31=403 hours. Of these, rainy and cloudy days account for 22+42=64 hours, leaving (403-64)=339 sunny hours. Now

Type Day	Operation	Units
Rainy:	22x3	= 66
Cloudy:	42x3	= 126
Sunny:	339x10	=3390
- (a) Our activities this month have been as interesting, if not more interesting than those of any other month this year. (b) Our activities this year have seldom

ever been as interesting as they have been this month. (c) Our activities this month have been more interesting than those of any other month this year. (d) Our activities this month have been more interesting, or at least as interesting as those of any month this year. (e) This month's activities have been more interesting than any previous month during the year.

Comment: (a) Word omitted; put another "as" in, after the first "interesting". (b) "Seldom" means "hardly ever," so omit "ever"; cloudy sentence needs rephrasing. (c) No comment. (d) Word "than" omitted after first "interesting." (e) Insert "those of" after "than" to make a sensible sentence.

- A.
- C.
- The statement is false, because clumsy construction produces a ridiculous sentence, but the question is not concerned with whether or not the statement is true. A grammatical point, not an evaluation of truth, is at issue; correct answer is (B). The running is being done by a person, not by the building. If the candidate were asked to rephrase the sentence properly, the answer could be, "One could reach the building in two minutes by running at top speed."
- A.
- E.
- "Expression of popular will" means nearly the same as "response to popular will".
- A.
- Ratio which is the relationship of numbers, was explained in articles in the previous issues, as were proportion, which is the ratio of equal ratios, and series, which is a sequence or pattern of numbers. Hence AD, BF and CE are the correct answers.
- D.
- This is a question about numbers in series. By inspection, it can be seen that the second number is 2 more than the first, and the third is one less than the second. So the series appears to be (plus 2, minus 1 and times 2). The sudden drop from 14 to 5 does not relate to any previously discovered sequence in the question. There are eight terms in the series, including the missing end term, so a four-term factor appears to be involved. It could be confirmed by applying the factor again, this time to 5 as starter. Add 2, equals 7; subtract 1, equals 6; multiply by 2, equals 12, the correct answer, D.
- C.
- C.

NYC Eligibles Within Reach for Appointment

Eligibles on the following NYC eligible lists were certified by the Municipal Civil Service Commission to various NYC departments and agencies for possible appointment.

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 Blacksmith's helper (revised), Brooklyn Borough President; 47.
 Bookkeeper, grade 1, Hospitals; 860 Y.
 Bridge tender attendant (male), grade 1 (appropriate), Public Works; 2614 Y.
 Civil engineering draftsman, Bronx Borough President; 9.
 Custodian, Education; 172.5.
 Deckhand (tugboat) (appropriate), Public Works; V 399 Y.
 Dental assistant, Welfare, Health; 3 Y.
 Health inspector, grade 1 (revised), Health; 99.

Historian (medical records), Hospitals; 26.
 House painter (revised), Sanitation; V 60.
 Inspector of carpentry and masonry, grade 3, Housing and Buildings; 48.
 Junior actuary, Teachers Retirement, Police, Transportation; 20 Y.
 Junior chemist, Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, 56 Y; Transportation, 43 Y.
 Junior mechanical engineer, Transportation; VC 5 Y.
 Junior statistician, Health, Hospitals, Housing Authority, Welfare, Youth Board; 32 Y.
 Laboratory assistant (chemistry) (appropriate), Hospitals; 20 Y.
 Law assistant, grade 2 (appropriate), Comptroller's Office; 76.
 Maintainer's helper, grade B, Transportation; 964 Y.
 Maintainer's helper, group C, Transportation; VC 41.5 Y.
 Maintainer's helper, group D, Transportation; 163 Y.
 Marine officer, Marine and Aviation; 159 Y.
 Mechanical engineer, Air Pollution Control; 32.5.
 Methods analyst (revised), Higher Education; 5.
 Oiler, Sanitation, Hospitals, Public Works; V 92.
 Roentgenologist, grade 4 (revised), Hospitals; V 78.
 Sewage treatment worker, Public Works; V 74.
 Social investigator, grade 1, Welfare; 2596.
 Stock assistant (men), Hospitals, Welfare, Correction, Education, City College, Housing Authority; 170 Y.
 Surface line operator, Transportation; 5966 Y.
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SPECIAL MILITARY
 Able seaman, Public Works; 21.
 Attendant (male), grade 1, Parks, Public Works; 85.5 MY.
 Cleaner (men), City Hunter, Brooklyn, Queens Colleges, Public Works; 3164 Y.
 Conductor, Transportation; 5610 Y.
 Laboratory assistant, Hospitals; 110.
 Laborer, Queens College; 3180 Y.
 Playground director (men), Parks; 128 MY.
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 Cleaner (men), Brooklyn, Queens, Hunter, City Colleges, Public Works; 3164 Y (list of December 5, 1950).
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Wadlin Dies
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PROMOTION
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 Assistant electrical engineer, Education; 1.
 Assistant resident buildings superintendent, Housing Authority; V 30.
 Chief marine engineer, Marine and Aviation; 8.
 Conductor, NYCTS; 30.
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 Court clerk, grade 4, City Court; 23.
 Electrical inspector, grade 4, Traffic; 9.
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STATE—Room 2301 at 270 Broadway, New York 7, N. Y., Tel. BARclay 7-1616; lobby of State Office Building, and 39 Columbia Street, Albany, N. Y.; Room 302, State Office Building, Buffalo 2, N. Y. Hours 8:30 to 5, excepting Saturdays, 9 to 12. Also, Room 400 at 155 West Main Street, Rochester, N. Y., Thursdays and Fridays, 9 to 5. All of foregoing applies to exams for county jobs.

NYC—NYC Civil Service Commission, 96 Duane Street, New York 7, N. Y. (Manhattan) two blocks north of City Hall, just west of Broadway, opposite the LEADER office. Hours 9 to 4, excepting Saturday, 9 to 12. Tel. COrtlandt 7-8880.

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 U. S. Civil Service Commission—IRT Seventh Avenue local to Christopher Street station.

Data on Applications by Mail
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Activities of Civil Service Employees in N. Y. State



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Metropolitan Public Service

THE NEXT regular meeting of the Metropolitan Public Service chapter, CSEA, will be held Tuesday, May 12 at 5:30 P.M. in the Commission's hearing room, 8th floor, 233 Broadway, N. Y. C.

The agenda will consist of: (1) election results of officers and executive council members; (2) plans for a dinner during June, in connection with installation of officers; and (3) explanation of the new accident and sickness insurance plan, by a representative of Ter Bush & Powell, agents.

This is an important meeting and all members are urged to attend, said Edith Fruchthender, chapter secretary.

Newark State School

NEWS FROM Newark State School chapter, CSEA:

Those who spent the weekend at Gowanda report a wonderful time. Louie thinks the birds were especially friendly and Chet says the cows down there sure produce a good grade of milk.

Among those in sick bay have been John Pratt, Edna Blackmon, Dr. Bullock, Seria Filkins, Floyd Fitchpatrick, Helen DeWeaver and Arthur Sloan. Josephine Stover and Rose Higgs were also ill.

Vacationers included Lula Redder, Harold and Mildred Allen, Erma Everdyke, Anna Hubright, Margaret Austin, Margaret Crowe, Evelyn Baker, Frances Howard, Emma Hartshorn, Ella Lawrence, Melissa Hadlock, Mary Satta, Eva Baity (who joined her husband in Florida), Carolyn Hawley (in NYC with Lois Sweet), and Vera Van Hall (in Florida).

It's good to see Lois Shaffner and Eilvarena Grimes back at work.

Willard State Hospital

WILLARD STATE Hospital news:

Arlene Elizabeth Cook Blanchard and Harold Lewis Belle were married April 24 in Seneca Falls Congregational Church. The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Cook of Penn Yan, was given in marriage by her father. The groom is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Belle of Massena. Rev. Burwell Lamb, pastor of the church, officiated.

Mrs. Marvin Cuer and Doris McGuire were matron and maid of honor. Marvin Cuer, Thomas Thompson and Bernard Gouchie attended the groom.

A reception was held at the VFW Home, Ovid.

After a wedding trip to NYC, the couple will reside at North Home. The bride is employed at Sunnycroft Building; the groom is a photographer at the hospital.

David Treadwell, who retired after 26 years of service, was given a surprise testimonial party at his home, by former co-workers of the occupational therapy department. He and Mrs. Treadwell were presented with gifts. Guests present were Mrs. Georgiana Stenglein, Mrs. Dorothy Clarke, Mrs. Bernice Robinson, Florence Domedion, Mrs. Elizabeth Favreau, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chipser, Jane VanVleet, Mrs. Beulah Phetteplace, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith, Mrs. Blanche Miller, Mrs. Helen Huhn, Mrs. Margaret Hungerford, Mrs. Gail Reagan, Mrs. Ida Bromka, Sara Townsend,

Elizabeth Sandy and Jean Nicholson.

Capping of 15 Willard and Gowanda students will take place May 6 at Hadley Hall, Willard State Hospital School of Nursing.

Mrs. Virginia Milliman has completed a three-year nursing course. She also affiliated at Syracuse Memorial and Good Shepherd Hospital, Syracuse. Her husband, Gerald Milliman, is a nurse at Craig Colony, Sonyea. Mrs. Milliman is now at Sonyea.

Willard will be host to a two-day psychiatric institute at Hadley Hall June 10 and 11. The institute is held each year for nurse educators, graduate nurses, public health nurses, college students and others.

Nellie Zukaitis, nursing school principal, attended a conference on Accreditation Standards For Schools of Nursing, at Niagara University School of Nursing.

The following members of the Willard nursing staff attended a joint faculty meeting of Willard, Gowanda and Craig Colony, at Gowanda State Hospital: Nellie Zukaitis, principal; Mrs. Margaret McDonald, assistant principal; Webb Rankin, science instructor; Mrs. Shirley Hoppe, nursing arts instructor, and Mildred Fletcher, clinical instructor. Willard students attending the meeting were Margaret Hawes, Joann MacDonald, Ethel Nivison, Doris Osborne, Patricia Robinson, Ann Somerville, Margery Tompkins and Florence VanNorman.

Willard State Hospital League and Indian League held their bowling banquet at the Romulus Hotel. Samuel Peltz, business officer, was master of ceremonies. George Lewin was elected president of the Hospital League, succeeding Carlton Sweet. Mr. Lewin had been vice president. William Neilson is the new vice president, and Grant Baley continues as secretary-treasurer of both the Hospital League and the Indian League. Succeeding Webb Rankin as president of the Indian League is Gabriel Sinicropi. Albert Thompson was elected vice president. The Hospital League participated in the bowling tournament at Gowanda.

"Don't Let Best in Show Blind Us" is the name of an article by William W. Rogers which appears in the April issue of the Pure Bred Dogs American Kennel Gazette. Mr. Rogers, head nurse at the hospital, is a local breeder of Sealyham terriers and owner of the Misgay Kennels. An illustrated article by Mr. Rogers, on the building of prefabricated kennels, will appear in the spring issue of Gaine's Dog Research Progress.

Get-well wishes to Marilyn Woodington, Thomas McDonald, Irene McArdle, Mary McGough, Carlton and Dorothy Sweet's daughter, and to Elizabeth J. Wilkens, convalescing at home.

Marion Limner and Charles Boyer have returned to work after illnesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Guilfoos are vacationing in Georgia, Edward McDonald in Missouri.

Marion F. Stewart has transferred from the laundry to the main dining room.

Zella Williamson has resigned. Work has been progressing on Harold Cuer's new home.

Willard State Hospital was host to the executive committee of the State Student Nurses Association. A business meeting was held in the School of Nursing Library. Other schools represented were

Bellevue Hospital, NYC; Mills School of Nursing, NYC; St. Luke's Hospital, Newburg; St. Roses Hospital, Albany; Keuka College, Keuka Park and E. J. Meyer Hospital, Buffalo. An informal tea followed the meeting. Dr. Kenneth Keill, director, and Nellie Zukaitis, principal, attended.

Chapter membership is gradually increasing and is ahead of last year's total membership. Your support is needed and welcomed. Give dues to anyone on the membership committee. Dues are now \$2.50 for new members, \$5 for those who were members previously.

If you have any news items, please send them to reporter Gabe Sinicropi by Tuesday of each week. Several big-time papers are after his services. The only to keep him is by an increase in news, so flood him with news in the coming weeks.

Manhattan State Hospital

THE JOINT MEETING of the Metropolitan and Southern Conferences was well attended by representatives of Manhattan State Hospital, including Catharine Boyle, Al White, Margaret Feeney, Patrick Geraghty, Florence Sommerer and John Wallace. Representatives of MSH chapter introduced two resolutions, which were unanimously accepted, for action by the CSEA in putting before Governor Dewey and the State Legislature at the special session, a bill providing for a 37½-hour work-week for institutional office employees, and the free toll bill for non-resident car owners who work at MSH.

Training Course Ends

The fourth and final session of leadership training was completed on April 21, under the chairmanship of CSEA field representative Charles Culyer. Among the topics discussed: failure of the State Legislature to vote a 10 percent salary increase and a salary freeze-in, as well as proposed retirement legislation; the 40-hour five-day week without loss of salary; the 7½ percent extra pay for hazardous or arduous work, and other projects. Reallocation and reclassification appeals and hearings should be streamlined, and the Budget Director should carefully weigh upward reallocation proposals of the Director of Classification and Compensation, the chapter feels.

Better procedure for handling grievances was favored.

Every Association member should get one new member, and the advantages of Association should be impressed on all non-members, the chapter feels.

A strong publicity drive was recommended to back up the pay raise campaign.

Recognition Due Employees

During Mental Hygiene Week every effort should be exerted to tell the institutional story of care of patients; the conscientiousness of those employees whose daily work bring them closer to mental disease; the revelation recently published that one out of every 10 persons statistically is mentally ill; the struggle by employees of tubercular institutions to get extra compensation; the many non-competitive positions in State service, and the difficulties of the Civil Service Commission in getting ap-

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During this initial period, May 4 to May 29, we will give special underwriting consideration to all applications. So each interested person should request a meeting through the chapter president.

Write a letter or postcard, or call Charles A. Carlisle, Jr. or Robert N. Boyd, care of Ter Bush & Powell, 148 Clinton Street, Schenectady, N. Y. Phone Schenectady 4-7751.

plicants for positions in State service.

Mr. Culyer was thanked for his fine understanding and assistance. Refreshments were served.

The chapter officers and members extend get-well wishes to William Oshinsky, Betty O'Doherty, Margaret (Peg) Mahoney, Mrs. William Murphy and Frank Michalski. Drop each one a card of cheery words. It helps.

Legion Post Dance

The Major Louis A. Cuvillier Post 1047, American Legion, held its annual installation and dance on May 2 at 9 P.M. at the Homestead, 130 East 126th Street. Gerald Griffin of the carpenter shop is post commander.

Drs. Nicolai Gloscia and Joseph Koenig transferred to Creedmoor State Hospital. MSH employees wish them success in their new posts.

Bowlers representing MSH at the Jamboree at Central Islip were George Shanks, Ralph Carfagno, Bob Magee, Gerald Griffin, Frank Montoux, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis O'Shea, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gallagher. The Jamboree has been a topic of conversation since the team returned. They agree it was wonderful, and send thanks to the hospital's director and to the committee in charge.

Friends and co-workers of Delia McMahon of the Higgins dining room, will give her a retirement party in the amusement hall on Wednesday, May 6 at 7 P. M. Miss McMahon has 22 years of State service. She will live in Newport, R. I.

Employees who want to attend the party should communicate with Nora Tracey or John Wallace.

Motor Vehicle Bureau Albany

THE ANNUAL Communion breakfast of the Motor Vehicle Bureau chapter, Albany, was held at the De Witt Clinton Hotel, following 9:15 A.M. Mass at St. Mary's Church. Father Peter Dirven of the Mill Hill Fathers was the speaker, and Alfred Castellano, chapter president, was toastmaster. Father Dirven was born in Breda, Holland, and came to his Albany assignment from England.

Co-chairman of the breakfast were Mrs. Josephine Van Galen and Ann Gavin. Mary Stack was in charge of tickets. Soloists were Mrs. Mary Keefe and Mrs. Laura Perry, with Mary Masterson as accompanist.

The M.V.B. softball team, champions of the State Employees Softball League for the past two years, gave promise of repeating again this year. They defeated the Voorheesville Wildcats in an exhibition game, 10 to 4. Managers Lou Cioffi and Thurlow Barnes will be aided in defense of the crown by Grant Dennin and Jack Thompson, recently returned from service. Both are eager to take up where they left off in 1950.

The defense bond special award drawing for the team benefit was won by Ethel Hanifan. Consolation prizes went to Roselle Dodds and Lorraine Duclos.

Brooklyn State Hospital

AT THE BOARD of directors meeting at Brooklyn State Hospital, William J. Farrell, nominating committee chairman, reported the following candidates for office: Emil Impresa, president; Frank J. Cole, 1st vice president; Barbara Sweet, 2nd vice president; Mollie Streisand, secretary; Rudolph

Raise Studied As Award For Ideas

ALBANY, May 4—The Merit Award Board, of which Dr. Frank L. Tolman is Chairman, is studying the possibilities of awarding salary increases for suggestions it accepts, as well as medals or other insignia.

There has been some State employee support recently of the idea of substituting insignia for certificates of merit.

Salary increases may be awarded, under the present law, but not in the way that employees would prefer.

Rauch, treasurer; James Dart, Laura Kampe and Arnold Moses, delegate. (Candidates for the board of directors will appear in next week's issue).

Elections will take place May 19 in the Assembly Hall. Nominations for any office will be accepted from the floor.

Members of the Memorial Day committee are Emil Impresa, Frances L. Wilson, Rudolph Rauch and Catherine Sullivan.

The occupational therapy department, headed by Edith Weingarten, senior occupational therapist, will conduct its spring sale on Wednesdays and Sundays from May 3 through May 13.

The Brooklyn State Hospital Psychiatric Forum will hold its eighth and last meeting of the season on Thursday, May 7 at 8:30 P.M. in the Assembly Hall. Dr. J. Vosburgh Lyons, neurologist and lecturer at the State Psychiatric Institute, will discuss "How Our Emotions Are Related to Our Brain Centers." The meeting coincides with Mental Health Week, May 3 to 9, and with a national fund-raising campaign. Dr. Norton L. Williams is chairman of the fund at Brooklyn State, assisted by supervisors in each building and department.

Anna Podola, staff nurse, and Pvt. Walter Melnyczuk were married May 2 at the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer. Best wishes to both of them.

Congratulations to James Duggan on receiving the practical nurse's item.

George Farrell is recuperating from a recent injury, and Sarah Reynolds and Ethel Iverson are recuperating from illnesses.

Enjoying spring vacations are Frances G. Wilson, John Regan, Martin Knaster, Calixte Anduze, Martin Quinn, John Leonard, Joe Leight, Preston Johnson, Daniel Cmelko, Addie Wall, Helen Stasin-sky, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mallett, Pat McLoughlin, William McBeth and Edgar Lewis.

Some of the boys in the 106th Infantry of the New York National Guard who spent the weekend at Camp Smith were Frank J. Cole, William J. Farrell, Edward Concilio and Bob Bailey.

Welcome to the following new employees: Charles Stevenson, David Brooks, Andrew Pope, Nathaniel Neelon, Lillian Pitt, Janie Gardner, Brenda Ann Rosen, Urbano Bandine, James Simmons and Sam Rybakoff.

Best of luck to Mrs. Mildred J. Basan, on maternity leave.

NYC STENOS WANT OWN GRADE 5 EXAM; PROTEST BEING FORCED INTO CLERK TEST

A request has been made to the NYC Civil Service Commission by a group of stenographers, grade 4, that a citywide exam for promotion to stenographer, grade 5, be held.

No Steno '5' Exam
The Commission has amended the requirements in the exam for promotion to clerk, grade 5, to make grade 4 stenographers eligible. This avoids holding an exam for promotion to stenographer,

grade 5, in line with the preference of the Budget Director's office. That office holds that employees, to be qualified for grade 5 pay, for which there is no upper limit, should be able to assume administrative and other responsible duties, hence, in effect, states that if the only skill of stenography is to be used, there are no opportunities for grade 4 stenographers attaining grade 5.

The protesting group of grade

4 stenographers work in the NYC Housing Authority.

The clerk promotion is citywide, though separate departmental lists will be established.

Unequal Time to Prepare
The stenographers also complain that the belated inclusion of their title as one eligible in the clerk promotion gives them less time to prepare for the exam than their clerk competitors, and also forces them to compete with clerks, though they themselves seek to rise as stenographers.

The group say that since separate exams were given for promotion to stenographer, grades 3 and 4, the Commission has no other fair alternative than to hold

a separate promotion test in the

The group, which sent a protest letter to the Commission, consists of the following 14 women: Ida Kimelman, May Erkmann, Ruth

Slutsky, Fannie Glaser, Mary Lavery, Winifred Boyle, Marion Inerfield, Dorothy Tocker, Esther Oberter, Gussie Jacobson, Margaret V. Gibbons, Martha Jacobs, Mae Latten and Beatrice Curry.

Counselor and Teacher Tests Close May 8

ALBANY, May 4 — Exams will be held on Saturday, June 13 to all jobs as rehabilitation counselor, correction institution teacher (drafting), and correction institution teacher (home economics), the State Civil Service Commission announced. Applications will be accepted up to Friday, May 8.

There are rehabilitation counselor vacancies in all district offices of the State Education Department's division of vocational rehabilitation. The division has offices in NYC, Syracuse, Rochester, Buffalo, Albany, Binghamton, Utica, Elmira, Poughkeepsie, and Malone.

The pay range is \$4,512 to \$5,839 a year in five annual increases. Candidates must be college graduates and have four years of full-time paid experience in the adjustment of vocational problems. Additional education may be substituted for part of the experience requirements.

Elmira and Bedford Hills
The correction institution teacher (drafting) job is at the Elmira Reformatory. Starting salary is \$3,411 a year with a maximum \$4,212 reached after five annual pay increases. Candidates must have a bachelor's degree with specialization in architecture, engineering, or applied sciences. They must also have or be eligible for a New York State certificate for teaching technical or related technical subjects.

The correction institution teacher (home economics) job pays from \$3,411 to \$4,212 a year in five annual salary increases. There is one vacancy at Westfield State Farm, Bedford Hills. Candidates must have a bachelor's degree and be eligible for a New York State certificate for teaching home economics. They must also have one year of experience in teaching home economics, and some experience in supervising a cafeteria or restaurant serving not less than 100 persons at each meal.

Candidates who expect to be graduated from college or a teacher training institution by June 30, 1953, will be allowed to compete in both correction institution examinations if they meet the rest of the requirements.

Apply to the State Department of Civil Service, State Office Building, Albany, 1, N. Y., or at a local office of the State Employment Service. Send mail applications to the Albany address and enclose six cent stamped and return addressed nine-inch envelope.

CORRECTION
Through a typographical error a wrong answer appeared in the article on numbers in series published in the April 28 issue of The LEADER. The correct answer to question 5 is 21.

Openings For U. S. Jobs In Kitchens

The Veterans Administration Hospital, 130 West Kingsbridge Road, Bronx 68, is seeking kitchen helpers for jobs paying \$2,420 a year. There are no education or experience requirements.

Even persons over 70 years of age are eligible and would be given temporary appointments for not more than one year. Such temporary appointments are renewable for additional periods. Those under 70 would be given better than temporary employment.

There is no minimum experience requirements. Applicants with experience in food preparation, cooking or baking, waiting on tables, performing bus boy duties, washing kitchen utensils or other similar duties will be given special credit.

Ability to read and write English fairly well is required.

The exam is restricted to persons entitled to veteran preference.

Apply to the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners at the hospital not later than Tuesday, May 26.

Key Answers

TENTATIVE OFFICE APPLIANCE OPERATOR GRADE 2 (Held Saturday, April 25)

- Part I
1, D; 2, C; 3, A; 4, C; 5, B; 6, A; 7, A; 8, C; 9, D; 10, D; 11, A; 12, B; 13, D; 14, D; 15, A; 16, B; 17, C; 18, D; 19, A; 20, D; 21, D; 22, C; 23, A; 24, B; 25, C; 26, B; 27, A; 28, B; 29, A; 30, A; 31, X; 32, K; 33, Z; 34, N; 35, H; 36, I; 37, I; 38, A; 39, P; 40, L; 41, B; 42, C; 43, C; 44, B; 45, B; 46, A; 47, C; 48, D; 49, A; 50, D; 51, A; 52, D; 53, C; 54, B; 55, A; 56, A; 57, B; 58, B; 59, A; 60, A; 61, C; 62, B; 63, A; 64, A; 65, B; 66, B; 67, D; 68, C; 69, C; 70, A.

The NYC Civil Service Commission will accept protests in the tentative key answers until Thursday, May 14. There were 126 candidates in the exam.

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT (From), Sanitation (Held Saturday, April 25)

- 1, A; 2, D; 3, B; 4, C; 5, B; 6, C; 7, D; 8, C; 9, D; 10, B; 11, D; 12, C; 13, B; 14, C; 15, C; 16, D; 17, A; 18, A; 19, D; 20, A; 21, B; 22, D; 23, B; 24, B; 25, B; 26, C; 27, C; 28, D; 29, A; 30, C; 31, C; 32, D; 33, D; 34, A; 35, C; 36, B; 37, D; 38, A; 39, C; 40, B; 41, A; 42, D; 43, C; 44, D; 45, C; 46, C; 47, D; 48, A; 49, A; 50, C.

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TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Amended Complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer, or if the Amended Complaint is not served with this Supplemental Summons, to serve a notice of appearance on the plaintiff's attorneys within twenty (20) days after the service of this Supplemental Summons, exclusive of the day of service. In the case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the Amended Complaint.

Dated: New York, March 31, 1953.
GOLDENKOFF & MURPHY, Attorneys for Plaintiff, 551 Fifth Avenue, New York 17, N. Y.

Plaintiff resides in Bronx County and designates Bronx County as place of trial. TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: The foregoing supplemental summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of Hon. Louis A. Valente, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated April 18, 1953, and filed with the amended complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, 551 Grand Concourse, Bronx, N. Y.

This action is brought to foreclose the following transfers of tax liens sold by the City of New York and now owned by the plaintiff, all bearing interest at 12% per annum and affecting property shown on the Tax Map of the Borough of the Bronx, City and State of New York, as follows:

Lien No. 64180, March 23, 1943, Sec. 16, Block 4940, Lot 29, \$8,700.88.
Lien No. 68106, Jan. 11, 1944, Sec. 16, Block 5399, Lot 31, \$4,018.31.

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- Chlorinator operator, 83.
- First assistant marine engineer (Diesel), 2.
- Inspector of plastering, grade 3; 8.
- Inspector of steel (construction), grade 3; 8.
- Inspector of steel (shop), grade 3; 1.
- Laboratory assistant (bacteriology), 102.
- Playground director, 91.
- PROMOTION**
- Foreman (electrical power), NYCTS; 55.
- Foreman (structures—group D), NYCTS; A.
- Foreman of traffic devices, Transit, 16.
- Inspector of service (cafes), NYCTS; 1.
- Stationary engineer, general list; 78.
- Stationary engineer, City College; 2.
- Stationary engineer, Correction; 8.
- Stationary engineer, Hospitals; 36.
- Stationary engineer, Hunter College; 1.
- Stationary engineer, President, Borough of Brooklyn; 2.
- Stationary engineer, President, Borough of Queens; 1.
- Stationary engineer, Public Works; 23.
- Stationary engineer, Sanitation; 12.
- Stationary engineer, Welfare; 1.

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