# Leader Marks 25th Anniversary

# It's Been An Exciting **Quarter Of A Century**

₹ IVIL Service jobs seemed more important in those years—a quarter century agowhen Jerry Finkelstein was Civil Service Editor of the New York Daily Mirror and as many as 97,000 filed for a single examination. So, it was not surprising that the 23-year old Mirror staff man Jerry Finkelstein and his good friend Seward Brisbane, son of the

decided that there was room for from 30,000 membership to a cur- Poughkeepsie among others. a lively civil service newspaper rent 125,000. in New York,

Service Employees Assn. grow Albany, Syracuse, Rochester,

Starting in a small office at Today the Civil Service Leader 305 Broadway, they began garneris the largest civil service paper ing material, making plans, estab-The Leader started with a cir- in the world and has the 14th lishing pipelines and working out culation of 17,000 in 1939 and curlargest circulation of any paper, an editorial policy which they rently has a circulation in excess including dailies. In New York thought would fit the people of of 150,000. It has seen the Civil State, ranging ahead of dailies in their own age-the agressive

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t Lyndon B. Johnson t letter to The Leader

from Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller and a personal presentation by Mayor Robert Wagner to Mr. Finkelstein of a "Certificate

of Appreciation" led the list of congratulatory messages received by The Leader on the 25th anni- had voted unanimously to cite versary of its founding.

public employee organizations also sent good wishes and Joseph F. Feily, president of the 125,000member Civil Service Employees Assn., informed Mr. Finkelstein

that the CSEA Board of Directors The Leader with a plaque, to be Heads of the state's leading presented at the organization's annual convention next month is

In wiring his congratulations to Mr. Finkelstein, President Johnson (Continued on Page 11)

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### Promotion Exams

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MAYOR CITES THE LEADER - New York City's Mayor Robert F. Wagner, hands Jerry Finkelstein, publisher of the Civil Service Leader, a "Certificate of Appreciation" for the 25 years of dedicated service the Civil Service Leader has offered the public employee,

# Nurse Promotion Titles Termed 'Career Dead End

ALBANY, Sept. 21-The Civil Service Employees Assn. has protested to the Civil Service Department proposed minimum qualifications for supervising nurse and chief supervising nurse resulting from the removal of these titles from the non-competitive class.

CSEA claims that under the proposed minimum qualifications. nearly all head nurses presently in State service would be ineligible to compete for the position of supervising nurse.

In its protest, CSEA says that these head nurses now find their way blocked because of the newly imposed requirements. The Employees Assn. said that "when the position of supervising nurse was in the non-competitive class, one year of service as head nurse was sufficient to provide eligibility for promotion." CSEA claims that the

present one-year requirement is in sharp contrast to the proposed requirements which include a bachelor of science degree in nursing and two years of graduate nursing experience.

According to CSEA estimates, less than one hundred presently employed head nurses will possess the necessary minimum qualifications to compete for promotion to supervising nurse under the proposed qualifications. With an estimated 1,800 filled head nurse positions, "this means that some!

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Decision Due Oct. 5 BROOME

# **Broome County Agrees** To Reconsider CSEA's 5-Point Plan Request

He said each item in the CSEA

not "go down the line with them."

matter is expected by Oct. 5,"

At the meeting's outset Ridley

from Joseph F. Feily, state CSEA

The letter, sent to Henry M

employee group had been treated

"with a callous disdain and a

(From Leader Correspondent)

BINGHAMTON, Sept. 21-At a surprisingly calm meet-rudeness that we found shocking" ing last week the Employees Committee of the Broome at an earlier meeting with the County Board of Supervisors agreed to reconsider a fivepoint proposal for increased pay and benefits for county employees.

he said.

president.

Officials of the Broome chapt- annual increments instead of the CSEA-requested general pay raise. er of the Civil Service Employees Assn. were so satisfied with the proposal would be reconsidered. attitude of the county committee but that the committee would they called off a membership meetig scheduled tonight.

#### Alternate Plan Seen

However, Earle D. Ridley, (R-Sixth), committee chairman, said after the meeting with CSEA officials it is likely his group will recommend a system of higher

Repeat This! **Civil Service** Vote--Where

CURIOSITY UR has been aroused. A York Times story of Sept. 13 reporting voter sentiment in the Presidential race at one point quoted a policeman as saying "There are 25,000 cops in New York City and I'd say that 23,000 of them are going to vote for Goldwater."

Yet, a Times story three days (Continued on Page 2)

Ridley Committee.

"I'm going to be perfectly frank," Ridley said. "I didn't appreciate the letter."

#### Disputed Point

The only point of dispute at the earlier meeting came when county officials refused to accept the CSEA viewpoint that a yearly "A committee decision on the increment received by a worker is not a raise in pay, Ridley said.

The CSEA takes the position that any increment increase is declared his committee had "been a guaranteed wage and that only done an injustice" by a letter across-the-board increase can be considered a salary raise, Benjamin Roberts, CSEA field representative explained yester-Baldwin, board chairman, said the

> "We didn't buy that at our last (Continued on Page 20)





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ON THE OCCASION OF THE SILVER ANNIVERSARY OF THE CIVIL SERVICE LEADER, I AM HAPPY TO EXPRESS TO YOU AND TO YOUR STAFF MY APPRECIATION FOR THE LONG EFFECTIVE SERVICE YOUR PAPER HAS RENDERED IN HELPING TO EXPAND AND HAINTAIN THE HERIT SYSTEM AND IN ENCOURAGING HIGH STANDARDS OF PUBLIC SERVICE AMONG ALL OUR CIVIL SERVICE EMPLOYEES. YOUR DEFENSE OF THE INTERESTS OF THESE EMPLOYEES HAS BEHEFITED NOT ONLY THEM BUT ALSO A WIDER PUBLIC. I AM CONFIDENT THAT IN THE YEARS AHEAD YOU WILL SUSTAIN THE QUALITIES WHICH

HAVE MADE YOUR PAPER A LEADER IN ITS FIELD LYNDON & JOHNSON.

LBJ's MESSAGE: Shown above is the telegram President Lyndon B. Johnson sent to Leader publisher Jerry Finkelstein concerning the 25th anniversary of the founding of The Leader.

# Don't Repeat This!

(Continued from Page 1)

was expected to carry the state choice by sending a card or letter by 1,500,000 votes, a larger marin than in Franklin D. Roosevelt's 1932 landslide victory, and that the GOP was going to concentrate on Assembly elections here, a prediction made in this column several weeks ago.

If the second Times story is accurate, a good many of those million and a half votes for Johnson would have to come from the civil service voter, which together with their families represents some 20 per cent of the State's voting population. This, in turn, would cancel out the accuracy of the intimation that nearly 90 percent of the policemen are going to vote for Senator Goldwater.

In reverse, if the first story is anywhere near right, the estimates on a Johnson victory in the state could be way off base.

#### Let Us Know

Since this newspaper reaches a vast cross section of the civil service population in the State we felt we could get the answer to which view point is correct by polling our readers as to their choice in the forthcoming race. You can be sure that both candidates are vitally interested in knowing where this huge voting bloc stands.

# **Jewish Employees Group Meeting** Set For Sept. 23

The Jewish State Employees Assn. will hold their opening meeting on Wednesday, September 23, 1964, at 80 Centre Street, Room 609 at 6 p.m. The proposed revision of Constitution and By-Laws will be presented to the membership for their approval, Plans for an Annual Chanukah Party scheduled for Wednesday, December 2, 1964 will be formulated.

Congratulations will also be given to three past presidents, Morris Gimpelson, Nathan Rogers and Lawrence Siegel on their promotion to District Supervisor in charge of their respective Motor Vehicle Department offices.

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Our poll is strictly an informal later declared Lyndon B. Johnson one and you can let us know your to "Don't Repeat This," 97 Duane St., New York, 7, N.Y. The cards or letters do not even have to be signed. Your response could prove a surprise to one candidate or the other.

> Predictions are that ticketsplitting in New York this year will be phenomenal and again an indication of this from the civil servant will be important. Outside of the Presidential race the hottest contest in the country is the race between Sen. Kenneth B. Keating and former Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy. We would like to hear from you on this race, too, and you can include your choice on the same card or letter if you so desire.

This poll is not intended in any way as an endorsement of any candidate. Rather, it is meant to show how one of the most important segments of the voting population feels about the election and to illustrate once again that the civil service bloc is a bloc that all candidates must be concerned

# **New Rules For Court Employees Reflect Protests**

The new rules for court employees, covering grievance procedures and time and leave rules were distributed on August 20, 1964 to become effective on October 1, 1964. Release of additional rules on reclassification, which are expected to provide a career and merit system for judiciary employees are expected to be released at any moment.

The new rules reflect many of the suggestions made by SSCAA counsel, Murray A. Gordon, Esq., at the Administrative Board hearing held on March 17, 1964 in response to protests against the original proposals. In commenting on the original grievance procedures, Attorney Gordon called for:

1. The right of an aggrieved employee to representation by a representative of his choice at every stage of the procedure. This has been granted.

2. That the determination should within a definite time perlod, to be fixed by the rules and that such determination be in writing. This has been granted.

3. In commenting on the proposed sick leave, annual leave and terminal leave proposals; the SSCAA counsel pointed out the absence of any provisions for (Continued on Page 4)

Your Public Relations 10

By LEO J. MARGOLIN



# Misconceptions Widespread

its objectives and its effectiveness both in government and in private industry are as widespread as ever.

EVEN AMONG knowledgeable people, inluding intelligent public officials and respected media such as "The relations continues to be misunderstood to an appalling

ALL THIS IS distressing since public relations is basically a communications function which seeks to create understanding. Instead, misunderstanding about public relations seems to reign supreme.

PERHAPS, the public relations people themselves are to blame. In their zeal to create understand between their clients and various publics, they have sadly neglected the public relations of public relations.

RECENTLY, "The Wall Street Journal", usually as savvy a newspaper as we have in the United States, made a big "booby" about public relations. They discussed public relations when they really meant press relations. Perhaps they can't really be held accountable because frequently even public relations men fail to differentiate between public relations, which is the whole apple. and press relations, one of the slices of the apple.

"THE WALL STREET JOUR-NAL" reported that "a computer can tell the boss how effective his public relations have been .n the same way it informs him how many crates of machinery are in the company warehouse."

EVEN ON ITS FACE, this is utter nonsense because the counting of the clippings by the computer doesn't tell whether the clippings report favorably or unfavorably about a company or a government agency. Nor does it tell whether anyone ever read the clippings, and, if they did read them, what impact the clippings made.

WE WISH PEOPLE in governernment would understand this. Many government executives call for an arithmetical count of the clippings about their agency, never giving a single thought to the total effect of their public relations program.

MANY OTHERWISE efficient government executives lull themselves into a fog of wellbeing by the large numbers of clippings about their agency. Yet, just 50 feet away is a telephone operator who snarls at people, and a clerk at a public counter who allows

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MISCONCEPTIONS about visitors to cool their heels while public relations, it meanings, he reads down to the last piece of agate type about last night's "crucial" baseball game.

WE'D LIKE TO see a computer evaluate this agency's public relations! If such a computer were already invented, it would spew out all the zeros from its innards.

AT THE RISK of being repetitious, we must emphasize that Wall Street Journal", public public relations involves all of a government agency's functionswhat it does, how it does it, whether it serves the public interest, and how well it commuicates. Newspaper clippings are totally meaningless if an agency fails to operate in the public interest.

> WE THINK the problem is explained superbly in the "Public Relations Journal" by F. Gordon

Davis, a public relations practitioner from Birmingham, Mich.I "THE TRUTH IS, our specialized activity (public relations); is a necessary one born of the enormous and growing complexity of our society and of the proliferation of our means of communication. Its foundation is the skilled use of tools of communication to develop common understanding of the complicated structures of our society, whether corporate, institutional, sociological, political, economic or mercantile. By its very nature, the role imposes substantial obligations to help shape these structures and the products and

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# City Employee



By HERBERT S. BAUCH

(The views expressed in this column are those of the writer and do not necessarily constitute the views of this newspaper.)

### Looking For "Greener Pastures'

THERE IS a great deal of unrest in the city service today due to many influences, and many city employees are endeavoring to be transferred out of their agency into what they would like to call "greener pastures".

UNFORTUNATELY, there is no city agency set-up whereby a city employee can go and sell his wares, much as they do in a personnel employment agency; transfers therefor must be made on the basis of favoritism, political connections and rarely on merit or good luck to be at the right place at the

I HAVE BEEN surprised of late to see how many good, consciencious city employees are unhappy in their present asssignments, how many yearn to transfer to some other agency where they believe their qualifications will be appreciated.

BUT WHERE do thy go?

AND TO WHOM?

FOR THOSE who are looking for an opportunity to better themselves, may I suggest one of the newer agencies where a personnel buildup is just beginning. It is in these very agencies that promotions are being made on a provisional basis to the very top ranks, inasmuch as under the Weber decision no promotions are likely to be made in the upper grades for years to come. I know of one employee who is on leave as a supervising clerk and is now an administrator. It just goes to show you how high is up . . . or how far you can get with the right amount of steam behind you.

UNFORTUNATELY for most city employees, transfers are not made on the basis of qualifications They were once, though. I remember when the Budget Director's Office sent a call out to all departments to ask whether any employee was desirous of transferring to that office. They sorted out the requests, and the employees who were transferred there got a good break. Knowing many of them, I can truthfully say that virtually all are in the ranks of the budget examiners today. Good for them, because at the time not so many volunteered to leave the department in which they had grown up.

IT IS MOST peculiar, but city employees are loathe to leave the agency in which they work. They figure they know their fellow employees, they know the work. Most city employees, if they are honest, will tell you that it takes intestinal fortitude, guts to the uninitiated, to move from one department to another,

THERE IS a crying need, as I pointed out in a previous column, for a unit in a city agency that would handle transfers. The Department of Personnel would be a good agency to handle this problem, and some time ago I received a letter from Ted Lang, the head of the Department of Personnel, that he has time and again included such a unit in his budget, only to have it thrown out.

AN EMPLOYEE IN the Department of Health, who supposedly is an expert on payrolls and personnel, is reported to be on his way out of the Department via the retirement route for a nice job with HARYOU. I mention this so that some of our qualified readers can also see whoever you must see with the end in view of getting connected in this agency in some capacity in which they have been trained.

DO NOT THINK that it is easy to be transferred if you know no one, if you have no connections.

IT IS DARN hard.

SO FOR YOU who are unhappy in your present position -you can get a transfer to a department that will appreciate you,-a department where maybe you can even get a meritorious increase for your good work.

HAVE YOU got a good connection?

#### **Old-Timers**

At the close of Fiscal Year 1964 the Veterans Administration reports 18,000 Spanish-American war veterans on its rolls. Their average age was 86.1 years.

#### Eligibility Extended

Assistant signal circuit engineers and railroad signal specialists are eligible for promotion to electrical engineer under a new recommendation just approved by the City Civil Service Commission.

# Labor Dept. Reserves Decision On M.M.S. Bid For Bargaining Certificates In Clerical Service

The New York City Department of Labor has reserved decision on a bid by the Municipal Management Society for collective bargaining certification for administrative employees. The MMS is seeking to have supervising clerks separated from the administrative forces to achieve this goal.

Protests from organizations representing many thousands of clerical-administrative employees in City service flooded the office of the Mayor as well as the Department of Labor.

Speakers at the hearing last week included many from national labor organizations, including the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, the Maritime Port Council and the

Representatives of large clerical locals such as Terminal Employees Local 832; District 37, American Federation of State County and Municipal Employees; and Local 237, jammed the meeting to mass their protests.

Local 832 sent two speakers to the hearing, Herbert S. Bauch, local president and Alvin Ashley, noted labor attorney, Both described the move by MMS as a raid on the present system of bargaining divisions and the possible forerunner of other "raids" on the present organizations which represent the employees - "and represent them well," Bauch noted.

Nicholas Kisberg, appearing for John O'Rourke, president of Joint Council 16, IBT, said that the 168,000 members of the Council were agast at this "raid against organized labor" and likened it to a predatory barracuda raid. He told the hearing officer, Bernard Kelly, that O'Rourke would take the matter up with the Mayor, A heated exchange followed after which Kisberg stalked out of the meeting.

The Maritime Port Council, representing 400,000 members said that their organization would take this matter up at their next regular meeting and said that this breaking up of a unit was a blow



BAUCH SPEAKS - Herbert S. Bauch, Terminal Employees Local 832 is shown as he presents his local's views to the Department of Labor at the hearing which was called to act on the petition of the Municipal Management Society to form a new unit. Left to right: Local 832 Special Counsel Alvin Ashley, Bauch, and American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees Executive Director Charles Taibi.

against the traditional labor Charles Harold presented a brief policies of the City.

Jesse Kraus, representing Local should remain undisturbed. 237 called the hearing unconstitu-

in contention that the present units

Philip Ruffo, Counsel to the toinal on the grounds that all in- Labor Department, said at Leader terested parties had not been noti- press time that it was impossible fied. Charles Taibl, executive directo estimate when a decision could tors of District 37 and counsel be expected in this matter.

# 832 Supplementary HIP, Blue Cross Plan In Mai

Terminal Employees Local 832 announced this week that as a result of completed negotiations with the Health Insurance Plan and Blue Cross in the field of new, improved benefits, mail describing the benefits, as well as

checkoff cards for the deduction of the costs of the new benefits. | Cross Full Benefit days. This have all been mailed out to the local's membership.

Terming the new benefits a significant breakthrough, Fred Castiglione, Chairman of the local's Union-Hip Committee, said that Local 832 members who were now enrolled in HIP will, local's Union-HIP Committee. come eligible for 99 more Blue

means 120 Full Benefit days plus the next 180 days at 50 percent discount, or protection for a total of 300 days. There are also allowances for anesthesia up to \$50.00 for less than 2 hours and up to \$100.00 for two or more hours in connection with hospital procedures performed by HIP surgeons or obstetricians.

The new plan, said Castiglione, will also include payment of 80 percent of the cost of drugs, appliances and equipment above \$50.00 per person up to a maximum of \$1,000 per year, and \$2,500 per person over the lifetime of coverage, provided the drugs are prescribed by a HIP physician. Also provided is extended indemnity for emergency are up to \$750.00

Herbert S. Bauch, president of the local, said that, "it can readily be seen that these new benefits fill a real need in providing comprehensive medical coverage. Once enrolled, the member and his family is free from the worry of being bankrupted by a long hospital stay, or tremendous drug bills, or the anesthesia bill. The member who has had to pay a bill for a longer-than-21 day hospital stay will readily ap-(Continued on Page 20)

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"MOE" ELMER WOOLEN RITES

Members of Terminal Employees Local 832 shown in front of church at funeral of Correction Officer Elmer Woolen. About 1,000 of his co-workers and friends were in attendance. Led by Local 832 President Herbert S. Bauch, the group above are (left to right): Local 832 Business Agent Al Weinstock, C. O. Ronald Harris, Captain William Warfield, and Correction Officers Theodore Thomas, Clarence Milton, James DeSane, Walter Stark and Roosevelt Pitt. Not in picture, but also attending were Hamilton Corley, Robert Spohler, Ethan Washington and LeRoy Harris.

### Where to Apply For Public Jobs

The following directions tell where to apply for public jobs and how to reach destinations in New York City on the transit system.

NEW YORK CITY-The Applications Section of the New York City Department of Personnel is located at 49 Thomas St., New York 7, N.Y. (Manhattan). It is three blocks north of City Hall, one block west of Broadway.

Hours are 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Monday through Friday, and Saturdays from 9 to 12 noon. Telephone 566-8720

Mailed requests for application blanks must include a stamped, self-addressed business-size envelope and must be received by the Personnel Department at least five days before the closing date for the filing of applications.

Completed application forms which are filed by mail must be sent to the Personnel Department and must be postmarked no later than twelve o'clock midnight on the day following the last day of receipt of applications.

The Applications Section of the Personnel Department is near the Chambers Street stop of the main subway lines that go through the area. These are the IRT 7th Avenue Line and the IND 8th Avenue Line. The IRT Lexington Avenue Line stop to use is the Worth Street stop and the BMT Brighton local's stop is City Hall. Both lines have exits to Duane Street, a short walk from the Personnel Department.

STATE - First floor at 270 Broadway New York 7, N. Y., corner of Chambers St., telephone BArclay 7-1616, Governor Alfred F Smith State Office Building and The State Campus, Albany; State ....ding, Buffalo; State Office Building, Syracuse; and Bronx P.O. Plans 500 Midtown Tower, Rochester (Wednesdays only).

Any of these addresses may be used for jobs with the State. The State's New York City Office is two blocks south on Broadway from the City Personnel Department's Broadway entrance, so the same transportation instructions apply. Mailed applications need not include return envelopes.

Candidates may obtain applications for State jobs from local offices of the New York State Employment Service.

FEDERAL - Second U.S. Civil Service Region Office, News Building, 220 East 42nd Street (at 2nd Ave.), New York 17, N.Y., just west of the United Nations building. Take the IRT Lexington Ave. Line to Grand Central and walk two blocks east, or take the shuttle from Times Square to Grand Central or the IRT Queens-Flushing train from any point on the line to the Grand Central stop.

Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Telephone number is YU 6-2626.

Applications are also obtainable at main post offices, except the New York, N.Y., Post Office. Boards of examiners at the particular installations offering the tests also may be applied to for further information and application forms. No return envelopes are required with mailed requests for application forms.

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# U.S. Service News Items



SAVES TAX MONEY - Evert Moore, center, an electric accounting machine supervisor with the U.S. Army's New York Procurement District, is shown being congratulated recently for submitting a cost reduction suggestion which has resulted in a savings of \$2,400 to the taxpayer. With him are Daniel M. Luevano, Assistant Secretary of the Army, left, and Colonel John W. Graham, Commanding Officer of the District.

#### NFFE Convention Resolves on Suit

In a resolution adopted at its biennial convention, the National Federation of Federal Employees affirmed its strong support of the action taken by the organization's Executive Council in authorizing institution of a court suit challenging the constitutionality of certain provisions of Executive Order 10988. The suit has been filed in Federal District Court.

At the same time, the resolution also endorsed the Executive Council's action in urging NFFE Locals to seek recognition under the order whenever they deem it advantageous to them and their members to do so. The resolution also urged that the NFFE furnish continued aid and advice to any Local concerned with recognition problems.

# For Christmas Rush

Longer post office window hours, expanded delivery services and large-scale extension of the ZIP-coded parcel post speedup for Christmas, Postmaster General John A. Gronouski has advised Bronx Postmaster Louis Cohen.

Gronouski outlined to Postmaster Cohen three major new steps he has taken "for the best Christmas mail service the Postal Service has ever had:"

1. Expanded post office window necessary by the local postmaster. 2. A six-day week December 7 16, 1964.

to 31 for parcel post deliveries, instead of a five-day week.

3. Completion by Nov. 1 of Phase III of ZIP Code parcel handling at about 130 more "sectional center" post offices (strategically-located mail massing points), providing faster delivery up to 24 hours or more for parcels with ZIP Code.

#### Main Post Office Shows Off Its Past

Postmaster Robert K. Christenberry has announced that a display was installed in the lobby of the General Post Office to commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the building.

Steinmann, Cain & White, successors to McKim, Mead and White, the architects who planned the building back in 1914, have lent to the New York Post Office the original prize-winning plans, photographs taken at that time, and the original letters revolving around the selection of the inscription credited to Herodotus, "Neither Snow Nor Rain Nor Heat Nor Gloom Of Night Stays These Couriers From The Swift Completion Of Their Appointed Rounds," which appears on the Elighth Avenue facade in the frieze between the two pavilions.

The correspondence also gives the history of the other inscriptions atop the General Post Office. The exhibit will remain hours to December 26 as deemed on view in the lobby of the General Post Office until October



LOCAL 7 LEADERS — The new officers of Local 7, National Association of Government Employees, are shown below. From left they are, Selemia Padilla, secretary-treasurer; James T. Calvin, president; and Louis Harris, vice president. The local represents Wage Board employees in the General Services Administration in the New York metropolitan area.

### **New Rules For Supreme and Surrogate** Court Employees Reflects Projects

(Continued from Page 2) Service preceding the effective of our recommendations. Howgranted

4. He called attention to the absence of any provision for a "sick leave bank". This has been granted.

5. He asked that whatever benefits existed for incumbent employees not be diminished by imposition of new rules. This has been granted with descretion re-

6. He asked that the rules provide that the present vacation allowance be retained. This has been granted for incumbents with discretion resolved.

7. That provisions be made for leave due to death in the immediate family or for bona-fide organizational activity. This has been granted.

8. That terminal leave not be limited by budget requirements. This has been granted.

The amended rules which were released on August 20 provide for a sick leave bank of up to 180 days for incumbent employees, and include provisions for the retention of "past practices in individual courts . . . in excess of those permitted by these rules".

Mike Rein, President of the SSCA, in commenting on the release of the new rules said, "We delivery.

are glad to see that the Adminiscredit for prior City or State Civil | trative Board has accepted many date of the rules then has been ever, this does not mean any letup in our fight to protect the vital interests of our members. We intend to seek clarification of the time and leave rules and will innsist that there be no dimunition of the present benefits which we now have." He added, "Without strong employee protest it is doubtful if these changes would have been made. Although, it is gratifying for us to know that the Administrative Board will listen to us, we must make every effort to strengthen our organization. The release of the reclassification survey will require another maximum effort to protect our jobs." (See page 5 for a complete listing of the rules. They will also be available in each court through its Director)

#### New Title Denied

A resolution before the City Civil Service Commission to establish the title "assistant to the director of the Bureau of Audit (investigations)" in the non-competitive class, has been disapproved.

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# Effective Oct. 1

# **Judicial Conference Administrative Board Sets New Rules On Time And** Grievance Methods; Others Coming

The Administrative Board of the Judicial Conference of the State of New York has promulgated a new set of grievance procedure and time and leave rules which will become effective October 1.

Additional rules will be brought forth in the near future providing a career and merit system for the employees within the jurisdiction of the Administrative Board consistent with the civil service law. The new rules are:

#### Article V **Grievance Procedure**

- 1. Employees of the Unified Court System shall have the right to avail themselves of the grievance procedures outlined herein either individually, through a repersentative, or in conjunction with an employee group and their rights shall not be effected by so availing themselves or not availing themselves.
- 2. Nothing in these procedures is to be construed as discouraging the informal resolution of grievances.
- 3. The initial step in the presen-

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employee or his representative to request a discussion with his immediate supervisor. Where more than one employee makes the request, the supervisor who exercises general supervision over the majority of the employees shall be considered to be the immediate supervisor. The supervisor shall arrange a reasonable time and place for a discussion within eight (8) working days after receipt of the request. Higher supervisors may be brought into the dission. The immediate supervisor shall inform the employee or his representative of the decision within five (5) working days after the conclusion of the discussion or discussions.

4. If the employee or his representative desires a review of the decision, he shall request in writing, sending a copy to his immediate supervisor, a hearing before a person designated by the Appelate Division to act for the Administrative Judge. If no such person is specifically designated, then the request for hearing shall be made of the Administrative Judge. Where no Administrative Judge has been designated, the board of judges of the court or the Director of the Office of Probation of the City of New York or the County Clerk within the City of New York shall be considered as the Administrative Judge. Within five (5) working days after the receipt of his copy of the request, the immedtate supervisor shall furnish the designated representative or the Administrative Judge and the employee or his representative with a written summary of the first step discussions and the decision. Within fifteen working days after receipt of a request for a hearing such hearing shall be held before the Administrative Judge or the designated representative. A written notice of decision shall be transmitted to the employee or his representative and to the supervisor within five (5) working days after the connclusion of the hearing or hearings.

If the employee or his representative desires a review of the decision of the designated representative or the Administrative Judge, he shall submit a written application within thirty (30) days of the date of the decision to the Appellate Division of the Department. The Appellate Division or its designatned representative shall hold a hearing within fifteen (15) working days after receipt of the application. The Appellate Division shall transmit written notices of decision to all parties within ten (10) working days after the conclusion of the hearing or hearings.

6. Within thirty (30) days of the decision of the Appellate Division the employee or his representative may file an appeal with the Administrative Board whose decision shall be final.

7. Grievances and appeals will be processed in accordance with the foregoing rules in the following areas:

a) Conditions of employment affecting the health or safety of employees.

b) Discriminatory supervisory practices

c) Injury or discrimination inflicted by other employees, groups, unions or associations.

d) Unreasonable work assignments or conditions. e) Matters involving the appli-

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Article VI

Time and Leave Rules

1. Employees of the Unified

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after further study.

- b) Past practices in nindividual courts or other section of the Unified Court System cess of those permited by regarding allowances in exthese rules may be continued as to incumbents on the efective date of these rules with the specific permission of the Appellate Division.
- 2. Prior service with the state or any of its political subdivisions, as well as the Unified Court System, and all previously accrued credits shall be counted in computing allowances as of the effective date of the rules or an employee's entrance into the Unified Court System. Where no prior sick leave records were kept, employees shall be credited with six days accumulated sick leave for each year of prior service.
- 3. Reference to the Administrative Judge in these rules shall mean, where no Administrative Judge has been designated, the board of judges of the court or the Director of the

Office of Probation of the City of New York or the County Clerk within the City of New

- 4. Employees shall be entitled to combined vacation, personal business and religious holiday leave of 20 work days annually and shall be entitled to one additional day for each year of service up to a maximum of 27 work days annu-
- 5. Sick leave of one day per (Continued on Page 19)

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# Our 25th Anniversary

WE ARE 25 YEARS OLD this month and it's been a lively quarter of a century here at The Leader. Founded in 1939 when the shadows of world conflict stretched over the land, we have progressed from the days of war horror to the blessings of peaceful economic prosperity. While the times have changed our themes have not-maintenance and improvement of the Merit System and journalistic defense of the public employee interest.

The flood of good wishes and congratulations from President Lyndon B. Johnson, Governor Nelson A. Rockefeller, Mayor Robert F. Wagner and other leading public officials, as well as the leaders of major employee organizations, are happy proof that our efforts have not gone unnoticed. Even more so, they encourage us to redouble our efforts in the field of the civil service press in the coming years.

We thank all our well-wishers and look forward to the continuing opportunity of service to the public employee and the public in general.

# Leader Will Award **Gold Medals For Outstanding Service**

Four civil service employees who have given outstanding, dedicated service to the public in their jobs will receive gold medals in a special annual award to be inaugurated by the Civil Service Leader in marking its 25th anniversary this week.

The four public employees will be selected from federal, state, county and city service by a panel of judges. Nominations have been solicited from administrators, organizations and agencies in all four jurisdictions. Nominations will remain open until October 15. Additional nominations may be made until that time by any sponsor either in an official position or as an individual.

The basis of selection will be dedicated, inspired service representing a major contribution to the public welfare, by a public employee over a period of five or and off will be considered.

public life will make the final selections.

#### Nominees

Among those nominated by civil service organizations and Government agencies up to this time are:

Abram Mattes, First Deputy Commissioner of the New York City Department of Purchase, nominated by Purchase Dept. Commissioner Roger J. Browne. A civil servant for 48 years, Deputy Commissioner Mattes is considered by many procurement experts to have been one of the greatest single influences in formulating modern municipal purchasing practices. He began working for the City in 1917 as a clerk in the Department of Hospitals, and assumed his present position in 1949:

Gilberte Wells, typist with the New York State Department of Public Works, nominated by J. Burch McMorran, Superintendent of Public Works. Outside her job. Miss Wells serves as treasurer to the Albany chapter of the Good Sports Club, an organization dedicated to enriching the lives of the physically handicapped, and has devoted her vacations and much of her spare time over the past four years such to such work.

Silvio J. Mollo, Assistant United States Attorney in the Southern District of New York, nominated by Robert M. Morgenthau, United more years. Service on the job States Attorney, Mollo has been in public service for more than 25 To Aid Retirees A panel of judges prominent in years all but two of which have been in the U.S. Attorney's office. He has served under 15 different U.S. Attorneys and is the only one of the 68 Assistant U.S. Attorneys who could be described as a career public officer. Since 1959 he has been chief of his department's criminal division.

> Maxwell Lehman, Acting City Administrator, City of New York, nominated by John E. Graveline, past president of the St. Lawrence chapter of the Civil Service Employees Assn. Lehman was in charge of the team implementing the New York City charter and has had an important share in developing the goals and objectives of the Wagner administration. A former editor of The

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# BOX 101

Letters To The Editor **Merits Attention** 

Editor The Leader:

The issue of reallocation among state employees is one which merits a good deal of attention. One may well wonder about the usefulness of a civil service program which allows one man, a pawn of political finagling, to override the sound judgement of those familiar with various employees salary appeals.

It is intolerable to visualize this man, the State Budget Director, autocratically overriding the approval of the Civil Service Commission to reclassify certain civil service positions. This man has denied these workers of additional salary, dashed their hopes, and wrecked their aspirations. To add to the injustice, he had the audacity to veto these appeals without even so much as an explanation of his actions! Correction Officers, Forest Rangers, Park Patrolman, Division of Employment personnel, all have been rejected by the Director-after being approved by the Civil Service Commission!!! One begins to wonder if the Director plans to allow anyone to be reallocated! What branch of personnel will be turned down next? How many hundreds or thousands more workers are going to be deprived of advancement by his high handed acts?

Clearly, he has proved his inability to retain such power over state employees. He has demonstrated his unreality with the needs and values of civil service personnel. He has proven that he is allowing political intrigue to control the lives of civil service employees.

For these reasons every right thinking citizen of our state should call for an end to this man's power of veto, if not for his very resignation or removal from office!! Let us put the powers of reclassification in the hands of those who are in touch with reality; those who are aware of the needs and values of civil service personnel. Then, perhaps we shall see an end to unfairness in this field caused by a tyrant who concerns himself with the adventures and well being of political aspirants rather than the welfare of thousands of New York State Civil Service Employees!!!

Leland Forthweight Box 509 New York City

# Asks Senators

Editor, The Leader;

'The following letter was sent to Senators Javits and Keating.) My Dear Senator:

On August 14, 1964, President Johnson signed into Law a bill raising the pay of Federal employees including postemployees, completely overlooking legislation for the welfare of Civil Service retirees and survivors, numbered 650,000 throughout the United States, now affected by retirement procedure.

I am a retired postal employee and am writing this letter on behalf of myself and my fellow retirees who were completely forgotten in this

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# Civil Service Law & You By WILLIAM GOFFEN



(Mr. Goffen, a Member of the New York Bar, teaches law at the College of the City of New York, is the author of many books and articles and co-authored "New York Criminal Law.")

#### Retired Policemen Can Be Reinstated

"FATHER, give me the portion of goods that falleth to me" Luke XV:12), demanded the Prodigal Son. Having received his inheritance, the boy proceeded to squander it in "riotous living" in a far-off, pagan land. Destitute and repentant, the sinner was not only forgiven for his debauchery, but was welcomed back into the family despite his veniality by a loving father.

UNTIL JUSTICE Gold's decision in Schimmel v. Murphy (June 8, 1961), an employee who had retired on a pension from the New York City Police Department was not welcomed back into the Department despite an exemplary record.

THE PERTINENT rule of the Civil Service Commission provided for reinstatement on application within one year of retirement, if the appointing officer would accept the applicant. However, Police Department policy had precluded reinstatement of pensioned personnel.

GERTRUDE SCHIMMEL, the author of the popular novel Joan Palmer, Policewoman, was a peculiarly appropriate petitioner for exposure of this pointless policy. A member of Phi Beta Kappa, Mrs. Schimmel was number three on the eligible list for policewoman and was awarded the Chief Inspector's Trophy for General Excellence upon graduation from the Police Academy.

TWENTY YEARS LATER, after a spotless record of superior service, she voluntarily retired at forty-one years of age, twentytwo years before attaining the mandatory retirement age of sixtythree. Within two weeks after retirement, Mrs. Schimmel changed her mind (a woman's prerogative) and applied for reinstatement. She was advised by the Department that the "request for reinstatement has been carefully reviewed but that it is nevertheless the policy of the Department not to reinstate persons who have retired."

THROUGH HER attorney, the petitioner argued that the capriciousness of the Department's blanket refusal to reinstate retired personnel was highlighted by its favorable treatment of resigned (as distinguished from retired) members seeking reinstatement, The policy was attacked for depriving the City of qualified police personnel at a time of recruitment crisis and contrasted with the welcome extended to retired teachers, firemen, and members of other City and State departments.

THE POLICE COMMISSIONER opposed the application on the grounds that the petitioner did not have a vested right to reinstatement and that the denial of her application in accord with the policy of the Police Department reflected a sound exercise of discretion.

A FURTHER CONTENTION by the petitioner was that her retirement had been illegal because, due to maternity leaves, she was over three years short of the required minimum of twenty years of service. She argued that she should be required to return to her position to complete at least this minimum period.

HER ATTORNEY found support for this argument in a provision of the Administrative Code requiring advance approval for retirement purposes of leaves of absence without pay. The Corporation Counsel answered that since she herself had sought retirement, Mrs. Schimmel was now estopped from challlenging its legality. This issue was not resolved by Justice Gold because it was superfluous in that the Judge was able to reach a decision based upon other elements of the case.

UPON THE ORAL argument, the Corporation Counsel observed that the petitioner's authorship of a book was irrelevant to the weighty legal problems posed.

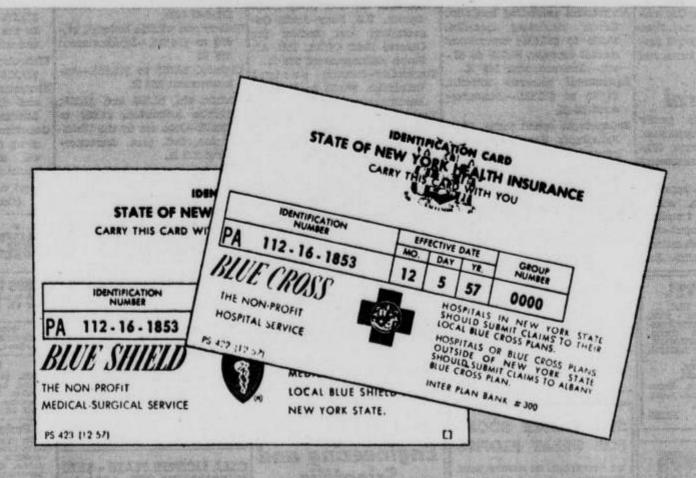
WITH DELIGHTFUL humor, Justice Gold remarked, "Don't let the Appellate Division hear you denigrate the lady's literary accomplishments. They all write books up there."

IN HIS WRITTEN opinion, the Judge observed that the Police Commissioner did not claim there was no need for an additional policewoman, but contented himself with reliance upon the policy (for which no reason was given, except that it was "policy") not to reinstate the retired members of the force. The jurist struck down the policy as a nullification of the civil service rule permitting reinstatement within one year of retirement.

DISPOSING of the Police Commissioner's contention that his determination was reasonable, the Judge cited an earlier case in

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# Leader To Award Gold

(Continued from Page 6) Leader and author of books on public service and military affairs, he is professor of public administration at New York University and Executive Secretary of the Metropolitan Regional Council.

Fannie Smith, president of the Jefferson chapter of the Civil Service Employees Assn., nominated by the Chapter Board of Directors. Winner of a "secretary of the year" award in 1961, Mrs. Smith is an active participant in many public service activities, among them the Red Cross, United Fund, and civil defense. She has won the City of Watertown Community Award for outstanding service, and the State civil defense award.

Florence Steckman, placement worker, Central Nursing Home Bervice, New York City Department of Welfare, nominated by James R. Dumpson, Commissioner of Welfare. Mrs. Steckman has been a social investigator with the City since 1938 and has served on several special projects, among them former Commissioner Corsi's "flying squad" which handled especially difficult situations. She has worked as a liaison officer between her department and other agencies, and has worked extensively in the Nursing Home program

Joseph Klegman, Regional Controller, U.S. Post Office Department, nominated by Sean P. Keating, New York Regional Director, Post Office Department, Klegman entered Post Office service in 1955 as regional employment and placement officer and was promoted to his present position in 1957. He is responsible for financial management of over 1800 postal installasiont in New York, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. He is deputy chairman of the Subcommittee on Charitable Solicitations and is active in other charitable

John J. Hennessey, engineer, Public Works, Buffalo office, nom- | ployees up by keeping them in- available without charge.

tional Counselor in the State Education Dept. Hennessey is a past every rent agency employee was president of the Buffalo chapter of the Civil Service Employees Assn. and has served on numerous chapter committees. He now serves as CSEA Treasurer and as a consultant to the Pension, Salary, Audit, Building and Insurance committees. He is an active church member, is associated with the American Legion and is active in other public service capacities.

John J. Carty, First Deputy Comptroller of New York City, nominated by Abraham D. Beame. City Comptroller. Carty's service to the people of New York City dates back to 1927 when he was appointed a part-time playground director. In 1935 he became Examiner with the City Civil Service Commission and in 1941 he moved over to the Budget Bureau in the same title. He remained there until 1962, reaching the position of Chief Examiner. In his two years with the Comptroller's office he has directed a number of new programs.

Emil M. R. Bollman, Chief Industrial Shop Foreman, Rockland State Hospital chapter of the Civil Service Employees Assn. Bollman has been at Rockland since 1932. Throughout his career there he has been active in CSEA on the local chapter, the conference and the State levels, and in the Mental Hygiene Employees Assn. He has worked with the hospital scouting program and belongs to several veterans' groups.

George Zekowski, Administrative Officer, City Rent and Rehabilitation Administration, nominated by Hortense W. Gabel, City Rent Administrator. Responsible for the budgetary aspects of the transfer of the Rent control agency from State government to City government, Zekowski has been highly praised for his efficiency in handling the transition New York State Department of and for keeping the morale of em-

inated by Mary Gormley, Voca- formed of developments affecting them. Largely due to his efforts, paid on the first City payday after the transfer, and has been paid on time since.

> Edward G. West, Superintendent of Land Acquisition, State Conservation Department, nominated by Harold G. Wilm, Commissioner of Conservation. West began his public service career in 1919 as a forest survey crew laborer and within five years was a forest survey crew laborer and within five years was a forest surveyor with the Conservation Dept. He has since worked his way up through the Department, holding a variety of titles that provide him wiht a thorough background in the workings of the Department. He developed the procedures for land acquisition that have been largely responsible for the effective acquisition of more than 250,-000 acres of State land.

Joseph M. Concheiro, detective, New York City Police Dept., nominated by Michael J. Murphy, Police Commissioner. In his 18 years with the Department, Concheiro has accumulated 12 meritorious police duty awards, nine excellent police duty awards and two commendations. He has also received three plaques for excellent police work and community service. Born in Puerto Rico, he spaks Spanish, Italian and French, and has been active in improving understanding between the Police Department and the Spanishspeaking community.

#### A.G. Rules

ALBANY, Sept. 21 - Attorney General Louis J. Lefkowitz has ruled that county and city laboratories may continue to provide free services to indigent persons, under a 1964 amendment, and that the State Commissioner of Health may independently establish that certain services shall be



New York City employees with questions about conflict of interest may send for a free booklet on the subject from the Board of Ethics.

The Board of Ethics, composed of five unsalaried memrecently published the

This code applies to councilmen, officials and employees alike, whether they are paid a salary or not and prohibits any business or transaction or financial or private interest, direct or indirect which is in conflict with the discharge of their official duties.

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ethics code which is condensed knowledge, is interested in business dealings with the City.

> Confidential information may not be used to advance the private interest of the employee or another.

> Any interest or investment in any private business which creates a conflict with official duties is also forbidden.

Employees may not engage in any private employment which is incompatible with his duties.

To receive the booklet or answers to any questions contact the Board at City Hall, telephone 566-3050.

# Ramapo-Catskill **Looking For** Library Clerk

The Ramapo-Catskill Library System is looking for a senior library clerk. The salary range is from \$3500 to \$4635. At present there is one vacancy.

Candidates must be permanently employed in the competitive class of the Ramapo-Catskill Library System on the date of the written test and must have served continuously on a permanent basis for one year as a clerk or typist.

Applications will be accepted until Oct. 5 with the examination being held on Nov. 7. The exam number is 1478-C.

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GRADUATES - Members of the Hudson River State Hospital at Poughkeepsie's graduating class are shown above. The Hudson River Chapter, Civil Service Employees Assn. gave two awards, one for "compiling the best health and attitude record," won by Christine Peterson; and the prize for the "most progress," won by Rita Lomex. Miss Meilina

Miller won three prizes. They included, Board of Visitors' Award for "highest average in theory and practice," the Medical Society and Alumni Awards. Left to right, front row, Salvatore Paporto, Linda Pepper, Mellina Miller, Ethel Richardson and Terrence Firman; back row left to right, Barbara Stachowsk, Maureen Kearney, Rita Lomox, Christine Peterson, Judith Fraher and Janice Walts.

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# Leader Marks 25th Anniversary

(Continued from Page 1) young people who were intensely for a quarter century; career-conscious. It was a generation that had just come through the big depression and appreciated the security that civil service offered. Then, when the two young men were ready to begin publication, they enlisted H. Elliot Kaplan, then Mr. Civil Service himself, as editorial advisor and guide. Mr. Kaplan was head of the Civil Service Reform Association, a bulwark of the merit system, and he, too, saw the need for vigorous journalism in the field.

The first edition of the Civil Service Leader reached the newsstands on September 19, 1939, Its front page was made up entirely of headlines. The big examination of the day was Sanitation Man and for this test more than 97,000 filed applications. The staff, too, was made up of young men, some of them fresh out of journalism school. They worked around the clock getting out the first issue and plastering every unused inch of space in the city they could find with posters and promotion material.

#### Trying Times

Like any new venture The Leader had trying times during its first few months. The first staff consisted of four young men with more vitality than experience. In addition to Mr Finkelstein there were Seward Brisbane, 25, Howard Wilson who later went west to head the Kansas office of the Associated Press and Pat Murphy just a few years out of Columbia. A few months later, Maxwell Lehman, now Acting New York City Administrator, N. H. Mager now business manager of the newspaper, and Morton Yarmon joined the staff.

FIRST LEADER EDITORIAL

a pattern which has been followed

#### Editor Speaking

The Leader is a rew, wide awake newspaper for Civil Seryice employees everywhere-and for those men and women who want Civil Service job i. We pledge this paper to fight for whatever benefits the welfare of present and future Civil Service employees. The Leader has no axe to grind. We will strive to be fair and impartial,

It is our hope that The Leader will be able to render a real service to Civil Service workers and to those who may join the

The publishing of a newspaper is something that can never succeed if undertaken lightly. We knew this months ago when we first began to plan The Leader. Now we believe we have the sort of paper which Civil Service workers want.

We know that success depends on the cooperation we receive from those in the service, and we welcome their advice and criticism. And we will be glad at any time to meet you personally at our new offices at 97 Duane St.

Civil Service was in a turmoil during those years. The Civil Service Commission was determined to make over the city services with the highest possible caliber of personnel and The Leader was in the forefront of advocating this

In those days before the great conflict, World War II, there were still the same problems there are today confronting civil service em-

They needed help then as they do now.

There were evaluations then as there is now. One that comes The first Leader editorial set back to mind is the evaluation of

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### Praise From Dewey

In 1948 The Leader carried a speech by then Gov. Thomas E. Dewey in which he cited the efforts of Leader publisher Jerry Finkelstein as "a stout accomplishment under our system of free enterprise."

"He was my office boy 13 years ago, when I was racketbusting, and he became the publisher of the biggest civil service publication in the United States, all on his own efforts. It's an indication of what can be achieved in the United States under our free enterprise system."

Shortly after Mr. Finkelstein received a letter from Gov. Dewey that said, "Dear Jerry . . . I meant the things I said."

subway men and their duties that took place in March of 1940. The job then was the reclassification of 27,000 employees of the BMT, QMT and the IRT.

Plans were set up then to develop a procedure to check the duties, salaries, character and cit-Izenship of all subway employees. The pressure was put on the then Municipal Civil Service Commission to complete the reclassification in one year. This necessitated reclassifying some 100 persons daily. Quite a job, even for 1940.

Hardly was The Leader set on its feet when the pre-war tensions began to build. The draft came in and The Leader began to cover news about opportunities in the Armed Forces and defense jobs. Circulation climbed until just before the war, hitting a figure of 41,000, and the Civil Service Leader became the leading newspaper for public employees in America

#### A Strange One

One of the coincidences of history of the Civil Service Leader resolves around a Leader sponsored special event annually, Civil Service Day.

In June, 1940 at the World's Fair, the opening ceremonies of Civil Service Day were interrupted by sudden showers. On June 1. 1964 as N. H. Mager, business manager of The Leader attempted to get the festivities underway at the World's Fair, the same thing happened; showers came. It can be said, the weather never changes.

During that Civil Service Day in 1940 they played softball; in the 1964 event one had a much greater variety, with a square dance one of the highlights.

In those days Robert F. Wagner was a State Assemblyman.

#### Big Change

A big change came to the Civil Service Leader in 1943.

Since its inception The Leader had been working very closely with the Civil Service Employees Assn., then a group of 30,000 civil service employees of New York State. So close was the working arrangement that beginning in October, 1943. The CSEA arranged to subscribe to the Civil Service Leader for all of its members. Coverage of State Civil Service news was expanded in The Leader and four additional pages of state news were added. In later years a special edition for State employees was created which included not only their own news but news affecting all civil service employees. Since that time the Civil Service Employees Association has grown to more than 125 .-000. The Leader continues to serve its members.

#### Outstanding Contributions To The Community

The Leader through the years has done much for the community, in protecting and expanding the merit system and the image of public employees. A recent project was the sponsorship of Civil Service Day at the World's Fair.

There was contributions from the Coast Guard; a demonstration by the Fire Department High Ladder Unit, Rescue breathing, resuscitation and a rope slide from the top of a 100-foot ladder; a demonstration by the Sanitation department; Police department; air pollution; military affairs; Correction; Commission for the Blind; U.S. Customs; Youth Board festivities, plus, and, of course, the most elaborate, the selection of Miss Civil Service.

In years of the past there never was before, such a show put on.

#### Kyer Arrives

The fifties also saw the coming of The Leader's present editor. Paul Kyer, on the scene, who joined The Leader as an associate editor. He became the editor soon after.

In the early 1960's Joe Deasy, Jr., familiar with city civil service joined the staff and became city editor.

The Leader staff has been commended many times by the Governor, the Mayor and other top

dignitaries. The Conferences, representing the Civil Service Employees Assn., have honored the editor many times with Certificates of Merit for journalistic contributions.

#### Citations

Long Island University presented The Leader with a Citation for "Distinguished Journalism".

The Citation read in part:

"Because its vigorous editorial policy has spearheaded the defense of the merit system and the continuous advance in the working conditions of public employees.

"Because it does more than report and comment on civil service events. The Civil Service Leader is a creative force in the world of civil service, its suggestions and ideas have found themselves incorporated in legislative acts, in the relations between management and employees, and in the structure of civil service operations."

This is the Civil Service Leader, in brief, with many things left unsaid, and with a whole future in front of us.



A WAR TIME WINNER This is Jamie Sue Helms, who was working for the War Department and during the war years (1941) was voted a contestant for Miss Civil Service.

# City of New York

Robert F. Wagner Mayor of the City of New York do hereby present this

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That for the past 25 years has rendered an invaluable

Mayor Wagner's Citation

# Messages Salute 25th Anniversary of Leader

(Continued from Page 1) not only them but also a wider strong and vital merit system. public." The President cited The service your paper has rendered played in this connection." in helping to maintain and expand the merit system and in encouraging high standards of public service among all our civil service employees. (Full text of telegram appears on Page 1.)

#### Governor's Letter

Governor Rockefeller wrote The Leader saying "On the occasion of the celebration of the twentyfifth anniversary of The Civil Service Leader, I want to congratulate the newspaper and its staff for its contribution to the cause of good government and the extension of the merit system.

"Through responsible journalistic practices, you have established an enviable reputation for sound and factual reporting in a field of particular interest to governmental employees."

#### Mayor's Citation

In a ceremony at City Hall, Mayor Robert F. Wagner presented Mr. Finkelstein with a citation that read "Certificate of Appreciation to the Civil Service Leader that for the past 25 years has rendered an invaluable service to the people in City, State and Federal employment; pledged to their welfare and the advancement of government operation, it has contributed immeasurably to the fulfillment of these tasks and richly deserves this public trib- this, its silver anniversary.

#### Feily Writes

Joseph F. Feily, President, Civil "It is a pleasure for me to be able to advise you that the Board of Directors of this Association on Sept. 10, 1964, passed a resolution instructing me to have a suitable plaque prepared honoring the public employees and expressing tunities in City civil service. appreciation of The Leader's outstanding service to the Civil Service Employees Assn. over these many years.

"I would personally like to congratulate you and your paper on your outstanding contribution to public service and more particularly to the members of the Civil Service Employees Assn."

#### PPA Unit

from the New York Public Per-Public Personnel Association, the career in the Police Department. Society for Personnel Administration and the Municipal Society

Council, also wrote Mr. of twenty five years of service to classes. the civil service community."

#### Lawrence H. Baer

Lawrence H. Baer, regional di-Region, had this to say:

congratulate The Leader on its career in the growing profession 25th Anniversary. Those of us of law enforcement. who are in public service and are concerned with the merit system realize the great benefit that accrues not only to us but to the public through the instrumentality of publications like The Leader-publications which devote themselves to the scope, week.

declared "Your defense of these of the public service and the (public) employees has senefited spread and maintenance of a

"Thank you for the very effec-Leader for "the long and effective live role which The Leader has

#### Mary Goode Krone

Mary Goode Krone, President, State of New York Civil Service Commission, said, "All who have an interest in the merit system, whether at the Federal, state, or local level, owe much to the Civil Service Leader for its 25 years of service. Public employees, in particular, depend on The Leader's news stories, editorials, columns and features to supply much of the information they want and

"Those of us responsible for civil service administration are also indebted to the management of the Civil Service Leader for their support when they believe we deserve it and for their advice and admonishment when, in their opinion, such seems to be in order.

"I personally want to congratulate and thank all those connected with the Leader for what they have done . . .'

#### Theodore H. Lang

Theodor H. Lang, City Personnel Director, said:

"For myself, and on behalf of the Civil Service Commission and the Department of Personnel, responsible for personnel management for the City of New York, I would like to take this opportunity to thank The Leader on

"We thank you and your staff for twenty-five years of:

- · unstinting devotion to the Service Employees Assn., stated: rights and causes of the City's civil servants.
  - · wholehearted support of the merit system based on the concepts of fair employment and advancement opportunities for all.
- · keeping the public informed Leader for its 25 years' service to on the many fine career oppor-
  - · dedication to the cause of improved municipal management.

"A quarter of a century of sustained service to the public is a great and honorable record. My best wishes for continued success during the next twenty-five years."

#### Michael J. Murphy

Michael J. Murphey, New York City Police Commissioner, said: "Law enforcement in New York A citation also was received City in the future depends in great measure on the ability of the pubconnel Council, a Federation of lic service to attract highly qualithe New York chapters of the fied young men and women to a

"In recent years the numerical strength of the department has Martin P. Dworkis, president of increased rapidly. In addition, a police trainee program has been Finkeistein saying " May I ex- organized for the purpose of tend to you my personal con-selecting the best material availgratulations on your completion able from high school graduating

"The Civil Service Leader has focused on the needs of the department and of the city service. rector of the United States Civil Its articles and editorials have Service Commission, New York emphasized the dedication of policemen and women, and the "It is with pleasure that I opportunities to be found in a

> "These services have proven invaluable to the people of New (Continued on Page 17)

More on The Leader's 25th Anniversary next



THE YEAR WAS 1941 - one of the Miss Civil Service winners in 1941 was Eileen Riordan who is seen here being crowned and being presented with a beautiful fur piece by I.J. Fox,

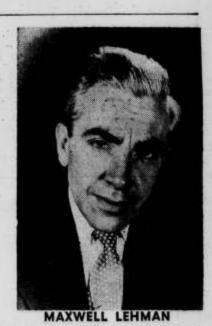
eminent Fifth Ave. furrier, who donated two prizes to the Miss Civil Service Contest that year. Miss Riordan was then employed by the Welfare Department.



JERRY FINKELSTEIN



SEWARD BRISBANE



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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

My dear Senator, as my Representative I cannot understand how you could permit such a thing to happen. The present annuity of \$2148 is at least \$500 less than the amount needed for a minimum standard of living. It is indeed a sad commentary that

tors should permit this shocking situation to exist without giving some recognition to retired Civil Service employees. I urge you as my Representative to take immediate steps to correct this injustice to retired Civil Service employees in general employees in particular.

We need a substantial increase in annuities now before adjournment and I urge you to give your immediate attention to this shocking injustice.

MICHAEL N. FRANCO Freeport, N.Y.

#### **New Cancer Leaflet**

ALBANY, Sept. 21-The State Health Department has prepared a new leaflet, "It Takes Two to Health Department, 84 Holland Beat Oral Cancer," which now is Ave., Albany, New Y.

available for public distribution. Copies are available at the Office of Public Health Education, State

# CONGRATULATIONS!

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# U. S. Job Opportunities

(Continuer from Page 8) 725 .- Jobs are in the Washing-D.C. area. Announcement 185 329 B.

Patent examiner, \$5,650 to \$15,-665.-Jobs are in the Washington. D.C. area. Announcement 181 B

Pharmacologist, \$6,575 to \$15,665 -Jobs are in the Washington, D.C. area. Announcement 202

Research and development positions for chemists, mathematicians, metallurgists, physicists, \$5,650 to \$15,665 .- Jobs are in the Washington, D.C. area. For positions paying \$7,260 to \$15,-665. Announcement 209 B (Revised). For positions paying \$5,650 and \$6,770, Announcement 210 B (Revised).

\$15.665 .- Jobs are in the Washhigton, D.C. area. Announcement 227 B.

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area. Announcement 299 B. Design patent examiner, \$4,690 and \$5,795 .- Jobs are in the Washington, D.C. area. An-

nouncement 180 B.

Dietitian, \$4,690 to \$7,690.-Jobs are with the Veterans Administration. Announcement 221 B. health nutritionist, \$7,030 to

Dietitian, \$5,795 to \$9,980; public \$15,665. Announcement 286 B. Equipment specialist (surface-toair and surface-to-s aface missile systems), \$9,980.—Jobs are with the Department of the Army, Announcement 5-35-17

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THANKS - Police Commissioner Michael Murphy addresses "his men" - delegates to the annual convention of the Patrolmen's Benevolent Association. The commissioner, a former policeman who rose through the ranks by competitive examination, thanked members of the department for their outstanding conduct during "the unfortunate incidents of the summer" and urged them to continue their conduct in order that advocates of civilian review boards could not have any support for their

# Six Years Under Cassese:

# Major PBA Victories— \$2,000 Raise, Half Pay Retirement And Overtime

TANNERSVILLE, Sept. 21 - The accomplishments of the 25,000-member Patrolmen's Benevolent Association over the past six years were enumerated for the 300 delegates to the 70th annual convention here last week.

Under John Cassese, vibrant president of the PBA, salaries of policemen in New York City increased by \$2,000 since 1958; retirement allotments were made based on half-pay after 20 years of service and time and a half evertime was authorized over the basic 40-hour week.

Other objectives won by the PBA since Cassese and his slate of officers took control of the association were:

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years of service. Expanded life insurance program (\$400 in 1958, 4,000 in

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Increased uniform allowance. Uniform inspections on City bills in the Legislature.

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duty determinations. Ordinary disability pension

guaranteed. Elimination of mass transfers. Funeral time off for in-laws.



Grievance procedure within the SPEAKER - Assemblyman Donald Campbell of Amsterdam Equalized vacations after three addresses the 300 delegates to the 70th annual convention of the Patrolmen's Benevolent Association last week at the Police Recreation Centre, Tannersville, Assemblyman Campbell was awarded a plaque for his support of PBA

> Re-opening of Social Security program-Benefits now paid at

> · Increased borrowing alowance from pension fund.

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Disability pension based upon (Continued on Page 17)

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Candidates who fall one written test may not be examined for at least six months.

Minimum requirements for appointment as a patrolman are, graduation from a four-year senior high school or an armed forces general education diploma and possession of a New York State Motor Vehicle Department operator's license.

All candidates must be at least five feet, eight inches in height with proportionate weight. They must be between the ages of 21 and 28, service time may be deducted from the maximum age limit. A 20/30 vision in each eye, uncorrected, is also required.

Applications are available at the Department of Personnel's application section, 49 Thomas St., N.Y., N.Y.

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- 2. Minimum requirements: completion of six undergraduate or graduate hours in education administration, supervision and/or
- 3. Minimum experience: Three years of satisfactory teaching experience in the education of the physically handicapped.

Applications will be accepted until Oct. 19. Further information may be obtained from the New York State Civil Service, The State Campus, 1220 Washington Ave., Albany, New York.

# Nurses Are Needed By Brooklyn VA

Licensed registered and practical nurses may now apply for for positions with the Federal government. The Brooklyn Veterans Administration Hospital has various openings.

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# Slocum Offers Stenographer, Typist Posts

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# Islip Is Looking For Recreation Supervisor

Islip needs a recreation supervisor. It will offer \$5,350 annually. An open-competitive examination for the position will be held on October 10; filing will be open until September 25.

Candidates must have been legal residents of Suffolk County for at least six months preceding the examination. The only other qualification is graduation from a recognized college or university.

The Suffolk County Civil Service Commission, County Center, Riverhead will supply further information and application forms

#### Retraining

Veterans Administrationn clerks displaced by computers in automatic data processing systems, are being retrained for better positions as typists or punch card operators whenever possible

# Civil Service Law & You

(Continued from Page 6)

which it was assumed for the sake of argument that a Commissioner's established policy was to reinstate only those former patrolmen with light brown hair. Certainly such a policy would be subject to judicial review.

IN THE ABSENCE of reasonable justification, the policy was eradicated by the Court and the petitioner reinstated. Indeed, with the precedent established by the Schimmel case, other retired members of the Police Department have been reinstated with benefit to the City of New York as well as to themselves.

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Wanted in Brooklyn is a man who can operate a jig saw on steel rule clicker dies. Pay is \$2.50 an hour.

#### J. Victor Skiff

ALBANY, Sept. 21 - Governor Rockefeller has joined with hundreds of state employees in a tribute to J. Victor Skiff, Deputy State Commissioner of Conservation, who died last week of a heart attack.

In a telegram to Mrs. Skiff, the Governor wrote: "I am shocked and grieved by the news about your husband. Vic was a wise and knowledgeable counsellor, a conscientous and devoted public servant. It was the great good fortune of the people of New York that he devoted his remarkable talents to the service of state government for more than three

"He will certainly be mourned throughout the state and indeed throughout the Northeastern United States where his unique capabilities were known to sportsmen and government officials alike. Mrs. Rockefeller joins me in sending heartfelt sympathy to you and your family."

Skiff, who rose through the ranks to become Deputy Commissioner, joined the department in 1933 as a game research investigator.

He was widely known throughout the state for his conservavation work and numerous articles written about his field. For four years, beginning in 1954, he was a legislative consultant on conser-

Also needed is an experienced cabinet maker to work either on custom house furniture, kitchen cabinets, or store fixtures. \$2 to \$3 an hour, depending on experience. Apply at the Brooklyn Industrial Office, 590 Fulton Street.

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(Continued from Page 15) final, rather than average compensation.

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MINEOLA, Sept. 21-Irving Flaumenbaum has been reelected to his fifth term as president of the Nassau chapter, Civil Service Employees Assn.

Flaumenbaum won his contested election by a four-to-

one margin. An unofficial count | of the ballots showed that Flaumenbaum received 1,800 votes while Russell Keller, who headed an independent committee slate. received 450 votes.

Flaumenbaum, whose organization has 8.800 members, said his reelection was "a resounding vindication of our policies and a smashing victory for the Assoclation."

Charles Kirsner who gave up a post as vice president on the Flaumenbaum ticket to run for treasurer, on another slate, defeated Thomas Rooney. The vote was 470 to 407. Kirsner later said he would not serve as treasurer, and Rooney will take over the

In addition to Flaumenbaum, the following were elected:

Edward W. Perrott, first vice president.

Francis J. Diviney, second vice president.

Charles Smansky, third vice president.

Frank Oluski, fourth vice presi-

Joseph B. Brucia, fifth vice president.

Blanche Rueth, secretary.

Dorothy E. Jennings, corresponding secretary. Stuart Insley, financial secre-

tary. Mrs. Reuth was also named rep-

resentative on the County executive committee.

### Leader Lauded

(Continued from Page 11) York City and the Police Department, and today, the Civil Service Leader occupies an enviable position in the newspaper profession and in the field of public serv-

Martin Scott

Martin Scott, New York City Fire Commissioner told Jerry Finkelstein at the Mayor's office last week:

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INTRODUCTIONS - PBA president ation last week at Tannersville. Cassese cited the John Cassese introduces guests at the 70th annual convention of the Patrolmen's Benevolent Associ-

relationship between the PBA members and Commissioner Michael J. Murphy as ideal,

# Top Pay of \$9,300 For Patrolmen Top Goal Of PBA's '65 Platform

TANNERSVILLE, Sept. 21 — Three hundred delegates to the 70th annual convention of the Patrolmen's Benevolent Association last week approved the PBA's platform of objectives for the coming year.

To be given top priority in the platform will be a salary increase disability with less than ten years to \$9,300 for first grade patrolmen; longevity pay after five, ten, fifteen and twenty years; free choice of hospitalization plans with New York City paying the full cost; and another two and a half percent pension pick up by the City.

Also included in the list of objectives are:

Thirty-five hour week.

Pension escalation law to maintain retirement allowance at 50% of the then current salary of an active member of the Department, but in no event shall the original retirement allowance be diminished or impaired.

Expanded health and welfare fund.

Twelve paid holidays.

of service, and half pay.

One-sixteenth pension increment to be based upon final, rather than average compensa-

Half-pay retirement allowance to be based upon highest salary attained.

Significant changes in uniform to provide greater comfort and efficiency as well as to distinguish New York City Police Department from other municipal services.

Increased uniform allowances. Increased widows and retired Mens pensions.

Payment to beneficiary for unused vacation time and terminal leave.

Night differential.

Tax exemption on pensions.

Minimum compensation when called for special duty.

Time-off to compensate for Departmental requirements.

# Awards To Be Made At Elsie Knight 'Night'

Terming the coming Twenleth Anniversary Dinner and Dance honoring Vice President Elsie A. Knight a complete success from the viewpoint of attendance, Herbert S. Bauch, president of Terminal Employees Local 832, said that the Local's Executive Board had de-

cided to award two of New York | of the city agency who has done City's departmental heads with most to help his department emawards, "Commissioner of the One-third pension for ordinary Year" Award to the Commissioner

ployees in relation to other heads of departments and a "White Collar of the Year" Award to the departmental head who has helped the most in a clerical agenc.y

#### Three Have Won

The Commissioner of the Year Award was given to only three city officials during the local's twenty year existence, to City Council President Paul R. Screvane when he was Sanitation Commissioner, to Criminal Justice Harold A. Felix when he was New York City Labor Commissioner and to Personnel Department Commissioner Theodore H. lang; the "White Collar of the Year" Award was only granted once, to Deputy Commissioner Frederick Rieber of the Department of Correction.

The local's Executive Board is now in the process of canvassing their immediate locals to gain the views of their co-workers in making selections for these awards.

The names of the city officials who will be award recipients is expected to be made known within the next two weeks.



HONORED - Police Commissioner Michael Murphy and Assemblyman Donald Campbell of Amsterdam were cited for their support of the Patrolmen's Benevolent Association during the PBA's annual convention last week. Left to right, are: Assemblyman Campbell; John Cassese, PBA president; Commissioner Murphy and Edward Kiernan, first vice-president of PBA.

# **Judicial Conf. Sets New Rules**

(Continued from Page 5) month of service shall be credited to each employee, cumulative to a maximum of 180 work days, such leave to be used only for illness. In the discretion of the Administrative Judge, employees who have exhausted all earned sick leave and annual leave balances may be permited to use unearned sick leave allowance up to the amount earnanble in one year of service, chargeable against future earned sick leave. Sick leave with pay may be further extended in the discretion of the Appellate Division of the Department.

6. Terminal Leave with pay upon retirement may be allowed in the discretion of the Administrative Judge not to exceed one month for every ten years of service, prorated for a frac-

tional part thereof. The Administrative Judge shall be guided in this matter by the character of service rendered and by the manner and extent of use of sick leave credits by the employee.

Subject to prior notice to and autorization by the Administrative Judge, other leaves with pay shall be granted for the following reasons:

a) Death in the immediate family. Leave up to four work days shall be allowed following the death of an employee's spouse; natural, foster or step parent; child; brother or sister; father-inlaw or mother-in-law; or any relative residing with the employee. Prior notice and autorization is not required for leaves under this paragraph.

b) Court attendance under

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subpoena or court order unless such attendance relates to a matter in which the employee or his relative has a personal interest or relates to any other employment of the employee.

c) Attendance at civil service examinations for positions in the Unified Court System or for positions paid directly by the same fiscal authority tha tpays the employee or for official investigation or appointment interview in relation to the resulting eligible list.

d) Attendance of delegates and alternates at State or National conventions of veterans' organizations, volunteer firemene's organizations, and such other organizations as may be designated by an Appellate Divi-

e) Quarantine required by the Health Department. Prior notice and authorization is not required for leaves under this paragraph.

f) The Administrative Judge may grant leaves with pay for reasons not itemized in paragraphs a) through e), subject to the approval of the Appellate Division, and shall grant leaves with pay required by law.

8. Leaves without pay may be granted by the Administrative Judge for:

a) Maternity leave, not to exceed 18 months. It shall be mandatory to grant the first 12 months leave.

b) Reasons not specified herein, not to exceed one year. An extension of such leave may be granted by the Appellate Division. Leaves required by law, such as military leave, shall be granted in accordance with statutory requirements.

9. Regular holidays with pay shall be all legal holidays under the laws of the State of New York. Employees required to work on any regular holiday shall be granted equivalent time off at a time designated by the Administrative

10. An employee disabled in the performance of his official du-

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men's Compensation, receive a leave with pay for the duration of his disability. This leave shall not exceed one year unless authorized by the Appellate Division. If the disability appears to be permanent, the Administrative Judge shall request a disability retirement as of the day beyond which no leave with pay is authorized. The employee granted leave under this provision shall agree to reimburse the fiscal authority paying his salary out of the proceeds of any claim or action arising out of his injury in accordance with the requirements of such fiscal authority.

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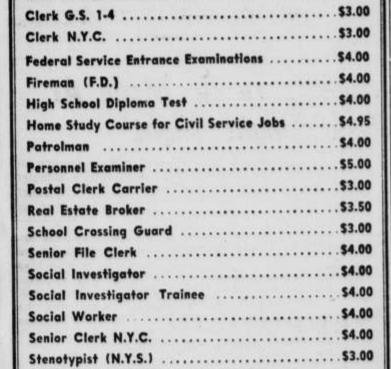
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# Former Watertown Mayor, Top Civil Service Leader, Killed In Auto Accident

orters of the civil service movement in upstate New York-Former Mayor William G. Lachenayer, 53-was killed in a one-car accident and his brother,

serious injuries.

executive secretary of the Jefferson County Civil Service Commission was hurled here last week in one of the city's largest funeral services in recent years.

Both Lachenauer and his brother were members for years of the Jefferson Chapter, Civil Service Employees Assn. In a brief eulogy the chapter president, Mrs. Fannie W. Smith, said the former mayor "did much for the civil service movement." At the last annual banquet of the chapter, the former mayor was awarded a citation for his ardent, effective contribution to the civil service movement.

#### Moment's Silence

During the Central New York Conference and Central Counties Workshop program at Saranac Lake, delegates stood for a moment's silence in tribute to the former mayor of Watertown. They

### Nurses

(Contonued from Page 1) 1,700 professional people who have chosen nursing as their career . . . now find themselves dead-ended," CSEA told the Department.

CSEA requested a re-examination of the minimum qualifications and a reconstruction of them to provide "greater flexibility with respect to minimum qualifications so as not to bar such a large proportion of career employees from advancement."

The Employees Assn. also asked that the matter be held in abeyance until a more equitable solution can be achieved.

#### Correction

An ad of the Civil Service Emnoted that this ad had appeared 14. The Leader regrets the error. Dairy Inc.

Battalion Chief George W. Lach- also approved a brief resolution enauer, 47, of the fire department of respect, signed by the Central -driving-was hospitalized with Conference president Emmett Durr, Ray Brook, and Central The former mayor, who was the Counties Workshop, Samuel Borelly, Utica.

The resolution said:

Resolved, at a joint meeting of the Central New York Conference and the Central Counties Workshop, CSEA, held at the Hotel Saranac, Saranac Lake, N.Y., Sept. 12, that the members of the conference extend sincere sympathy to the family of the late William G. Lachenauer in the loss of a dedicated public servant and loyal member of the Civil Service Employees Assn. and we express appreciation for his many services to the public employees of his city. county and state."

# **Education Chap.** Holds Clam Steam

EAST BERRE, Sept. 21 - The Education Chapter, Civil Service Employees Assn. held a Clam Steam recently at the Zwicklbauer's Hofbrau on Waner's Lake

Softball volley ball and swimming were enjoyed followed by the selection of Miss Education Department, 1964-65 who is Joan McClure, of Troy, The runnerup was Donna Delude, Lathams, N.Y.

Also held during the evening dance was a twist contest, which was won by Carol Erno of Green Island and George Van Gergen of Rensselaer. The door prizes were received by Lewis Cohen, Albany and K. Elizabeth Lamson, also of Albany.

#### **Becker Gets Post**

ALBANY, Sept. 21 - Governor Rockefeller has reappointed Roger F. Becker of Sobleskill to the ployees Assn. appearing in last Council of the State University week's edition of The Leader Agricultural and Technical Institute at Cobleskill for a term endstatewide on August 14. The ad ing July 1, 1973. Becker is appeared in 35 newspapers Sept. president of the Becker Mountain



SURPRISE, SURPRISE - Samuel Cohen, left, business officer of the Harlem Valley State Hospital looks like quite a happy man as he is being congratulated by Daniel J. Doran assistant commissioner of the Department of Mental Hygiene at Cohen's surprise tropical vegetation, beautiful party honoring him for 40 years of service. The party was held at beaches and sparkling blue water. the Chateau Kal Rock, Poughkeepsie. Lawrence M. Rourke was master The courtesy and hospitality of



INSTITUTE SPEAKER: Robert Young, left, president of the New York State Conservation Council, was a major speaker at an institute sponsored last week in Albany by the Capital District Conference of the Civil Service Employees Assn. He is seen with A. Victor Costa, Conference president.

# Fourth Annual Cruise To Caribbean Is Jan. 4

The fourth annual Caribbean cruise for members of the Civil Service Employees Assn., their families and friends, has been announced by the Knickerbocker Travel Service.

The cruise ship this year will be the luxery liner S.S.

Olympia and the cruise will for an 11-day sailing to the Caribbean. Prices begin at \$275 and application for space may be had now.

#### Free Shore Excursions

Ports of call this year will include Curacao, Barbados and Guadeloupe and CSEA participants will be given free shore excursions at Curacao and Barbados. Non-CSEA members will have to pay for these excursions.

The dominant theme of the cruise is fun and relaxation amidst an atmosphere of informal luxury. The cruise staff is dedicated to the pleasures of the passengers, with cocktail parties, masquerade balls, social dancing, canasta, bridge, first run movies, sports, etc., that make life aboard ship pure enjoyment around the

Here is a discription of the ports of call:

CURACAO and its capital, Willemstad is a minature Holland with Dutch gables, houses painted in pastel colors, immaculate streets. The narrow harbor is dominated by a curious long pontoon bridge with open air fruit and vegetable markets nearby. The charming quaint Dutch shops have free port prices.

BARBADOS, a little bit of England with a quiet beauty in its sleepy coves and sun-drenched beaches surounded by a shimmering sapphire blue sea. Truly a miniature tropical paradise. Shopping buys include British cashmeres, woolens, camel's hair, doeskin, tweeds and Wedgwood

GUADELOUPE is a charming French Island with magnificent

the people are proverbial and

depart from New York on Jan. 4 ornate and colorful creole costumes are still worn especially in the country areas. Music and folk tradition are very much alive and you'll have an opportunity to watch the old dances as well as the famous "beguine."

#### Where to Apply

for space should write to Mrs. Julia Duffy, 129 Altmar Ave., West slip, if you live in the Long Island area; to Sam Emmett, 1060 East 28th St., Brooklyn, 10, N.Y., for the New York City area, and to Claude E. Rowell, 64 Langslow state area

# Broome County-

(Contonued from Page 1) meeting nor will we buy it today." Ridley said.

In answer to Ridley, who asked that the complaint of "rudeness" in the last meeting be explained, James A. Burrows, chapter, president, said the meeting was held "at an inopportune time." Some of the committee members had to leave early and an association official who had driven to Binghamton from Albany to explain the salary proposal was given a short hearing, he added.

Ridley and other committee members said they believed the CSEA representative "was heard out" at the first meeting.

#### Robert Cites Fairness

Roberts said he had never been "discriminated against or given a short hearing" by Broome officials and that the hard feelings had been caused "by a matter of poor timing" of the meeting.

Three of the five members of the committee, plus Baldwin, had to attend a previously-scheduled meeting of another committee shortly after the Employees Committee meeting began, it was explained.

At last week's session, Philip H. Bell, chapter vice president, said that under the country's present salary plan more than 125 of its 1,000-plus employees will get no increment next year.

At least another 75 workers will receive only a partial increment, he said because they will have reached the top of their job's pay range.

The increment plan provides pay increases for employees each year ranging from \$120 to \$600. But no employee will qualify for the \$600 increment and only 12 to 18 will get the \$480 increment, Bell said.

#### Petitions Held

Last week's meeting staved off any immediate plans of the CSEA to begin circulating petitions Members interested in applying asking public support of a county pay raise. The CSEA has already printed 5,00 such petitions.

"I don't think we want to create the feeling that the county employees have to go out to the residents to ask for these things because it puts the Board of Su-St., Rochester 20, N.Y., in the up- pervisors in a bad light," Roberts

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