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Day to Retirement Plan; Don't Miss Out On It!

ALBANY, Sept. 15—Deadline for joining the 55-year retirement plan is September 30. All members of the State Retirement System who have not yet done so are urged to join the plan, which provides many advantages. A headline in last week's LEADER, which unfortu-

nately slipped through the proof-reader, listed the deadline as Dec. 30. But time runs out on your chances of joining the 55-year plan at the end of THIS month. Don't miss up on this important improvement. If you haven't already done so, Join now.



J. Edward Conway, president of the State Civil Service Commission, pins an "Expert" button on a Syracuse lad who successfully answered sample civil service questions at the Syracuse State Fair exhibit of the Commission. Sitting by at a testing machine is Louis Luizzi, Commission employee who is better known as an actor.

Annual Meeting Of CSEA Planned To Seat 500

ALBANY, Sept. 15 — The Civil Service Employees Association this week announced tentative plans for the approaching annual meeting October 13 through 15.

Highlights of the business sessions will be three panel discussions on salaries, pensions and Civil Service Law; also the passage of resolutions delineating policy for the coming year, and installation of officers.

The law panel will be principally a discussion of the studies to date made by the Preller Commission, which has been preparing proposed revision in the law for several years.

Canadian Speaker

Guest speaker at the dinner will be David M. Watters, assistant director of organization and classification, Civil Service Commission of Canada.

Watters is expected to discuss

the Canadian Civil Service system and its likeness to or difference from the Federal and State system here.

With registration set for the afternoon and evening of October 13, it is expected that more than 400 delegates will be signed in before the official opening of business sessions the following morning.

The annual dinner will be the closing event October 15. All sessions, as in the past, will be conducted in the Crystal Ballroom of the Hotel DeWitt Clinton.

The Ballots

Ballots in the annual election of officers will be tallied and results announced before the meeting adjourns.

Some 500 delegates, representing State and local employees in all parts of the State, are expected.

Harold Fisher Award Entries Now Open; Local Employees May Apply for First Time

Who will win the Harold J. Fisher Memorial Awards for 1952?

These awards, sponsored annually by the Civil Service LEADER to outstanding State employees, have become accepted as among the most desirable and significant of prizes. This year, for the first time, the award is open as well to civil service employees of counties and other local units of government (except New York City).

The Judges

The Harold J. Fisher Memorial Award is presented to those State employees who, by their achievements and their work in the public service, best exemplify the highest ideals of the merit system.

The judges are: Charles Buringham, president, Civil Service Reform Association; William Dean Embree, chairman of the executive board of the Reform Association; and Dr. William Ronan, Di-

rector of the Graduate Division of Public Service, New York University. These men will decide who the winners are to be among these nominated for the awards.

How to Enter a Name

An entry is made in the following manner: The nominee's name is submitted, together with his full civil service title and the department in which he works. There must be a full description of his achievements and the reasons why his sponsor recommends him. The statement should include an evaluation of the candidate's performance and a short history of his civil service career.

Previous Winners

First winner of the coveted prize was Dr. Frank L. Tolman, in 1944, who later became president of the Civil Service Employees Association. Last year's winners were Gilbert Dalldorf, M.D., of the State Health Department; and Everett J. Ellason, of the State Conservation Department.

This year, with entries opened for the first time to county and other local units of government, the competition promises to bring forth another brilliant group of winners. The number of winners is flexible, the judges having the right to decide how many awards to make.

In Memory of Harold Fisher

The award was created by the Civil Service LEADER in memory of Harold J. Fisher, who died while a State employee and while serving as president of the Civil Service Employees Association.

Entries may be made by department heads, by fellow employees, or by any other person in a position to evaluate the promise of a prospective candidates.

Where To Send Entries

All entries should be addressed to the Harold J. Fisher Memorial Award Committee, c/o Civil Service Reform Association, 120 East 29th Street, New York City.

Need for 86 Decisions Faces Civil Service Commission

ALBANY, Sept. 15 — The State Civil Service Commission will open the fall season with resumption of meetings tomorrow.

With a 21-page calendar for consideration, the Commission is expected to act on approximately 86 items.

Among these are requests from the Public Service Commission for exempt classification of the title Chief of Telephone Bureau and from Labor for non-competitive classification for attorney.

Service Records

Proposals with respect to the service record rating system are up for consideration. These are expected to be reports from various agencies who have been using the new rating system on a trial basis with an eye toward eventual

adoption of the system statewide.

Last year The LEADER explained the proposed system under study, but briefly the new idea calls for grading employees on a greater number of characteristics and performances.

Interview Technique

Included in the new plan is a compulsory interview with the employee being rated.

Other requests for exempt titles will be studied, including one from the Thruway Authority for special counsel, and one from the Housing Rent Commission for director of publications and public relations.

No Freeze Consideration

Not on the calendar at this time is the result of the classification hearings conducted last

COMMUNITY CHEST DRIVE CHAIRMAN NAMED

ALBANY, Sept. 15—Lee C. Dowling, executive director of the New York State Youth Commission, has been named by Governor Dewey to serve as chairman of the State Employees Division in the Albany Community Chest Campaign, which begins October 9.

summer, during which the Commission heard arguments pro and con on the question of freezing into the competitive class a large number of non-competitive and exempt titles.

The Commission also is expected to act on requests for extension of nine eligible lists for periods ranging from one month to one year.

Among these are 0030, Sr. Physical Therapy Techs; 2278, Mine and Tunnel Inspector; 0475 and 0476, senior and assistant soils engineers; 2096, telephone operator; 2002 and 1909, Farm

Placement and Sr. Farm Placement Representatives; 4131, Laboratory Worker, and 0467, Sr. Education Supervisor (Phys Ed and Rec).

Under classification matters on the calendar the CSC will discuss the classification of positions in the State Civil Defense Commission as well as in various departments.

Also under this heading will be the eligibility of employees in DPUI for reclassified titles.

Schenectady Police

A recent ruling of the Schenectady County Civil Defense Commission which changed the job of Police Commissioner in Schenectady to an appointive office will be up for study.

As a result of this act a police captain was made commissioner without examination, and the step has been protested by a large group of Schenectady police who argue the promotion should have been made only after competitive examination.

comprehensive rules dealing with public personnel administration;

2. The full benefit of such participation by employees can be realized only through intelligent and progressive public employee organizations functioning without restraint and with the wholesome encouragement of public officials;

3. The fundamental rights which adhere in employment generally, such as salary plans, promotions, tenure, leaves, hours, retirement should be spelled out in civil service law and rules giving a contract stability to career service and insuring the efficiency and economy of such service regardless of changing administrations and changing officials;

4. The very large number of public employees calls definitely for statutory establishment of rules dealing with attention to employment problems and a personal relations tribunal with competent staff to hear, resolve and recommend sound settlement of major and minor employee grievances and complaints. Such a tribunal would serve a dual purpose: (a) prompt resolution of misunderstandings and (b) point the way to initial adoption of good employment policies, thus eliminating errors on adoption and consequent later disappointment and dissatisfaction.

The panel was presided over by Dr. Sterling Spero, professor of public administration, New York University.

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78 State, Local Exams Scheduled for Sept. 27

ALBANY, Sept. 15 — Following is a listing of State and county examinations scheduled to be held on September 27, as compiled by Harry G. Fox, Director of Office Administration, State Civil Service Commission.

The number at the beginning of each time identifies the exam. The number at the end is the total of candidates for each exam.

ADMINISTRATION, BUSINESS AND CLERICAL State Promotion.

- 5117. Chief Account Clerk, Dept. of Mental Hygiene—31.
- 5110. Head Account Clerk, Dept. of Health—6.
- 5118. Head Account Clerk, Dept. of Mental Hygiene—76.
- 5128. Head Account Clerk, Dept. of Public Works—29.
- 5131. Head Account Clerk, Dept. of Tax. & Fin.—10.
- 5132. Principal Account Clerk, Interdepartmental; Principal Audit Clerk, Interdepartmental—626.
- 5116. Business Officer, Dept. of Mental Hygiene—24.
- 5115. Sr. Business Officer, Dept. of Mental Hygiene—9.
- 5106. Prin. Clerk (Purchase), Dept. of Conservation—10.
- 5113. Prin. Clerk (Purchase), Dept. of Labor, WCB—6.
- 5111. Sr. Clerk (Purchase), Dept. of Health—9.
- 5108. Sr. Editorial Clerk, Dept. of Education—10.
- 5107. Institution Steward, Dept. of Correction—19.
- 5112. Institution Steward, Dept. of Health—11.

- 5129. Proofreader, Dept. of State—6.
 - 5133. Sr. Special Tax Investigator, Dept. of Tax. & Fin.—61.
- State Open Competitive.**
- 6122. Office Machine Operator (Cal. Key Drive), Dept. of Labor, State Ins. Fund—147.
 - 6121. Proofreader, Dept. of State—20.

ENGINEERING, MECHANICAL AND AGRICULTURAL State Promotion.

- 5125. Jr. Architect, Dept. of Public Works—8.
- 5005. Sr. Civil Engineer, Dept. of Public Works—173.
- 5123. Institution Fireman, Dept. of Mental Hygiene—34.
- 5109. Asst. Sanitary Engineer, Dept. of Health—7.
- 5122. Chief Stationary Engineer, Dept. of Mental Hygiene—6.
- 5127. Asst. Superintendent of Operation & Maintenance (Highways), Dept. of P.W.—15.

State Open Competitive.

- 6118. Junior Architect, Dept. of Public Works—13.
- 6115. Bldg. Codes Field Representative, Exec. Dept., State Bldg. Code Field Comm.—24.
- 6130. Factory Inspector, Dept. of Labor—86.
- 6119. Gas Meter Tester, Dept. of Public Service—8.
- 6117. Jr. Hydraulic Engineer, Dept. of Conservation—5.
- 6132. Institution Fireman, Dept. of Mental Hygiene—32.
- 6113. General Manager of Central N. Y. Parks, Dept. of Conservation—32.
- 6114. Jr. Park Engineer, Dept. of Conservation—15.
- 6116. Sr. Telephone Inspector, Dept. of Public Service—19.

County Open Competitive.

- 6487. Engineer Assistant, Erie County—3.
- 6488. Sr. Engineer Assistant, Erie County—0.
- 6496. Jr. Engineering Aid, Westchester County, Tn. of Mamaronck—0.

HEALTH, EDUCATION AND WELFARE State Open Competitive

- 5119. Sr. Occupational Therapist (Mental Hygiene), Dept. of Mental Hygiene—31.
 - 5121. Recreation Instructor, Dept. of Mental Hygiene—28.
- State Promotion**
- 5120. Recreation Supervisor, 6041. Dir. of Welfare Area Office, Dept. of Social Welfare—27.
 - 6042. Asst. Dir. of Welfare Area Office, Dept. of Social Welfare—37.
 - 6126. Sr. Occupational Therapist (Mental Hygiene), Dept. of Corr. Dannemora S. H.—15.

- 6127. Sr. On-the-Job Training Dept. of Mental Hygiene—20.
- Representative, Exec. Dept., Veterans Affairs—53.

State Depts.—98.

- 6123. Recreation Supv., State Depts.—47.
- 6125. Asst. Recreation Instructor, Dept. of Mental Hygiene—71.
- 6040. Assoc. Welfare Consultant (Administration), Dept. of Soc. Welfare—23.
- 6039. Prin. Welfare Consultant (Administration), Dept. of Soc. Welfare—14.

County Open Competitive.

- 6485. Jr. Laboratory Technician, Chautauqua County, Newton Memorial Hospital—0.

LAW ENFORCEMENT, INVESTIGATIONS AND PHYSICALS. State Promotion.

- 5114. Assoc. Attorney (Appeals and Opinions), Dept. of Law—3.
- 5124. Asst. Land & Claims Adjuster, Dept. of Public Works—15.
- 5126. Sr. Land & Claims Adjuster, Dept. of Public Works—36.
- 5130. Supervising Motor Vehicle License Examiner, Dept. of Tax. & Fin.—98.

State Open Competitive.

- 6131. Building Guard, Dept. of Public Works—58.
- 6128. Asst. Land & Claims Adjuster, Dept. of Conservation—67.
- 6129. Jr. Land & Claims Adjuster, Dept. of Public Works—79.
- 6133. Process Server, State Depts.—41.

County Open Competitive.

- 6505. Keeper, Erie County—46.
- 6498. Patrolman, Parkway Police, West. Co.—97.
- 6501. Police Patrolman, Towns and Villages, Wyoming Co.—3.
- 6486. Police Patrolman, Chaut. Co., Village of Lakewood, Tn. of Ellcott—5.
- 6506. Police Patrolman, Chaut. Co., Village of Westfield—1.

LOCAL EXAMINATIONS SECTION. County Promotion.

- 5431. Sr. Typist, Sullivan County—2.
- 5432. Sr. Typist, Tompkins County—1.

County Open Competitive.

- 6492. Clerk, Tompkins Co.—3.
- 6491. Sr. Clerk, Sullivan Co.—1.
- 6490. Court Stenographer, Sullivan Co.—4.
- 6497. Jr. Examiner and Clerk, West. Co.—6.
- 6489. Fire Driver, Essex Co., Village of Lake Placid—1.
- 6500. Meter Man, Wyoming Co., Village of Arcade—1.
- 6493. Stenographer, Tompkins Co.—1.
- 6503. Supt. of Recreation, West. Co., Tn. of Pelham—1.
- 6494. Typist, Tompkins Co.—4.
- 6495. Sr. Typist, Tompkins Co.—4.
- 6499. Water Works Superintendent, Grade III, West. Co., Tn. of Cortland—2.

TECHNICAL SERVICES SECTION. State Promotion.

- 5134. Asst. Librarian, Educ. Dept.—7.
- State Open Competitive.
- 6112. Asst. Librarian, Educ. Dept.—28.
- 6111. Sr. Librarian, Educ. Dept.—11.

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Have you been reading the LEADER's interesting new column, Civil Service Newsletter? You'll find it on page 6. Make it MUST reading every week.

List of Self-Improvement Courses for Employees

Below is a group of training courses now open to public employees in New York City. These courses are conducted by the Training Division of the State Civil Service Department in cooperation with the NYC Board of Education. Registration will take place all this week at the NYC offices of the State Commission, 270 Broadway. Registration may be in person or by mail. Classes will meet at Textile High School, 351 West 18th Street, NYC. Except where otherwise indicated, class time is 6:50 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Title of Course	Beginning Date	Class Night
1) Arithmetic Refresher	Sept. 15	Monday
2) Elementary Accounting	Sept. 15	Monday
3) Intermediate Accounting	Sept. 17	Wednesday
4) Advanced Accounting	Sept. 16	Tuesday
5) Office Practices and Methods	Sept. 15	Monday
6) General Education Refresher*	Sept. 15	Mon. & Wed.
7) Know Your State Government	Sept. 22 (6:00-8:40)	Monday
8) Fundamentals of Supervision*	Sept. 15	Monday
9) Case Studies in Supervision*	Sept. 16	Tuesday
10) Elementary Statistics	Sept. 18	Thursday
11) Business Psychology	Sept. 16	Tuesday
12) Workmen's Compensation Case Studies	Sept. 17	Wednesday
13) Job Opportunity Forum	Sept. 23 (6:00-8:40)	Tuesday
14) Tests and Testing Methods	Sept. 17	Wednesday
15) Safety Standards II	Sept. 18 (6:00-8:40)	Thursday
16) Intermediate Statistics	Sept. 17	Wednesday
17) How to Interview	Sept. 18	Thursday
18) Personnel Practices	To be arranged	
19) Blueprint Reading	To be arranged	
20) Elementary Spanish	To be arranged	
21) Business Machines	To be arranged	
22) Personal Typing	To be arranged	
23) Stationary Engineering	To be arranged	

* Additional groups will be organized if necessary.

Albany Blossoms With Exhibits

ALBANY, Sept. 15—Albany has begun to blossom out with sprightly and interesting displays these days as various State agencies get continued use of the exhibits they displayed at the New York State Fair in Syracuse earlier this month.

Late last week the Workmen's Compensation Board erected in the south lobby of the State Capitol here an extensive panel display from their State Fair booth. Wheels turn, lights highlight short remarks and slogans concerning the program, and an attendant sits at the side to hand out pamphlet material and answer questions.

Future possibilities are displays by several other agencies either in the Capitol or the lobby of the Gov. Alfred E. Smith State Office building.

Civil Service, among others, is contemplating erection of a display.

In addition to the displays themselves many of the agencies gave out handout material which brought the government message into the homes.

Samples of these were paper bags supplied by Civil Service for the dual purpose of giving visitors a means of carrying all the assorted materials collected as well as advertising the department.

School Enrollment Rise Is Forecast

Business schools in the metropolitan area will experience considerably larger enrollments this year, said Guy E. O'Brien, director of the Drake Schools, 154 Nassau Street, NYC.

The effect of the GI Bill for Korean and other veterans will not be too evident this fall, Mr. O'Brien felt, because Departments of Education in some States have not completed recertification of approved training facilities.

J. J. KELLY JR. WANTS TO AID ARMORY EMPLOYEE

An armory employee sent a letter of inquiry to John J. Kelly Jr., assistant counsel, Civil Service Employees Association, 8 Elk St., Albany, N. Y., and asked that the answer be published in The LEADER. The letter bore no signature or address. Mr. Kelly asks that the inquirer send him his name and address.

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Public Works Aides Honor J. J. Carrigan

PATCHOGUE, Sept. 15—A testimonial dinner was tendered at Shabers' Rest in Patchogue, to John J. Carrigan, Highway General Foreman of the State Public Works Department, to mark his retirement on September 1, after 31 years of service. Seventy-five of his fellow employees, together with their wives, attended.

Most of the county assistants under whom Mr. Carrigan worked for the past three decades were present, among them Mr. Herman Boettjer, who is now General Superintendent of the Long Island State Park Commission. In the course of his remarks to Mr. Carrigan, Mr. Boettjer complimented the Civil Service Employees Association upon its long, successful battle to liberalize the pension benefits of State employees. He expressed confidence that the Association's efforts would bring continued improvement in the retirement system.

Joseph J. Darcy, District Engineer of District 10, Public Works, expressed his appreciation of Mr. Carrigan's work in the department. He thanked the retiring foreman and others like him in the department who, he said, are aiding in the large, complicated highway construction program. On behalf of his fellow employees, Mr. Darcy presented Mr. Carrigan with a wristwatch. Mrs. Carrigan received a large bouquet and the thanks of the district for the important part she played in her husband's successful public career.

Leo Cushman, President of the N.Y. State Highway Employees Association, acted as toastmaster. Stanley Karpinski was chairman of the Arrangements Committee.



Among the array of guests who appeared at the clambake and dinner of the Southern Conference, CSEA, on Saturday, September 6. In this photograph may be seen several of the outstanding functionaries of the Association as well as candidates newly seeking office. At a quick glance, one can pick out (at random), Charlotte Clapper, Harry G. Fox, Jesse B.

McFarland, Nellie Davis, Ted Wenzl, Francis A. MacDonald, Laura S. Sout, Vernon Tapper, Charlie Lamb, Arnold Wise, Suzanne Long, J. Allyn Stearns, Mildred Lauder, among others. Consensus: all guests had a terrific time! The event took place at Katonah Park, near Bedford Hills.

PSC ASKS EXEMPT JOB

ALBANY, Sept. 15—The Public Service Commission has asked for exempt classification of the position of Chief of the Telephone Bureau. The State Civil Service Commission is due to rule on the request this week.

Training Courses Offer Plenty of Opportunities To Public Employees

Registration for fall training courses for State employees took place last week. Many employees registered in person September 4 and 5 at the Commission's office, 270 Broadway, NYC. Registration by mail could be made to the same address in care of the Training Division.

Designed to increase efficiency in civil service, the program is open to all government employees and is administered by the State Civil Service Department's Training Division in cooperation with the New York City Board of Education. Many of the courses have been listed in response to requests from employee groups. Classes meet at 270 Broadway and at public high schools throughout the city.

Job Forum

A new feature of the program will be a "job opportunity forum." Described by the Training Division as "a vocational guidance clinic for marketing personal skills and abilities," the forum provides information about current State job openings, application procedures, and methods used to secure new positions. Enrollment is limited to 50 persons.

Evening training courses began September 15. Subjects offered include accounting, mathematics, typing, office procedures and

methods, occupational psychology, fundamentals of supervision, case studies in supervision, statistics, blueprint reading, stationary engineering, interviewing, workman's compensation case studies, safety standards, State government, and a general education refresher. The fall evening session runs 15 weeks with classes meeting once or twice a week depending on the nature of the course.

Steno Course Starts October 6

Courses in supervision carry an enrollment ceiling of 25 persons each. Employees trained during the working day are nominated by their department supervisors.

A continuation of last year's one-month stenographic refresher course for State employees begins October 6. The refresher course is repeated throughout the year with classes meeting four afternoons a week.

Frank E. Wallace, the chairman of the Educational Committee of the Metropolitan Conference, urged all State employees in the area to enroll for one of the courses.

RENT COMMISSION WANTS EXEMPT PUBLICITY MAN

ALBANY, Sept. 15—The State Housing Rent Commission wants exempt classification for the position of director of publications and public relations. The State Civil Service Commission rules on the request this week.



Newly-installed officers of the Southern Regional Conference, CSEA: Charles Lamb, of Sing Sing Prison, 1st vice-president; Hiram Philips, of Letchworth Village, sergeant at arms; Dorothy Browning, Rehabilitation Hospital, 3rd vice-president; Francis A. MacDonald, State Training School for Boys, president; Nellie Davis, Hudson River State Hospital, 4th vice-president; Robert L. Soper, Wassaic State School, treasurer. Roland Schoemaker, of Orange County State Public Works, 2nd vice-president, was not present when the photo was taken.

Southern Conference Considers New Legislation; Entertains Array of Guests

BEDFORD HILLS, Sept. 15—Serious consideration of the problems of State employees, plus a spirit of good-fellowship, featured the summer clambake and business meeting of the Southern Conference, CSEA, held under the sponsorship of the Westfield Farms chapter and attended by a large group of Association officers, chapter delegates and members.

Special thanks were given to Katherine Randolph, president of the Westfield State Farms chapter, and William Mulligan, Westfield delegate, and members of the local chapter who arranged the setting in Katonah Park, near the State farm.

Limitation on Bills

Many members of the Association spoke on questions which came before the group, although voting was limited to the official chapter delegates. One question which came up was a move to limit to twelve the number of legislative bills which the Association should present in Albany each year. This was proposed by C. B. Stoddard of Columbia County chapter. Association President Jesse B. McFarland was invited to explain the pros and cons of the situation and then the measure was voted down.

Vested Pension Rights

Another proposal to adopt a resolution asking for 20-year vested pension rights, which would allow a State employee to retire after 20 years and then receive a State pension on attaining the age of 55, was also the matter of

considerable discussion. The matter was introduced by Mr. Louis Griffin of Sing Sing chapter. Again President McFarland was requested to brief the meeting on the Association's action on vested pension rights. He explained that the Association had been working for years to obtain legislation for an equitable vested pension law which would allow State employees the same vested privileges enjoyed by persons under social security coverage and that the matter was actively on the Association agenda.

The Conference also voted to endorse the candidacies of Conference President MacDonald for 1st vice president of the State wide Association; Charles Methe for 2nd vice president; J. Allyn Stearns for 3rd vice president; Paul Hayes as Mental Hygiene representative; Charles Davis as Social Welfare representative; and Charles E. Lamb as Correction representative.

Mr. MacDonald, who held the gavel at the meeting, called the attention of the assemblage to a front page article in the LEADER which recently listed 56 legislative items before the State Commission to revise the Civil Service Law. He also urged representatives of the respective chapters to notify the Albany office of the Association promptly of any changes in their roster of officers so that mailings would reach the proper persons.

Greetings and well-wishes to the Conference came from a number of persons who were unable to attend, including Arnold

Moses, who wrote from his sickbed in Brooklyn State Hospital, and Janet MacFarlane and Kenneth Valentine, also recuperating.

Change in Officers

Mr. MacDonald announced that newly elected president, Louis Garrison, would be unable to serve and had been obliged to resign, and that he had therefore named Nellie Davis as 4th vice-president; Charles Lamb was moved into the first vice-presidency.

Among the chapters represented at the Conference were Warwick State School, Middletown State Hospital, Sing Sing Prison, Wassaic State School, Letchworth Village, Hudson River State Hospital, Westfield Farms, Rehabilitation Hospital, Columbia County State Public Works, Rockland State Hospital, Harlem Valley State Hospital, Hudson Valley Armory Employees.

Among the guests were: Jesse B. McFarland, president of the Civil Service Employees Association; Suzanne Long, president of the Tax Department chapter; Arnold Wise, delegate of the State Tax Department; and Mrs. Wise; Theodore Wenzl, chairman of the Capital District Conference, and Mrs. Wenzl; Harry G. Fox, CSEA treasurer; Charlotte Clapper, CSEA secretary; Mildred M. Lauder, candidate for 4th vice-president; J. Allyn Stearns, 3rd CSEA vice-president; Thomas Conkling, president of the Metropolitan Regional Conference; Vernon A. Tapper, of Syracuse, member of the CSEA Board of Directors; Harold Herztein, regional attorney.

Western Conference Meets In Thomas Indian School

GOWANDA, Sept. 15 — On Saturday, September 13, the Western Conference of the Civil Service Employees Association held its quarterly meeting at Iroquois and Gowanda under the sponsorship of the Thomas Indian School chapter. The Conference is composed of State workers from the following counties: Niagara, Erie, Yates, Chautauqua, Cattaraugus, Orleans, Genesee, Wyoming, Allegany, Livingston, Wayne, Ontario and Steuben.

Workshop

Starting at 11 A.M. at the School, the morning session consisted of a workshop dealing with methods of handling employee problems.

At 2:30 P. M., the afternoon session began, consisting of regu-

lar business and a discourse on tolls by J. Allyn Stearns, collector of tolls in Westchester County and a director of the American Association of Toll Roads and Toll Bridges.

The evening session started with dinner at the Veterans of Foreign Wars hall in Gowanda at 6:30 P.M. The business meeting was then completed. The processes of legislation were outlined to show some of the complexities encountered by every bill from its inception to its final disposition.

Denton VanderPoel, president of the Thomas Indian School chapter, arranged entertainment. Grace Hillery is Conference chairman.

Full details of the meeting will appear in next week's LEADER.

Corsi Sees U. S. Labor Chief on DPUI Firings

With pickets marching in circles outside, State Industrial Commissioner Edward Corsi last Friday morning met for the third time with representatives of State employees on the dismissals of 1006 aides. The firings have dipped into the reservoir of permanent workers. The meeting took place in Room 670, Mr. Corsi's office in the New York State Building, 80 Centre Street, New York City.

The picket line, manned by nearly 100 persons, was organized by the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL. Solomon Bendet, president of the New York City chapter of the Civil Service Employees Association, issued a statement that his organization had nothing to do with the picket line and would give it no support. Other employee groups who have some membership in the Division of Placement and Unemployment Insurance did, however, participate. Most of the actual marchers in the line were not, from what could be learned, State employees. They were members of other AFL locals.

The Division warned that any DPUI employee using his leave to go on that picket line would be brought up on charges.

At the same time, Mr. Corsi said that efforts would continue to be made to solve the desperate problem of recurrent layoffs in the Division.

The Commissioner made two specific suggestions:

1. He had been in touch with United States Secretary of Labor Tobin, and told him that New York State is losing trained employees and facing a serious situation as a result of the dismissals. Secretary Tobin was sympathetic, Mr. Corsi said, and promised to

do what he could. The issue then went to Robert Goodwin, head of the Federal Bureau of Employment Security. Corsi asked Goodwin to allow the use of non-personnel funds for salary purposes. These are funds which normally would be used for equipment, travel, rent, etc. The proposal was being discussed late last week in Salt Lake City between Mr. Goodwin and Milton Loysen, director of the New York State DPUI, under Mr. Corsi. An answer may be available before long.

2. Mr. Corsi had also asked the State Civil Service Commission for permission to use personnel in out-of-title jobs rather than firing them. The State Commission is meeting this week to determine whether it will allow this. The proposal has the affirmative response of Mr. Corsi, the DPUI, and the employees.

Mr. Corsi indicated that there are not likely to be a great many more layoffs, and that some of those dismissed might be absorbed in 36 openings which had been located. Also, leaves which employees might want to take will be allowed. A special unit of the Employment Service is trying to find jobs for the dismissed employees.

Mr. Corsi was asked why he didn't take an action like that of Connecticut, which in a similar situation simply refused to dismiss its employees. Connecticut is over-spending, Mr. Corsi feels, and thus taking the chance of shutting down its operation. The Industrial Commissioner stated he is unwilling to go into debt and to jeopardize the services rendered by the DPUI. Apparently the State of Connecticut has an arrangement whereby the funds it uses are met by deficiency appropriations.

CORSI TO ACT IN AID PROGRAM FOR VETERANS

With the signature by State Industrial Commissioner Edward Corsi of an agreement to act as New York State Veterans' Unemployment Compensation agent for the Federal government, the way is cleared for the start next month of \$26-a-week payments to veterans of post-Korea service in the armed forces who are seeking civilian jobs.

Oneida Pay Adjustment Seen as Need

Employee representatives of Oneida County and staff members of the Civil Service Employees Association appeared before the Salary Committee of the Oneida County Board of Supervisors on September 8, urging an immediate adjustment in the salary level of all county employees.

Chapter president Fred Koenig, Sam Borelli, and Henry Gaipin, CSEA research analyst, followed up a strong letter with a personal appeal for this needed adjustment.

Encouragement Seen

The Supervisor's Salary Committee gave the employees group some encouragement and intimated that a raise would be forthcoming. When asked if they had come to a conclusion as to their recommendation to the full Board, Committee members said that they had come to a tentative conclusion but were not at liberty to state what it was now. The Board's Committee stated that spot raises were to receive first priority to correct current inequities in the county and then consideration would be made of a general increase.

It is expected that the salary matter will be concluded by October 1. Oneida county employees have received only \$510 in pay raises since 1946 and the present salary level is so low as to hamper recruitment. Present employees are having increasing difficulties, and a substantial pay increase is viewed as imperative.

Strange Are the Ways of Civil Service Recruitment, If You Translate the Russian

ALBANY, Sept. 15 — The strange pathways into which recruiting material can fall were being demonstrated here this week in the Department of Civil Service.

The Department is currently the recipient of a flow of letters, some of them in Russian, seeking information about recently advertised highway engineering positions in the Department of Public Works.

Translator Needed

Apparently Novoe Roskoe Slovo, Russian language newspaper, translated a recruiting item into Russian.

At any rate, letters and post-cards are now coming in from former Russian citizens in search of information and application blanks.

Out of 15 letters to date, two are in Russian. For these the Department of Civil Service must enlist the aid of a translator in the Department of Education.

Catherine E. LaRosa, assistant in foreign languages education, has inherited the present task.

Citizens Nowhere

Donderous indeed are several of the stories told by the letters, including escapes from their homeland during the Soviet revolution.

Many of the communications proceed to list qualifications and one of these ends with the simple statement:

"Citizenship—Homeless."

Unfortunately for this and some other would-be applicants, the citizenship requirement for the

examination has not been waived. Several of the information seekers tell of serving in the Russian Imperial Army as engineer officers during World War I. Others list their present occupations such as presser, laborer and others, and even estimate their current income.

In at least one of these latter instances the income announced was greater than the salary for the State jobs advertised.

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What's a Sensible Policy on Outside Jobs?

THE LEADER has received assurance from high NYC officials that the present investigation of dual job-holding will not develop into a witch-hunt against all City employees holding outside jobs. The probe has been confined to three departments: Police, Fire and Correction.

We hope there is substance to these assurances. All of us remember the waves of resentment which arose when former Mayor LaGuardia, without any legal sanction, attempted to impose a blanket prohibition against employees holding a second job on their own time.

The fact is that in some departments 50 percent or more of the employees hold outside jobs. Any attempt to throttle the practice would be not only unfair and discriminatory, but would cause a major upheaval — as indeed, Mayor LaGuardia learned in his day.

Why They Do It

Most employees who hold down a second job on their own time don't do so gladly. It isn't pleasant to put in a full day's work in a government agency and then go off for another stint at night. Men do it mainly because they have families and they just can't make out on City pay. Moreover, there is no question that standards of living have risen in recent years. A family today wants and needs more things than it required twenty or even ten years ago — quite apart from the mad cost of living. Families which were content in cold-water flats a generation back are content with nothing less than properly-heated apartments now. A family can't be stabilized today with a piddling occasional pay increase, although of course every dollar helps. Our entire scale has altered.

This means that, like it or not, sparetime jobs for public employees are here to stay. The administration knows this and is probably reconciled to it. Investigation Commissioner James Sheils isn't jumping with happiness over his investigation of extra jobs held by members of the NYC Police, Fire and Correction Departments.

A Sensible Way

The State handles the outside-job situation sensibly. Some years ago the Attorney General issued an opinion affirming that it's all right for an employee to hold an outside job on his own time, so long as the job doesn't interfere with or impinge upon his duties as a public employee. The setup works fine. Lots of State employees hold outside jobs. Their superiors don't clamp down. They earn additional money which, Heaven knows, they sorely need these days. The City of New York ought to follow the same sensible policy.

SOME POLITICIANS profess worry about the "cap-tive" vote of public employees. Memo to these politicians: If you're really worried, there's something definite you can do about it. Just make sure that public employees are chosen by the merit system, not by politicians.

HOW COME that the NYC Citizens Budget Commission, in reporting on the caliber of persons appointed to exempt jobs, didn't hand a bouquet, or at least one rose petal, to Abe Beame, the Budget Director?

Milwaukee Plans Reform of Drinkers

Milwaukee is planning an alcoholic program like the one begun by Allis-Chalmers during World War II.

The company found that many of its employees' troubles were due to drinking. The drinkers had a high absentee rate, were accident prone, and spoiled valuable products. Many of these employees, however, were men of experience, highly skilled, and good workers when sober.

When a foreman or supervisor has trouble with an employee be-

cause of drinking he refers him to the alcoholic counselor. With those who want to cooperate the counselor has remarkable success, the Civil Service Assembly reports. In some cases the counselor simply helped to straighten out a family trouble, such as debts. In others, the employee agreed to have his check sent home to his wife. If complicated personal problems were involved, the counselor enlisted the aid of a psychiatrist.

Alcoholics Anonymous also aided the project.



William Brody's recommendations for improved policies in dealing with U. S. employees have been adopted by the Federal Personnel Council. Chairman of its employee relations committee, he was formerly personnel director of the NYC Health Department.

Comment

STORE CLERKS LAUD LEADER STORY
Editor, The LEADER:

I read with interest the announcement in The LEADER about the hearing concerning re-allocation of the stores clerk salary grade. This hearing was held on July 29.

I understand that your paper wished to publicize what went on at the hearing, and all stores clerks appreciate the publicity our appeal has received.

Put in all fairness, let me add that Mrs. Puff, of Hudson River State Hospital, and Mr. Ames, Girls Training School, Hudson, and I were the only stores clerks present.

Also at the hearing and speaking in our behalf were William McDonough and Henry Galpin, of the Civil Service Employees Association, and Granville Hills, of the Department of Mental Hygiene personnel staff.

It was an informal, well-conducted hearing, of which William Killian, Assistant Director of Classification, was the chairman.

If the points and material which were presented at the hearing, plus the opinions of the department heads as expressed on the appeal forms, are taken into honest consideration, then the stores clerks' salary grade should be raised.

I wish to thank you and your staff for the co-operation you have shown.

JOHN KEHLRINGER,
New York City.

Question, Please

HOW MUCH of my experience as a NYC provisional may I get credit for in an open-competitive exam to fill the job permanently? L.B.

Answer — Not more than nine months.

WHILE I was a provisional employee of NYC I met with an accident where I was employed. Later provisionals were let out. I filed suit. It is still pending. Now I want to take a civil service test. If I get the job and the law suit comes up later, can I be fired? S.R.

Answer — Your suit for civil damages should have no bearing whatever on your appointment to or retention in a city job.

NEW FIRE JOBS DENIED

Fire Commissioner Jacob Grumet is expected to see Mayor Vincent R. Impellitteri soon regarding the need for more NYC firemen.

A request by the Commissioner to Budget Director Abraham D. Beame for 175 more firemen has been turned down. Unless the Commissioner can convince the Mayor, the appointments will not be made. They'd been intended originally for September 15.

The Mayor, it was indicated, would not reach a decision before consulting Mr. Beame. The department may have to settle for fewer than 175.

CIVIL SERVICE

NEWS Letter

THE SINGLE ADMINISTRATOR plan is going to be fought again this year by those who don't like the present type of three member Civil Service Commission.

Senator Olin D. Johnston (D., S.C.), chairman of the Senate Post Office and Civil Service Committee, predicted that the next Congress will reorganize the U.S. Civil Service Commission. He is expected to introduce a bill to provide for a single administrator with a part-time Board, consisting of representatives of employers and civil organizations, acting in an advisory capacity to the administrator. The Board would consist of three members.

In the State, a new effort by the Dewey Administration is expected to have the Mahoney bill, which was defeated last year, enacted this time. It would provide for a personnel administrator, with a Board performing the quasi-judicial functions.

In NYC the same conflict exists and is heading for a showdown. The Budget Director's office has reported in favor of a personnel administrator to take over the administrative work, with the Commission deciding disputes and performing the other quasi-judicial functions. These include rule-making and passing on the acceptability of candidates' character record.

The NYC Civil Service Commission doesn't think well of the idea of splitting the responsibility, finds that the whole operation is one in which all the functions are correlated and can't be successfully divided.

Differences of opinion on the best method of operating the merit system run high and lively debates are in store for the winter months when the contest really gets hot.

WHEN the NYC Board of Estimate meets on Thursday, September 18, it will have before it for action two resolutions for establishing a 43.8-hour week in the Police and Fire Departments, effective October 1. This is in lieu of the 44-hour week which will obtain in City departments generally on that date as a step toward the ultimate 40-hour week. The 44-hour basis doesn't fit into the Police-Fire duty tours. The changeover will require about 1,200 additional officers and men in the Police and Fire Departments. The heads of both those departments, George P. Monaghan, Police, and Jacob Grumet, Fire, are interested in Supreme Court judgeships. Commissioner Monaghan tells friends he turned down the recent opportunity because he didn't think it right to resign while investigations are still in high gear concerning the activities of Bookmaker Gross.

THERE'S MUCH division of opinion among members of the Temporary State Commission to Revise the Civil Service Law. Some would like to see less civil service (especially on the local level), some would like to see more. So far, the members haven't reconciled their views. . . . State Senator Francis J. Mahoney is getting the admiration of other Commission members for his interest in and work on the problems. . . . No one is being named yet to replace Arthur Schwartz, counsel to the Walter Mahoney Commission, who was named to the Supreme Court by Governor Dewey.

ARBITRARY disciplinary actions by the big brass in various Federal installations is spurring employee organization, often discreetly. . . . Increasing number of instances are being brought to public attention of rough treatment, rough charges based on insufficient evidence, and a tendency to fire a man first and worry about it afterward. Matter has come to attention of some members of Congress, who may act to increase protections of U. S. aides. . . . One Congressman, phoning a brass hat in the Air Forces about a man who had been summarily dismissed, was told in effect to go fly a couple kites. . . . Watch for blow-off at next session of Congress, demand that employees in government have same rights as those in private industry.

FORMER NYC Fire Commissioner Frank J. Quayle now looking fine and fit and can watch the horses run, without any qualms. Pretty good picker, too; one of the best. . . . Some serious personnel clashes are occurring in the NYC Correction Department but all information on that score is being kept under wraps.

UPSTATE Democratic leaders are keenly worried and disappointed that John Cashmore, Democratic nominee for U. S. Senator in opposition to Senator Irving N. Ives, did not receive the Liberal Party endorsement. As a result of the Liberal refusal to back him, top politicians feel Cashmore will lose many votes by "accident," when a voter who wants to vote the second line may drop the third line keys instead.

This theory, long vouchsafed by the powerful Albany County Democratic organization, was apparently demonstrated when the Albany ALP votes dropped from an average 4,000 per election to a mere 500-odd after the minority party was given a bottom row on the voting machines — a row widely separated from the Democratic row above.

HAS ANYONE noted that the recently announced State campaign trip of Vice-presidential candidate Senator Sparkman avoids the Island of Manhattan and hence Harlem? Staten Island, a Republican stronghold in '48, receives the southerner's attention, but no other New York City county.

THE STATE Civil Service Commission favors retention of the exempt class. It would like to see all positions now having exempt titles studied to determine whether they are properly exempt; and during the period of study, such positions should be filled temporarily. The State Commission, mulling over how to change the law, also wants civil service divided into two classes as at present, classified and unclassified. The classified service would include the present exempt, competitive and non-competitive classes.

NYC CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSIONER Fino. You're campaigning for Congress while retaining your Commissionership. Isn't there something in the law about a civil service commissioner NOT participating in political activities? . . . Also, is that your big City car that parks regularly in the no-parking area on busy Broadway?

NYC BRIEFS

INSTEAD of confining the exam for promotion to accountant to three agencies — Comptroller's office, Housing Authority and the Manhattan Borough President's office — the NYC Civil Service Commission has decided to open it to all departments. There will be separate departmental eligible lists, which will be used first, and a city-wide list. No date has been set for receipt of applications.

THE marine engineer and chief marine engineer promotion exams, Department of Marine & Aviation, and the exam for promotion to assistant resident buildings manager, Housing Authority, will be reopened for three days, September 22, 23 and 24. Also reopened on those dates will be the open-competitive test for structure maintainer, group C, NYC Transit System.

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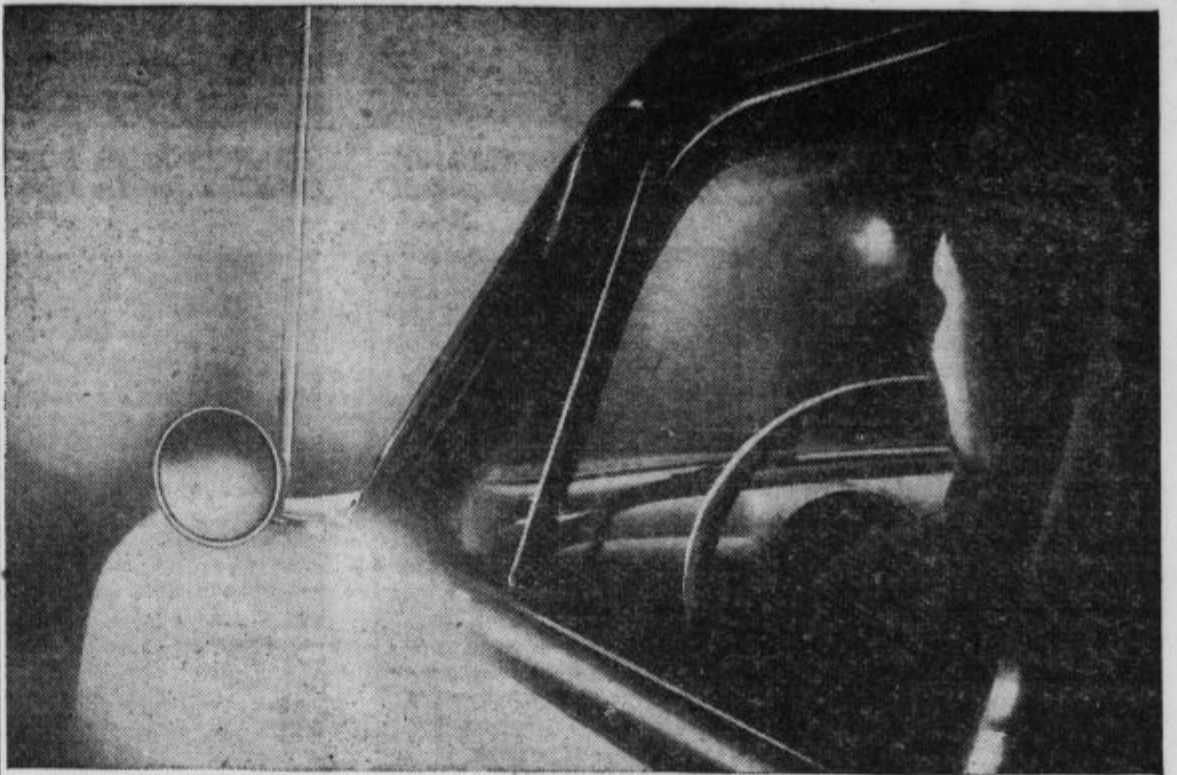
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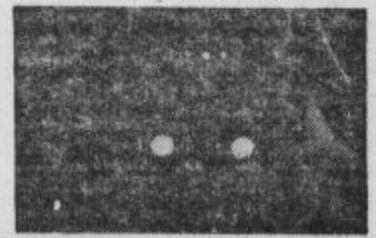
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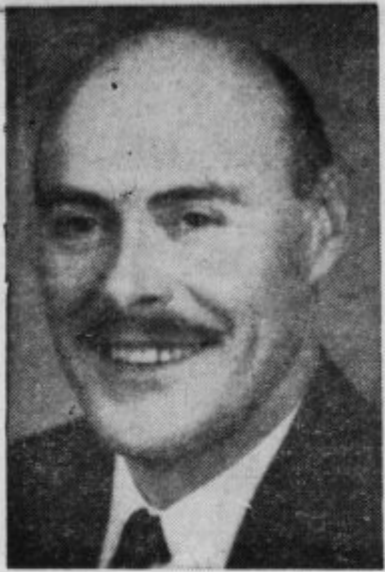
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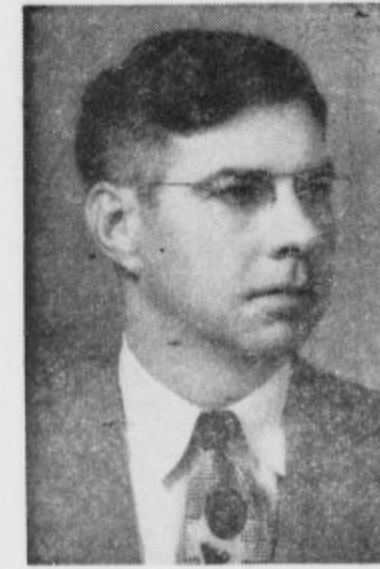
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SUSANNE LONG
Candidate for President

SUE LONG is a "career woman" in State service with special talents ranging from business management and tax collecting to organization promotion.

She has been a State Tax Department employee and active in employee relations for 20 years.

Whether it is playing basketball or directing the activities of Tax Chapter (which she is heading for a second term as President) or herding Tax employees into line for the Red Cross blood bank (250 donors in 37 weeks), Sue Long brings to each job a contagious enthusiasm and limitless capacity for work.

Sue's executive and business training was gained in seven states. After attending DePauw University, she served as Credit Manager for the Industrial Acceptance Corporation in South Bend, Indiana, and Tampa, Florida; the National Bond and Investment Company in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and Duluth, Minnesota; Studebaker distributor in Baltimore, and in commercial credit work in Chicago.

Coming to Albany in 1932, Sue took refresher courses at Albany Business College and entered State service as temporary junior clerk, earning promotions to her present position as Senior Income Tax Examiner.

In Tax Chapter, Sue managed business and social functions with energy and success, and founded "Tax Chapter News," the Chapter's lively paper. Before winning the Chapter presidency, she served on its Executive Council and as Chairman of its Audit and Budget Committee. She has served on Membership and Social Committees of CSEA and as Chairman of the Conference Committee for Cornell University Classes. She is a member of the Civil Service Assembly.

In the hobby department, Sue is an avid reader, a fine cook, a dog fancier and a music lover.

JESSE B. McFARLAND
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JESSE B. McFARLAND, twice elected President of the Association, previously served as First Vice President, a member of the State Executive Committee, and

on many important committees.

Mr. McFarland entered State service as a career employee seven years ago in the Department of Social Welfare and is at present Senior Claims Examiner. Prior to this he was employed as valuation engineer by the Illinois Central Railroad, cost analyst in steel production, and for seven years with the Federal Interstate Commerce Commission.

Throughout his public service he has been a keen student of civil government and has devoted practically all of his spare time to promoting good personnel administration and good employment conditions. He has sought particularly to establish effective employer-employee relationships with opportunity for workers to participate in the development of sound policies and practices as to tenure, salaries, promotions, hours and leaves, and retirement liberalization.

During his Presidency the Association has attained to the largest membership in its 42-year history, and has expanded its research, public relations and field activities in State and municipal fields.

He was recently appointed by the State Comptroller as a member of the Special Committee on Pensions. He is a member of the Army and Navy Union, the Albany Lions Club, and has taken active interest in many charitable and civic matters. His hobbies include music and stamps, and he is a lover of sports and a determined fisherman.

FRANCIS A. MacDONALD
Candidate for 1st Vice-President

FRANCIS A. MacDONALD is "fighting Mac" to thousands of State, county and local employees. They call him this because he is fighting on every issue that will improve the wages, retirement, or working conditions of public employees. Mac is no "sit-down" or "me-too" candidate. He has time for every employee with a problem. He is in the race because he believes that these are times when pay must be brought up, not just talked about; when old-age security must really be won by civil service employees; when the Classification and Compensation Division and the Budget Bureau

must be made really responsive to the needs of civil servants.

Francis A. MacDonald, now Senior Boys Supervisor at Warwick State School, has been in State service since 1919, working at Rome State School, Letchworth Village, Wassail State School, and Warwick. He has long been a member of the Civil Service Employees Association Board of Directors, and a member of many of its active committees. He sponsored the resolution for raising funds for Association headquarters, was in the forefront of the battle for the 55-year retirement plan. For six successive terms the employees of Warwick re-elected him chapter president. He organized and for six years has been president of the Southern Regional Conference. His program calls for a reclassification study, a strong fight for higher salaries, more adequate pensions, a proper work-week where it doesn't exist now, time-and-a-half overtime pay, and a chance for every employee to be heard when he has a problem.

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IF THE BEST INFORMED persons are the most outspoken then John F. Powers is an exception. Of mild and quiet manner, with a weighing eye for what he doubts, but a soft smile for what appeals to him, he is the stabilizing influence if ever the argument gets strong. He is the model stakeholder — the man whom even disputants trust. The fairness of his judgment, the extent of his information, and the certainty that he will be there at the promised moment with what it takes, are recognized by all his friends.

Since 1925, when he entered State service, he has been a student of all phases of pay, hours and working conditions in the State. He was soon recognized for his qualities of leadership. He was at the helm in employee affairs almost before he knew it, and half against his will. As his experience broadened he became one of the leaders in all the State to whom workers turned for opinion and advice.

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Ballots are going out to all CSEA members and the results of the election will be announced at the Association's annual meeting in October.

The photographs and biographical sketches are printed in alphabetical order, which is the way the names will appear on the ballot.

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Miss Lauder, who in private life is Mrs. Hollis A. Marean, was born in Binghamton, N. Y., and was educated in the public school system there and at Mount Holyoke College and the University of Chicago. She lives in De Preeville with her 12-year-old son and is a member of Blooming Grove Reformed Church and the East Greenbush Community Council. Her husband died in 1941.

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Candidate for 5th Vice-President

CELESTE ROSENKRANZ, a native Buffalonian, is employed as an employment interviewer in the Division of Placement and Unemployment Insurance. In June of this year, she completed her second term as president of the Buffalo chapter, bringing the membership of this chapter to a new high of 825 members. She has also held the office of vice president in the chapter and delegate from her department for several years. She has served on the Education, Legislative and DPUI Special Committees. She has been active in the Western New York Conference, serving on the Constitution Revision, Legislative and Educational Committees of the Conference.

Miss Rosenkranz attended Oberlin and Middlebury Colleges, and the University of Buffalo, receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Buffalo in 1936. While following the profession of high school teacher, she continued her studies at Canisius College, Buffalo, and Niagara University, Niagara Falls, N. Y., receiving a Master of Arts degree from Niagara University in 1938.

Among her other activities, Miss Rosenkranz has held office in the Buffalo Club of the Business and Professional Women, the New York State Federation of Business and Professional Women, has served on both District and State Civil Defense Committees, is a member of the Buffalo Advertising Women, the Buffalo chapter, I. A. P. E. S., and the Niagara University Alumni, as well as the University of Buffalo and Oberlin Alumni Associations.

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ROBERT LOUIS SOPER was born in Newark, N. Y. on May 7, 1903, son of Charles and Amanda Soper. He has two sisters and a brother. He married Marie Schramm in 1933 and they are the parents of one daughter and three sons.

He attended the public schools in Newark and was graduated from the University of Notre Dame in 1930. He has been president of two chapters and active among mental hygiene employees.

Mr. Soper entered State employment in 1932 at Newark State School as an attendant, was promoted to special attendant in 1933, to occupational therapist in

1940 and to provisional senior occupational therapist in 1943. He transferred to Wassail State School in February, 1949, to accept permanent promotion to the senior title.

Joining the Civil Service Employees Association in 1933, he was elected president of the Newark chapter in 1933, 1934, 1935, vice president in 1946 and again president in 1947 and 1948. Elected president of the Wassail chapter in 1949, he has continued to serve in that office since then.

He was named treasurer of the Southern Conference of

Westchester Employees Appeal From 22 Salary Rates Set in County Survey

WHITE PLAINS, Sept. 15—Appeals from 22 salary allocations in the Barrington Salary Plan for Westchester employees, were argued on September 8 by Civil Service Employees Association representatives before a hearing group consisting of County Personnel Officer Denton Pearsall, Jr., Assistant Personnel Officer Margaret N. Caster, and Lewis Taylor, personnel technician. Presenting the employee appeals were Anne H. McCabe, president of the Westchester County Competitive Civil Service Association, John J. Kelly, Jr., assistant counsel of The Civil Service Employees Association and CSEA 3rd Vice President J. Allyn Stearns.

The appeals argued covered those

McFarland Sees Pay Rise A Must in '53

ALBANY, Sept. 15 — Jesse B. McFarland, President of The Civil Service Employees Association, stated that with the Consumers Price Index at an all-time high, over 190, the purchasing power of the State worker's dollar was getting smaller and smaller. In view of the insufficient salary adjustments that have been made State workers, this is a matter of growing concern to these public employees. Reports are pouring into Association Headquarters that show increasing signs of dissatisfaction over last year's adjustment.

"In the past 12 years, wage adjustments for State workers have not kept pace with the rise in the cost of living. At the same time raises received by workers in many large segments of private industry have not only protected and maintained the purchasing power of their dollar, but have gone beyond and increased their standard of living by adjustments that have been greater than the rise in the cost of living. At the same time, State workers' standard of living has been reduced," Mr. McFarland stated.

The wage and price adjustment made in the steel industry recently are expected to make itself felt throughout the economy at an early date; and with wage raises in the offing in the rubber, railroad, coal, electrical machinery, and meat industries, Mr. McFarland stated categorically that in all fairness and in accordance with the facts, a salary adjustment should be made by the New York State administration in 1953. It is expected that meetings with the State Budget Director will start early this year in an effort to resolve the growing financial problems confronting the State worker.

MENTAL HYGIENE DEPT. SEEKS OK ON NURSE PLAN

ALBANY, Sept. 15—The State Mental Hygiene Department is seeking approval to extend its plan permitting appointment to the position of Head Nurse of persons who are registered nurses and have at least a year's experience in psychiatric nursing. The State Civil Service Commission considers the matter this week.

presented to the Board of Supervisors' Committee on Budget and Appropriations by Association representatives on July 23rd which were not recommended favorably. The Personnel Officer was scheduled to make recommendations regarding these appeals to the Board of Supervisors on September 15. Final action will be taken by the Supervisors on September 29, effective October 1st:

Title	Request	Status
Asst. Property Manager	Upgrade, Gr. VI to VIII	Being reviewed
Asst. Supervg. Matron	Upgrade, Gr. VII to VIII	Approved
Asst. Matron (Elmwood H.)	Upgrade and title change	Review Class.*
Business Assistant	Do not downgrade Gr. XI to X	Being reviewed
Dir. of Arts and Crafts	Upgrade, Gr. X to XI	Being reviewed
Hosp. Discharge Wkr.	Upgrade, Gr. VI to VII	Being reviewed
Int. Statistical Cl.	Upgrade, Gr. III to IV	Review Class.*
Inst. Attendant (Dent. Clinic)	Upgrade, Gr. III to IV	Review Class.*
Pharmacist	Upgrade, Gr. VII to VIII	Being reviewed
Public Health Nurse	Upgrade, Gr. VII to IX	Being reviewed
Supervg. P.H. Nurse	Upgrade, Gr. IX to XI	Being reviewed
Consultant P.H. Nurse	Upgrade, Gr. IX to XI	Being reviewed
Asst. Dir. P.H. Nursing	Upgrade, Gr. XI to XII	Being reviewed
Director P.H. Nursing	Upgrade, Gr. XIII to XIV	Being reviewed
Sr. Acct. Clerk (Acct. Div., P.W.)	Upgrade, Gr. VI to VII	Review Class.*
Sr. Clerk (F. & C. W.)	Do not downgrade Gr. VI to V	Review Class.*
Toll Collector	Upgrade, Gr. V to VI	Being reviewed
Supervg. Toll Coll.	Upgrade, Gr. VII to VIII	Being reviewed
Toll Station Mgr.	Upgrade, Gr. IX to X	Being reviewed
Asst. Civil Engr.—Traffic	Do not downgrade Gr. XI to VIII	Being reviewed
Transportation Agent	Upgrade, Gr. V to VI	Being reviewed
Ward Clerk (Sun. Cottage)	Title Change	Denied

* These titles involve classification studies. Five of the requests were determined to require title changes in order to obtain the relief sought and a request is being made to the County Classification Board by the Association that a review of them be made.

Strong Case, Says Stearns

Following the hearing, which lasted almost 3 hours, Mr. Allyn Stearns stated that the employee representatives felt strong cases had been made for almost every one of the requests presented and many facts submitted which had not been considered sufficiently in the Barrington ratings.

Actual errors in Barrington's Area Survey figures were pointed out, he said, which seriously affected the comparative figures developed by Barrington in some titles and cast doubt on the accuracy of many others they used.

Parkway Appeal

The Parkway Patrolman promotional line appeal, which the Association has presented to the Budget Committee, was not argued as the department had asked to take over the appeal and the patrolmen were willing that the matter be handled in this manner.

Candidates For Office In CSEA

MELBA R. BINN
Candidate for Secretary

MRS. MELBA R. BINN, has been an ardent CSEA worker for many years. She was a key person in organizing the first chapter in the Rochester area, and was also a prime mover in establishing the NYS Rochester Employees Federal Credit Union. Presently she is enjoying her third term as president of Rochester chapter. Under her able and capable leadership, the chapter has prospered in many ways, one of which is membership. The chapter has attained 88 percent of its potential.

Entering State service October 1, 1926, as stenographer in the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, she has advanced through promotion to her present position of rehabilitation interviewer.

Her Association career has been as follows: In the Rochester chapter, she has been treasurer, membership chairman and president, in the Western Conference, secretary, and has served on social, publicity and education committees, in CSEA, Resolutions and Education Committees. In 1950-51 she coordinated a 16-week CSEA program over Station WSAY, Rochester. This was the first such program in the State.

A native of Rochester, after graduating from Madison High School she attended business school and has since taken courses at University School of the University of Rochester. She is a member of the National Rehabilitation Association and an active worker for Rochester Community Chest. Her hobbies are bowling, swimming and fishing. She maintains a home in Rochester for her mother and daughter.

CHARLOTTE M. CLAPPER
Candidate for Secretary

CHARLOTTE M. CLAPPER has spent 25 years in State service, serving as secretary to the assistant director of the Division of Laboratories and Research; to the director of the Division of Communicable Diseases, and to the assistant commissioner of Local Health Services. Since 1940 she has been secretary to the Commissioner of Health.

Until a few years ago, Miss Clapper was a resident of Columbia County where she was active in fraternal, social and religious organizations.

For the past three years, Miss Clapper has been secretary of the Association and for three years previous, she served on the Board of Directors, representing the State Department of Health. She was instrumental in organizing the James E. Christian Memorial chapter of that Department and has contributed much to the advancement of this chapter by her continuous participation in all of its activities. She has also served on many committees of the Association and is an ardent advocate of better working conditions and promotional opportunities for State employees.

HARRY G. FOX
Candidate for Treasurer

HARRY G. FOX is the incumbent in the office of treasurer of the Civil Service Employees Association and is a candidate for re-election.

The extensive work experience which Mr. Fox has had in the field of fiscal management has been further supplemented by his attainments during his five years as Association treasurer. During that time he has given expert guidance to the financial affairs of the Association, and has demonstrated an enterprising interest in other Association matters by his participation in the work of several committees, and by his visits to Association chapters throughout the State.

Harry is a native of Troy, N. Y. He has had twenty-three years of and resides now in Loudonville, experience as an employee of New York State, interrupted only by his Army service with the 95th Infantry Division in World War II. He has advanced through various accounting jobs to the responsible position he now holds as Director of Office Administration for the State Department of Civil Service.

State Civil Servants Prove Effective in Their Exhibits At Syracuse State Fair

ALBANY, Sept. 15 — Over 18,000 folders urging the eligible voter to remember to register and vote were distributed from the Civil Service Employees Association's exhibit at the New York State Fair from August 31 through September 6, 1952. A record crowd attended the Fair, and tens of thousands of people passed through the State's exhibit building, where the Association's colorful exhibit was housed along with those of the State departments. The exhibits were well placed, and the building was efficiently run with no real problems or confusion. An Association member, Ranger Tyler, Director of Publicity of the Department of Commerce, was in charge of the building.

Educational Note

The dominant note of the State exhibits was educational, which was emphasized through gay, attractive art work and informative literature. The Civil Defense exhibit, prominently placed, attracted tens of thousands of people, as did the exhibit of the Civil Service Commission which drew the crowds through the medium of their now famous prizes.

Every booth was manned by civil service employees—most of them

members of the Association. All there were nearly 125 civil servants working at one time or another during the eight days of the Fair, explaining the exhibits to the crowds or operating the moving pictures, puppet shows or photographic devices with which the exhibits were equipped.

Many of the exhibits were designed or built, or both, by employees of State departments. A partial list of such exhibits is given below.

Gay Exhibits

The Commerce Department exhibit was designed and planned by Perry Van Guysling and Herbert Writer. The gayly attractive booth of the Health Department was the work of Frank Litto, Nicholas Apgar and Frank Crist. The Correction Department booth was the result of long planning by Howard Briggs with the cooperation of the many penal institutions in the state. The large educational exhibit of the State University was designed by Rudolph Wedow of the Art and Science Institute at Utica, and Daniel Button, the Public Relations officer of the Department. It was built by Rudolph Wedow, Daniel Button, Arthur Gewitz, and John Meyering of the State University staff.

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Upon the petition of Robert Wolf, as Executor of the will of Ralph Wolf, deceased, residing at 67 Echo Lane, Larchmont, N. Y., Fernando L. Schuster, residing at Flood Farm, Route No. 5, Ridgefield, Connecticut, Cyril F. dos Passos, residing at Washington Corners, Menham, N. J., and Henry Herrman, residing at 888 Park Avenue, New York, N. Y.

You and each of you are hereby cited to show cause before the Surrogate's Court of New York County, held at the Hall of Records, in the County of New York, on the 14th day of October, 1952, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why the final account of proceedings of Robert Wolf, as Executor of the will of Ralph Wolf, deceased, Executor of the will of Richard Schuster, deceased, and of Cyril F. dos Passos as Executor of the will of Richard Schuster, deceased, and the final account of proceedings of Robert Wolf, as Executor of the will of Ralph Wolf, deceased, Trustee of the trust under paragraph Seventh of the will of Richard Schuster, deceased, and the intermediate account of Fernando L. Schuster, Cyril F. dos Passos and Henry Herrman, as Trustees of the trust under paragraph Seventh of the will of Richard Schuster, deceased, should not be judicially settled, and why the sum of \$22,850.39 should not be allowed to Hays, Wolf, Schwabacher, Sklar & Epstein for their fee for legal services rendered to the Executors and in reimbursement for disbursements made for the Executors, and why the sum of \$1,000.00 should not be allowed to the said attorneys for their fee for legal services rendered to the Trustees.

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Activities of Employees

District 10 Public Works

AT A MEETING of the Executive Council of District #10, Public Works Chapter, CSEA, it was voted to hold the annual Chapter meeting on Friday, October 3rd at the District Office in Babylon. William Greenauer, chairman of the By-laws Committee, presented the proposed revisions of the chapter's constitution and by-laws. The council ordered their publication and directed that copies be sent to all members of the chapter to be voted upon at the annual meeting.

If the proposed revisions are adopted, election of officers will be held in June, and members will be asked to decide whether the present officers shall continue their tenure until then, or if interim officers shall be elected.

Mrs. Evelyn Cherubini was elected Chapter secretary to fill the vacancy caused by the transfer of the former secretary, Mrs. Irene Bodie, to the Long Island State Parks Commission.

State School for the Blind

THE NEW YORK STATE SCHOOL for the Blind chapter, CSEA, re-elected Mrs. Aimee E. Baker president. Also re-elected were Arvil Ray, vice president, and Ernest Beckwith, treasurer. The newly elected secretary is Jane McCready.

Metropolitan Armories

ON FRIDAY afternoon, September 26, a party will be given by the Metropolitan Armories chapter, CSEA, for Charles McAdam of the Kingsbridge Armory. Vincent Graney and Harold Waring are making the arrangements. Charlie is retiring on September 30, and the chapter wishes him many happy years of leisure.

Edward Cullen, superintendent of the Kingsbridge Armory, has returned from the hospital and is recuperating.

Jack DeLisi, chairman, has added four members to the entertainment committee: M. Cassidy, 106th; J. Clifford, 244th; Jack Broitman, 105th, and W. McDonald, 102nd. These men will

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assist Mr. DeLisi in making this year's dinner dance on October 25 at the Oak Room, 71st Regiment Armory, something to remember.

J. Craig, superintendent of the 14th Regiment Armory, will retire on September 30. Good luck and good health, Mr. Craig.

Vacationers: E. Bratten superintendent, 13th Regiment; F. Gon-salves, 71st Regiment.

Willowbrook State School

THE FIRST FALL meeting of the Willowbrook State School chapter, CSEA, was held September 9. Catherine F. Webb presided.

Charles R. Culyer, CSEA field representative, was guest speaker. He spoke on the importance of membership in the Association.

Mrs. Webb congratulated the entertainment committee on the social and financial success of the fourth annual picnic held on August 23. Helen Bachmurski, chairman of the entertainment committee, reported on plans for a fall dance scheduled for October 8.

A membership committee was appointed: Irene Kempe, chairman; Kathleen Hennessy, Helen Bachmurski, Mae Maxson, Eugene Perry, Elmer Hart, Irene Hillis, Margaret Desiderato, Frank Packard, Harold Lane, Florence McInerney and James Malone.

The members of the by-laws committee are Kathleen Hennessy, Michael McInerney, Helen Bachmurski, Eugene Perry and Frank Packard. They were commended for their work during the past few weeks. The new by-laws were approved by the members.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 7, at 8 P.M.

Psychiatric Institute

AT A RECENT meeting of the executive committee of the Psychiatric Institute chapter, CSEA, a subcommittee was appointed to receive nominations for officers. Committee members are Harold Pierce, chairman; Mary Legge, Biagio Romeo, James Shanks and Antonette Schwob.

Posters announcing Red Cross first-aid classes are displayed about the building. Classes will be held every Tuesday and Thursday from 7 to 9 P. M. until September 30. A total of 22 hours' instruction is given by Miss E. E. Morgan, superintendent of nurses.

The new class of student nurses was welcomed at a tea in their honor. Miss Morgan and her staff handled arrangements.

On vacation are Mary Legge, Michael Reynolds and James McKeon, Sr., all three of the House-keeping Department; Jane Ranson and Mary Conner, Nursing Department; Andrew Veyda, Safety Division; John Popora, Paint Shop, and Henry Clodius, Machine Shop.

The bowling teams will start their season the first week in October. Anyone interested in bowling should communicate with Harold Schroll, storeroom, or W. Thomas, carpenter shop.

Willard State Hospital

FROM WILLARD STATE Hospital comes this news:

Maurice Bond and James Dibble have returned from their vacations.

The following students have entered the Nurses training class: From Gowanda: Anne Marie Gorczyca, Phyllis Ann Kenngett, Jane Elizabeth Klein, Azalia L. Marvin, Giovanna A. Salvatore, Nancy Ann Whalen, and Philip DiBlosi.

From Willard: Margaret Helen Hawes, Joanne E. McDonald, Ethel Frances Nivison, Doris Osborn, Patricia Ann Robinson, Florence Van Norman, John D. LaClair, Sue Ann Somerville, Marjory Marie Tompkins.

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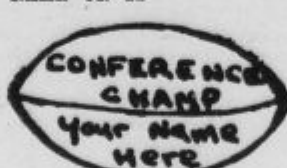
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tal School of Nursing will be held on September 18, at 8:00 P.M. in Hadley Hall. The graduates this year are: Catherine May Brant, Lucille Webster Huff, John F. Di-Nardi, Lloyd D. Evans, Peter Edgar Hungerford, John F. Klabeo, Joseph J. Licak, Alice May Matzell, Virginia Lee Milliman, Robert C. Overacre, Ray H. VanNostrand, Patricia Veit, Elaine Vreeland, and Theresa A. Yusiskas.

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AT A SPECIAL TERM, PART 2, OF the Supreme Court of the State of New York, held in and for the County of New York, at the Courthouse thereof, Centre and Pearl Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 30th day of July, 1952. PRESENT: HON. CHARLES D. BREITEL, Justice.

In the Matter of the Application for the Dissolution of VISIONETTE OPTICAL CORPORATION, a Corporation, Pursuant to Section 103 of General Corporation Law.

Upon reading and filing the Petition of PAYE LEVINE and SAM LEVINE, a director and party in interest of VISIONETTE OPTICAL CORPORATION, a corporation organized under the Stock Corporation Law of the State of New York, and having its principal office at 43 East 20th Street, in the City of New York, New York, duly verified on July 28, 1952, and the Schedule thereto annexed, from which Petition it appears that the case is one of those specified in Section 103 of the General Corporation Law; and it further appearing to the satisfaction of the Court from said Petition that the said corporation is not liquid; and after hearing HERMAN L. WASSERMAN Esq., of counsel for the Petitioners, and the Attorney General having waived notice of the presentation of this application:

NOW, on motion of HERMAN L. WASSERMAN, attorney for the Petitioners, it is ORDERED, that all persons interested in said Corporation, the Director of Internal Revenue, the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance, the Comptroller of the City of New York, and the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York, show cause at a Special Term, Part 1 of this Court, at the Courthouse thereof, Centre and Pearl Streets, Manhattan Borough, City, County and State of New York on the 24th day of September, 1952, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard why the said corporation should not be dissolved; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED, that a copy of this order be published at least once in each of the three weeks immediately preceding the time fixed herein for showing cause, in the New York Law Journal and in The Civil Service Leader which newspapers are published in the County of New York, and that a copy of this order be served upon each of the persons, specified in the Schedule as a creditor or stockholder of the Corporation, or as a person with whom the Corporation has an unfulfilled contract except a person whose residence is stated to be unknown, and that service be made either personally at least ten days before the time appointed before the hearing, or by depositing a copy of the order, at least twenty days before the time so appointed in the Post Office, enclosed in a postpaid wrapper, addressed to the person to be served at his residence, as stated in the Schedule.

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STATE OF NEW YORK INSURANCE DEPARTMENT, ALBANY. L. Alfred J. Bohlinger, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of New York, hereby certifies pursuant to law, that the American Drugists Fire Insurance Company, Cincinnati, Ohio, is duly licensed to transact the business of insurance in this state and that its statement filed for the year ended December 31, 1951, shows the following condition: Total Admitted Assets \$3,399,507.76. Total Liabilities \$668,302.28. Capital paid-up \$750,000.00. Surplus and Voluntary reserves \$1,881,205.48. Surplus as regard policyholders \$2,631,305.48. Income for the year \$945,165.37. Disbursements for the year \$795,116.18.

STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, ss: I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of 2494 MORRIS AVENUE CORP. has been filed in this department this day and that it appears therefrom section one hundred and five of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.

Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department of State, at the City of Albany, (Seal) this 15th day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two. THOMAS J. CURRAN, Secretary of State By SIDNEY B. GORDON, Deputy Secretary of State

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Commission's Right to Change Key Answers Challenged

A candidate, for the first time in recent record, has protested the right of the NYC Civil Service Commission to delete a question from an exam. According to the tentative key answer, he got a question right; the question was eliminated in the final key.

Isidore Weinberger of Brooklyn, employed in the Department of Investigation, competed for promotion to clerk, grade 4. He protested, in a letter to the Commission, that the deletion "automatically reduced the rating of all candidates, including myself, who answered such eliminated question properly and correctly."

While protest after the final key answers are validated is unusual, the candidate's ground in this instance could not arise until after the final key was established.

The Crucial Question
Mr. Weinberger says the Commission could not legally eliminate a question "if by so doing it penalizes any individual by reducing his or her mark to the extent of the proportionate credit for answering such question correctly." He stressed he would have received credit, under the tentative answer

basis, but is denied credit under the revised plan.

The tentative key answer to question No. 51, which Mr. Weinberger protested, was B. The question read as follows:

51. "By December 31, 1951, over 503 million dollars of State funds had been earmarked for sixty-five low-rent housing projects for 162,870 persons in various cities. Of these sixty-five projects, thirty-three projects housing 87,996 persons and costing 232 million dollars had been completed and were fully occupied by December 31, 1951. The remaining projects were in various stages of planning and construction." According to this quotation, it is most accurate to state that (A) at the end of 1951, more than half the money earmarked for the sixty-five low-rent housing projects had been spent on projects which had been completed and were fully occupied (B) thirty-two of the low-rent housing projects, capable of housing 74,874 persons, were yet to be completed and occupied fully by the end of 1951 (C) the cost of planning the sixty-five housing projects is borne by the cities whereas the cost of constructing these projects is borne by the State (D) in 1951, the State

constructed thirty-three low-rent projects housing 87,996 individuals and costing 232 million dollars.

The following is The LEADER's analysis:

(A) Wrong, because \$232,000,000 is not more than half of \$503,000,000.

(B) Wrong, though the figures are correct. The question does not state that the remaining projects represented by the figures were to be completed by the end of 1951. Nothing was said as to when they were to be completed, and no guessing is permissible. The Commission gave B as the tentative answer, but heeded protests and eliminated the question entirely.

(C) Wrong, because nothing in the question states how the cost is to be borne.

(D) Wrong. The sense of this answer is that the State had constructed 33 projects in 1951, but the question did not say that that number of projects had been merely constructed, but that they "had been completed and were fully occupied by December 31, 1951." Other projects may have been constructed, though not completed, or, if completed, occupied, though not fully.

Mr. Weinberger wants a candi-

date to keep credit that a tentative key answer would allow him, and have deletion apply only to a candidate whose answer was at variance with the tentative key.

Samuel H. Galston, the Commission's director of examination, replied to Mr. Weinberger:

"The final key for promotion to clerk, grade 4, as adopted by the Commission at its meeting of August 12, 1952, is the official rating key for the written test. This final key was adopted after careful

consideration of the protests to the tentative key answers.

"Since one question was stricken out, all answer papers must be rated on the basis of 79 questions on Part I. Court decisions have held that no credit may be granted for any question stricken out."

Mr. Weinberger wrote right back asking for a citation of the court decisions, and renewing his argument that it is unfair to a candidate who answered a question correctly, to eliminate the question. Mr. Galston is expected to reply that tentative key answers are only recommendations to the Commission, unaltered by the fact that candidates may protest, and that the only official answers are the final answers.

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The Suggestion Program Board consists of John Reed Kilpatrick, president of the Madison Square Garden Corporation, chairman; Comptroller Lazarus Joseph, President Paul P. Brennan of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, and Budget Director Abraham D. Beame. The Board expects to select the first winners well in advance of Christmas, but to postpone the announcement and presentation until just before Christmas. The first awards will be presented at a ceremony which Mayor Vincent R. Impellitteri hopes to attend.

Good Response

The Board starts off with \$20,000, half of it for awards, the remainder for expenses. William A. Rocker, administrative assistant on the Commission's staff, is executive director. The task of administering the Board's work will require his full time, he reported to Commission Secretary Frank A. Schaefer.

The City departments proper were expected to co-operate, as the Mayor himself called on them to do so, but independent agencies and authorities are also signing up. The Housing Authority, the Board of Transportation, and the Board of Education are among them. No word yet, however, from the Board of Higher Education, while the Bridge and Tunnel Authority declined "but was nice about it," saying it had reasons, but not stating what those reasons were.

Here to Stay

The City has distributed forms on which employees are to submit suggestions. Each department appoints a coordinator, who acts

as liaison agent between the Board and his department, while there is to be a committee in each department to pass on the practicability of employee suggestions that affect that department's operations. The Board itself selects the winners and its decisions are final.

An announcement of the purposes and rules also is being circulated among the employees themselves. The City has had 100,000 copies printed.

"There is high interest in the suggestion program among City officials and employees," Mr. Rocker said. "It looks as if we're in for a big rush of business and that the program is here to stay."

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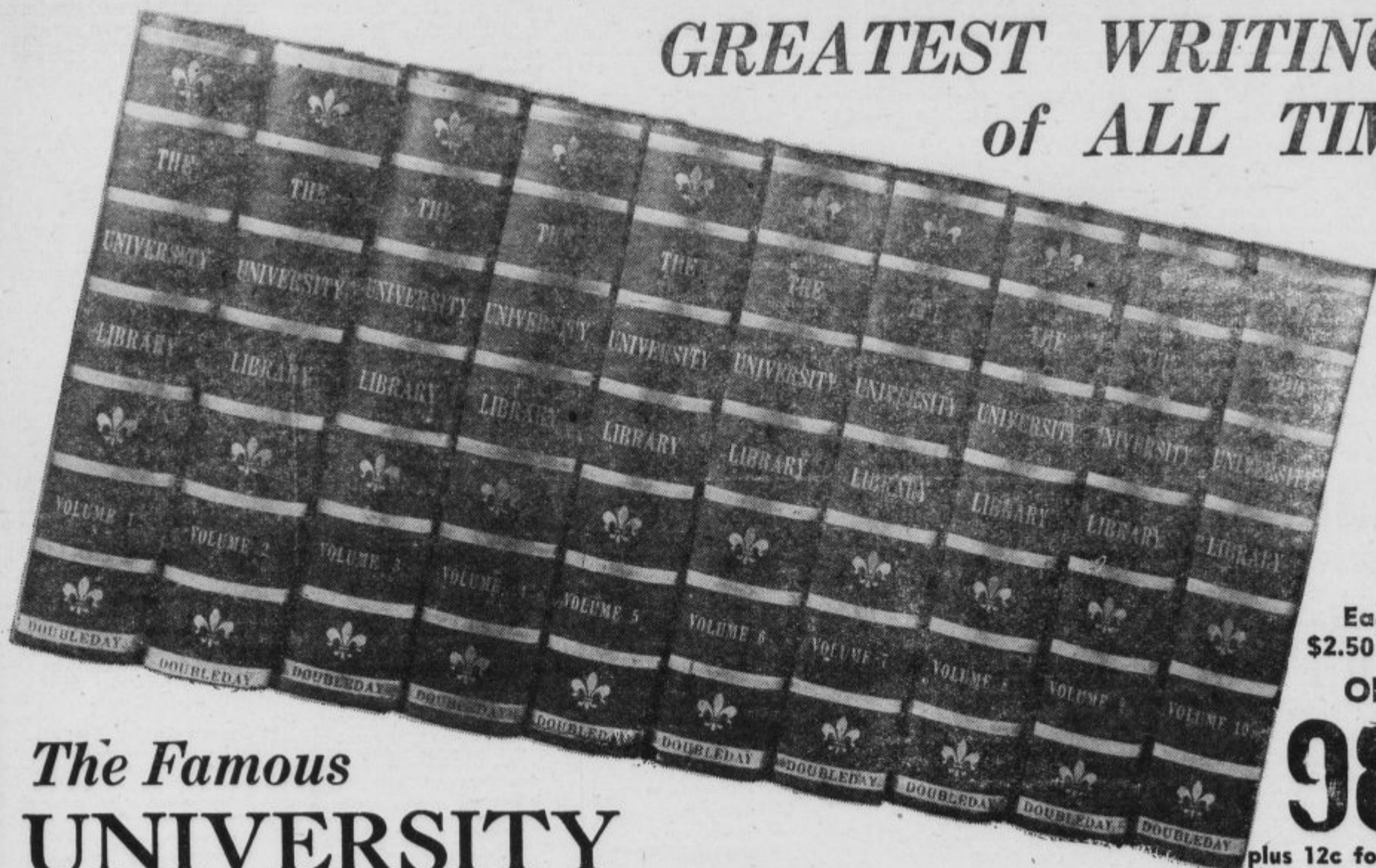
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Sheils' Probe of Outside Jobs Not Intended to Hit All Dual Job-Holders in NYC

The investigation of NYC employees holding outside jobs now includes the Police, Fire and Correction Departments, Investigation Commissioner James H. Sheils told The LEADER. He emphasized that his investigation was centered on determining whether employees worked at outside jobs on City time, and that it was not the intention of the inquiry to deal with employees in other departments who do such work on their own time.

The rules of both the Police and Fire Departments contain a prohibition against holding any outside jobs, but this restriction does not apply in other City departments. The rules of the two uniformed forces have not been strictly enforced on that score because of the men's need for additional income.

Knows of No Infractions

Police Commissioner George P. Monaghan said that there were no cases of holding outside jobs in his department, and explained that the men work under the three-platoon system, which would make it impossible for them to fill outside jobs requiring regular hours. Commissioner Sheils has received complaints about such outside work by policemen, although he admits that the investigation has turned up no proof of their truth.

Mr. Monaghan was Fire Commissioner before he became Police Commissioner, so knows the situation in the Fire Department thoroughly. He has been Police Department head more than a year.

How It Began

The investigation was begun originally on a complaint to Mayor Vincent R. Impellitteri from a member of a waterfront union, who said that a City fireman, also a member of that union, was competing with him at the "shape-up," when jobs are handed out at the piers. The Mayor ordered Commissioner Sheils to investigate and the inquiry was begun

last summer. Since then other complaints have been received by the Mayor. It is reported that the State Crime Commission, in its investigation of goings-on at the waterfront, learned that some firemen's names were on the list of employee pier guards, and relayed the information to the Mayor.

Rule in Two Departments

In both the Police and Fire Departments there has been discussion of removing from the rules the provision that prohibits holding outside jobs, but it was said at headquarters of both departments that there is little likelihood of any such repeal being put into effect now.

Commissioner Grumet, speaking of the rule, said that it was his duty to enforce it, but that he understood the desire of the men to supplement their income by honorable outside employment. Commissioner Monaghan also said that he was bound to enforce the rule, but added his insistence that none of his men are holding outside jobs.

The officials in both departments, as well as in the Correction Department, regard the whole situation as a "headache."

Leniency in Most Cases

The Fire Department is preparing to hold some departmental trials, but it is expected that proof of mere holding of an outside job would not bring anything more than a wrist-slapping penalty. In the case of working on the outside on City time, cited to the department by Commissioner Sheils regarding a few firemen, a firmer stand would be taken, a spokesman for the department indicated.

One case involves a fireman reinstated after having been dismissed for holding an outside job, though working on his own time, when all City employees, during the LaGuardia administration,

were prohibited from holding any outside job. Now this man is charged with working 80 hours during a recent year on City time on an outside job.

Key Punch Operators Plan Pay Move

ALBANY, Sept. 15—A committee was appointed by Margaret J. Willie, president of the Albany D.P.U.I. Chapter, to meet with Henry Galpin of the Civil Service Employees Association with regard to a reclassification of key punch operators from Grade 2 to Grade 4. This committee consists of Emille Smith, Dorothea Minch, Mae Crowe and Leonora Miller. The committee held its first meeting on Tuesday, September 10 at Association Headquarters. Mr. Galpin explained what had been done by other groups. Susanne Long, president of the Taxation and Finance chapter, discussed what steps her chapter had taken in the appeal for this reclassification. In the absence of Harry Smith, Director of DPUI Personnel, Mrs. Willi spoke with John Blendell regarding the action the chapter is taking in this appeal and asked for the support of the DPUI administration. The Committee is preparing the material covering DPUI Key Punch Operators.

3 TESTS OPEN INDEFINITELY
NYC originally set a closing date for the dental hygienist, occupational therapist and public health nurse exams, but has since declared them open until further notice.

Chapter Activities

Brooklyn State Hospital

ON WEDNESDAY, Sept. 17, at 4:15 P.M. under the temporary chairmanship of Mr. Thomas H. Conkling, delegate, this chapter's board of directors and membership committees will meet. Membership renewals are due October 1, and the committees would like to get an early start. Chapter membership was approximately 90% last year and its goal is to better that mark now.

Chapter president Arnold Moses feels that all the Mental Hygiene, Correction institutional employees should work for a mandatory 5-day 40-hour work week at present pay. Subsequent adjustments could be made to those employees already on 44 and 40 hours.

Although in Sick Bay, he wishes to thank his many friends for the wonderful cards which he received.

Mrs. Mary Bussing has been appointed to the board of directors to fill the vacancy of the late John Drogue. Recent visitor here, Harry Blake, popular Male Reception Supervisor, recuperating from his recent illness. Congratulations are in order to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pearson on their new arrival, a girl named Jayne; to Mr. and Mrs. Antino Pagano on a tax exemption, a baby girl; to Joseph Stump on becoming a grandfather. We wish Dr. Cantor, Thomas McNelis, James Flowers the best of luck on their entrance into the armed forces. Joseph Munn, Angelo Prainito and Henry Girouard recently returned from a transcountry trip covering over 9,600 miles.

Mrs. Nellie McCarry visited her son and daughter-in-law in Los Angeles, California. Joseph Sumpter also visited there with his wife. Mr. and Mrs. August Perrone vacationed at Mrs. Perrone's parents in Wallace, Idaho. Mrs. Rhea Coffey in Buffalo, Mr. and Mrs. Mallett in Atlantic City, Mr. Michael Figa on the Cape, Miss Florence Lascurettes and Miss Adrea Louise Charles and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gormley, Frank Della Croce in upstate New York.

William J. Farrell, William Crawford, Frank Cole spent the late July days with the National Guard at Camp Drum. Philip Mastridge in Pennsylvania, Patrick Farrell, Michael Ryan, and Dom-

inick Catalano in Long Island. Ray Lewis has spent an enjoyable vacation in Canada.

Dr. and Mrs. Theodore Goldstein in Long Island. Miss Ada Kavanaugh and Alice Dimmer in Montreal, Canada. Lawrence Kavanaugh in Atlantic City. Edward Boyle in Leeds, New York. Helen McGourty in Niagara Falls. Mrs. Dorothy Wilson in New Jersey. Miss Frances G. Wilson in Philadelphia. Mr. Emanuel Kucker in the Catskills. Mr. and Mrs. James Sweeney in Pennsylvania. John Cohen in Poughkeepsie. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tosiello in New Jersey. Mrs. Michael Guestella in Massachusetts. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Loughlin and sons visited Mrs. Loughlin's family in Ottawa, Canada. Mr. Bernard McDonough in Illion, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cole in Ovid, New York. Terrance Dockerty presented the Mrs. with two siamese cats named Minx and Jinx for their wedding anniversary.

The following good employees are making a very good recovery in the Sick Bay: Mrs. Carrie McCourt, Mrs. Jennie Powell, chapter president Arnold Moses, John Shea, John McCoy, Dominick Perrone, Joseph Stump and Dr. Eugene Braun. Mrs. Lilly Nash is on the road to good health at home. Miss Mildred Lockwood has recovered from her recent operation and is convalescing on Long Island.

Our sympathy to the family of Dr. A. S. Palumbo who had been on the staff of the hospital for a number of years before resigning several years ago. Dr. Palumbo had been in private practice since leaving the hospital. He died suddenly on September 7.

Sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. William Hentschel on the recent death of Mr. Hentschel's brother; and to the family of Dr. Fishberg, who died recently. Dr. Fishberg was the visiting Genitourologist to the Hospital. Deep regrets to the family of Martha Higgins, an employee of the hospital for many years, who passed away after a long illness. Condolences to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murphy on the recent loss of Mrs. Murphy's brother. Sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Harold McKeeby on the recent loss of Mrs. McKeeby's mother. Andrew Cmelko, on sick leave, make a good recovery!

Use of Any List To Fill Other Jobs Is Restricted

A new policy on the use of eligible lists in a title for filling jobs in another title, where the nature of the exams was similar, has been voted by the NYC Civil Service Commission.

The titles of the secondary, or so-called "appropriate," jobs are to be included in the notice of examination. The name of an eligible, appointed to an "appropriate" job goes off the list, unless he accepts a salary or grade lower than the one for which he com-

peted successfully, or there is no promotion opportunity in the secondary job.

A list which may be declared appropriate for filling kindred jobs in a different title would become applicable to all departments for the secondary jobs, as well.

If selective certification is made, whereby a list is canvassed for eligibles who possess special training or experience, announcement of that fact must appear in the advertisement of the exam.

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Activities of Civil Service Employees in N. Y. State

State Insurance Fund

WITH THE ADVENT of fall, chapter activity increases rapidly. Plans are made for membership participation in various State Insurance Fund group efforts throughout the coming year.

The first meeting of the chapter Board of Directors has been scheduled for September 15, at The Hotel Nassau. Chapter president Bill Price has a full agenda of important matters. Plans for the new membership drive will be formulated. The program for the forthcoming year will be discussed.

All members are urged to attend a membership meeting which will be held on Monday, September 22, at 5:15 P.M. at the Hotel Nassau on East 59th Street. Alexander Falk, member of the New York State Civil Service Commission, has been invited. Also invited is Charles Culyer of the Civil Service Employees Association. Mr. Culyer is an old friend of the State Fund chapter and he is always welcome because of the full knowledge he has of Association activity. Not only will this meeting be thoroughly interesting and informative, but refreshments will be served. Make your arrangements to come to this meeting with your friends in the State Fund.

A State Fund Glee Club has been formed. An open invitation is extended to Fundites. If you can hum—come and have fun. More than a hundred employees, girls and boys, men and women, representing almost every department have indicated their intention to be present on Wednesday, September 17, 1952 at 6:00 P.M. at the Auditorium of P.S. 59 (57th Street between 2nd and 3rd Ave.) to start things humming in the first rehearsal of the season. If you have not already decided to attend, make your arrangements now. This will avoid clerical work at the rehearsals and permit all the time to be devoted to song. The Glee Club is for every Fundite. Exceptional talent or ability to read music is not necessary. The President is Edward Carolan of Payroll Audit. Secretary is Ida M. Amendola of Claims 1. Treasurer is Bill McClain of Disability Claims. The Music Director is Bill Dillon of Safety Service. Inquiries should be made to any of these. They will be very happy to have you join them in song.

The Bowling League is formed. There have been some slight modifications. Claims Examiners are the same formidable outfit they were last year (only more so) under a different name. There is now an Actuarial team, but the same familiar faces will be around when the balls start sliding down the alleys. The first ball will be fired on Tuesday, September 16. You'll be hearing about these fellows and gals.

Fundites join in extending heartfelt congratulations to Miss Grimm, Personnel Director, on the thirtieth anniversary of her employment with the State Fund. Congratulations were also extended by the Executive Director, William Folger, who presented her with the gold pin. Congratulations also to Owen McKillop of Safety Service upon completion of 35 years of service on September 4. He was also hailed by Mr. Folger. Ed Bozek, former chapter president, celebrated his 25th anniversary with the Fund on September 9. Personal congratulations were also given to Ed by the Executive Director. May you all have many more years with the Fund!

Wallkill Prison

THE NEW recreation field at Wallkill Prison served as the meeting ground for Woodbourne and Greenhaven softball teams on the evening of August 28. Including wives and children of employees from four institutions, the crowd was estimated at 350 people. Umpires from Napanoch, under the expert leadership of Pat Knight, officiated at the game which Greenhaven won 3-0. Pitchers were Grover for Woodbourne and Brownell for Greenhaven.

During and after the game refreshments were served by a capable staff of workers under Neil O'Connor, Wallkill vocational instructor. The convenience of the new recreational field in relation to the four institutions and the spirit of good fellowship which this event called forth indicate that many similar affairs will be scheduled in the future. Within the memory of the oldest old-

timer this is the first time four institutions in the Department of Correction have come together for a combined sports and social event.

The Wallkill team closed its softball season with a home game with Woodbourne on September 9.

Education Department

THE NEW YORK STATE Department of Education's third annual clamsteam was held on Saturday, September 6, at Picard's Grove, New Salem. About 150 members and guests took part in the outing, which included a luncheon, two softball games, quoits, darts and the steam, with all the fixings and trimmings.

The Education chapter's "regular" team whipped the "old timers" in the first softball game, 13 to 9, as Tim Kent, Jim Carr, Eric Bohnet, Charlie Quinn, Tommy Thomas and John Dooley starred. The game between the women and the men was declared a draw. The referee was Al Darboghosian, with the able assistance of Dot Davis.

There was dancing after the steam to the music of a three-piece band.

Members of the steam committee included Elvyn Thomas, chairman; Ollie Nolan, Olive Allen, Jacqueline Quackenbush, Rose Ballato, Margarite Johnston, Florence Reynolds and Albert Deschenes.

Kings Park State Hospital

KINGS PARK employees report that CSEA chapter President Elwood De Graw is in Huntington Hospital. All hope for a speedy recovery. That personality on the laundry truck is being missed, Al. Take care and be back soon!

Good-luck to former assistant Business Officer John McCauley on his new position as Business Officer in Brooklyn State. Brooklyn is getting a fine man, well liked by all in Kings Park. The staff presented him with various pieces of silverware. The employee's gift was a cellaret with his name on a bronze plaque.

Welcome to the Medical Staff, Dr. Robt. Reiger and Dr. Arthur Glaser. Return of Dr. Chas. Taylor is also welcomed.

Welcome back from vacation: Dr. Eric Kaufman, returning from vacationing in Canada and the New England States. He reports he had fine weather and a lovely trip. Also in Canada, Mr. & Mrs. Bill Williamson. Dr. Vera Bereslavsky returned from vacation spent with her sister in Brighton Beach, where she had an enjoyable time.

Sincere sympathy is expressed to Mrs. Edna Young, of the Main office, and family on the recent loss of their husband and father, Halsey Young. Sympathy is also extended to the Hendrickson family on the loss of their daughter Henrietta, killed in an automobile accident.

On vacation is Mike Considine and Henry McEriane of the Garage. Vera Dady, Barbara Lyon and son Edward are motoring to Canada. Edward will graduate from Kings Park School of Nursing on his return. Margaret Lyons, son and daughter are motoring in northern New York State. Mrs. Josephine Conrad is visiting her home in North Carolina.

Congratulation to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Painter on the birth of twin girls. We hear they are adorable. Also to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker. They have a fine son.

On the sick list are Mary Mulligan and Catherine Barret. Also, the other people in the automobile accident with Henrietta Hendrickson, Thomas Ruggerio, Joseph Peterzin, Thomas Hardy, Jean Lewis, Agell Springer, Shirley Johnson and Robert Wilson. A speedy recovery to all.

It is never too late to join the CSEA chapter, so join now. The new year starts the first of October.

Manhattan State Hospital

ON SEPTEMBER 5, the Manhattan State Hospital chapter, CSEA, held a party in honor of Edith L. Keen, marking retirement from State service of a popular, efficient supervisor. Over 70 friends and co-workers of Miss Keen attended the party, held in the firehouse lecture hall. Music, dancing, songs rendered by Jerry Morris, Billy McDowell and Gerald Griffin, fine refreshments

and a buffet supper highlighted the affair.

Dr. Schneider presented Miss Keen with a genuine leather hat and shoe luggage piece. Dr. Harlow presented a bouquet of roses and a kiss on the cheek. A card signed by all her many friends was given Miss Keen by John Wallace, chapter president and chairman of the party. The presentations were made on behalf of 90 employees.

The Mabon Building employees, over whom Miss Keen was supervisor nurse, presented a \$50 bond and a compact at a party on September 4. Good luck, good health and God bless you, Edith L. Keen.

Among former employees who visited us are Ray Phillips and George Lindstrom. Mr. Phillips retired and Mr. Lindstrom is employed at Pilgrim State Hospital.

John Kearse, assistant business officer and Association member, recently was promoted, and is now business officer at Kings Park State Hospital. Good luck, John, to you, Mrs. Kearse, and your three boys.

Popular Mabon attendant, Rose Battles, will take a leave of absence. The employees hope she will return soon and wish her every happiness.

Florence Keough of O. T. is back on duty after a wonderful vacation in Ireland. Welcome!

John J. Kelly, associate CSEA counsel, has advised the chapter president that September 23 the Female Home fire claims court case will resume.

The chapter has sponsored and forwarded to Albany a number of resolutions for consideration by the CSEA resolutions committee. Among these: (1) a 37½-hour work week for all office personnel, without loss of pay; (2) a 40-hour work week for all other employees, without loss of pay; (3) free toll privileges for non-resident car-owner employees, with the understanding that the Association will make every available effort to secure the privilege, or have the State of New York reimburse the affected employees; (4) an increase in salary of 15 percent to meet the higher cost of living, the former 6 percent being too meager; (5) a 25-year service, no age limit, optional retirement plan for all institutional employees.

The American Legion Convention held in NYC found the Major Louis A. Cuvillier Post No. 1047 very active. The Post has many of the hospital veterans as members. Gerard Griffin of the tin shop is commander, and Bill Hahn of the power house is past commander. One of the many Legionnaires entertained by the Post was Chief White Eagle, a Cherokee Indian, and his sister Juanita. The Chief told some great tales and was warmly greeted.

Among ailing members we find Daisy Ballgowan, Jack Feeney, John O'Neill, Reverend Bliss and Martin Scanlon. A speedy recovery is our sincere wish to each of them.

Employees interested in attending a hobby class in any of the following fields are advised to send their name and ward service on a slip of paper, denoting their interest, to John Wallace, care of Electric Shop. Leathercraft, shellcraft, appliance repairs are hobbies which are interesting, satisfying and profitable.

The Amusement Hall is undergoing a face lifting, and when the job is done, much credit should go to the painters, plumbers, tin-smiths, masons, carpenters and electricians for their skill. Dr. Travis, Mr. Gillette, Mr. Corbus and Mr. Wychoff are directing the alterations.

The Doctors cottages look pretty with their new paint job.

Tax & Finance, Albany

SUE LONG, president of the Albany Tax Chapter, CSEA, announces that the annual membership drive dinner of the chapter was held on September 11, at 5:30 in Civil Service Headquarters, 8 Elk Street, Albany. Co-chairmen of the membership committee are Stella Ozga and George Hayes. Mary Masterson was in charge of arrangements.

A roast beef dinner was served to members and invited guests.

The chapter is on record as endorsing Sue Long for the presidency of the Civil Service Employees Association.

Here's another record: Employees of this department have come up with 218 suggestions,

netting 62 Merit Awards. This leads all other departments. A total of 45 suggestions brought \$2,235 in cash returns to the employees. It looks like genius has made a permanent home in the Tax Department.

Catholic employees have made plans for a Communion Breakfast on Sunday, October 5. They will receive communion in a body at 8 o'clock in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, followed by breakfast in the Ten Eyck. Francis Kelleher of the Law Bureau will be toastmaster.

Serving on the breakfast committee are: Harold J. Connors, chairman; Donald McCullough, Vincent Gallagher, Vincent Campbell, Edward D. Igoe, Bernard Schmall, Ann Warren, Mary Cuthbert, Francis T. Kelleher, William McGraw, Ellis T. Riker, Edna O'Keefe, William A. Sharkey, Louise Scarsella, John Connolly. (Hope we haven't left out anybody).

Memo to Henry LaBarba: You and your staff are doing a nice job with Tax Chapter News.

Blood donors July 29 to August 26 were: Mary Masterson, Joseph Feily, John Ross Jr., Stan Durbin, Elizabeth Judd, Mary Goode Krone, Thomas Bulman, John Purcell, Helen McCoy, Charles Therrien, Fred Ristau, Pat Egan, Thomas Matloy, Jennie Pialobzsky, Ken Kass, Arthur Raskin, Heinz Liepmann, Phil Natcharian, Jim O'Donnell, Sol Trencher, Edna Fox, Leroy Bird, William Howels, Howard Cook, Robert Cousins.

Woodbourne

RAY ROOSA, a Woodbourne guard on vacation, his wife, two children, father and mother, were all killed in an automobile accident in Nevada. 50 men of the uniformed force served as pall bearers and honor guard. Burial was in Grahamsville cemetery. Three generations wiped out. What can anyone say, but May They Rest in Peace.

Bowling season getting started. New Prez, Sgt. Decker . . . Council elections this month . . . Looks like a complete new slate going in . . . "Shanghai Roberts" still getting the retirement info . . . Dinner-dance and show shaped up a terrific success on Saturday, Sept. 13, at Hotel Evans, Loch Sheldrake. Sid Simmonds, appointed permanent guard, goes to Greenhaven . . . Many thanks to the boys at Wallkill for being grand hosts at the recent softball game between Greenhaven and Woodbourne. Greenhaven won . . . Nat Shulman driving a new car . . . "Living" Van Nostrand picked for the all-star softball team in Ellenville, not bad for a man 45 . . . Hank Bogan finished building his new home, did most of the work himself, looks beautiful . . . Ross Kelley, Vinnie O'Neill, Jack Brady, recent hospital cases, back working again. Glad to see you fellows . . . Family clambake held last week, a grand time. This is a must every year . . . Bill Switzer home from Memorial Hosp., very sick fellow . . . Dr. Rubin, head physician, on vacation . . . Blue Cross up, auto insurance up, food up, employees looking forward to seeing the State Legislature convene in January.

James E. Christian Memorial

THE ANNUAL CLAMBAKE sponsored jointly by the Health Dept. chapter and the Div. of Laboratories and Research last Thursday was a gastronomic success, says Irv Goldberg, social committee chairman. The members of the chapter salute the social committee for their effort in making the bake one of the best ever, and to the following members, they say "Well done, Athan A. Baskous, Marilyn Curtin, Angie De Mola, Bernard Ferber, Helen McGraw, Fred Seeberger, George Smith, Lena Smith, Mary Sullivan, Regina Warhurst, Jane Wheeler, Howard Wiltsey and Mr. Goldberg." Incidentally, Angie De Mola is the gal who turned out those nifty, clever posters for the bake.

Chapter news chips: The following news chips are furnished by Florence Lepper, who is in the Office of Cancer Control — Miss Ada M. Beerstecher, Consultant Nurse, has returned from a five weeks tour of France, Italy, Aus-

tria, Holland, and England. She made the voyage to Europe on the Mauretania and returned on the Queen Elizabeth. Dr. Vincent H. Handy, Assistant Director in Cancer Control, has returned from a two weeks' visit to Hamilton, Bermuda, Arthur Kraus, Bio-Statistician, has been granted a leave of absence, effective Sept. 19th, to study for his Master's Degree at Columbia University. Miss Rita Cashman will replace him until his return next summer.

Kay Tierney, (PCR) Office of Business Administration, furnishes the following news chips: Mort Shapiro has changed his sailor uniform for civilian garb and is back at his desk after a two-year hitch in the Navy. Mort, while in service visited England, Spain, Italy and Yugoslavia. . . . Edna McMillen surprised her co-workers recently when she slipped down the nuptial trail on August 29th. Good luck, Mr. and Mrs. Pittz! . . . Mary and George Scholan are vacationing in California and posted a number of beautiful greeting cards from California. Thank you, Mary, for remembering your co-workers! . . . Polly Henry, her husband and daughter, are planning a month's vacation trip to California, where they will attend the Stock Outboard National Championship at Oakland. . . . Gerry Karalon is recovering from a recent operation and will be back shortly. . . . Hal Gwinn retired from State service on Oct. 1. Celebrating a birthday recently, Hal received a deluge of cards from well-wishers. . . . Joe Steiniger, Natalie Santora, Marge Golinski and Rosemary Wineski, have returned from vacation. Also Dorothy Kemmy waxing over the glowing vacation spent at the Jug End Barn at South Egremont, Vt. . . .

From Ann Williams (PCR) in Mich Div. to wit: Gilbert Hyland, son of Mrs. Gertrude Hyland, a telephone operator in Med. Services, was married on Sept. 6th to Miss Pearl Austin of Smithfield, Pa. The nuptials took place at St. John's Church, Rensselaer, N.Y. The reception was held at Keeler's restaurant with music by Mrs. Mille Winter's (Cancer Control) orchestra. The couple will honeymoon in Maine. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schoonmaker (Ethel Schoonmaker, Nutritionist, Nutrition Bureau) are parents of a son born on Sept. 2nd, wgt. 7 lbs. 14 oz. and named James. Fred Snyder, statistical unit, Medical Services, is vacationing in Maryland. Mr. and Mrs. Werner Kosters (Ceil Kosters, Medical Rehabil's, parents) celebrated their golden anniversary with a Mass and reception on Aug. 25th. Sgt. Ronald J. Moore (nephew of Ann Williams, MCH Div.) was recently discharged from the U.S. Air Corps and has been re-appointed to the Div. of Tuberculosis where he was employed prior to his enlistment in 1948. Gertrude McCord, temporary consultant in Public Health Nursing, resigned Sept. 1st. Miss Madeline Phaneuf, consultant Public Health Nursing, will return to her position on Sept. 16th, after studying for her MPH degree. Miss Esther M. Flemming, Mental Health, consultant Public Health Nurse, recently vacationed in Missouri. Emma Lois Shaffer, consultant public health nurse, obstetrics, has returned from a vacation spent in Puerto Rico and the Virginia Islands. Ray Kessler, mail and supply clerk (OBA) has returned to his job after a long period of illness and an operation last March. Welcome back, Ray! Tom Fitch (OBA) and his family have returned from Cumberland Bay on Lake Champlain after a two weeks' vacation. Charles McIntosh (OBA) has returned from a motor trip through New England and New York state.

Wantagh

LONG ISLAND Inter-County State Park Chapter, CSEA, elected the following delegates to attend this year's Civil Service Employees Association annual meeting in Albany: Messrs. G. Siems, S. Losee, W. Rowe. Mr. W. Josanne, President, will also attend. Election took place at the monthly meeting held on August 21.

The Long Island Inter-county State Parks chapter, CSEA, will hold its next regular monthly meeting on Thursday, September 18, at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Building, Bellmore, at 8:30 P.M. sharp.

Delegates to the annual meeting in Albany on October 15 will be instructed.