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## Bi-Weekly Pay Checks Go Into Effect April 1

ALBANY, Feb. 20 — On April 1, 1956 New York State's 95,000 employees will be shifted to a bi-weekly basis of payment, it was announced yesterday by State Comptroller Arthur Levitt. The new system replaced the semi-monthly (twice a month) basis which has been in effect for many years. Each new pay period will be two weeks in length. Employees will be paid 26 times a year instead of the 24 times, as at present.

In announcing the change, Comptroller Levitt said, "This change has been requested by various employee organizations for a number of years, and was made law by the State Legislature (Chapter 867, Laws of 1955) on April 29, 1955, and approved by Governor Averell Harriman.

### Four Advantages Cited

"All employees will receive exactly the same amount of salary or wages each year they do now," Mr. Levitt said "Bi-weekly pay periods result in four advantages to employees:

"1. Employees receive payments more frequently.

"2. Pay checks are received before weekends when money is usually needed the most.

"3. No pay check has to cover more than two weekends, whereas under the old system there were four periods during the year when the paycheck had to be stretched over three weekends.

"4. Each pay period contains exactly the same number of days (14) which aids in handling family financing."

Since State employees will receive their pay checks every two weeks, and not at the middle and end of each month, it was pointed out that some of them might wish to replan their budgets to accommodate payments which may come due at the end of the month.

### 11 Days' Pay in First Check

Comptroller Levitt said that the bi-weekly pay system resulted both in advantages and disadvantages insofar as the Comptroller's Office was concerned. One result is that the State must prepare and handle about 190,000 more pay checks every year due to the two extra pay periods. On the other hand, the new system makes certain types of overtime easier to figure and aids in scheduling payroll work.

In April workers will be paid for 11 days of work on their first pay (Continued on Page 16)

## Share-the-Cost Health Insurance Plan Proposed

### Governor Asks Other Benefits

ALBANY, Feb. 20 — Governor Averell Harriman has asked the Legislature to authorize establishment of a comprehensive health insurance plan for the State's 70,000 civil service workers. Retired State employees also would be eligible.

In a special message to the Legislature, the Governor also recommended that:

1.—All State civil service workers be guaranteed a salary increase of at least one increment upon promotion.

2.—The State Civil Service department and localities having civil service commissions waive fees for promotional examinations.

3.—The requirement that in all cases State offices be kept open on Saturday mornings be eliminated.

4.—The State Security Risk Law be extended for another year.

With the exception of the Risk Law, the recommendations of the Governor were embodied in the 1955-56 legislative program of the Civil Service Employees Association.

Bills to implement Mr. Harri-

man's proposals have been drafted and are to be introduced soon.

Members of the CSEA already have been invited to discuss details of the health insurance plan with Alexander A. Falk, President of the State Civil Service Commission.

The Governor declared that employees and the State would share the cost of health insurance. The annual amount would be determined by the type of plan adopted. It has been estimated that the annual cost of the program would be about \$3 to \$4,000,000 a year. The Governor said he has \$1,500,000 in his budget for that purpose.

The health insurance bill will not specify the precise type of

coverage to be provided. This would not be practical, Mr. Harriman said.

The law must be flexible the Chief Executive pointed out, in order to "make it possible for the best plan to be worked out in consultation with representatives of the employees." Legislative control over the extent of the State's commitment would be exercised through appropriations.

### Health Insurance Board

The proposed legislation would create a State employee health insurance board. The board would establish regulations governing eligibility. The President of the Civil Service Commission, who would serve as board chairman

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## Bill in Legislature Seeks Payroll Deduction of Dues

ALBANY, Feb. 20 — Senator John H. Cooke of Erie County, chairman of the Senate Civil Service Committee, and Assemblyman Elisha Barrett of Suffolk County have introduced a bill authorizing the State Comptroller to make payroll deduction of membership dues for civil service employee associations and organizations.

"The passage of this bill," said John F. Powers, "would be a great step in the development of better employer-employee relations in the public service."

Mr. Powers, president of the Civil Service Employees Association, said the statewide group, comprising 63,000 public em-

ployees, will press to have the measure adopted by the Legislature.

## Levitt, CSEA Meet on Mileage And Subsistence

ALBANY, Feb. 20 — The problem of increased mileage and subsistence allowances for State employees was discussed last week at a meeting between Comptroller Arthur Levitt and representatives of the Civil Service Employees Association. Another meeting is being planned.

Representing the CSEA was John F. Powers, president, F. Henry Galpin, salary research analyst, and members of the mileage and subsistence committee, headed by Roy H. McKay, Department of Agriculture and Markets.



"Girl Reading," by Joseph Rothman. The oil painting won second prize in the modern category at Great Barrington (Mass.) Eleventh Annual Art Show last year. A one-man show of Mr. Rothman's canvasses will be on display through February 26 at the Albany Institute of History and Art. Mr. Rothman is a lawyer on the Attorney General's staff.

## Proclamation Sets Keynote for State Brotherhood

Governor Averell Harriman, the State's Number 1 civil servant, has set the keynote to the annual Brotherhood Luncheon of State Employees, which will be held Thurs-

day, February 23 at the Hotel Martinique, NYC.

"This nation," the Governor said, in proclaiming the week ending February 23 as Brotherhood Week, "was founded upon the proposition that 'All men are created equal.'"

"It has been built by men and woman, fired with faith in human brotherhood under the fatherhood of God. Out of that has come the great dynamic and creative force of our free and democratic way of life.

"It is the miracle of this country that the bond of brotherhood has made of us, no matter what our origin, background, or station in life, good Americans together with just one loyalty—that to the State and Stripes and the great humanitarian and democratic ideals for which our proud flag stands.

"To make this bond of brotherhood stronger and more meaningful to all, all Americans together must strive to remove those barriers that prevent the full achievement of the ideal of equal opportunity and equal rights for all."

This year's Brotherhood Luncheon — being sponsored by a dozen State employee organizations representing aides of all races and religions — will cite Angela R. Parisi, Chairman of the State Workmen's Compensation Board, as the State employee who has best exemplified the spirit and practice of brotherhood.

Secretary of State Carmine G. DeSapio will deliver the principal address.



# UFA Gives Touching Reasons Why Heart Bill Must Succeed

Funeral services were held at the Trinity Lutheran Church for the second NYC fireman to die of a heart attack within 10 days.

He was William Prechtel of Engine Company 28 who served 19 years in the Fire Department. Fireman Prechtel's death followed by seven days the death of Fireman James W. Kojac from a heart attack while fighting a fire in Queens.

## Comment by Barry

Howard P. Barry, president of the Uniformed Firemen's Association, said about Mr. Prechtel:

"This is the second tragedy that has struck the Fire Department within a matter of days which can be attributed to heart attack. It all too grimly points out the strain a fire-fighter's heart must endure in his line of work."

Fireman Prechtel died after sliding down a fire pole during a demonstration for visiting junior high school students. Previously busy in raising heavy 50-foot

lengths of hose into a tower, he was called on to give the students a demonstration on the pole.

Medical examiners said he died of coronary arterial sclerosis.

## They Pay With Their Lives

The UFA is pressing for the State Legislature to declare that any heart ailment suffered by a fireman occurred in the line of duty.

"Including Fireman Prechtel," said Mr. Barry, "of the last 16 firemen who have died in the performance of duty, 13 have been stricken by heart attacks brought on by the nature of their work."

"The strains put on the heart of a fire-fighter in the performance of his duty far exceed those of a normal working person. Firemen must continually 'rest' in checking smoke, inhale searing gases, and push their bodies to their physical maximums."

## Want Bill Enacted

"The end result is tragically shown in the deaths of Firemen Prechtel, Kojac, and their de-

ceased comrades.

"Last year, our heart bill passed both Houses of the State Legislature, only to be vetoed without a hearing by Governor Averell Harriman. Firemen Prechtel and

Kojac, and their families, are penalized in consequence. The Legislature must pass this bill, and the Governor must sign it, before more firemen and their families suffer."

## State, County, City Bills in State Legislature

The following are summaries of civil service bills introduced in the State Legislature. S.I. means the bill's Senate Introductory number, A.I. the Assembly Introductory number. The LEADER will use this code to follow each bill throughout the legislative session.

The sponsoring legislator, the law for which amendment is sought, summary of the bill, and the committee to which it has been referred, are given, in that order, as well as the number and sponsor of a "companion" measure in the other House. "Companion" measures, though introduced in different Houses, are identical in form and substance.

### Senate

S. I. 1075, MITCHELL—Amends §B3-6.0, NYC Administrative Code, to allow member of NYC Employees Retirement System credit for service rendered as officer or employee of State Legislature, while resident of NYC, if claimed before July 1, 1956, NYC to State retired teacher, without reducing amount now received. Finance Com.

S. I. 1078, ROSENBLATT—Adds new §4608, Education Law, to allow teachers licensed to teach trade subjects in NYC, credit for at least five years of trade experience and one year industrial teacher-training program, in lieu of baccalaureate degree, for salary purposes. NYC Com.

S. I. 1083, ROSENBLATT—Amends §2509, Education Law, to prohibit removal for disciplinary proceedings against teachers, more than five years after occurrence of alleged incompetency of misconduct, except where it would constitute crime if proven in court. Education Com. (Same as A. I. 1329, BERMAN; A. I. 1739, DUBLIN, to Judiciary Com.)

S. I. 1085, SORIN—Adds §40-a, Civil Service Law, to allow State and local civil service employees who have reached maximum for particular grade and continue therein, one additional increment of \$180 or equal to last preceding increment, whichever is greater, for each five years of service and for each additional five years of service, with limit of five such increments. Civil Service Com.

S. I. 1086, SORIN—Adds new §16-c, Civil Service Law, to require that person in competitive

class position of civil service who passed test for next higher grade but never secured promotion through no fault of his own and who served for ten or more years heretofore within same salary grade thereafter, shall be promoted to next higher grade without further examination. Civil Service Com.

S. I. 1108, CUITE—Amends §154, Criminal Code, to extend definition of peace officers, to include member of housing officer force of NYC Housing Authority. NYC Com. (Same as A. I. 1866, COMPOSTO, to Codes Com.)

S. I. 1120, McCAFFREY—Same as A. I. 280, issue of January 24.

S. I. 1121, McCAFFREY—Same as A. I. 281, issue of January 25.

S. I. 1123, McCAFFREY—Adds new §12450, 2451, 2452, Public Health Law, to provide that State tuberculosis hospitals discontinued for such use shall be maintained and operated for care and treatment of person suffering from cancer and other malignant diseases, with employees to be continued and appropriations available therefor. Health Com. (Same as A. I. 124, EGGERT, to Ways and Means Com.)

S. I. 1124, McCULLOUGH—Amends §40, Civil Service Law, to allow civil service employee in classified position for more than five years, longevity increment for five years of continuous service after receiving additional increment in excess of maximum. Civil Service Com. (Same as A. I. 1483, MEIGHAN, to Ways and Means Com.)

S. I. 1131, MORITT—Amends §2573, Education Law, to limit to NYC, provision for Superintendent of Schools to report to Education Board recommending permanent appointment of teachers after probationary term or within six months prior thereto, and to require Board to grant contract thereafter which shall protect against removal except for cause. NYC Com. (Same as A. I. 1317, WEISER, A. I. 1576, WEISER, to Education Com.)

S. I. 1133, MORITT—Repeals (Continued on Page 10)

## William Morgan Named to Civil Service Post

ALBANY, Feb. 20 — Governor Averell Harriman has sent to the Senate for confirmation the appointment of William H. Morgan, of Cortland, as a member of the State Civil Service Commission for a term ending February 1, 1959, to succeed Oscar M. Taylor, resigned. The post pays \$13,700 a year.

President Alexander A. Falk and Mary Goode Krone are the other Commission members.

Born in Cortland in 1908, Mr. Morgan was educated in the public schools of that city. He began working for the City of Cortland as a time keeper and purchasing agent for the Board of Public Works. In 1929 he became liaison representative between a metal products firm and subcontractors doing jobs for that firm.

From 1932 to 1936 he served as construction superintendent for the U. S. Department of Agriculture and from 1936 to 1942 served in the State Department of Agriculture where he remained in the management of cooperatives in western New York. In this capacity he worked with producers and the Department of Agriculture in establishing milk marketing orders for the Buffalo and Rochester market areas.

From 1942 to 1945 Mr. Morgan served as consultant to nine co-operatives.

After a year with the U. S. Army he returned to serve as consultant and advisor to the Metropolitan Milk Producers Bargaining Agency, a group of 53 co-operatives.

From 1948 to 1950 Mr. Morgan held a position as personnel manager.

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## Put State Aides on Pay, Hours on Par With Industry, CSEA Tells Legislature

ALBANY, Feb. 20 — The Civil Service Employees Association has filed a vigorous protest against an Administration proposal for inferior State employee pay increases.

Text of the protest, delivered before members of the Senate finance Committee and Assembly Ways and Means Committee at Legislature budget hearings last Wednesday at Albany, is as follows:

"We are here to represent the interests of more than 60,000 members of the Civil Service Employees Association and as the representative of the majority of the State employees."

"Amongst the most important problems facing the State employee today are inadequacy of his present wage level and the establishment of a 40-hour work week

for institutional employees. The Civil Service Employees Association has repeatedly presented its program for the resolution of these problems to the Administration and the public.

"It is our contention that the present proposals of the Administration of an increase of 15 percent on the first \$2,000 and a partial reduction in the work week are inadequate and fall short of solving the problems."

"We again urge before your honorable body that sufficient monies be appropriated to place the State salary level on an equal plane with private industry. We feel that our program of a 20 percent increase in State salaries and the 40-hour week without reduction in pay meets the urgencies of the public employees which they now face."



Joseph A. Caporale (right), superintendent of the State Office Building, 80 Centre Street, NYC, presents a 25-year service award and pin to Richard Brent, elevator operator, Public Works Department. James J. Chiaravalle, head starter, looks on.

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## Social Security and the CSEA

THE STATE COMMISSION ON PENSIONS has just released its report to the Governor and the Legislature on the supplementation or coordination of Social Security coverage with the benefits of the State Employees Retirement System. The report suggests three methods by which the linking of the two systems could be accomplished.

It is of great interest to members of the Civil Service Employees Association that the first two methods, which describe full and partial supplementation, correspond identically with the plan which the Association has adopted and publicly announced. The third method, which the Pension Commission suggests, is the merging of Social Security benefits with those of the Retirement System. This method is called coordination by the Pension Commission, but is in reality a form of integration.

The next step in the procedure is the adoption by the Legislature of a bill expressing the form which it believes the combining of the two systems should take.

The Governor then will call for a referendum among the present members of the Employees Retirement System and fix the time when it will be held. A majority of all the employee members of the Retirement System must vote for the proposed plan before it can become effective. We must bear in mind that all members of the Retirement System (with the exception of police and firemen, who are excluded by the Federal Social Security Act) have a vote on this question—not just those members in the State service. All the municipalities, the cities, the counties, the towns, villages and special districts whose employees are part of the Retirement System will have a voice in this referendum.

The Association has a large role to play in this important piece of legislation. It must not only impress the Legislature that a large majority of public employees wants supplementation but it must do its part in informing the hundreds of thousands of municipal employees of the wisdom of this form of coverage.

The task will not be easy. The problem is complicated, and the opposition will take many forms. It would be well for us not to assume that the simplicity of our plan will make for easy passage.

## ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYEES IN STATE

### Syracuse Aides Honor Miss Burchill

SYRACUSE, Feb. 20 — Mary Burchill, head of the Hazard Branch, Syracuse Public Library, was honored at a retirement luncheon at the Hotel Syracuse and was presented with a watch from members of the library staff. Best wishes are extended to her from Onondaga chapter, CSEA.

Best wishes for a speedy recovery go to John O'Reilly of the Parks Department and Mansford Pike, Board of Education.

Sympathy is extended to Emogene Merz and family on the death of her father, Frank Merz. Mr. Merz operated a bakery.

### Cayuga Aides In the News

Chester Nodine, president of Cayuga County chapter, CSEA, attended the board of directors meeting in Albany in January. Mr. Nodine and Kenneth Burghdorf, chapter secretary, attended the workshop at Utica.

On January 24 the regular chapter meeting was held at the Knights of Columbus Rooms. Vernon A. Tapper, CSEA 4th vice president, spoke on Social Security and retirement.

Helen Saxby, supervisor of public health nurses, recently attended the annual conference for directors and supervisors of public health nursing at the Ten Eyck Hotel.

Joseph Weslowski and Ben Phillips of the County Highway Department are convalescing at home.

Members of the Highway Department recently enjoyed a roast pig supper at the Green Acres. John Clifford and David O'Hara arranged the event.

Mrs. Barbara Aurand, formerly with the Cortland County Health Department, has joined the staff of Cayuga County Public Health Nurses. Mrs. Aurand lives with her husband and son in Weedsport.

Mrs. Helen Munier, a former member of the Rochester Health Bureau, is also a new staff nurse

with the County Nurses. Mrs. Munier and husband live in Elbridge.

### Genesee Armorers Favor Supplementation

BATAVIA, Feb. 20 — The January meeting of Genesee Valley Armories chapter, CSEA, was held in the Batavia Armory on the 26th, and was presided over by Michael Hogan, vice president. There was a good attendance. A report was given by August Schicker on the area-wide meeting on the 20 per cent pay raise and integration-supplementation. After much discussion, the chapter voted in favor of the 20 per cent raise and supplementation.

Members were asked to write their Assemblymen and Senators to urge their support of the chapter's proposals.

A fine lunch was served by employees of the Batavia Armory.

"It is gratifying," the chapter said, "to see our outlying armories

## Nassau Aides Bid for Raise, Better Hours

HEMPSTEAD, Feb. 20 — An all-point program for 1956 has been adopted by the Nassau County chapter, Civil Service Employees Association, Irving Flaumenbaum, president, reported.

In a meeting at the Elks Club here, the CSEA unit voted to seek higher pay with fair pay scales; reclassification for all jobs and titles and improvement of pay and hours for non-teaching school personnel.

Nassau chapter will hold a meeting of non-teaching school employees Saturday, March 3 at 2 P.M. in the Elks Club here. Problems of these workers will be discussed.

The 1956 program of the Association unit is as follows:

1. Pay increases for all employees to conform with those granted by Federal and State governments.
2. Blue Cross and Blue Shield on a payroll deduction plan.
3. Reclassification of all positions and job titles.
4. Social Security for per diem and per annum workers.
5. Unemployment insurance coverage.
6. Pay check every two weeks with 26 pay days per year.
7. Effective grievance machinery.
8. Longevity pay.
9. Fair pay scales.
10. Investigate salary scales and working conditions of non-teaching school employees and a 40-hour week with no loss in take-home pay for these employees.
11. Uniform vacation plan to conform to those granted by Federal and State governments.

determined to attend our meetings, regardless of the long distances traveled."

### Ulster Chapter Thanks Mayor

KINGSTON, Feb. 20 — Members of Ulster County chapter, CSEA, extend their thanks to Mayor Stang for all he has done to help the Association.

Best wishes to Walter Snyder who is retiring from the Board of Public Works.

Francis M. Casey, CSEA field representative, attended the January 23 meeting and spoke to a large gathering on Social Security and retirement.

Elwood Finkle and Martin Kelly were elected to attend the CSEA annual dinner meeting March 1.

The chapter will meet on February 27.

## New MH School For Delinquents Slated Downstate

ALBANY, Feb. 20 — A new State institution to accommodate delinquent mental defectives now committed to State schools has been proposed by Governor Averell Harriman.

The proposal is based on the findings of Dr. Paul Hoch, State Commissioner of Mental Hygiene, during his investigations of problems with delinquent patients at Wassaic State School.

The new institution would be located downstate and would care for about 600 male and female patients.

No immediate appropriation is needed since funds are available to the Department of Mental Hygiene for preliminary planning.

The Governor declared that for many years the State schools, particularly the downstate institutions, have been confronted by very serious difficulties caused by a relatively small group of semi-delinquent male and female patients who create major behavior and disciplinary problems, including escaping into the community where the males particularly have committed delinquent acts.

Mental Hygiene institutions are "open" without restraining walls,

said Dr. Hoch, and the program is geared for the comparatively well-adjusted mentally retarded. Many of the older boys and girls being committed to these institutions are psychopathic, requiring more stringent control and a high degree of security. They have formed a trouble core in the open institutions.

The Mental Hygiene Commissioner said that at present the only possible relief for the civil State schools is to transfer the most delinquent ones to the institutions for defective delinquents in the Department of Correction at Napanoch and Albion. There are many troublesome patients, however, who are not sufficiently delinquent to be transferred to these institutions. Moreover a number who are definitely delinquent are under 16 years of age and not eligible for correctional institutions.

Dr. Hoch said that after studying the problem he believes that the only solution is the establishment of another institution for these patients. It would have to be a closed facility with proper provision for security and educational and training facilities must be provided.

Governor Harriman declared that a new institution of that type would not only relieve the situation in State schools but would provide the kind of program these delinquent defectives require.

## Central Conference Slated To Be Presented April 7

BINGHAMTON, Feb. 20 — The nominating committee of the Central Conference, Civil Service Employees Associations, will submit a slate of officers at the April 7 meeting, to be held at the Carlton Hotel here.

Election will take place in June at a Conference meeting in Ogdensburg.

President Charles D. Methe has announced he is not a candidate for re-election.

Margaret Whitmore of Syracuse chapter heads the nominating group. She and other committee members, as well as members of six other Conference groups were appointed by Mr. Methe recently.

Serving with Miss Whitmore are Helen B. Musto, Francis Hockey, Roger Irish, Gertrude White and John Keegan.

On the auditing committee,

chaired by Mrs. Irma German, are Edwin T. Smith, Ivan Stoodley and Stanley Hobbs.

The social committee comprises Elizabeth Gross, chairman; Marlon Wakin, Edward Linner, Florence Drew and Robert Selleck.

Resolutions will be deliberated by Chairman Florence Drew, Jeannette Haire, Jesse Shea, Ralph Keegan, Nina Perry and Charles Ecker.

The three other units: Legislative — Raymond G. Castle, chairman; C. A. Kenworthy, Eunice Cross, Warren Crumb and Arthur Davies.

Constitution and By-Laws — Helen B. Musto, chairman; Emmett J. Durr, Tom Ranger and Francis Allison.

Membership — John E. Graveline, chairman; Bertram Cronauer and Edwin T. Smith.

### Kaplan to Address Westchester Aides

WHITE PLAINS, Feb. 20 — H. Elliot Kaplan, counsel to the State Pension Commission, will discuss facets of combining Social Security with the State Employees Retirement System, at a meeting Wednesday, February 29 at 8:15 P.M., at the Little Theater, Westchester County Center, here.

A sponsor of the event is Westchester County Competitive Civil Service Association, a unit of the Civil Service Employees Association.

Civil service groups in Rockland, Orange, Dutchess and Putnam counties have been invited, said Margaret W. Trout, president of the Westchester aides' organization.



"It Doesn't Seem That Long" says the legend behind this group of Marcy State Hospital employees who were honored recently for 25 years' service with the State Mental Hygiene Department.



# Official Requirements In Fireman Test That Will Open on March 6

The official notice of the fireman (F.D.) examination, which contains the basic requirements, was released by the NYC Personnel Department. Application will be received, starting on Tuesday, March 6.

The notice mentions the \$100 uniform allowance, which is additional to the \$4,000 starting salary. This uniform allowance applies only after an appointee has completed his probationary period.

The age limits are 20 to 29 on the date of filing one's application. Exceptions are made for war

veterans and for others who, though not former members of the armed forces, served in recognized auxiliaries of those forces, subsequent to July 1, 1940. If they are over 29, they may deduct the length of time spent in such service.

Senior high school graduation, or an equivalency diploma, is necessary for appointment, but not for competition. An equivalency diploma may be obtained after one becomes an eligible. Exams for such diplomas are given at least monthly and are not considered difficult to pass. Apply to the

nearest public school or high school for a blank or write to the NYC Department of Education, 110 Livingston Street, Brooklyn 1, N.Y.

The Personnel Department's announcement:

**FIREMAN, FIRE DEPARTMENT**  
Salary: The entrance salary is \$1,000 per annum with statutory increments up to and including \$5,315 per annum. In addition, there is an annual uniform allowance of \$100.

Applications: Issued and received from 9 a.m., March 6, 1956 to 4 p.m., March 27, 1956.

Applications must be obtained and filed in person by the applicant or by his representative and will not be issued or accepted by mail.

Fee: \$3.  
Date of Test: The written test is expected to be held May 26, 1956. This date is tentative only and may be changed if circumstances so demand.

Ages: The Administrative Code provides that to qualify for membership in the Fire Department a person shall have passed his 20th, but not his 29th birthday on the date of the filing of his application.

Exceptions: All persons who were engaged in military duty, as defined in Section 243 of the Military Law, subsequent to July 1, 1940, may deduct the length of time they spent in military service from their actual age in determining their eligibility. (Sub. 10a, Section 243, Military Law.)

At the time of investigation, applicants will be required to submit proof of date of birth by transcript of record of the Bureau of Vital Statistics or other satisfactory evidence. Any wilful material misstatement will be cause for disqualification.

Minimum Requirements: Graduation from a four-year Senior High School or possession of a High School Equivalency Diploma. Candidates are not required to possess the high school diploma or high school equivalency diploma at the time of filing or taking the written, physical, or medical tests, but must possess the diploma prior to appointment. Proof of the possession of the required diploma must be presented to the Division of Investigation. At the date of filing applications candidates must be citizens of the United States. At the time of appointment candidates must comply with that section of the Adminis-

# Number of Provisionals In State Drops; Eligibles To Replace Many More

ALBANY, Feb. 20 — Provisional employments in the State civil Service have been cut to the lowest point in more than a decade, Alexander A. Falk, President of the State Civil Service Commission, announced.

During the past year provisionals were reduced by almost one-fifth, from 4,863 to 3,921, Mr. Falk said. He pointed out that this drop was effected despite a general increase of 2,160 in the number of State employees during the year and critical shortages of trained personnel in many fields of work.

Mr. Falk said that on November 1, 1955 there were 58,798 employees in competitive class of the State civil service. Of the total 3,921 provisionals, he said, there are 1,127 that cannot be replaced by permanent appointees because other employees have le-

gal rights to the positions. The latter are chiefly employees on military or other types of leave, or employees who have been provisionally promoted.

Of the 2,794 provisionals that can be replaced by permanent appointees, 340 are in entrance-level clerical positions, he said. An examination will be held in March to fill most of these positions in engineering and architecture, which he termed the most critical of all the "shortage" fields, are held by 440 others. A large proportion of the balance are in such occupational areas as social work, medicine, accounting and education, which pose serious problems in recruitment. Many others are in institution positions such as staff attendant, occupational therapist and occupational instructor, all of which are difficult to fill.

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between 18 and 55 to prepare now for U.S. Civil Service tests in New York State. During the next twelve months there will be many appointments to U.S. Civil Service jobs in many parts of the country.

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## 3 NYC Lists Ready

On Thursday, February 23, the NYC Personnel Department will release three open-competitive eligible lists. They are: borough superintendent of school buildings, with eight eligibles; engineering aide, 42 eligibles, and youth guidance technician, nine eligibles.

The lists may be seen at The LEADER office, 97 Duane Street, Manhattan, from February 23 until Friday, March 2.

## COURT OFFICERS ELECT SILVERMAN AS PRESIDENT

The Uniformed Court Officers of the Municipal Court have elected Paul Silverman as president. Other officers: Michael Occhipinti, executive vice president; Adeline Knox, A. M. Healy, Olaf Morholt, Joseph Vitale, Robert Boszom, vice presidents; Catherine Collins, secretary, and Irving Bindig, treasurer.



# Psychological Test to Be Given 588 New Police

The approximately 588 additional patrolman now on the NYC police force will have an opportunity to obtain specialized assignments, including working as detectives, as the result of psychological tests to be given by the Police Department.

Detectives formerly were assigned mainly on the basis of having proved their worth as policemen, through bravery in making arrests, or otherwise coping with the exigencies of the job. Now that a school for detectives has been started, however, with 67 taking the first course, intelligence and aptitude are to become the criteria for assignment to special work, and the performance of duties other than those classed as routine.

The members of the first class are 30 patrolmen and 30 newly appointed detectives.

All of this week's patrolman appointees are subject to a new testing process. Those among them who show signs of excellent detective ability will be entered in the detective training school.

## Opportunity for the Brave

The brave will not be passed up, however. They will be given an opportunity also to pass the intelligence, personality, and temperament tests, before being considered for the detective training course.

The aptitudes of all newly appointed patrolmen are now being classified, so that at a moment's notice the department can call on what it considers the right man for any special job.

The new procedure is part of Police Commissioner Stephen P. Kennedy's plan to raise the intellectual stature of the police force, and attain for the policeman a professional standing, akin to that of the lawyer, physician, minister, or accountant, with commensurate pay.

In patrolman exams senior high school graduation, or an equivalency diploma, is being required now. Previously there were no formal educational requirements. In the fireman exam, to be opened March 6, the same educational requirement obtains. The proof must be given before appointment. No diploma is necessary, to compete in either test. However, no patrolman applications are now being received and no more will be received this year.

## Now Up to Full Quota

The newly appointed patrolmen will be given a training course in the Police Academy. Commissioner Kennedy has introduced written tests of his own, given to the students at the Academy, to determine, among other things, whether they are qualified to be continued on the force after the expiration of their nine-months probationary period. Some of the men have grumbled among themselves about this, stating that when they passed the written test given by the Personnel Department, they thought that would be the end of the written testing. But now they find that was only the beginning.

Commissioner Kennedy seeks to increase the police force by 5,000 patrolmen, and has requested 2,600 of the mfor the net fiscal year, 1956-7, and is expected to seek the remaining 2,400 in the subsequent budget. However, these plans are tentative only, as he would like to add the 5,000 as

# CORRECTION CORNER

BY JACK SOLOD

## Misdirected Efforts

WHILE THE EFFORTS of the uniformed personnel are directed towards the 40-hour week, a small group of brass in the department are trying to obtain signatures and petitions the Commissioner to continued working 48 hours a week! The reason given is "to build up the pension." This is no way to build the pension. Get out and work for better retirement, supplementation of Social Security, and forget about the 48-hour work week. These men are supposed to be leaders in the department; if they persist in this mistaken idea they will lose the most important requisite for brass—respect of the men.

Another sad case of a "mental breakdown." This man is a civilian employee with less than three years' service. A very fine family man, wife, two small children and a third due soon. I have been informed he went off the payroll February 15, about 10 days after his breakdown. He is now in Bellevue. His family is trying to have him transferred nearer home to Middletown State Hospital. Financially in very bad shape. It's a shame some sort of half-pay cannot be set up to help this man and his family.

Word from Albany indicates the coming partial-paid health program for State employees will be a stiff. At least \$5,000,000 is necessary for an adequate program. . . . Correction Conference meets in Albany February 28 and 29. Delegates from all State correctional institutions to meet with Commissioner McHugh. . . . NYC firemen will be next large uniformed group to get time-and-a-half for overtime. They deserve it and let's see the "fireman's heart bill" pass this year.

When all the hullabaloo has died down, prison guard base pay will be only \$4,980, still behind NYC, Conn., and N.J. Whatever happened to the uniform allowance? . . . The Commissioner has asked for 300 new guards to fill existing vacancies and institute the reduced work week. I don't believe the next list will produce 300 men willing to accept appointment. . . . Tell your legislator to vote for Senate: 1055-Assembly: 1006; Hatfield-Marlatt Bill, to give Albion and Westfield equal pay. . . . Next big objective is 25-year retirement at half pay with 75-25 contributions. New York City police and firemen retire after 20 years with half pay and 75-25 payments. New York City Correction and other groups have 75-25 bills in the State Legislature now. The magic numbers are 25-75-25. Retirement at half pay after 25 years' service, with the State paying 75 per cent and employees 25 per cent. Mayor Wagner is on record as favoring such a plan in New York City. How about it, Albany?

## State Electronics Technicians Meet on Feb. 29

ORANBURG, Feb. 20 — The fourth annual meeting of the executive committee, State Electronics Technicians Association, will be held in Building 29, Rockland State Hospital, on Saturday, February 25. It was announced by Richard M. Burns, president.

A decision will be announced in the State hospital at which the 1956 Radio and Television Conference for association members will be held. The annual conferences are jointly sponsored by the association and the in-training division, State Civil Service Departments, and may be attended without charge by association members who are actively engaged in the installation, maintenance and repair of State-owned or State-controlled electronic equipment.

The association was founded in 1953 to teach and assist its members in the proper function, installation and repair of such electronic equipment as may be in use in the service of State institutions or departments.

soon as possible. Mayor Robert F. Wagner has said that the addition would be made as soon as practical and has assigned to Budget Director Abraham D. Beame the problem of expediting the additional patrolman appointments to the utmost. Mr. Beame is giving the subject his close attention.

With 5,000 added, the patrolman quota would become 27,963. The current quota, 22,963, was exhausted by the latest appointments.

## Clerks Propose Amity on Appeals

With the NYC annual budget in preparation, Jack B. Treiblich, chairman, coordinating committees of 3rd Grade clerical employees, said that funds should be set aside to provide for the correction of errors in the original classifications, and that employees whose appeals are favorably reported by the Appeals Board to the Board of Estimate should not have to wage an additional drive to get the funds voted.

"Not only the clerical employees, but every group which has an appeal ending has an interest in seeing that sufficient money is earmarked to meet just claims for upward allocation," said Mr. Treiblich.

He wrote to the Board of Estimate and Budget Director Abraham D. Beame, asking that such funds be provided in next year's budget.

Mr. Treiblich stressed the fact that the Committee was organized for the sole purpose and would disband as soon as upward reallocation is obtained. He urged committee members to go back to the unions to which they belong and other employee groups with which they are affiliated and get support for such budgetary provision.

The appeals of Teamster Local 832 to the Career and Salary Plan Board of Appeals asking Salary Grade 9 for the former third grade clerical employees was halted by Treiblich as another indication of the growing support for the clerical employees' demands.

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Questions answered on civil service. Address Editor, The LEADER, 97 Duane Street, New York 7, N.Y.

# \$8,380 Worth Of Good Ideas Earned in '56

ALBANY, Feb. 20 — More than \$8,380 in awards for State employee suggestions was presented during 1955.

The cash awards, which were made by the State Employees Merit Award Board, went to the authors of 106 suggestions for reducing State expenditures and improving work conditions.

Top award of the series was for \$2,500.

Fifty-four other employees, who narrowly missed out on the cash awards, received certificates of merit.

The awards were the largest in the board's history.

The approximately 588 additional announcement excited considerable interest.

## FIRE CREDIT UNION

Within a month or two, the one millionth dollar will be loaned from the FIRE Federal Credit Union reports Al Adams, president.

## DE Promotion Tests Now Open

The State Civil Service Department has announced two promotion exams for \$2,870 to \$3,700 jobs with the Division of Employment.

DE employees who have served since April 14, 1955 in G-3 or higher positions are eligible for \$2,870 to \$3,700 senior typist jobs. There is one vacancy in NYC.

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## Health, Even Life Itself, At Stake in Many Jobs

Even some salary appeals raise issues that tug at one's heart. Their solution depends on a human and even humane approach. Pleas for higher pensions also bring to light occasional situations far beyond the ordinary, and in which the arguments are rightfully addressed to one's sense of compassion, as well as his fundamental principles of equity and justice.

Some of the cases are familiar to those in civil service, but few are known to the public at large, unfortunately. Readers of The LEADER are well aware of the efforts of the firemen and policemen to get higher pension for widows—now at the pittance level of \$600 a year, established so many years ago that the purchasing power of the dollar has been cut by more than half since then. Those readers also are aware of the effect that fumes and gases have on firemen, when they fight fires. The men deem it no more than right that if they suffer a heart attack, it should be taken as a rebuttable presumption of having been incurred in the line of duty. The fireman eligibles were in perfect health when appointed, otherwise would have been rejected. Something has been taken out of their lives. The question arises whether even some more money can constitute a sufficient recompense.

### What Price Money?

The public at large reads about a policeman who bravely descends a dark alley to ferret out some blasting gunman, of a traffic policeman killed by a car right in the middle of Fifth Avenue in NYC, and of sanitationmen who are likewise killed or maimed by vehicles.

There are other, and little known cases, too. Take the blasting inspectors in the NYC Fire Department, who fall victim to silicosis, a lung disease, as an occupational hazard. These civilian inspectors report that there have not been more than 15 of them employed at any one time at such work in the past 15 years, that five of the 15 have died during that period, that all present 10 employees suffer from the ailment, and that one of the 10 has been a patient in a hospital for a long time. And what are they asking? A two-grade upward reallocation.

## County Civil Service Put Under Scrutiny

A recent survey of civil service conditions on the county level, made by the Municipal Services Division of the State Civil Service Department, gave warning that the merit system was in weak health in several counties throughout the State.

It comes as no surprise, therefore, that Nassau County in particular has been chided by Alexander A. Falk, President of the State Civil Service Commission, for failing to live up to its responsibilities for maintaining a true merit system.

Nassau County has adopted no up-to-date job classification plan, although civil service was instituted there 18 years ago, according to Commissioner Falk. It is the only county in the State not to do so, he noted.

It has conducted so few competitive examinations that more than half of the county workers are provisionals, Mr. Falk declared.

### Issue of Irresponsibility Raised

Howard G. Wilson, Chairman of the Nassau County Civil Service Commission, has not denied the lack of examinations or the large number of provisionals, but blames

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### NO \$300 RAISE FOR THEM SOME EMPLOYEES COMPLAIN

Editor, The LEADER:

The broad generalization of the effect of the State salary increase bill, as given in the message from Governor Averell Harriman to the Legislature, leaves the impression that \$300 will be the minimum increase for employees. In institutions, of course, reduction in hours would apply to those now on 48 hours, and not the \$300. But not only in the institutions, but elsewhere, to, as has not been pointed out before, there is no \$300 raise.

Take the labor relations examiner title in the Labor Relations Board as an example. Before 1954 this title was in grade G-22, with a minimum of \$5,414 and a maximum of \$6,537.

#### One Example Cited

When the Division of Classification and Compensation set up its new salary schedule in 1954, it downgraded this position to new grade R-18 with minimum of \$5,090 and maximum of \$6,320, a decrease of \$324 at minimum and \$217 at maximum.

At the time of this re-grading all nine of the incumbents (one position was vacant) were at the old maximum of \$6,537, and remained at that salary. They therefore did not benefit at all from the change-over to the new salary grade, as did most of the other State employees.

Now, under the proposed bill of the Governor (widely advertised as a 15 percent raise on the first \$2,000 of salary of State employees, or a \$300 increase for all), the bill contains the salary schedule with the addition of \$300 present grades, but in the case of the Labor Relations Examiner position the addition is to the previously reduced grade, namely \$6,620 maximum. This means that the Labor Relations examiners who are now at their maximum of \$6,637 will only get an increase of \$83.

And so the Labor Relations examiners are twice penalized: first, by downgrading in 1954, and now by denial of the full proposed \$300 which most other State employees will get.

From newspaper accounts of the purpose of this bill it is understood that it is supposed to raise the salaries of State employees to bring them closer to raises received in private industry, and enable them better to meet

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the State Commission for not conducting a sufficient number of examinations. He also termed job reclassification "an unnecessary expense to the county."

President Falk has deplored this attitude as irresponsible.

Primary responsibility rests with the local commission. It was never contemplated that the State should hold all examinations and perform all of the other functions with which local commissions are charged, otherwise what would be the purpose of a local commission?

Where a county having a civil service commission desires to divest itself of examination and other civil service responsibilities, it may do so. The Civil Service Law provides that a county may elect to adopt a personnel officer form of administration or come under the direct jurisdiction of the State Civil Service Department.

President Falk has declared that if Nassau County and its Civil Service Commission are unwilling to assume their responsibilities for the proper administration of civil service they should favor some other form of civil service administration.

"Nassau County and its Commission should either fish or cut bait; they can't do both," Mr. Falk said.

## Team-Work Brightens Many a Heart

BY H. J. BERNARD

The duties and responsibilities of the NYC Department of Commerce and Public Events are so wide and varied that one minute it is concerned with preparations for the visit of the President of Italy, and the next minute, finding another business site for a firm employing 1,000 persons who have to make way for a public improvement.

The public events catch the public eye the most, but 85 per cent of the department's work deals with commerce. The department attracts new business to NYC locations, helps to prevent NYC businesses from moving elsewhere, finds residences for United Nations delegates newly appointed by foreign governments, and energizes drives to end rate discriminations against the City, and get public cooperation for a quiet and clean city.

#### Square Deal Sought

One such determined campaign, now approaching white heat, is to get the rail rate for cargoes bound for water shipment reduced. The rate for the Port of New York, set by the Interstate Commerce Commission, is at a two-cent disadvantage per 100 lbs. as against Philadelphia, and a three-cent disadvantage as against Baltimore for each 100 pounds. The department estimates that the Port of New York, in consequence of the differential, has lost a billion dollars in shipping over the last four years. This drive was ignited by the Department and is strongly backed by Mayor Robert F. Wagner.

The department's policies are determined by Mayor Wagner himself and executed by Commissioner Richard C. Patterson, Jr. Mr. Patterson is a man of action, of dynamic and engaging personality, who, while used to dealing with chiefs of state, still concerns himself with the problems and plights of the little fellow. You see, he used to be a gold miner, a member of the Western Federation of Miners, AFL.

#### Praises Civil Service Staff

The whole gamut of activities of the department is so broad and important that the Commissioner has to call on volunteers, and has a host of distinguished ones, like Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt and Dr. Grayson Kirk, president of Columbia University. But he also has to rely heavily on his civil service staff, all of whom enjoy the variety of the work they perform. To feel that one is helping to arrange the annual dinner NYC gives

to the United Nations delegates, or to welcome the President of Italy, or otherwise corroborate the City's reputation for hospitality, is quite a thrill; and so is helping in the location of a site for a couple of partners whose factory is in a building along the right of way of a road widening project. The Department acts as liaison with the 66 consulates located in our city.

"Civil service employees in our department prove, that they are the backbone of government," said Commissioner Patterson. "The



RICHARD C. PATTERSON, JR.

public can hardly be aware of their competence and devotion to duty. We who depend on them for our daily performance know."

#### Much Occupied With UN

The United Nations requires a good deal of the department's attention. Small flags of all the nations are in majestic alignment right beside the Commissioner's desk.

Nation members and non-members of the UN occasionally send official delegations to study the operation of the NYC Government, such as the Police, Water Supply, Fire and Sanitation Departments, and the spas nearby, like Jones Beach and Bear Mountain. The Commerce Department makes all arrangements with the City departments and spas, so that the visitors get all the information and other assistance they need.

The Japanese sent a special delegation to study the workings of NYC civil service.

Among the Department's most impressive accomplishments since its founding are the various fairs, festivals and expositions it has developed and which excite major interest and commerce between this City and the rest of the world. Chief among these is the first United States World Trade Fair, wholly brought into being by the Department and scheduled for the new Coliseum in the Spring of 1957. In addition, the International Fur Fair, scheduled for next year also, was decided upon at a meeting called by the Department of some 30 leading members of NYC's fur industry.

For this year, the Department plans a popular Music Festival, slated to run for five nights on the Mall in Central Park, with admission free. This event is expected to increase considerably, through a nationwide publicity campaign, the number of tourists to visit the City this summer. Also

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#### TA JOB CLASSIFIED

Non-competitive status for one position of assistant general superintendent (maintenance of way), Transit Authority, has been voted by the NYC Civil Service Commission.



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developed by the department is an Arts Festival, similar to Boston's highly successful venture, and scheduled for 1957.

### Aid to Business

Combating the nuisances that bedevil business and industry in New York is regarded as the department's major task. In taking concrete steps to eliminate some of the City's disadvantages, the department has instituted two powerful campaigns. One is the Committee to keep New York City Clean, organized in May, 1955, the other is the newer Committee for a Quiet City, organized by the department in November, 1955. That committee will begin an intensive campaign on February 29 against needless, irritating horn-blowing.

The tangles of red tape that business men experience in their dealings with City government are also being straightened out through the application of a formula to expedite operations of the television, radio and motion-picture industries, with the promise of extension of findings and methods to other industries.

### An Example of Importance

In working to hold in the City industries and organizations tempted to move out of town, the department has achieved startling results. In one case, the Engineering Societies had been on the point of moving to Pittsburgh. This would have meant a loss to NYC of 100 million dollars annually in business and a jarring drop in scientific and cultural prestige.

Since the department's intervention, however the Engineering Societies agreed to stay their moving and at last contact had almost decided to remain in New York City.

### Old Hand at City Government

Mr. Patterson is well versed in the City's Government. He was Commissioner of Correction, 1927-32, and Commissioner of the NYC Parole Board. His ambassadorships were to Yugoslavia, and Guatemala, and when he later became the U. S. Minister to Switzerland, he had the personal rank of Ambassador. That was in 1951.

He has no ambitions for elective political office, but wants only to make the Department of Commerce splendidly successful. He has been its head since Mayor Wagner took office, in 1954, and is always eager to express grati-

tude for the full cooperation and solid advice he receives from the Mayor.

One of the Commerce Department's most recent moves toward keeping business in NYC was to organize the managers of branch banks as an auxiliary committee. Businessmen swarm to the bank managers with problems, and many of those problems deal with sudden needs for office or factory space. The department has a voluntary committee of real estate experts to help in such cases, while the City Planning Commission, the Real Estate Bureau of the Board of Estimate, and other branches of the City Government, also cooperate.

### Team-Work Is the Clue

Commissioner Patterson accomplishes what many observers call wonders. They ascribe his achievements not only to his engineering and diplomatic skills (he got his engineering degree from Columbia University's School of Mines), but his expertness in getting things done through team-work. When it comes to discharging his duties as chairman of the Mayor's Reception Committee, he has to be his own team, and personally welcome the distinguished guests.

### POSTAL AIDES TO ASSIST

A memorial Mass will be celebrated for deceased members of the New York Post Office Holy Name Society on Wednesday, February 22 at St. Michael's Church, NYC, at 10 A. M.

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the higher cost of living. It would seem to be unfair discrimination to deny to a certain group of employees such a raise equal to other employees.

### Another Example Cited

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## 10 State Tests Open March 5

Starting on Monday, March 5, the State Civil Service Department will receive applications for 10 State open-competitive exams. Do not attempt to apply before that date. Friday, April 13 is the final day to submit filled-out applications.

The exams, and salary ranges: Associate veterinarian bacteriologist, \$6,590 to \$8,070.

Assistant director, laboratories for biochemistry and immunology, \$10,470 to \$12,510.

Senior dentist, \$5,590 to \$8,070. Senior laboratory animal caretaker, \$3,020 to \$3,880.

Canal terminal supervisor, \$3,540 to \$4,490.

Director of cottage program, \$5,090 to \$6,320.

Director, branch of boys training school, \$7,300 to \$8,890—open to all qualified U. S. citizens.

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# Apply Now for These State Jobs

Following are abstracts of requirements in State exams:

## State Open-Competitive

**4008. ASSISTANT BUILDING ELECTRICAL ENGINEER, \$3,360 to \$6,640;** three vacancies in Albany. Requirements: (1) high school graduation or equivalency diploma; and (2) either (a) bachelor's degree in engineering with specialization in electrical engineering plus three to six years' appropriate experience, or (b) master's degree in electrical engineering plus two to four years' appropriate experience, or (c) seven to 14 years' appropriate experience, or (d) equivalent combination. Fee \$5. (Friday, March 16).

**4009. BRIDGE REPAIR FOREMAN, \$4,350 to \$5,460;** one vacancy each at Rochester, Buffalo, Nyack, and Hudson River Bridge. Requirements: (1) four years' experience in construction, reconstruction or maintenance of bridges, including two years in supervisory capacity; and (2)

either (a) four more years of such experience, or (b) four years' experience in construction, reconstruction, or the maintenance of paved highways, or (c) equivalent combination. Fee \$4. (Friday, March 16).

**4010. RAILROAD INSPECTOR, \$3,920 to \$4,950;** one vacancy in Albany. Requirements: (1) high school graduation or equivalency diploma; (2) two years' experience in railroad services or operations or in investigation of accidents or complaints relating to train operations; and (3) either (a) two more years of such experience, or (b) two years' experience in field investigate work, or (c) equivalent combination. Fee \$3. (Friday, March 16).

**4011. TRANSPORTATION SERVICE INSPECTOR, \$3,540 to \$4,490;** one vacancy each in Buffalo and NYC. Requirements: (1) high school graduation or equivalency diploma; (2) 2 years' experience in operating phase of an organization engaged in scheduled passenger transportation; and (3) either (a) two more years of such experience, or (b) two years' experience involving regular contact with the public with responsibility for providing or getting information or assistance, or business promotion work or similar experience, or (c) equivalent combination. Fee \$3. (Friday, March 16).

**4013. IDENTIFICATION OFFICER, \$3,020 to \$3,880;** one vacancy each at Matteawan State Hospital and Sing Sing Prison. Requirements: either six months of satisfactory full-time experience in fingerprint classification work, or completion of recognized course of instruction in fingerprint identification. Fee \$3. (Friday, March 16).

**4014. TABULATING MACHINE OPERATOR, 1st, 2nd and 10th Judicial Districts, \$2,450 to \$3,190;** seven vacancies in NYC. Open only to residents of NYC, Nassau and Suffolk. Requirements: experience or training in operation of IBM tabulating machines. Fee \$2. (Friday, March 16).

**4015. ASSOCIATE RADIO-PHYSICIST, \$6,590 to \$8,070;** one vacancy in NYC. Open to all qualified U.S. citizens. Requirements: (1) bachelor's degree in physical science or engineering; (2) three years' experience in physical science with laboratory research experience using radio-active isotopes, radiation producing equipment or electronics; and (3) either (a) three years' experience in physics or electronics with laboratory experience, or (b) doctor's degree in physics or related science, or (c) equivalent combination. Fee \$5. (Friday, March 30). (Do not apply before Monday, February 20.)

## Promotion

Candidates must be present, qualified employees of the State department mentioned. Last day to apply given at end of each notice.

**3000. ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATIVE FINANCE OFFICER (Prom.),** Education Department, \$6,250 to \$7,680; one vacancy in Albany. One year in positions allocated to grade 18 or higher. Fee \$5. (Friday, March 16).

**3001. ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN (MANUSCRIPTS AND HISTORY) (Prom.),** State Library, Education Department, \$4,130 to \$5,200; one vacancy in Albany. One year as junior librarian with or without parenthetical designation. Fee \$4. (Friday, March 16).

**3002. ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN (TECHNICAL PROCESSES) (Prom.),** State Library, Education Department, \$4,130 to \$5,200; one vacancy in Catalog Section, Albany; one vacancy expected in Gifts and Exchange Section. Six months as junior librarian with or without parenthetical designation. Fee \$4. (Friday, March 16).

**3003. ASSOCIATE MILK SANITARIAN (RESTAURANTS) (Prom.),** Bureau of Environmen-

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tal Sanitation, Milk and Restaurant Section, Health Department, \$5,64 to \$6,970; one vacancy in Albany. One year as milk sanitarian. Fee \$5. (Friday, March 16).

**3004. HEAD STENOGRAPHER (LAW) (Prom.),** New York office, Law Department, \$4,130 to \$5,200; one vacancy. One year as principal stenographer (law). Fee \$4. (Friday, March 16).

**3005. SENIOR BUSINESS OFFICER (Prom.),** Mental Hygiene Department, \$8,980 to \$10,810. Six months as business officer; or one year as chief account clerk or institution steward. Fee \$5. (Friday, March 16).

**3006. CHIEF ACCOUNT CLERK (Prom.),** Mental Hygiene Department, \$6,250 to \$7,680. Six months as head account clerk; or one year as principal account clerk, principal stores clerk, or assistant accountant. Fee \$5. (Friday, March 16).

**3007. HEAD ACCOUNT CLERK, (Prom.),** Mental Hygiene Department, \$5,090 to \$6,320; one vacancy at Willard State Hospital. Six months as principal account clerk, principal stores clerk, or assistant accountant; or one year as senior account clerk. Fee \$5. (Friday, March 16).

**3008. PRINCIPAL DICTATING MACHINE TRANSCRIBER (Prom.),** Pilgrim State Hospital, Brentwood (including Edgewood), Mental Hygiene Department, \$3,540 to \$4,490; one vacancy. One year as senior dictating machine transcriber, senior stenographer, or senior typist. Fee \$3. (Friday, March 16).

**3009. BUSINESS OFFICER (Prom.),** Mental Hygiene Department, \$8,090 to \$9,800; one vacancy at Willard State Hospital. Six months as chief account clerk or institution steward; or one year as head account clerk; or one and one half years in any other position now allocated to grade 18 or higher. Fee \$5. (Friday, March 16).

**3010 (reissued). ASSISTANT HYDRAULIC ENGINEER (Prom.),** Public Service Department, \$5,360 to \$6,640; two vacancies in NYC. One year as junior valuation engineer or assistant valuation engineer. Fee \$5. (Friday, March 16).

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**4400. ASSISTANT INSTRUCTOR OF NURSING ARTS,** Westchester County, \$3,640 to \$4,640. Open to all qualified U.S. citizens. (Friday, March 16).

**4403. CLINICAL TEACHER,** Edward J. Meyer Memorial Hospital, Erie County, \$4,050 to \$5,170. (Friday, March 16).

**4405. DIETITIAN,** Tompkins County, \$3,750. (Friday, March 16).

**4406. DIETITIAN,** Wyoming County, \$4,008 to \$4,608, plus meals. Open to all qualified State residents. (Friday, March 16).

**4407. CLINIC CLERK, GRADE II,** Westchester County, \$2,670 to \$3,390. (Friday, March 16).

**4408. COLLATOR,** Westchester County, \$2,670 to \$3,390. (Friday, March 16).

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U. S.—Second Regional Office, U. S. Civil Service Commission, 641 Washington Street, New York 14, N. Y. (Manhattan). Hours 8:30 to 5, Monday through Friday; closed Saturday. Tel. WATkins 4-1000. Applications also obtainable at post offices except the New York, N. Y. post office.

STATE—Room 2301 at 270 Broadway, New York 7, N. Y., Tel. HARcay 7-1616; lobby of State Office Building, and 39 Columbia Street, Albany, N. Y., Room 212, State Office Building, Buffalo 2, N. Y. Hours 8:30 to 5, excepting Saturdays 9 to 12. Also Room 400 at 155 West Main Street, Rochester, N. Y., Tuesdays, 9 to 5. All of foregoing applies also to exams for county jobs.

NYC—NYC Department of Personnel, 96 Duane Street, New York 7, N. Y. (Manhattan) two blocks north of City Hall, just west of Broadway, opposite the LEADER office. Hours 9 to 4, excepting Saturday, 9 to 12. Tel. COrtlandt 7-8880. Any mail intended for the NYC Department of Personnel, should be addressed to 299 Broadway, New York 7, N. Y.

## NYC Travel Directions

Rapid transit lines for reaching Civil Service Commission offices in NYC follow:

State Civil Service Commission, NYC Civil Service Commission—IND trains A, C, D, AA or CC to Chambers Street; IRT Lexington Avenue line to Brooklyn Bridge; BMT Fourth Avenue local or Brighton local to City Hall.

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

## Data on Applications by Mail

Both the U. S. and the State issue application blanks and receive filled-out forms by mail. In applying by mail for U. S. jobs do not enclose return postage. Both the U. S. and the State accept applications if postmarked not later than the closing date. Because of curtailed collections, NYC residents should actually do their mailing no later than 8:30 P.M. to obtain a postmark of that date.

NYC does not issue blanks by mail or receive them by mail except for nationwide tests and for professional, scientific and administrative jobs, and then only when the exam notice so states.

The U. S. charges no application fees. The State and the local Civil Service Commissions charge fees at rates fixed by law.



# This Month's Job Offerings by NYC

## Open-Competitive

Applications are now being received in the following NYC open-competitive exams. Apply to the NYC Civil Service Commission, 96 Duane Street, Manhattan, until the date given at the end of each notice. Application may be made by mail, in most instances.

**7658. CIVIL ENGINEERING DRAFTSMAN** (10th filing period), \$4,250 to \$5,330; 60 vacancies. Appointment will be made at \$4,430 a year. Requirements: high school graduation and four years' experience; or bachelor's degree, by September, 1956. Fee \$4. Application may be made by mail. (Friday, February 24).

**7655. JUNIOR CIVIL ENGINEER**, \$4,250 to \$5,330; 334 vacancies. 14th filing period, amended notice. Open to all qualified U. S. citizens. Requirements: either (a) bachelor's degree in engineering, by September, 1956; or (b) high school graduation and four years' appropriate experience, or (c) satisfactory equivalent of education and experience. Application may be made by mail. Fee \$4. (Friday, February 24).

**7605. JUNIOR ATTORNEY**, \$4,250 to \$5,330; 15 vacancies. Requirements: valid license to practice law in New York State. Fee \$4. Application may be made by mail. (Friday, February 24).

**7656. JUNIOR ELECTRICAL ENGINEER** (10th filing period), \$4,250 to \$5,330; 109 vacancies, many exempt from NYC residence requirements. Appointment will be made at \$4,430 a year. Requirements: either (a) bachelor's degree, by September, 1956, in engineering; or (b) high school graduation and four years' experience, or (c) equivalent combination of education and experience. Application may be made by mail. Fee \$4. (Friday, February 24).

**7650. NCR 2000 (PAYROLL) OPERATOR** (3rd filing period), \$2,750 to \$3,650. Requirements: ability to operate efficiently NCR 2000 (payroll) machine. Application may be made by mail. Fee \$2. (Friday, February 24).

**7651. NCR 3100 OPERATOR** (2nd filing period), \$2,750 to \$3,650. Requirements: ability to operate efficiently, an NCR 3100 machine. Fee \$2. Application may be made by mail. (Friday, February 24).

**7266. OILER**, \$16.80 a day; seven vacancies. Requirements: three years' experience in the lubrication and maintenance of mechanical equipment used in pumping plants, power houses, buildings of industrial plants. Fee 50 cents. (Friday, February 24).

**7638. PSYCHOLOGIST**, \$4,850 to \$6,290. Requirements: either (a) completion of two years of graduate work in psychology plus three years of clinical experience in hospital, clinic or mental health agency, one year of which may have been as trainee; or (b) equivalent combination of graduate work, training and clinical experience. Fee \$4. Application may be made by mail. (Friday, February 24).

**7711. SUPERVISING INSTITUTION INSPECTOR**, \$5,450 to \$6,890; two vacancies in Hospitals Department, one in Welfare. Requirements: either (a) bachelor's degree and five years' experience in inspecting and investigating voluntary and private proprietary hospitals, etc., including three years in supervisory capacity; or (b) master's degree in hospital administration and four years' experience; or (c) graduation from nursing school and six years' experience as a nurse, including three years in supervisory capacity or six years as described in (a); or (d) equivalent combination. Fee \$5. Application may be made by mail. (Friday, February 24).

**7605. TRACKMAN**, Transit Authority, \$1.91 to \$2.15 an hour for 40-hour week. Beginning July 1, salary will be \$1.98 to \$2.22; beginning July 1, 1957, \$2.01 to \$2.25; about 120 appointments a year. All eligibles on present list have been offered jobs. Requirements: U. S. citizen, male, not older than 45, except for those who have seen recognized military service. Exempt from NYC residence requirement. Fee \$3. (Friday, February 24).

## Promotion

Candidates must be present, qualified employees of the NYC department mentioned. Last day to apply given at end of each notice.

**7699. ASSISTANT ACCOUNTANT** (Prom.), all departments, \$3,750 to \$4,830. Six months as account clerk (old title, bookkeeper, grade 1) or senior bookkeeper. Fee \$3. (Friday, February 24).

**7659. ASSISTANT ELECTRICAL ENGINEER** (Prom.), all departments, \$5,450 to \$6,890. Six months as junior electrical engineer or electrical engineering draftsman. Fee \$5. (Friday, February 24).

**7641. CHIEF PSYCHOLOGIST** (Prom.), Hospitals, \$7,100 to \$9,800; one vacancy. Six months as senior psychologist (old title, senior psychologist, grade 3). Fee \$5. (Friday, February 24).

**7663. CUSTODIAN-ENGINEER** (Prom.), Education, \$7,560 to \$17,160, depending on size of building to which assignment is made; two vacancies. Six months as custodian. Fee \$4. (Friday, February 24).

**7620. FOREMAN (STORES, MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES)**, (Prom.), Transit, \$5,700 to \$6,000. One year as railroad stockman. Fee \$5. (Friday, February 24).

**7507. GENERAL MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT** (Prom.), Hospitals, \$13,100 and over. Six months as medical superintendent. Fee \$5. (Friday, February 24).

**7593. JUNIOR CHEMICAL ENGINEER** (Prom.), Fire, \$4,250 to \$5,330. Six months as engineering aide (old title, engineering assistant); plus either (a) bachelor's degree, or (b) high school graduation and four years' appropriate experience, or (c) equivalent. Fee \$4. (Friday, February 24).

**7295. MACHINIST** (Prom.), \$5,265. Open to employees of Departments of Education, Fire, Marine and Aviation, Sanitation, Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Public Works and Manhattan Borough President's Office; 16 vacancies in NYC plus one vacancy in WSGE outside City at \$3,200.

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**7734. MAINTENANCE ENGINEER (STRUCTURES AND TRACK)** (Prom.), Transit, \$7,100 to \$8,900; one vacancy. One year as assistant maintenance engineer (structures and track) or assistant maintenance engineer (surface track). Fee \$5. (Friday, February 24).

**7685. MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT** (Prom.), Hospitals, \$11,200 to \$13,600. Six months as deputy medical superintendent. Fee \$5. (Friday, February 24).

**7594. SENIOR PROBATION OFFICER** (Prom.), City Magistrates Courts, \$5,150 to \$6,590. Six months as probation officer. Fee \$5. (Friday, February 24).

**7595. SENIOR PROBATION OFFICER** (Prom.), Domestic Relations Court, \$5,150 to \$6,590. Six months as probation officer. Fee \$5. (Friday, February 24).

**7642. SENIOR PROBATION OFFICER** (Prom.), Special Sessions Court, \$5,150 to \$6,590. Six months as probation officer. Fee \$5. (Friday, February 24).

**7521. SENIOR PROCESS SERVER** (Prom.), Law Department, \$3,500 to \$4,580. Six months as process server (old title, process server, grade 1). Fee \$3. (Friday, February 24).

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## State, County, City

# Bills in State Legislature

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### Senate

Chap. 360 of 1949, which allowed Board of Regents to list organizations that are subversive, and to remove teachers and employees who are members thereof. Education Com.

**S. I. 1138, PETERSON**—Amends §5713, Education Law, to allow employees at N.Y. Agricultural Experiment Station in Geneva, all rights and benefits in civil service law and attendance rules for institutional employees in State Departments of Correction, Health, Mental Hygiene and Social Welfare. Education Com. (Same as A. I. 1503, QUIGLEY, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1149, SWEENEY**—Amends §B18-6.0, NYC Administrative Code, to limit to uniformed force of City Police Department, provision for pensions of dependents upon death of member, and to fix rate at 30 per cent of amount upon which pension was fixed or of salary if death occurred during service, instead of \$600. NYC Com. (Same as A. I. 1673, DUBIN, to NYC Com.)

**S. I. 1152, VAN WIGGEREN**—Adds new §3019-a, Education Law, to allow regular substitutes and regularly appointed teachers in cities other than NYC, absence for personal illness with pay within certain limits based on years of credited service. Education Com. (Same as A. I. 2315, DANNEBROCK, to Education Com.)

**S. I. 1153, VAN WIGGEREN**—Adds new §3013-a, Education Law, to allow teachers in cities other than NYC with seven years or more of satisfactory teaching service, sabbatical leave on half pay, every seven years but not more than five such leaves, nor more than one year leave at any time, unless by laws of education boards otherwise provide. Education Com. (Same as A. I. 2314, DANNEBROCK, to Education Com.)

**S. I. 1154, WICKS**—Adds new §B3-8.3, NYC Administrative Code, to allow member of City Employees Retirement System credit for service before 1940 as Commissioner of Appraisal in condemnation proceeding by City for acquiring real estate outside of City for water supply, upon making contribution to retirement system therefor. NYC Com. (Same as A. I. 1437, K. WILSON, to NYC Com.)

**S. I. 1682, CONDON**—Adds new §87-d, Civil Service Law, to permit guards in State prisons or State correctional institutions to elect to be retired after 25 years of service upon payment of contributions therefor. Civil Service Com. (Same as A. I. 2307, BUCHANAN, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1693, HATFIELD**—Amends §8, State Finance Law, to permit State Comptroller to pay any claim for expenses of removal of residence of State officer or employee and his family when removal is caused by change in place of employment, if 25 miles or more from former place of employment, because of transfer or promotion, but not more than \$250. Finance Com. (Same as A. I. 2233, HANKS, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1696, HULTS**—Fixes maximum 40-hour week for basic annual salary of traffic and park officers. Finance Com. (Same as A. I. 1785, McCLOSKEY, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1697, MACKELL**—Amends §B19-1.0, B19-5.0, NYC Administrative Code, to define widow, child or children, or dependent parent of retired fireman in NYC, as one receiving retirement allowance or pension which is less than \$750, and to fix annual allowance as death benefit at amount equal to 25 per cent of final salary of fireman, 1st grade, at time of retirement or death while in actual service, but not less than \$750, instead of fixed amount of \$600. NYC Com. (Same as A. I. 2430, GILLEN, to NYC Com.)

**S. I. 1703, MARRO**—Adds new §B20-48.1, NYC Administrative Code to permit retired member of Teachers Retirement System, receiving allowance, to accept employment with publicly supported school or college in NYC, as per diem teacher and earn not more than \$2,400 a year without suspension of retirement allowance. NYC Com.

**S. I. 1705, MARRO**—Amends §40, Civil Service Law, to fix new schedule of salaries for civil ser-

vice employees in classified service of State, ranging from minimum \$2,530 to maximum of \$18,720 and appropriates \$50,000,000 therefor to be effective for fiscal year commencing April 1, 1956. Finance Com. (Same as A. I. 2210, DE SALVIO, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1706, MARRO**—Adds new §9-a, Public Works Law, to require State public works superintendent to designate building superintendent State Office Building at 80 Center Street, NYC as officer having charge of employment of personnel in non-competitive class of civil service for maintenance and operation of all State office buildings in such City. Finance Com. (Same as A. I. 2212, DE SALVIO, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1708, MARRO**—Amends §3, Workmen's Compensation Law, to define any employment by State for workmen's compensation purposes to include all services or activity performed with consent of employees administrator or supervisor if in furtherance of interest of State. Labor Com. (Same as A. I. 2211, DE SALVIO, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1720, SANTANGELO**—Adds new §C3-3.1, NYC Administrative Code, to provide that City employees or school teachers retired from active service with less than \$1,500 annually, shall receive increase of \$300 plus \$10 for each year of accredited service with maximum of \$2,000 and those who receive \$1,500 but less than \$2,000 shall receive \$300 increase, with maximum of \$2,000. NYC Com. (Same as A. I. 2202, BUCHANAN, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1721, SANTANGELO**—Amends §§2509, 2573, 3012, 3013, 3101 Education Law, to provide that in NYC monthly rates for services rendered by teachers in public schools not rendering all services required during full 10 months of school year, shall be at least 1/10th annual salary, and that period in any school year for which no required service or compensation is provided, shall not constitute break or suspension of probationary period for tenure purpose. Finance Com. (Same as A. I. 2008, TURSHEN, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1729, SWEENEY**—Amends §243, Military Law, to permit member of any NYC pension or retirement system or of teachers' retirement system who did not pay contribution required within five years after restoration following military service to obtain service credit thereof, to pay on or before June 30, 1957, except in case of retirement before such time. NYC Com. (Same as A. I. 2243, LENTOL, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1737, CONDON**—Adds new §162-a, Retirement and Social Security Law, to allow State employee or State teacher who retired and receives less than \$1,500 retirement allowance, an increase of \$300 plus \$10 a year for each year of accredited service but not more than \$2,000, and those receiving \$1,500 but less than \$2,000, an increase of \$300, but not more than \$2,000 total. Civil Service Com. (Same as A. I. 2443, MARLATT, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1740, WILLIAMSON**—Adds new §1126, 283, Judiciary Law, to allow official referees of Supreme Court to appoint law clerk or stenographer, with law clerk to be an attorney duly admitted to practice in State, with annual salary to be fixed by official referee at not more than \$5,000; appropriates \$120,000. Finance Com.

**S. I. 1750, BRYDGES**—Adds new §83-a, Retirement and Social Security Law, to allow members of State Employees Retirement System in regional State park police service to retire after 20 years of total service or at age 60 to fix allowance. Civil Service Com. (Same as A. I. 2307, CURTO, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1751, BAUER**—Amends §1810, Public Authorities Law, to permit NYC Transit Authority to enter into agreement with Federal agency, for Social Security to engage employees which shall be separate coverage group even though they are also members of NYC Employees Retirement System, adversely affecting coverage there-in. NYC Com. (Same as A. I. 2300, BRENNAN, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1759, FUREY**—Adds new §3107, Education Law, to fix minimum salary schedule for dieticians in academic and vocational high schools in NYC, beginning July 1, 1955, ranging from \$4,000 to \$6,500, with salary rates advanced annually NYC Com.

**S. I. 1760, FUREY**—Amends Chap. 360 of 1911, to allow uniformed member of municipal police department, additional pay for overtime at rate of 1 1/2 times regular pay. Civil Service Com.

**S. I. 1761, FUREY**—Amends §3103, Education Law, to allow teachers in summer day and evening high schools and in evening high schools and trade schools, in NYC, daily salary of not less than 1/200th of average annual salary of teachers in day high schools. Finance Com. (Same as A. I. 2360 McMULLEN, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1784, HELMAN**—Adds new §B3-8.3, NYC Administrative Code, to allow person in City service after October 1, 1926, who is or becomes member of City Employees Retirement System, credit for all service as paid official, clerk or employee in U. S. civil service, while resident of City, but not in excess of City service, and subject to contribution therefor. NYC Com. (Same as A. I. 2379, SATRIALE, to NYC Com.)

**S. I. 1790, HELMAN**—Amends §150, 100, Commerce Law, to establish in Commerce Department, a division of television broadcasting, to disseminate by programs at least once a month, industrial and labor statistics and information designed to attract, promote and enhance business and commerce in State. Finance Com.

**S. I. 1791, HELMAN**—Creates temporary commission of 3 Senators, 3 Assemblymen and 3 appointees of Governor to study policies and procedures of State Employment Service in procuring employment opportunities for aged, blind, deaf and other handicapped persons, for improvement thereof; appropriates \$25,000. Finance Com.

**S. I. 1244, HULTS**—Provides that salary of employee in position in classified service of State allocated to salary grade who was appointed or promoted thereto on or after October 1, 1953, and before April 1, 1954, shall not be less than the salary which employee would otherwise be entitled to had such appointment or promotion been on April 1, 1954. Finance Com.

**S. I. 1245, WILLIAMSON**—(Same as A. I. 1006, Issue of January 31.)

**S. I. 1249, MILMOE**—Adds new §17, State Finance Law, to require head of department in which State employees are required to wear uniforms or particular type of work clothes, to allow employees reasonable amount each year for cost thereof and for replacement if damaged or destroyed in course of duty. Finance Com. (Same as A. I. 1769, HANKS, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S. I. 1263, MORTON**—Amends Art. 5, §2, Constitution, to establish State civil department of motor vehicles. Judiciary Com. (Same as A. I. 2016, HENDERSON, to Judiciary Com.)

**S. I. 1266, KRAP**—Adds new §172-a, Civil Rights Law, to provide that person convicted no more than one of crime other than felony while under age 21, and who for at least 18 years subsequent thereto has not been arrested for or convicted of any other crime, shall not be disqualified from holding public office or employment or be denominated as criminal or lose any civil right or privilege, with testimony thereof to be inadmissible in any action. Codes Com. (Same as A. I. 408, MOHR, to Judiciary Com.)

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### LEGAL NOTICE

**DANIELS, Joseph E.**—In pursuance of an order of Honorable George Frankenthaler a Surrogate of the County of New York, NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims against Joseph E. Daniels late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers therefor, to the subscriber at his place of transacting business at the office of Melrose & Gamble his attorneys at 333 Fifth Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, on or before July 10th, 1956. Dated New York, January 8, 1956.

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**KAMEN & COMPANY**—Substance of a limited partnership certificate dated October 31, 1955 filed January 20, 1956, in the New York County Clerk's Office signed and acknowledged by all of the partners. Name of Partnership: KAMEN & COMPANY.

Location of principal place of business: 25 Broad Street, New York City.

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General Partners: ABRAHAM KAMEN of 130-35 227th Street, Laurelton, Queens and EDWARD FRANKLIN LEIBERT of 29 South Hewlett Avenue, Merrick, Long Island.

Limited Partners: ABRAHAM J. BRENNER of 928 Albemarle Road, Brooklyn, N.Y. and MAX WELING of 10 Guinea Woods, Roslyn, East Hills, New York.

Term of Partnership: One (1) year and two (2) months commencing October 31, 1955 and ending December 31, 1956 and to continue for yearly terms thereafter unless sooner terminated.

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# Bills in Hopper Of Legislature

## Senate

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**S.I. 1269. KRAF**—Amends §148, 100, State Finance Law, to allow State employees transportation expense for household goods and personal effects, of not more than \$150 when transferred from one part of State to another. Finance Com.

**S.I. 1274. KRAF**—Amends §359, Tax Law, to exempt from gross income for personal income tax purposes, wages, fees or salaries of State or municipal employees of 65 years of age or more, in an amount equal to sum they would receive as Social Security benefits. Taxation Com.

**S.I. 1288. CAMPBELL**—Amends §86-a, Civil Service Law, to permit member of State Employees Retirement System by notice filed on or before September 30, 1956, to elect to contribute on basis of retirement at age 55. Civil Service Com. (Same as A.I. 1768, GORDON, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S.I. 1329. HUGHES**—Amends §215, Executive Law, to increase from 1,200 to 1,700 maximum strength of State Police force. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 1814, RULISON, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S.I. 1333. MANNING**—Amends §20, General City Law, to authorize cities to pay members of police and fire force additional pay for overtime at regular rate which shall be salary for pension or retirement purposes but without change of civil service classification. Cities Com. (Same as A.I. 1763, GODDARD, to Local Finance Com.)

**S.I. 1338. McCAFFREY**—Adds new §64-b, Mental Hygiene Law, to require State to pay employees of Manhattan State Hospital on Ward's Island for tolls or fees for use of Triborough Bridge while engaged in performance of duties or going to or from work, with Mental Hygiene Commissioner au-

thorized to arrange with Triborough Bridge Authority for free use on payment of consideration therefor. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 1895, AUSTIN, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S.I. 1333. MORITT**—Amends §3105, Education Law, to provide that NYC, regular substitute teachers shall be given illness leave allowed regularly appointed members of teaching staff of like grade. Education Com. (Same as A.I. 1729, BUCHANAN, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S.I. 1356. NEDDO**—Authorizes town of Kingsbury, Washington County, to contract with insurance company for group life insurance, hospitalization, medical and surgical insurance of health and accident insurance for benefit of town employees with town to pay not more than 50 per cent of total chargeable to each employee. Internal Affairs Com. (Same as A.I. 1708, REID, to Local Finance Com.)

**S.I. 1365. SEELYE**—Amends §928, Criminal Code, to strike out provision that no person over 50 years of age shall be eligible for appointment as probation officer in criminal courts. Codes Com. (Same as A.I. 1883, OSTRANDER, to Codes Com.)

**S.I. 1368. SEELYE**—Adds new §41-a, Civil Service Law, to allow State officers and employees, except Legislature and Judiciary, overtime pay for time traveling to and from regular place of employment to temporary assignment elsewhere; except those re-

ceiving jump sum therefor. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 1810, REID, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S.I. 1368. SEELYE**—Amends Chap. 254 of 1940, to exempt public employees earning less than \$7,500 instead of \$5,000 annually, from restriction against employment by firm operating or connected with pari-mutuel racing, and to include in exemption police and law enforcement officers and to extend exemption to include right to hold license from State Racing Commission. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 1686, OSTRANDER, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S.I. 1386. SWEENEY**—Amends §B-18-5.0, NYC Administrative Code, to provide that member of Police Pension Fund at end of 5th year of such service, instead of upon completing 25 years' service, shall have deductions made at rate of 5 per cent for additional retirement benefits, and to strike out provision that annual service pension increment may not exceed \$500. NYC Com. (Same as A.I. 1881, GIACCIO, to NYC Com.)

**S.I. 1387. SWEENEY**—Amends §30, Public Officers' Law, to require that member of police force in NYC be permitted to reside outside of City, NYC Com. (Same as A.I. 1887, BANNIGAN, to NYC Com.)

**S.I. 1400. BRYDGES**—Amends §511, Education Law, to provide that member of State Teachers Retirement System after 10 instead of 15 years total service may

be retired for disability. Education Com. (Same as A.I. 1975, HOLLINGER, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S.I. 1401. BRYDGES**—Amends §521, Education Law, to require that employers of members of State Teachers Retirement System shall include interest on deductions from salaries of teachers for retirement purposes, in check to Secretary of Retirement Board. Education Com. (Same as A.I. 1974, HOLLINGER, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S.I. 1407. HELMAN**—Amends Chap. 659 of 1910, to provide that where summons in NYC Criminal Court has been served by officer or employee of Department of Buildings of NYC, as special patrolman in lieu of arrest for violating rule or regulation of Department, any officer or employee thereof may be assigned to administer necessary oaths in connection with complaint to be presented in Magistrate's Court, NYC Com. (Same as A.I. 1895, KATZ, to Codes Com.)

**S.I. 1413. PINO**—Same as A.I. 4, Issue of January 10.

**S.I. 1418. SWEENEY**—Requires that general office of State Tax Department be established in Queens County to serve people of that county and of Nassau and Suffolk Counties. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 1915, RICE, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S.I. 1426. BAUER**—Same as A.I. 996, Issue of January 31.

**S.I. 1427. BAUER**—Adds new §86-b, Civil Service Law, to allow

State or municipal employee in State Employees Retirement System, after 30 years of service, to retire with allowance of 50 per cent of average salary or \$1,500 a year, whichever is greater, with State or municipality to pay difference between prescribed amounts. Civil Service Com. (Same as A.I. 1955, CURTO, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S.I. 1429. BAUER**—Amends §1709, Education Law, to require education boards of union free school districts to meet with representatives of teacher organizations representing 5 per cent or more of teaching staff on request of such organization, with at least three meetings during school year, to discuss legislation affecting schools, school budgets and teacher grievances. Education Com. (Same as A.I. 1953, CURTO, to Education Com.)

**S.I. 1430. BAUER**—Adds new §510-a, Education Law, to allow member of State Teachers Retirement System to elect to retire after 25 years of credited service at age 55 or more, with pension equal to 1 per cent of final average salary for each year of service, not exceeding 35 years, and with annuity for accumulated contributions. Education Com. (Same as A.I. 1954, CURTO, to Ways and Means Com.)

**S.I. 1440. FUREY**—Amends §2554, Education Law, to require NYC Education Board to employ additional teacher for each 30 classes or fraction thereof, to as-

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(Seal) Philip J. Thompson  
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.



# STATE BILLS

## Senate

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not backward and maladjusted pupils and to fill vacancies. NYC Com. (Same as S.I. 1788, FUREY.)

S.I. 1442. FUREY — Amends §41-7.0, NYC Administrative Code to increase disability benefits of NYC street cleaning department from \$50 to \$100 a month and death benefit for widow from \$500 to \$1,200 a year with corresponding increase for dependent children and parents. NYC Com. (Same as A. I. 1935, VACCARO, to NYC Com.)

S.I. 1443. FUREY — Provides for pedagogical employees in NYC to organize or designate organization for collective bargaining with Education Board and prescribes method of selecting bargaining agents under supervision of State Labor Relations Board. NYC Com. (Same as A.I. 1937, VACCARO, to Labor Com.)

S.I. 1464. MORTON — Adds new §208-a, General Municipal Law, to provide for death benefits for beneficiaries of regular members of police department or force in any municipality or agency thereof if death occurred within 1 year after and as result of injuries incurred in performance of duty and was not caused by wilful negligence. Cities Com. (Same as A.I. 2017, HENDERSON, to Local Finance Com.)

S.I. 1497. McGAHAN — Amends §3103, Education Law, to require that teacher with degree of doctor of philosophy or doctor of education shall receive not less than \$300 above minimum of salary schedule, and in NYC not less than \$500. (Same as A.I. 1995, SAVARESE, to Ways and Means Com.)

S.I. 1503. METCALF — Amends §323, Public Health Law, to increase minimum compensation of local health officers from 15 to 25 cents a year per inhabitant in municipality or district with pop-

ulation of 8,000 or less, and from \$1,800 to \$2,000 in other municipalities and districts and to strike out provision for additional pay for care of smallpox or venereal disease or investigations into cases of death. Health Com. (Same as A.I. 1997, STRONG, to Ways and Means Com.)

S.I. 1834. BUDGET BILL — Amends §40, Civil Service Law, §353a, 4807, Education Law, §215, Executive Law, §111, Correction Law, to fix new salary schedules and provide for salary increases for State officers and employees, including those in classified civil service, professional employees in State University, State Police, wardens and officers of State correction institutions, members of faculty of State School for Blind and other State officers and employees except members of Legislature and Judiciary and those receiving salaries over specified maximum. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 2034, BUDGET BILL, to Ways and Means Com.)

S.I. 1835. BUDGET BILL — Amends §168, Labor Law, §41-a, Civil Service Law, to fix maximum 4, instead of 48 hour week for State employees in State institutions as guards or handling food, with time off allowed for overtime and to provide for additional personnel and for adjustment of compensation. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 2035, BUDGET BILL, to Ways and Means Com.)

S.I. 1840. BUDGET BILL — Amends §215, 216, Executive Law, to provide for two instead of three inspectors in Division of State Police, and with a captain to be supervisor of traffic bureau at annual salary of \$8,375, and to reduce from 40 to 29 years, maximum age for appointment to State Police force, and to change provision relative to voluntary withdrawal from division and to increase additional salary allowed State Police assigned to bureau of criminal investigation. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 2040, BUDGET BILL, to Ways and Means Com.)

ET BILL, to Ways and Means Com.)

S.I. 1561. RATH — Amends §41-a, Civil Service Law, to fix maximum 40-hour or five-day week for State employees on or after April 1, 1956, without reduction in compensation; appropriates \$20,000,000. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 1962, FITZPATRICK, to Ways and Means Com.)

S.I. 1874. DESMOND — Amends §101, Retirement and Social Security Law, to permit retired member of State Employees Retirement System to return to public employment if his retirement allowance does not exceed \$3,500 instead of \$2,500. Civil Service Com. (Same as A.I. 2069, BURNS, to Ways and Means Com.)

S.I. 1811. DESMOND — Same as A.I. 569, issue of January 24.

S.I. 1623. HORTON — Amends §1078, Public Authorities Law, to permit Suffolk County Water Authority, upon adoption by State of plan for Social Security coverage of State and municipal employees, to provide funds for pensions and annuities for retirement of employees, through contributions or otherwise. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 2140, BARRETT, to Ways and Means Com.)

S.I. 1632. KRAP — Amends §33, Mental Hygiene Law, to require that director of State school for mental defectives hereafter appointed shall be trained administrator of institutions or schools engaged in care, treatment or training of mental defectives with at least five years actual experience therein, and also shall be either physician and graduate of incorporated medical college or an educator. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 2102, SAMANSKY, to Health Com.)

S.I. 1635. KRAP — Amends §10, Civil Service Law, to provide that overtime allowance for State employees may be accumulated and shall be credited to such employees at time of retirement or severance from service. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 1903, McDONNELL, to Ways and Means Com.)

S.I. 1638. MORTON — Amends §54, Civil Service Law, to exclude from eligibility for membership in State Employees Retirement System persons in non-competitive class employed in county highway office or department. Civil Service Com. (Same as A.I. 2014, HENDERSON, to Civil Service Com.)

S.I. 1651. DESMOND — Adds new §115, Civil Service Law, to permit school boards by resolution to elect to extend old age and survivor insurance coverage to employees, even though they receive pension benefits from State Teachers or other retirement system. Civil Service Com.

S.I. 1844. MILMOE — Amends Chap. 254 of 1940 to exempt from restrictions upon interest in public mutual racing activities, public employees earning less than \$7,500 instead of \$5,000 a year, and to

include law enforcement officials. Finance Com. (Same as A.I. 2371, NOONAN, to Ways and Means Com.)

S.I. 1679. CAMPBELL — Adds new §45-a, Personal Property Law, repeals §86-a, General Municipal Law, to provide that assignment of salary by public officer or employee or other instrument affecting their salary, shall not operate to prevent payment directly to officer or employee, unless approved by head of department or agency and given as security for money and advanced by bank, trust company or credit union. Judiciary Com. (Same as A.I. 2321, ENDERS, to Judiciary Com.)

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## ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYEES THROUGHOUT NEW YORK STATE

Westchester Unit  
Re-elects Officers

WHITE PLAINS, Feb. 20—Margaret W. Trout and her fellow officers were re-elected by Westchester County Competitive Civil Service Employees Association, at the CSEA unit's annual meeting January 30. Other officers: John J. Breen and Elizabeth M. Holmes, vice presidents; Andrew J. Dowdell, secretary; Alexander J. Liggay, financial secretary, and Eileen Kelleher, treasurer.

County Executive James D. Hopkins spoke of improved working conditions of the past year and said additional benefits might result from studies now under way, including more parking space for county aides who work in White Plains.

Mrs. Anne Russell was named by President Trout to develop a square dance program for members.

Joan Shepperd, Arthur Ford, Sylvia Beaver and Chet Riso comprised the cast of George Bernard Shaw's one-act play, "Overruled," which was presented at the meeting. Jack Spiegel directed the production.

The employee group reviewed its nine-point program for benefits to county aides.

More than 100 members attended.

Chalice Presented to  
Kings Park Chaplain

KINGS PARK, Feb. 20—On January 24, at a special meeting opened to the public, Grand Knight John Donahue of the Knights of Columbus' Father Seyfried Council 821 presented Reverend Henry Carney with a Chalice. Reverend Carney is the chaplain at Kings Park State Hospital.

In his opening remarks, Brother Donahue stated that the Chalice will serve as a living memorial to the recently deceased members of the Council whose names are inscribed on the Chalice.

Reverend Carney, in accepting the Chalice, spoke of his work at the hospital and explained that because he says Mass throughout the hospital, it is necessary for him to carry a portable chaplain's kit and Chalice. The Chalice presented to him will now be used in bringing spiritual comfort to patients confined to this hospital and those whose names are inscribed on the cup will be remembered in each Mass that is said.

The Chalice Fund was started last year by Brother Donahue and he donated the first Chalice. A replacement Chalice has been donated by Mrs. Patrick Rodgers, widow of the late Patrick Rodgers.

Members of the Council, the Catholic Daughters, Grand Knight D'Alessandro and Chancellor Mausko of the Holy Mother Mary Council 3958 of Smithtown also spoke briefly.

The deceased members whose names appear on the Chalice are Reverend John G. Seyfried, Patrick Craven, O.F.M., John Loeffler, Patrick Rodgers, William J. Brennan, John J. Lynam, Edward Ryan and John Bannigan.

On behalf of Master Michael Bartram Cunningham, C. V. Bartram would like to take this opportunity to thank the many hospital employees for their donations to the New York Chapter of the Hemophilia Foundation. All of us know what a dreadful disease hemophilia is and only with everyone's help can the fight against this illness be carried on. Young Michael has spent a great deal of time in the hospital already and has and will continue to require many costly transfusions. Here is a chance for each of us to do our part not only for a fellow employee but for a young boy who deserves a chance to live a normal healthy life. Contributions may be sent to the New York Chapter of the Hemophilia Foundation, Inc., 175 5th Avenue, New York 10, New York or blood may be donated for Michael at Southside Hospital in Bayshore.

Chapter President Ivan C. Mandigo, accompanied by A. J. Coccaro, board member, attended a legislative meeting of the Metropolitan chapters at Brooklyn State Hospital on January 23. On January 31 Mr. Mandigo, Robert Burns, secretary, and Bill Mason



Mr. and Mrs. George Callanan receive gifts from employees of Utica State Hospital at party marking their retirement from State service. From left, Mrs. Callanan; Lawrence J. Maxwell, the hospital's business officer; Mrs. Callanan, and Mrs. Cathryn C. Jones, chief supervising nurse.

attended the Metropolitan Conference.

Welcome back to Mary Mullan who has returned to her duties in the laundry after spending a vacation in NYC.

Continued get well wishes are extended to Tom Salmen of the laundry.

Best wishes for a speedy recovery are also extended to Mrs. Mary Reynolds who is confined to Lenox Hill Hospital and to John McElhone who is confined to the employees' infirmary.

Bill Kelley is feeling much better. All hope to see him back on the job soon.

Best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. John Link who recently purchased a new home on Lou Avenue in Kings Park.

Welcome to new employees: Mrs. Robert O'Connor, who has accepted a position as telephone operator; Janet Springsteen who will work in the stenographic department, and to Mrs. Bernard O'Neill and Mrs. Helen Zummo who join the nursing staff.

Ft. Stanwix Unit  
Names MacLaughlin

ROME, Feb. 20—James MacLaughlin has been elected president of Fort Stanwix chapter, CSEA, composed of employees of Rome State School. His fellow-officers: Earl Hyatt, vice president; John Seybold, treasurer; Mrs. James Nash, secretary.

Named as committee chairmen were Mrs. Bernice Nieman, flowers; Mrs. John Larrabee, publicity.

**Credit Union**  
The school's Employees Credit Union declared a 2½ per cent dividend, at a meeting which saw the election of Mrs. Irma German as president; John R. Cole Jr., vice president, and Mrs. Harriet B. Anson, secretary-treasurer.

Officers were named by the board of directors, all of whom were re-elected: Mrs. German, Mr. Cole, Mrs. Anson, Mrs. Mabel E. Webb, Earl Hyatt, Robert Rhinebold and Joseph Scarow.

Appointments: Phillip Falkemeyer, Roswell Peters and Mrs. Irilla Satterley, to the supervisory committee; and James MacLaughlin, Gordon Shachoy and Mrs. Viola Martin, credit committee.

At the Fort Stanwix chapter meeting January 25 it was decided to have one election place this year in M. Building, instead of having ballot boxes in each building. It was also decided to hold the election of officers and representatives of the different buildings at the same time.

CSEA pins, seals or car emblems may be purchased from Lennea Swanson.

Frank French, Miss Swanson and Mrs. German attended the Central Conference meeting in Utica.

Congratulations to Mrs. Harriet Anson on the birth of a grandson.

Sympathy to Mr. Barrett in the loss of her mother.

Creedmoor Unit  
To Vote Feb. 23

QUEENS VILLAGE, Feb. 20—At the January 26 meeting of Creedmoor chapter, CSEA, the following were nominated to chapter office: Helen C. Peterson, president; Ray Sansone, 1st vice president; Gerard Campion, 2nd vice president; Helen Foran, secretary; Ralph Osman, treasurer. Board of directors nominees: John Murphy, police department; Julia

Steinbaker, staff attendant; Virginia McDonald, occupational therapy; Peter Sweeney, staff attendant; Margaret Hansen, dining room; Frank McManus, powerhouse; Arthur Heidenrich, administration building.

Members will vote at the next chapter meeting, February 23.

"Your Association has been serving you for the past 35 years," the chapter said, "and could do as much for you as any organization. But its hands are tied if members don't come out for meetings and assert their ideas. Now is the time, while the Legislature is in session, to get out and pitch."

Dr. Harry LaBurt was honored by Roger E. Groth Post, VFW, of Floral Park. The post presented a plaque praising the Creedmoor director for his "intelligent operations of this fine hospital, for his cooperation with the various veteran hospital visitation groups, for his recreation and rehabilitation programs put on to entertain the veteran and non-veteran patients alike really has made life worth living for his many wards." The Creedmoor Hospital War Veterans were invited to the presentation. A good time was had by all.

The hospital was host on January 24 and 25 to the business officers of all the State hospitals. Dr. LaBurt welcomed the representatives and introduced Mr. Doran and Mrs. K. E. Flack who spoke to the assemblage.

Utica Chapter  
Names Slate

UTICA, Feb. 20—Utica chapter, CSEA, met February 2 at the Department of Taxation and Finance offices. The nominations committee recommended that incumbent officers be continued for another term, with the exception of the vice president who is no longer a chapter member. It was recommended that the post be left vacant until a proper candidate can be found, possibly from the Department of Labor.

The slate of officers: Edwin T. Smith, Tax Department, 1500 Genesee Street, president; Angelina Cardinale, Health Department, 18 Pearl Street, temporary vice president; Joseph O'Brien, Motor Vehicles Department, 1500 Genesee Street, treasurer; Alice Card, Health Department, 18 Pearl Street, secretary.

The executive board was appointed as follows: Alex Sadlik and Ella Weikert, Tax; Ines Traversa and Theresa Scallise, Labor; Marie Derby and Jane Redmond, DPUI, and Mary LaGalbo, Health. "If any problem arises concerning civil service," said President Smith, "please feel free to contact any of the aforementioned persons."

The balance in the Utica chapter treasurer at present is \$40.81. The chapter has 107 paid members in CSEA, which entitles it to two votes at statewide meetings.

Members who are advancing in CSEA activities beyond the local level include Miss Derby, as publicity chairman of the Central Conference; Miss Weikert, as conference secretary, and Mr. Smith, as chairman of the statewide education committee, and member of auditing and membership committees, Central Conference.

Miss Cardinale will attend the annual CSEA meeting in Albany March 1. President Smith asked members to tell her of any civil service problem so she can solve it while in Albany. Alice Card has been selected to attend the Central Conference spring meet-

ing in Binghamton as Utica chapter delegate.

Utica chapter was one of the hosts to the recent Central Conference meeting. A fine dinner and program was offered and a good time was had by all the local members attending. The total cost of the affair to the local chapter was \$8.28.

St. Lawrence Hospital  
Credit Union Elects

OGDENSBURG, Feb. 20—St. Lawrence State Hospital Employees Federal Credit Union elected new officers at its annual meeting in January. The following were elected: Everett Crowell, president; Harold Henry, vice president; James Baker, treasurer, and Charlotte Vant Delfe, clerk.

An educational committee was formed with James Robinson as chairman. Directors to assist him in the buildings in which they work are Dorothy Graveline, Jeanne Burns, Margaret Creighton, James Legault, and Charles Mitchell.

Other officers are Lee Keyes, Bertha Edgerton, and Ernest Richardson serving as the credit committee, and Alice McMillan, Robert Kinch, and Lawrence Boyer serving as the supervisory committee.

A program for the year's activities was formulated with emphasis on promoting systematic saving and aiding those who wish financial help through the Credit Union.

This Credit Union was organized in January, 1955 by Dr. Snow and seven other charter members and has shown remarkable growth in the past year. A 4 per cent dividend was paid on savings for 1955.

In Web of News  
At Mt. Morris

MT. MORRIS, Feb. 20—Mrs. Helen Fagan is on a leave of absence, reports Mary Runfola, correspondent for Mt. Morris chapter, CSEA. Mrs. Fagan is taking advanced training in educational nursing at the University of Buffalo.

Two days before she was to have reported back on duty after sick leave, Maude Schrier broke her arm in an auto accident.

Hilda Moyer, Francis Halford and Vi Berndt are back on duty after having been on the sick list.

Lettie Pellor has been at home recuperating from torn ligaments in her knee.

Welcome back to Elizabeth Rittenhouse and Eleanor Mann.

Dr. F. Lynn Armstrong has returned from NYC where he attended a two week medical course.

New employee in the dietary department is Louise Bellotti.

Dr. Emerson Learn attended a V. A. conference at St. Louis.

Rochester Chapter  
Held Dance Feb. 18

ROCHESTER, Feb. 20—Rochester chapter, CSEA, sponsored a Valentine dance on Saturday, February 18 at the 40 and 8 Club House, 933 University Avenue. A buffet supper was served.

The committee in charge consists of Billy Wilson, chairman, and Edith Wixson, Marge Surridge, Merely Blumstein and Sarah D'Amico.

Binghamton Credit  
Union Holds Meeting

BINGHAMTON, Feb. 20—Binghamton District State Employees Federal Credit Union declared a 4 per cent dividend at its January 26 dinner meeting.

Marie Rogers was re-elected treasurer and Robert Hillis assistant treasurer. Grace Bothner and Joseph A. Scott were elected to the credit committee. Marjory Cacchione was elected and Margaret Ahern re-elected to the supervisory committee. Margaret Miller and Alice Oundon acted as tellers.

Ernest L. Conlon, president, chaired the meeting. Also present was Clarence W. F. Stott, vice president. Reports were given by Dorothy Murray, credit committee, and Reggie Wood, supervisory committee. Clara De Jean, clerk

of the board, read minutes of the last annual meeting.

The credit union has total shares of \$50,984.11 and total loans of \$61,327.18.

News from  
Ray Brook

RAY BROOK, Feb. 20—Charlie Dove of the dietary department is still on the sick list, but his broken knee is healing nicely, reports Marion L. Egan, publicity chairman for Ray Brook chapter, CSEA. Charlie has been discharged from the hospital.

Freddie Jarnot broke a bone in his foot during a skiing accident. Vera Feddick headed the committee for the Ray Brook float in the big parade.

Ray Brook chapter is planning a supper in conjunction with its February meeting. Margaret Sweeney heads the refreshments committee.

Deepest sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Margaret Hadjuczek who died February 2. Margaret had been a laboratory technician for six years.

3 Otisville Staffers  
Cited by Civil Service

OTISVILLE, Feb. 20—Three staff members of the Otisville Training School for Boys were awarded certificates of achievement by the State Department of Civil Service.

Benjamin Graziano, a senior supervisor, completed a course in fundamentals of supervision. Norman Catlett, director of cottage programs, and Sidney Zirin, director of clinical services, each completed a course in administrative supervision.

The courses were conducted in NYC.

Illness Marks News  
Of Tompkins Aides

ITHACA, Feb. 20—A speedy recovery is wished by fellow employees to Adeline Lull, City Chamberlain and treasurer of Tompkins chapter, CSEA. Miss Lull, who had the misfortune to fall and fracture her hip, is a patient at Tompkins County Hospital.

Kenneth Herrmann of the Board of Education is at home after surgery at Robert Packer Hospital.

Helen Deavney, Frances Grant and Charlotte Taber of the County Hospital are back to work after recent illnesses.

Cattaraugus Bond Event  
Slated for March 29

OLEAN, Feb. 20—Cattaraugus County chapter, CSEA, will present a \$50 U. S. savings bond at its next meeting, Thursday, March 29 at Little Valley.

The following were appointed to issue tickets and work out the necessary details in the bond sale: Shirley Corbett, president, and Edward M. Kemp, Kathryn Kenney and Margieann Kinney, committee.

Tickets have been distributed to chapter members. The response to date has been gratifying.

Attica Aides  
Hold Dance

ATTICA, Feb. 20—Attica Prison chapter, CSEA, held its annual March of Dime dance on February 3 at the Village Hall. Music was donated by the Wyoming Rangers and Don Youngs.

The collection for underprivileged children of the Attica area, given by prison employees, was most gratifying, said Joseph B. Inglis, chapter president.

## Kings Park

CENTRAL ISLIP, Feb. 20—Current standings in the Civil Service Bowling League of Long Island are as follows (won and lost given): Kings Park Team No. 6, 66 and 34; Central Islip, 4 60½ and 39½; Pilgrim State 7, 56½ and 43½; Central Islip 1, 55 and 45; Central Islip 2, 53½ and 46½; Pilgrim State 5, 45½ and 54½; Central Islip 8, 33 and 67; and Kings Park 3, 30 and 70.



## State Offers Fingerprint Jobs

Persons who have completed a course in fingerprint identification, or who have six months' experience in fingerprint classification, are eligible for \$3,020 to \$3,880 State jobs as identification officer. Apply until Friday, March 16 to the State Civil Service Department, at 270 Broadway, NYC, or in Albany, Buffalo or Rochester.

# Schechter to Confer on 'Grossly Inadequate' Pay Of Education Inspectors

Delegates of a new chapter of the City Employees Union, International Brotherhood of Teamsters, will meet with Personnel Director Joseph Schechter, James Joseph E. Reilly, director, and Samuel Feldman, of the Classification bureau, on Thursday, February 23 at 9:15 a.m. in an effort to improve the salaries of inspectors employed by the Board of Education's bureau of plant operation and maintenance. The membership of the new chapter

consists exclusively of employees of the bureau.

The employees feel that under the Career and Salary Plan, their duties were not given sufficient recognition. For instance they say that they perform duties on a par that include, among other tasks, specifications writing, while the Board can't ever get specification writers at \$7,100 a year, though having to resort to newspaper advertising in the attempt. The inspectors are slotted in grade 13 starting at \$5,150.

## Feinstein to Head Delegation

The union delegation will be headed by Henry Feinstein, president of Local 237, of which the education chapter is a part. The chapter's salary appeals committee consists of Jerry Golding, chairman; Lawrence Terrana, Oliver Perkins, and Fred Wilson. Temporary officers of the chapter are Harry Huber, chairman; James Banahan, vice chairman; William Garberg, secretary, and Louis Kragel, treasurer.

The inspectors complain they are in the same salary slot, grade 13, as other City inspectors, although the responsibilities of the petitioners far exceed those of the run of inspectors, including the approval or disapproval of bills for maintenance and repair work done by contractors. One of the inspectors reported that the Board saves hundreds of thousands of dollars a year, because of the careful auditing of such bills, done by the inspectors, who often incur the wrath of contractors. Sometimes a contractor starts a fist fight against an inspector, and that, says Mr. Feinstein, is something with which the run of inspectors do not have to contend.

## All Angles Covered

The difficulty of finding just the right method of solving the problem is recognized by both sides, but that the solution lies in a sizeable increase in pay, the union is

certain. This could be obtained either by upward reclassification (new title, higher pay), or through upward reallocation (same title, higher pay). One of Mr. Feinstein's purposes in arranging the conference is to discuss method.

The financial aspects already have been discussed with the Budget Director's office, but as the subject also falls within the jurisdiction of the Personnel Department, particularly concerning the reclassification aspect, the conference with Mr. Schechter and his aides became necessary.

If the employees must file a salary appeal, that will be done without delay, but if a classification appeal is to be the course, that could not be undertaken until the Classification Appeals Board is appointed. This appointment is about to be made. The membership is expected to consist of the same City officials as serve on the other Board - Chairman Nelson Seitel, Budget Director Abraham D. Beame, and Mr. Schechter - and two employee representatives, possibly the same ones - Jeremiah Sullivan and Anthony C. Russo - who, also serve on the Salary Board.

## 'Grossly Inadequate' Says Jansen

The inspectors, architects, and engineers inspect schools buildings, determine the necessity for repairs, prepare the specifications for repairs, and sign bills, said Mr. Feinstein. He explained that they work in assigned school districts and therefore take care of a group of schools, sometimes as many as 20. He reports, the same work is done by employees in different titles, and at vastly different pay rates, whereby the inspectors are the worst sufferers.

The Board of Education itself is reported dissatisfied with the same aspects of the Career and Salary Plan, as affecting its employees.

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<input type="checkbox"/> Jr. Accountant \$3.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute Postal Transportation Clerk \$2.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Jr. Attorney \$3.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Line Opr. \$2.00
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Whereas, Frank Johnson who resides at R. F. D. 14, Box 311, Richmond, Virginia, has lately applied to the Surrogate's Court of our County of New York to have a certain instrument in writing, bearing date the 8th day of October, 1952 relating to both real and personal property, duly proved as the last will and testament of Elizabeth Weiss Johnson, also known as Elizabeth Weiss, deceased, who was at the time of her death a resident of No. 1043 Second Avenue, the County of New York.

Therefore, you and each of you are cited to show cause before the Surrogate's Court of our County of New York to be held at the Hall of Records in the County of New York on the 23 day of March 1956, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why the said will and testament should not be admitted to probate as a will of real and personal property.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of our said Surrogate's Court to be hereunto affixed.

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PHILIP A. DONAHUE, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court

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## Bi-Weekly Plan For Salaries

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day, which, for departmental employees, is Wednesday, April 11, and for institutional employees is Friday, April 13.

"This does not mean the workers will receive any less pay," Mr. Levitt assured. "It is done simply to place the regular pay days on the most convenient days for employees. The next regular pay day for each group will be two weeks from the above dates, and every two weeks thereafter throughout the year."

A booklet, which will be distributed with the March 1 pay checks, explains the new payment plan, answers question which may arise, and contains the complete list of all pay days for departmental and institutional workers during the fiscal year which starts April 1, 1956.

### The 'Missing' Day's Pay

The amount of each employee's bi-weekly check is determined by dividing the annual salary by 365 and multiplying by 14.

"Some people might multiply 14 days by 26 pay periods and come up with 364 as the answer," the Comptroller said. "The one day which a few people might think is missing is, of course, not missing at all. It is included in the employee's next pay check, covering the next two-week pay period which runs over into the succeeding fiscal year."

Using the 1957 calendar, the Comptroller pointed out that on the first pay day in the 1957-58 fiscal year, employees will be paid for the last four days of 1956-57 and for the first 10 days of the new fiscal year — a total of 14 days.

The shift to bi-weekly payments may make it necessary to change the amounts of some of the employees' deductions. Changes will be shown clearly on each check stub.

### Bi-Weekly Pay Trend

The complete text of Chapter 867 — the legislation authorizing bi-weekly payments — will appear in the front of the booklet to be issued by the Comptroller.

"If employees have any questions after the first payday in April — and we don't think they will when they finish reading the booklet carefully — they should see the payroll officer in their own agency," Mr. Levitt said.

The Federal Government adopted bi-weekly payments in 1945. The system is also used by many local governments and industrial concerns. In addition to New York State, Connecticut has adopted a bi-weekly payment for its employees. There is a growing trend toward bi-weekly payments, the Comptroller said.

## Time Running Out On Individual Bids For Tax Refund

The February 20 deadline has passed for filing claims with the Civil Service Employees Association to recover U. S. income tax paid for maintenance in State Institutions during the years, 1952-53.

Employees who wish to file claims against the U. S. Internal Revenue Department as individuals may do so until March 15.

The CSEA does not accept responsibility for claim forms received by them after the deadline date.

## ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYEES THROUGHOUT NEW YORK STATE

### Creedmoor Chapter To Meet Feb. 23

QUEENS VILLAGE, Feb. 20 — Creedmoor chapter, CSEA, will meet in the social room on Thursday, February 23, to elect officers. Installation will be held at the following meeting. Arthur Heidenreich, chapter president, and Mr. Sansome will attend the CSEA annual dinner meeting in Albany.

Employees will miss the familiar face of Frank Angier. The head account clerk retires on February 29 after 30 years' service. He began his career at Utica State Hospital in 1923, came to Creedmoor in 1936 as assistant steward, was principal account clerk before attaining his present post.

Mrs. Patricia Weill, staff nurse, and her husband, Leo Weill, instructor of nursing, were visited by the stork on February 6. He left a daughter.

Helen Stevens resigned her job at the payroll office. Martha Gurka, O.T. instructor, transferred from Building S to Building P.

Get well wishes to the following employees in sick bay: George Nadeau, Charles Caton, Patrick Greene, Ruth Jacobus, Anna Dunne, Margaret Clarke, Sylvia Jackson, Rosa Barnes, Willie Turner and Cleo Timmons.

Joseph Persch, cook, is now up nights cooking formulas for his new son.

Mr. Brown, supervisor of the O.T. department, was visited recently by Mr. Mitchell, former carpentry shop aide, and Mrs. Mitchell, formerly O.T. employee. They now live upstate.

### Heard at Newark School

NEWARK, Feb. 20 — Bessie Darrow, publicity chairman for Newark chapter, CSEA, reports the following news:

Deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. Ira Langdon and family on the death of her husband, Ira Langdon, on February 4. He had been employed in the service for more than 20 years.

Several chapter members attended the Rochester meeting at East High School. The speakers were enjoyed and valuable information gained.

Chapter meetings are held the third Wednesday of each month. "Why not attend these meetings and find out what legislation is trying to do for you?" the chapter said. "Why leave it up to 15 or 20 old reliables to carry that load! Lunch is always served. Can't you

give up a couple hours? Be sure to pay your dues and urge new employees to join our association. This is an important year."

Mrs. VanParys, while on vacation, will entertain her son, Roger, who is on leave from service in California enroute to Germany for three years. . . . Mrs. Bernard Wandersee visited her two sons in Devenbridge. Both are in Navy training. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Carl West flew to Cleveland, over the week end of January to visit relatives and friends.

Eva Balty, Infirmary I-A, underwent surgery in B.H. No. 3 sick bay. Della Darling, Infirmary I-A, is also in sick bay. . . . Frances Nary, staff attendant, has entered Rochester School of Practical Nursing. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hammond spent a week end in Altoona, attending a wedding. . . . Eileen Deyo, staff attendant at the I Building, is at home with a broken arm. . . . Pete Pellis, who has been ill at his home, is again on duty.

Ora Cutting, head supervising nurse, is on vacation. Also, Merlin Murphy. The membership of CSEA has shown great interest in writing letters to legislators and nearly all have received answers. . . . Grace Engels is visiting in NYC. . . . Dr. Thomas Jelley is in the sick bay.

Kate Curtin is still convalescing in Vaux Memorial Hospital. . . . Mrs. Elizabeth O'Bine is vacationing in Florida.

### Rochester Hospital Holds Tureen Supper

ROCHESTER, Feb. 20 — The Tureen Supper sponsored by Rochester State Hospital Chapter, CSEA, was most successful. It was served in the hospital's club rooms from 4:30 to 7 P.M.

Food consisted of many donations, such as salads, cakes, pickles, butter and vegetables. Most of the food was purchased by the chapter and prepared by Art Leone, head cook in the Howard building.

Music was provided by Dr. Hugh Pierce, Cass Donlon, Bill Stewart, Joe Cascio, Mrs. Lessy and Iris Jackson. Nearly 300 suppers were served.

Chapter President Bill Rossiter wishes to thank the hospital administration for the interest and cooperation in this function. Appropriate thanks also goes to the employees who donated food and money, and members who worked so hard to make the supper a success.

Edna McNair was general chairman and Marion Hickey was tick-

et chairman. Marion Muntz was in charge of publicity.

All chapter members who have not paid their dues are urged to do so.

The nominating committee for the May election will be announced soon.

Committee appointments for the play, "Cavalcade of Mystery," which the chapter is sponsoring on Sunday, April 22, at the Masonic Temple Auditorium, will soon be announced. The proceeds are to be used for the patients entertainment fund.

The Western New York State Mental Hygiene Inter-Hospital Bowling League season is past the three-quarter mark. Team standings to January 28 are as follows:

Men's League			
Hospital	Matches	Points Won	Lost
Rochester	6	30	18
Buffalo	7	31	25
Willard	7	29½	26½
Sonyea	7	26½	29½
Newark	7	25	31
Gowanda	8	26	28

Women's League			
Hospital	Matches	Points Won	Lost
Rochester	6	32	16
Gowanda	7	33	24
Willard	7	30	26
Sonyea	6	25	23
Buffalo	5	17	23
Newark	7	16	40

Incomplete or no scores submitted as follows:

Dec. 10, 1955 Sonyea at Buffalo, women's scores.

Jan. 28, 1956, Gowanda at Buffalo, women's scores.

The score slips of the above matches must be submitted to the league secretary in order to gain credit for points won. Please send your score slips to Frank Annunziata, secretary, Inter-Hospital Bowling League, Rochester State Hospital, 160 South Avenue, Rochester 20, N.Y.

### State Matron And Prison Guard Tests to Open

Two State open-competitive exams, to staff Correction Department institutions, will open for receipt of applications on Monday, February 20.

The tests will fill positions as prison guard, male criminal hospital attendant, female criminal hospital attendant, and matron.

Last day to file applications is Friday, March 30. Written tests will be held April 14.

## Health Insurance Plan Proposed

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would enter into contacts with insurance companies to put the plan into operation.

Mr. Harriman said the amounts to be paid by the State and its employees would be left up to the board.

It might be desirable, he noted, for the State to pay 50 percent of the cost of the insurance for employees and 25 percent of the cost for dependents.

### Coverage Outlined

The Governor said the plan should cover "necessary and usual hospital, surgical and medical costs."

The board "would have to consider carefully whether to provide for a basic deductible amount, so as to reduce premium costs," he added.

Hospitalization expenses would be provided at the semi-private care rate and would include obstetrical and infant care.

### Payment

Medical and surgical services would be paid in full up to a fixed amount, with additional expenses beyond that to be paid partly by the insurer and partly by the employee, up to a fixed yearly or lifetime maximum.

Service of physicians, in or out of hospitals, would be covered in their entirety, as would the cost of drugs and prosthetic appliances.

Last month the Republican legislative majority sponsored a \$5 million health insurance program for State employees, on a 50-50 contributory basis. This plan provides for hospital benefits only, and has no deductible provision.

### Harriman Names Richard P. Long Assistant Counsel

ALBANY, Feb. 20 — Richard P. Long of NYC has been named assistant counsel by Governor Averell Harriman, succeeding Leo Brown, who resigned to become counsel to the State Building Code Commission.

Mr. Long, a specialist in labor law, will assist Daniel Gutman, counsel to the Governor.

Other recent Administration appointments include:

Howard C. Bronson, East Meadow, as public information officer, Audit and Control.

John A. Vaccaro, Yonkers, board of trustees, Supreme Court Library at White Plains.

James L. Burke, Elmira, board of trustees, Supreme Court Library at Elmira.

Philip William Patti, Buffalo, council of the State Teachers College at Buffalo.

Mr. Catherine M. Halley, the Bronx, board of visitors of Rockland State Hospital.

Mrs. Kathleen S. Smith, Ghent, board of visitors of Wassala State School.

### 2 Career Employees Get High Positions

ALBANY, Feb. 20 — Two career State employees have been appointed to top-ranking posts in the Department of Correction.

Charles S. Antolina, executive assistant to Commissioner Thos. J. McHugh since June 1, was named deputy commissioner, at \$13,000 a year, and William M. Flanigan has been appointed executive assistant, at \$10,000.

Mr. Antolina has been in probation on a correctional work since 1930, and with the department since 1941. Mr. Flanigan is a veteran of 20 years' State service, 15 of which were in the correctional field.



More than 200 city, county and school aides attended a meeting sponsored by Chemung chapter, Civil Service Employees Association, to hear State and local officials discuss civil service procedures, and CSEA representatives talk on the statewide employee organization. Standing behind John F. Madden, Chemung chapter representative, are, from left, Donald G. Simmons, personnel technician, State Civil Service Department; F. Henry Galpin and Frances Casey, salary research analyst and field representative, respectively, CSEA; and Albert DeRenzo and James Hennessey, of the local chapter.