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At a dinner-meeting of the Orange County chapter, Civil Service Employees Association, held in Newburgh on December 5. The names that came along with the photo are: Percy Van Leuvan, chapter president; Anne Nolan, 1st vice president; Ann Power, 2nd vice president; Marie Cain, secretary; James Pigott, CSEA field representative and Glavey O'Brien, representative, Ter Bush and Powell. Sorry they didn't send along the other names; it's a nice-looking group.

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Free Chest X-Rays for Aides in NYC

ALBANY, Jan. 5 — Free chest X-rays for State employees in the New York City metropolitan area will begin January 12.

Governor Thomas E. Dewey has urged all employees to take advantage of the program conducted by the Department of Health and the Personnel Council in the Department of Civil Service.

Three Health Dept. X-ray teams expect to service more than 12,000 employees at five area locations. Facilities will be set up in Manhattan at 625 Madison Ave., 270 Broadway, and 80 Centre St.; in Brooklyn at 320 Schermerhorn St., and at the District Office of the Department of Public Works, Montauk Highway and Little East Neck Road, Babylon, L. I.

Legislative Session Opens This Week

ALBANY, Jan. 5—The State Legislature convenes on Wednesday, January 7.

The roster of civil service bills to come up this year is expected to be less in quantity than in past years.

Salary Increases

Major matters will concern: salary improvements for State employees; changes in the retirement law and possibly an increase in the \$1200 maximum which retired employees may receive; reorganization of the State Civil Service Commission. There will also be bills providing for overtime payment and improvement in working conditions. One measure which will cause much interesting comment is the firemen's heart bill, designed to place the burden of proof on the agency when a fireman claims disability as the result of a heart ailment.

Metropolitan Group to Hear Of Training

The Metropolitan New York Conference of the Civil Service Employees Association will hear Dr. Charles Klein, director of training in the State Civil Service Department, give the story of self-improvement through the schooling facilities which the State makes available to employees.

369th Armory Host

The meeting will be held on Saturday, January 24, at 1:30 p.m. in the 369th Armory, 2366 Fifth Avenue. Officers, delegates, and members of chapter executive boards are invited to attend.

Business will include reports of Conference activities, legislative action, problems now before the Association, and additional matters.

Thomas H. Conkling, chairman of the Conference, reports that a lively program is in prospect, and asks a large turnout of chapter functionaries. The Conference includes chapters in the five boroughs of New York City, Nassau and Suffolk counties.

Buffalo City Aides Ask Pay Increase

BUFFALO, Jan. 5—The salary committee of the Competitive Civil Service Employees Association of Western New York, Inc., has urged Mayor Joseph Mruk of Buffalo to support a 10-percent salary increase and the inclusion of the present \$200 cost-of-living bonus in permanent salaries.

Salary Committee Meeting

The action was taken when the salary committee met at Semper Fidelis Hall, Buffalo, on Monday evening, December 29.

The committee includes officers of the Erie chapter, CSEA, and Clarence S. Wertheimer, president of the Competitive Civil Service group; John P. Quinn, former president, and Jack Kurtzman, CSEA field representative.

Civil Service Commission Would Be Changed Under New Legislative Proposal

Formulas for changes in the State Civil Service Commission are being discussed behind closed doors in Albany and in New York City. It can be stated definitely that there will be a bill in the coming Legislature to alter the structure of the Commission. But the exact terms of that bill have not yet been drawn. The bill, which will again be sponsored by the State Legisla-

tive Commission on Coordination of State Activities, will have the Governor's blessing.

A measure to alter the structure of the State Civil Service Commission came before the Legislature last year, but was withdrawn in the final days of the session after bitter opposition had made its passage problematical. The bill to be drawn this year will be suffi-

ciently different to avoid such an all-out fight again, judging from comment among members of the Legislative Commission, which is headed by Senator Walter J. Mahoney of Buffalo.

To Be Introduced Early

The new measure will, The LEADER learns, be introduced early in the session. Full opportunity will be available for discussion of its terms. There appears to be a genuine desire to reach agreement upon it.

Many Proposals

A number of formulas have been suggested so far. One would provide for a larger commission with weak powers and a strong central administrator; another would provide a stronger commission with greater powers over the administrator; a third would have the president of the commission also act as administrator. Commissions of three, five and seven men have been considered, with terms of varying length. The distribution of the Commission's powers over State and over local personnel matters is another problem to which the forthcoming legislation will give some answer.

Core of all the bills is the proposal for a strong central administrator.

High School, 141 Western Ave., include a combination course in Business Arithmetic, Business English, and Comprehensive Reading, and classes in Office Records and Filing, Fundamentals of Supervision, Case Studies in Supervision, Elementary Psychology, and Elements of Public Personnel Practices.

Registration for all Albany classes will be held in the lobby of the Governor Alfred E. Smith State Office Building on January 6 and 7, from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Late registrations will be accepted at the beginning of the first class on January 13 at Albany High School and by the Training Division, via the telephone, at Albany 3-5511, Extension 1141.

A Gregg stenographic refresher course and a typing refresher course will begin at Albany High School on January 26. Classes will meet for four weeks, Monday through Thursday, from 2:45 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

State Announces Variety Of Self-Improvement Courses in Albany and NYC

ALBANY, Jan. 5 —The Training Division, Department of Civil Service, has released information on spring semester training classes to be conducted in New York City and Albany.

The New York City evening program begins February 2. The 15-week program is offered in cooperation with the New York City Board of Education. Classes will be held once a week, usually from 7:30 p.m. to 8:40 p.m., at city high schools in Manhattan assigned by the Board of Education.

Registration Detailed announcement bulletins will be distributed by the Training Division to all State offices in New York City during the first week of this month. Registrations will be accepted immediately after the bulletins have been posted.

A tentative list of courses to be offered includes Fundamentals in Supervision A and B, Case Studies in Supervision A and B, Elementary Statistics, Intermediate Statistics, Elementary Accounting A, Intermediate Accounting, Advanced Accounting B, Stationary Engineering, and a General Education Refresher.

A day supervisory program will be held in New York City in cooperation with the New York City School of Industrial and Labor Relations, Cornell University.

Once A Week Classes for this 10-week program will meet once a week, three hours a day, at 270 Broadway, Manhattan. During the week of

February 16, two classes in Fundamentals of Supervision and one in Case Studies in Supervision will begin.

In order to take part in the day supervisory program, employees must be working in salary grades 6 to 15 and must be nominated by their supervisors. Employees must have satisfactorily completed the Fundamentals course in order to be eligible for the Case Studies class.

Detailed announcements and nomination request forms will be distributed throughout all State offices in New York City during the first week of this month. Day supervisory programs are also being planned for Albany, Rochester, Buffalo, Syracuse and Utica.

Pitman Steno State employees in New York City will also be able to take an in-service Pitman stenographic refresher course. The four-week will meet from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. four days a week beginning January 5. The class will meet in Room 309, Central Commercial High School, 214 East 42nd St., Manhattan.

Evening training courses in the Albany area have been scheduled by the Training Division in cooperation with the Albany Board of Education. These courses will be open to the public as well as to State employees. Classes will meet from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. each Tuesday and Thursday for 10 weeks.

Courses to be offered at Albany

STATE EXAMS OPEN

The following State exams are now open. Pay at start, and after five annual increments, is given. The last day to apply appears at the end of each notice. Specify exam by number and title. Application may be made by mail to State Civil Service Department, State Office Building, Albany, N. Y. Enclose 3 7/8" x 9" or larger six-cent stamped, self-addressed envelope. (See Where to Apply, Page 13).

STATE Open-Competitive

6129. JUNIOR LAND AND CLAIMS ADJUSTER, \$4,512 to \$5,339. Seven vacancies at Albany, four at Buffalo, two each at Hornell, Rochester and Syracuse. Requirements: (1) A year's experience in appraisal, negotiation, settlement or trial of real property claims arising out of acquisition of real property for a government agency or large public utility; and (2) either (a) bachelor's degree, or (b) four years' experience in the practice of law or engineering or as a real estate appraiser or licensed real estate salesman or broker, or (c) two more years of the experience in (1), or (d) equivalent combination of (a), (b) and (c). Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

6128. ASSISTANT LAND AND CLAIMS ADJUSTER, \$5,414 to \$6,537. Five vacancies at Albany, four at Rochester, two each at Hornell and Staatsburg, one each at Binghamton, Buffalo and Watertown. Requirements: Same as No. 6129 above, except three years of the experience in (1). Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

6221. SENIOR SUPERINTENDENT OF CONSTRUCTION, \$4,964 to \$6,088. Seven vacancies, ten more anticipated in field positions, Department of Public Works. Requirements: (1) two years' field experience in building construction as a foreman, contractor, inspector, engineer or architect; and (2) either (a) bachelor's degree in civil engineering or architecture plus one year of the above experience, or (b) master's degree in civil engineering or architecture, or (c) three more years' experience in (1), or (d) equivalent combination of (a), (b) and (c). Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

6222. ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF CONSTRUCTION, \$4,053 to \$4,889. Vacancies, 32; Department of Public Works. Requirements: either (a) bachelor's degree in civil engineering or architecture plus one year's field experience or (b) master's degree or (c) three years of the experience in (a), or (d) equivalent combination. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

6227. TELEPHONE OPERATOR, \$2,180 to \$2,984; 48 vacancies throughout the State. Requirements: six months' experience in telephone switchboard operation. Fee \$1. (Friday, January 23).

6266. PRINCIPAL REAL ESTATE APPRAISER, \$8,648 to \$10,486. One vacancy at NYC. Requirements: (1) seven years of real estate or business experience, five years of which must have involved field inspection and appraisal of real estate, and (2) either (a) four more years of the above experience, or (b) bachelor's degree, or combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$5. (Friday, January 23).

6267. SENIOR REAL ESTATE APPRAISER, \$6,088 to \$7,421. One vacancy at NYC. Require-

ments: (1) four years of real estate or business experience, three of which must have involved field inspection and appraisal of real estate; and (2) either (a) four more years' experience, one year of which must have involved the field inspection and appraisal of real estate experience, or (b) bachelor's degree, or (c) equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$5. (Friday, January 23).

6268. DIRECTOR, BUREAU OF PLANNING, \$8,350 to \$10,138. One vacancy at Albany in the Department of Commerce. Requirements: (1) bachelor's degree; and (2) five years' experience in research or administrative work relating to planning and zoning problems; and (3) three more years' experience or 30 graduate credit hours plus two more years' experience, or satisfactory equivalent. Open to all qualified U. S. citizens. Fee \$5. (Friday, January 23).

6269. ASSOCIATE PLANNING TECHNICIAN, \$6,088 to \$7,421. One vacancy in NYC. Requirements: (1) bachelor's degree, with specialization in some phase of public administration, and (2) two years' experience in research or administrative work related to planning problems; and (3) three more years' experience or 30 graduate credit hours plus one more year's experience, or satisfactory equivalent. Open to all qualified U. S. citizens. Fee \$5. (Friday, January 23).

6270. SENIOR PLANNING TECHNICIAN, \$4,814 to \$5,938. One vacancy at Albany in the Department of Commerce. Requirements: (1) bachelor's degree in some phase of public administration; and (2) one year's experience in research or administrative work related to planning and zoning problems; and (3) one more year's experience or 30 graduate credit hours in public administration, municipal government, or zoning and planning, or satisfactory equivalent. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

6183. ASSISTANT IN ELEMENTARY CURRICULUM, \$4,964 to \$6,088. One vacancy in Albany. Requirements: (1) 30 graduate hours in education, and (2) one year's experience in elementary education plus participation in projects dealing with elementary curriculum programs; and (3) either (a) two more years' experience in elementary education, or (b) doctoral degree in education, or (c) equivalent combination. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

6278. ASSOCIATE IN ELEMENTARY CURRICULUM, \$6,088 to \$7,421. One vacancy at Albany. Requirements: Same as No. 6183 above; plus (a) credit toward an advanced degree for training in (1) above; and (b) two years' experience in elementary education in an administrative or supervisory capacity. Fee \$5. (Friday, January 23).

6264. CORRECTION INSTITUTION TEACHER (ARTS and CRAFTS), \$3,411 to \$4,212. One vacancy at Westfield State Farm, Department of Correction. Requirements: bachelor's degree plus State certificate to teach arts and crafts. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 23).

6265. CORRECTION INSTITUTION TEACHER (PHYSICAL EDUCATION and RECREATION), \$3,411 to \$4,212. One vacancy at Westfield State Farm, Department of Correction. Requirements: bachelor's degree plus State certificate to teach physical education. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 23).

6280. ASSISTANT IN SCHOOL LUNCH ADMINISTRATION, \$4,964 to \$6,088. One vacancy at Albany, Education Department. Requirements: (1) master's degree in institutional food administration, nutrition education, or home economics; and (2) two years' experience in institutional food administration; (3) anyone of these: either (a) one more year's experience or (b) 30 additional graduate hours in institutional food administration, nutrition education or home economics education, or (c) equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

tion, or (c) equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

6283. MUSEUM TECHNICAL APPRENTICE, \$2,316 to \$3,118. One vacancy in State Museum, Albany. Requirements: graduation from high school or secondary level vocational school. Fee \$1. (Friday, January 23).

6281. ASSOCIATE SOCIOLOGIST, \$6,088 to \$7,421. One vacancy at Albany, Education Department. Requirements: (1) master's degree in sociology, social psychology or cultural anthropology; and (2) two years' experience in sociological research; and (3) either (a) three more years of experience in sociology, or (b) doctoral degree in sociology, social psychology or cultural anthropology, or (c) equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$5. (Friday, January 23).

6282. SENIOR SOCIOLOGIST, \$4,964 to \$6,088. One vacancy at Syracuse, Department of Mental Hygiene. Requirements: (1) master's degree in sociology with 6 semester hours in psychology; and (2) two years' experience as a sociologist. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

6279. SENIOR RESEARCH SCIENTIST (SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY), \$6,088 to \$7,421. One vacancy at Syracuse, Department of Mental Hygiene. Requirements: (1) master's degree in psychology or social psychology with 6 semester hours in sociology; and (2) two years' experience in public opinion polling or analysis or social psychological surveys; and (3) either (a) three more years of psychologist experience or (b) three years' experience of teaching, or research in psychology or sociology, or (c) doctoral degree in psychology or social psychology, or (d) equivalent combination of (a), (b) and (c). Fee \$5. (Friday, January 23).

6208. (reissued) GAME PROTECTOR, Department of Conservation, \$2,771 to \$3,571. Positions in all counties except Orleans and Schenectady. Present vacancies: one each in Cortland, Greene, Nassau, Oswego, Rockland and Tompkins. Candidates must have been residents of the county in which they seek appointment for at least four months preceding the exam date. Requirements: 21 to 36 years of age; license to hunt and fish for one year within the last ten years or satisfactory evidence of interest in wildlife conservation, and either (a) two years of college with courses in wildlife management, forestry or the natural sciences, or (b) high school graduation or equivalent and license for three more years of interest as described above, or (c) equivalent combination of training and experience. Fee \$2. (Friday, February 6).

6271. ASSOCIATE PLUMBING ENGINEER, \$7,754 to \$9,394. One vacancy in Albany. Requirements: (1) high school graduation or equivalent; and (2) either (a) bachelor's degree in engineering and one year's architectural or engineering drafting experience in plumbing design, or (b) master's degree in mechanical engineering. (Continued on page 5)

Latest Eligible Lists

STATE Open-Competitive

- DISTRICT HEALTH OFFICER**
 1. Oppenheim, D. A., Staleton ... 80000
 2. Broad, Robert H., Ithaca ... 87000
- ASSISTANT IN EDUCATION OF HANDICAPPED**
 1. Palevsky, Joseph, Bklyn ... 86800
 2. Ehrlich, Emanuel, NYC ... 85730
 3. Blumberg, Leonard, Bronx ... 82130
 4. Simches, Raphael, NYC ... 81530
 5. Daly, Anne R., Suffern ... 78200
 6. Falk, Rae, Bklyn ... 77470
 7. Katz, Harry, Bayside ... 77070
- INDUSTRIAL FOREMAN (LICENSE PLATE SHOP FINISHING)**
 1. O'Connell, Thomas J., Weedsport 94000
 2. Weitz, Edward M., Buffalo ... 92000
- SHELLFISH SANITARIAN**
 1. Bidwell, Milton W., Rochester 87800
 2. Bennett, Quentin R., Merrick ... 87750
 3. Uddel, Harold F., Dumont NJ 77950
 4. Domingo, Emil, NYC ... 75900
- PARK SANITATION SUPERINTENDENT**
 1. Kehoe, Daniel J., Seaford ... 82000
- ASSISTANT BUILDING STRUCTURAL ENGINEER**
 1. Tancredi, L. A., HoMa ... 88250
 2. Ringelhaupt, R., NYC ... 83730
- ASSISTANT IN SCHOOL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT**
 1. Moore, Philip J., Albany ... 97240
 2. Louis, William K., Schdy ... 94210
 3. Arnold, A. Buell, Albany ... 93670
 4. Ertvil, James R. D., Orangeburg 92090
 5. Warner, George E., Black Br 81130
 6. Dobbs, Thomas W., Elmere ... 87500
 7. Dootey, John F., NYC ... 84290
- HYDRO-ELECTRIC OPERATOR**
 1. Elliott, Walter W., Waterford ... 89500
 2. Permende, Joseph J., Troy ... 80000
- JUNIOR PARK ENGINEER**
 1. Kottenbach, E. J., NYC ... 88600
 2. Bauman, Frank S., Albany ... 87300
 3. Winzerter, Arthur, Buffalo ... 87100
 4. Brogan, Philip J., Syracuse ... 82500
 5. Gardner, Robert C., Peekskill ... 82500
 6. Little, Russell H., Syracuse ... 81500
 7. Jackson, Donald S., Wantagh ... 78700
- SENIOR ON-THE-JOB TRAINING REPRESENTATIVE**
 1. Kissin, Gerald, Bklyn ... 93730
 2. Faure, John M., Oneida ... 92900
 3. Maurer, Joseph H., Bklyn ... 92670
 4. Daoustino, James S., New Hartford 92430
 5. Schubert, Murray, Ossining ... 92330
 6. James, Eric G., Bronx ... 90030
 7. Heneghan, James P., Huntington 89930
 8. Hoffman, Simon, Bklyn ... 89270
 9. McGowan, John J., NYC ... 89170
 10. Stern, Jack I., Jackson Hgt ... 88800
 11. Hoyt, Vernon L., NYC ... 88470
 12. Dobbs, Thomas W., Elmere ... 88230
 13. Cody, John C., Bklyn ... 88100
 14. Morris, Joseph A., Hicksville ... 87230
 15. Moran, Francis R., Albany ... 86070
 16. Topp, William F., Syracuse ... 86470
 17. Goldberg, Frank, Bronx ... 85630
 18. Murock, John M., Delmar ... 85030
 19. Gasetas, George A., Bronx ... 84870
 20. Patricia, Alfred J., Oneida ... 84830
 21. Cowin, Edith M., Baldwin ... 83700
 22. Wagnan, Joseph, Woodside ... 83500
 23. Meyers, Henry H., Bklyn ... 82470
 24. Kaplan, David, Bronx ... 81330
 25. Kleinschmidt, C. R., Mineola ... 80570
 26. Groch, Thomas B., L I City ... 79500
 27. Goldstein, Hyman A., Bklyn ... 77030
 28. Chapin, Eleanor A., Bronx ... 75230
- ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF NURSING (PSYCHIATRIC)**
 1. Clawson, Gertrude, NYC ... 83000
- INSTITUTION FIREMAN**
 1. Adams, Richard A., Binghamton 92000
 2. Darley, Harry A., Belrose ... 91000
 3. Vrana, Stanley H., Hauvett ... 89000
 4. Yesh, George F., St. Albans ... 86000
 5. Lawlor, Edwin A., Ctr Islip ... 79000
- SENIOR BUILDING STRUCTURAL ENGINEER**
 1. Dubin, Milton, Jamaica ... 87440
 2. Snyder, Fred W., Cambria Hgt 86240
 3. Parker, Burdette, Syracuse ... 82740
 4. Wexler, Saul, St. Albans ... 82210
 5. Mackreil, Edwin A., Huntington 80360

STATE Promotion

- ASSOCIATE BUILDING STRUCTURAL ENGINEER, Department of Public Works.**
 1. Devane, Thomas A., Albany ... 89270
 2. Cox, John J., Albany ... 83470
 3. Benway, Percy L., Albany ... 81170
- RESEARCH ANALYST (PUBLIC FINANCE), Division of the Budget, Executive Department.**
 1. Williams, Jeanne B., Albany ... 85880
 2. O'Brien, Austin B., Albany ... 82980
- ASSISTANT COMPENSATION CLAIMS EXAMINER, New York Office, State Insurance Fund, Department of Labor.**
 1. Jacobs, Morris, L I City ... 84810
 2. Goodman, Milton L., Bklyn ... 81500
 3. Meyer, Philip M., Bronx ... 91010
 4. Givner, Seymour B., Bklyn ... 90920
 5. Slater, William J., Woodside ... 90540
 6. Streit, Irving, Bklyn ... 89550
 7. Tannenbaum, Jennie, Forest Hs 89870
 8. Lessen, Samuel, Bklyn ... 89250
 9. Galperin, Lillian, Bklyn ... 89250
 10. Leibowitz, Bernard, Bronx ... 88700
 11. Hoffman, Rose A., Bklyn ... 88270
 12. Pisani, Clementine, L I City ... 89210
 13. Aeste, Ann M., Bklyn ... 88850
 14. Friedman, Irving, NYC ... 88700
 15. Dee, William J., NYC ... 88690
 16. Schauman, Sylvia, Bklyn ... 88090
 17. Block, Edna, Bklyn ... 87790
 18. Pinto, Mario, Bklyn ... 87780
 19. Besner, Belle, Bklyn ... 87220
 20. Weinberg, Louis, Bklyn ... 87110
 21. Hayden, Jeanette, Bklyn ... 87130
 22. Jetter, Carol E., NYC ... 86990
 23. Widdien, George T., NYC ... 86990
 24. Berlin, Ralph R., NYC ... 86970
 25. Tolchinsky, Miriam, Mt. Vernon 86950
 26. Ford, Adele C., Bklyn ... 86940
 27. Rubano, Vincent F., Bronx ... 86810
 28. Malkin, Celia G., NYC ... 86700
 29. Stern, Joseph M., NYC ... 86670
 30. Aukburn, Frieda, Bklyn ... 86510
 31. Horgan, Elizabeth, Astoria ... 86250
 32. Shenkoff, George, Bklyn ... 86220
 33. Hirschberg, L., Bklyn ... 86200
 34. Zehner, Muriel L., L I City ... 85990
 35. Hurwitz, Laura, Bklyn ... 85850
 36. Parnes, Esther, Bronx ... 85680
 37. Samoville, F., Forest Hs ... 85530
 38. Kasstam, Leonia, Bronx ... 85400
 39. Laschell, Esther, Bronx ... 85400
 40. Klein, Elsie, Bklyn ... 85410
 41. Allen, George, Bklyn ... 85390
 42. Connelly, Mary I., NYC ... 85170
 43. Dwyer, Martin S., Syracuse ... 85170
 44. Bofsky, Sylvia, Bklyn ... 85140
 45. Eisenhart, M., Bklyn ... 84950
 46. Gentili, Emma, Bklyn ... 84810
 47. Ross, Louise, NYC ... 84780
 48. Hughes, Honora F., Bklyn ... 84590
 49. Barpar, Helen, Elmhurst ... 84590
 50. Ebbess, Abe, NYC ... 84460
 51. Cannon, Helen E., Bronx ... 84120
 52. Lorim, Helen E., NYC ... 84090
 53. McDonald, Isabelle, NYC ... 84000
 54. Azouf, Clara, NYC ... 83620
 55. Gersten, Henrietta, Bronx ... 83670
 56. Botwinick, Bessie, Bklyn ... 83510
 57. Goldstein, Nathan, Bronx ... 83510
 58. Imber, Emily, Bronx ... 83330
 59. Murphy, Gertrude L., Bronx ... 82710
 60. Feiz, Gladys, Bronx ... 830
 61. Picciano, Elvira A., Jackson Hgt 827
 62. Brandt, Shirley S., Bklyn ... 80930
 63. Braithwaite, H. E., Bklyn ... 80750
 64. Deutchman, Max, Bronx ... 79630
 65. Schwab, Shirley G., NYC ... 79640

STATE GUIDEBOOK FOR PLEASURE BOATERS
 ALBANY, Jan. 5—A new guidebook designed to assist pleasure boat operators in cruising the New York State Barge Canal and connecting navigable waterways is being made available by the State Department of Public Works.

Museum Job Open To High School Grads

ALBANY, Jan. 5 — Museum technical apprentice applications must be in by Friday, January 23. The job pays \$2,316 to start and goes up to \$3,118 after five years. The only requirement is high school graduation.

The job involves collecting bird, mammal, fish and reptile specimens, preparing specimen study skins and arranging skeletons for museum exhibits. A museum technical apprentice also does casting and modeling of animals, plants and rocks in wax, plaster and other materials, and collects leaves, grasses, moss and soil.

The written exam will include nature, science, art and history questions, and judge familiarity with tools and methods used in wood, metal and plastic work.

The job is in Albany. Apply to the State Department of Civil Service, 270 Broadway, NYC, or State Office Building, Albany, N. Y.

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Barge Canal Aides Share \$1000 Award

ALBANY, Jan. 5 — Announcement of the annual prize lock awards for the 1952 season was made last week by B. D. Tallamy, State superintendent of public works. Continuing a custom of 37 years, the State Department of Public Works will award nearly \$1,000 in cash prizes to 18 workers engaged in the operation and maintenance of three Barge Canal locks whose scores for general efficiency of operation were the highest.

Prize Locks

The prize locks are Lock 2 located near Fulton on the Oswego Canal (First Prize), Lock 4 near Waterloo on the Cayuga-Seneca Canal (Second Prize), and Lock 7 near Fort Edward on the Champlain Canal.

The Prize Locks were selected on the basis of frequent inspections by a committee headed by Fred R. Lindsey, assistant superintendent of maintenance and operation. In reporting their findings to Superintendent Tallamy, the committee said: "The lock operating men are interested in their work and do much to add to our good relations with the public."

All Are High

In congratulating the winners, Mr. Tallamy called attention to the fact that the efficiency of operation on the canal was indicated in the generally high scores for the entire 55 locks in the system. Thirteen locks had scores above 98%. Forty-two were above 95% while none were below 90%.

The Winners

Individuals sharing in the awards:

Lock 2, Oswego Canal, near Fulton, \$400.

Harry Ketchum, Fulton, Chief Lock Operator, \$120.

Louis F. Dziegiel, Fulton, Canal Structure Operator, \$87.

D. V. Conroy, Martville, Canal Structure Operator, \$72.

J. Mathews, Oswego, Canal Structure Operator, \$24.

Warren Hendrick, Martville, Chief Lock Operator (relief), \$5.

C. C. Conroy, Martville, Canal Structure Operator (relief), \$38.

William Covert, Fair Haven, Canal Structure Operator (relief), \$10.

O. Chapman, Liverpool, Canal Structure Operator (relief), \$4.

Peter Lebro, Fulton, Canal Helper, \$40.

Lock 4, Cayuga-Seneca Canal, near Waterloo, \$236.

Russell L. O'Connell, Seneca Falls, Chief Lock Operator, \$96.

Charles C. Ahrens, Seneca Falls, Canal Structure Operator, \$69.

Joseph E. Martin, Seneca Falls, Canal Structure Operator, (relief), \$36.

Harry Hobkirk, Jr., Lyons, Canal Structure Operator (relief), \$3.

Harvey L. Amidon, Seneca Falls, Helper, \$32.

Lock 7, Champlain Canal, near Fort Edward, \$192.

T. Brian Daly, Fort Edward, Chief Lock Operator, \$72.

Mitchell Connors, Fort Miller, Canal Structure Operator, \$48.

Bernard Durkee, Fort Edward, Canal Structure Operator, \$48.

Thurman Humiston, Fort Edward, \$24.

In addition to the cash awards, honorable mention was also made of the next ten locks which were:

Lock 3, Oswego at Fulton; Lock 12, Erie at Tribes Hill; Lock 10, Erie at Cranesville; Lock 30, Erie at Macedon; Lock 25, Erie at Mays Point; Lock 24, Erie at Baldwinsville; Lock 9, Champlain at Smiths Basin; Lock 19, Erie at Frankfort; Lock 15, Erie at Fort Plain; Lock 6, Erie at Waterford.

Postal Maintenance Men Dine and Dance

Local 204, National Association of Post Office and General Services Maintenance Employees, held its first annual buffet supper and dance recently at Naval Ship No. 126, Veterans of Foreign Wars, 154 Lawrence Street, Brooklyn.

Guests of honor were Edward A. E. Boutin, president, John W. Richardson, secretary-treasurer, and Ross A. Messer, legislative representative, of the national organization, and James Burke and Andrew Macara of Local 58.

Local 204, organized in 1951, reports more than 300 members.



The Westchester County Competitive Civil Service Association holds a Christmas party. The photo was taken on December 22 at Fritz's Restaurant in White Plains. It shows the drawing of an award won by Margaret M. Hughes, employed by the Department of Family and Child Welfare. Miss Hughes is a director of the Westchester employee group. Left to right in the photo are: Leonard Mecca, Finance, a director of the organization; Financial Secretary Alexander J. Ligay, Family and Child Welfare; Director Richard A. Finn, Children's Court; 2nd Vice President Delos J. McKinstry, County Penitentiary; Miss Hughes; J. Ailyn Stearns, 3rd vice president of the Civil Service Employees Association; Director J. Harold Keeler, Public Works; and Sergeant-at-Arms Solomon Leider, Grasslands.

Law Cases Affecting Civil Service Employees

ALBANY, Jan. 5 — Below is a summary of recent and pending law cases in which the State Civil Service Commission has been involved. These cases deal with principles that are important to all public employees, local as well as State and complete the listing begun last week:

PIERET et al. v. HOUSTON et al. — Commenced July 10, 1952.

The petitioner has commenced this proceeding individually and as President of the Association of New York State Insurance Department Examiners, an unincorporated association comprising persons employed in the Department of Insurance as examiners, report auditors, appraisers, and in related positions, to review a determination by the Classification and Compensation Appeals Board which denied a request by petitioner and others for the salary reallocation of the various positions in the Insurance Department to eliminate the present overlapping in the salary grades in such positions. The basis for petitioner's claim is that the salary grades of positions at various promotional levels in the Insurance Department are overlapping; that is, the minimum salary paid in one position is less than the maximum salary paid in the next lower position in the promotional series. The petitioner alleges that such overlapping is contrary to the requirements of the Civil Service Law and that, therefore, the refusal of the respondents to reallocate such positions as requested, and thereby to eliminate such overlapping, was erroneous and illegal.

Present status: Pending argument at Special Term.

SHARF v. CONWAY et al. — Commenced July 30, 1952.

In this proceeding, the petitioner seeks a review of the final rating received by him in the written examination for the position of Title Attorney, held on October 6, 1951. It is the petitioner's claim that for several of short-answer type questions in the examination his answers are equally acceptable as the respondents' key answers; that for other questions, no acceptable or legally correct answers were possible; that petitioner's scores on two essay type questions were improperly reduced by deductions made for incorrect statements in his answers to such questions; and that the scores of candidates were improperly revised by the respondents for the purpose of insuring the promulgation of an adequate eligible list. The petition concludes that the action taken by respondents, with respect to the foregoing matters, was arbitrary, capricious and illegal.

Dismissed by order of the Supreme Court, Albany County, dated September 19, 1952.

WEXLER v. CONWAY et al. — Commenced August 5, 1952.

The petitioner in this proceeding was a successful candidate in an open-competitive examination held on September 23, 1951, for the position of Principal Case Analyst (Public Service), and achieved rank No. 5 on the resulting eligible list. Upon the certification of such list, No. 1 was appointed, No. 2 declined appointment and petitioner, being third among the next three eligibles,

was also appointed, effective on June 16, 1952. Shortly after petitioner's appointment, a clerical error in the computation of the final ratings of two other candidates was discovered and corrected, resulting in the raising of such two candidates to ranks on the eligible list above the rank held by petitioner. Upon the discovery of such error, the respondent State Civil Service Commission directed the rescission and revocation of the petitioner's appointment on the grounds that petitioner would not have been reachable for appointment except for the error in the computation of the other two candidates' final examination scores. Thereafter, the petitioner commenced this proceeding to compel the respondents to approve his appointment of June 16, 1952, and his continued employment, as a permanent incumbent, in the position of Principal Case Analyst (Public Service). The basis for petitioner's case is a provision of Regulation V(6) of the Regulations of the State Civil Service Commission, which permits appeals from examination ratings and which provides that, upon such an appeal, Commission may correct any manifest error or mistake of marking or rating, "such correction in any case to be without prejudice to the status of any person previously appointed as a result of such examination."

The Supreme Court, Albany County, ruled that since no appeal was involved here, the aforementioned regulation which is operative only "on formal written appeal submitted by the competitor" is not a bar to the rescission of petitioner's appointment. The Court also noted that the same regulation provided that "This provision shall not be held to prevent the commission from correcting an obvious clerical error at any time during the life of an eligible list." It was held that the error involved here was not an error in judgment, but rather a ministerial error defeating the judgment of the Commission and frustrating the mandate to enter names of eligible persons "in the order of their final earned ratings on examination," and, therefore, the Commission's action directing the rescission of petitioner's appointment was valid and proper. The proceedings were dismissed by an order dated September 19, 1952.

Present status: Appeal to Appellate Division, 3rd Dept., pending.

FOY et al. v. CONWAY et al. — Commenced August 15, 1952.

The petitioners were candidates in the open competitive examination, held in November, 1950, for the position of Court Stenographer in the Supreme Court, First, Second and Tenth Judicial Districts, and received various ratings, all passing, in the training and experience portion of such examination. In this proceeding the petitioners contest the ratings of their training and experience, and seek to compel the Commission to revise such ratings upwards. The basis for the petitioners' claims is their allegation that the training and experience rating scale, employed by the Commission in this examination, was arbitrary and capricious in that it prescribed less credit for experience as a stenographer in the courts of the City of New York and as a re-

porting stenographer in various city and other governmental agencies than that which was granted for experience in the County Courts in the First, Second and Tenth Judicial Districts and as a CAF-9 reporter in the federal governmental service. The petitioners allege that experience in the various city courts, in which they are official court stenographers, is more closely related to the duties of Court Stenographer in the Supreme Court than any other type of experience except actual Supreme Court experience and, consequently, it is alleged, petitioners should have received more credit for their experience in such positions. Petitioners also allege that the Commission acted in an unlawful, discriminatory and capricious manner in consulting with representatives of the New York State Shorthand Reporters Association, all of whom were official court reporters in the Supreme Court in the County of New York, as to the method of rating training and experience and in refusing to permit representatives of any other shorthand reporters association to attend such conference.

Present status: Awaiting determination in Matter of Simone v. Conway, now pending before referee, which also involves the examination for Court Stenographer.

COLLEGE STUDENTS SOUGHT AS SCIENCE AIDES

The U. S. Civil Service Commission is seeking student aides in chemistry, physics, mathematics, metallurgy, meteorology and engineering, at \$2,950 and \$3,176 a year.

College students are to be selected for summer employment and cooperative education. Jobs are in Washington, D. C. and adjacent counties in Virginia and Maryland.

Apply to the U. S. Civil Service Commission, 7th and F Streets, N.W., Washington, D. C.

Buoy Light Tenders Sought To Man Barge Canal Posts In Upstate Cities; Pay \$2,316

ALBANY, Jan. 5 — The State Department of Civil Service is seeking people to maintain buoy lights, beacons, and other channel markers in the State Barge Canal system.

Three openings are available in Albany and one in Buffalo. The State Civil Service Department will accept applications for an examination for buoy light tenders until January 9.

The buoy light tender jobs are permanent civil service positions, with salaries starting at \$2,316 and rising to \$3,118 in five annual increases.

In addition to Albany and Buffalo, the buoy light tender jobs are also found at Utica, Syracuse, and Rochester. Although there are now no vacancies at the latter three locations, the current examination may be used to fill any future openings which occur.

Must Know Engines
Candidates need either one

Highway Force to Stay On 40 Hours

ALBANY, Jan. 5 — The Civil Service Employees Association, which appealed on behalf of the maintenance men in State highway service for a continuance of the maximum 40-hour, five-day week on a year-round basis for these workers, has received advice from the Department of Public Works that this arrangement will continue.

State Superintendent of Public Works Bertram D. Tallamy has approved the year-round schedule of the five-day, 40-hour week for the maintenance forces.

Joseph P. Ronan, executive assistant, in advising the Association of Superintendent Tallamy's action, pointed out that the maintenance force has tremendous responsibility in ensuring safe travel conditions at all times on the State highway system, and has shown its appreciation of this responsibility by cooperation in meeting the emergency calls with willingness after regular working hours, as is often necessary in bad weather conditions.

Subject To Call

The Association, which has been constantly active in seeking improvement of working conditions among field forces throughout the State, pointed out that the highway maintenance force is subject to call at all times when inclement weather or other unusual conditions are present and has an excellent record of unselfish duty in ministering to safety on the State highways. The Association praised the action of Superintendent Tallamy with reference to establishment of the sound weekly schedule and stated that it was in line with the fine interest in employment conditions and cooperation in dealing with worker problems displayed in the past.

State Has Job Opening for Plant Inspector

ALBANY, Jan. 5 — A horticultural inspector job with the State Department of Agriculture and Markets at Geneva will be filled through a State civil service examination scheduled for February 14. Last date for applying is January 9.

Horticultural inspectors inspect and certify nurseries, nursery stock and farm products to assure freedom from plant pests and diseases. They also enforce quarantines and regulatory requirements. Their salary goes from \$3,571 to \$4,372 in five annual increases.

Requirements

Candidates need either a bachelor's degree in horticulture, entomology, and plant pathology, or two years of college training in this field and two years of experience in horticulture crop work which included plant pest and disease detection and control.

Further information on the examination may be obtained by writing the State Civil Service Department, State Office Building, Albany, or by calling in person at offices of the State Employment Service.

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2000 Office Worker Jobs To Be Filled; Posts Are Permanent; No Experience

ALBANY, Jan. 5—About 2,000 permanent State civil service jobs for office workers will be filled through an examination on March 21.

Applications may be filed any time up to February 9.

There are no education or experience requirements for the jobs which are in offices, hospitals, institutions, parks and schools throughout New York State. Starting salary is \$2,180 with five annual increases leading to a maximum \$2,984. Candidates must be residents of New York State and

will have to pass a written clerical aptitude test.

Excellent Opportunities

Titles to be filled from the tests are clerk, account clerk, file clerk and statistics clerk. According to the Civil Service Commission, there are "excellent promotional opportunities" particularly for account clerks in State institutions.

Lists of successful candidates will be established in early September with appointments made soon after. As a result of similar examinations held last year, all candidates who made the eligible lists were offered State jobs.

Where to Apply

Application forms may be obtained in person from State Civil Service Department offices in Albany, Buffalo, and Rochester, and from all local offices of the New York State Employment Service outside New York City. In New York City they may be obtained at 270 Broadway, Manhattan, and from offices of the State Employment Service at 1 East 19th St., Manhattan, and 25 Hyatt St., St. George, Staten Island. Mail requests should be addressed to the State Department of Civil Service, State Office Building, Albany, N. Y.

Graduate Program Offers Advanced Training Courses In Public Administration

ALBANY, Jan. 5 — Six new courses will be included in the second semester schedule of this year's Graduate Program in Public Administration, in Albany. Registration starts January 26.

Courses being offered for the first time are Personnel Counseling in the Public Service, Government and Labor Management Relations, Seminar in New York State Government Administration, Financial History of the United States Since 1865, Survey of Public Law, and Correctional Administration.

Classes Begin February

Classes begin during the first week in February and wind up the last week in May. Each class meets one evening a week for two hours.

A Public Relations course is one of four being repeated from previous years. Others are Comparative Personnel Administration, Research and Thesis Direction, and a continuation of the class in Introduction to Public Administration.

The Graduate Program in Public Administration is offered in Albany by New York University and Syracuse University in cooperation with the State University of New York. College graduates may complete requirements through it for their Master of Public Administration degree, and may work toward a doctoral degree. The Program also accepts other well-qualified persons in its classes.

Detailed information about the courses and registration forms may be secured from the Graduate Program office in the Law Library of the State Education Building.

Chapter Activities

Central Unit Barge Canal

MEMBERS of the Central Unit of the Barge Canal chapter of CSEA met recently at Baldwinsville and elected the following officers to serve for the coming year: President, Joseph Grieve, Minetto; vice-president, S. Axtell, Martville; secretary-treasurer, Millard Hawthorne, Fulton; delegates — Joseph Grieve, Minetto, and Harry LaVere, Savannah; alternates — Millard Hawthorne, Fulton, and A. Fischette, Clyde.

Sing Sing

PERSONNEL NEWS and notes from Sing Sing chapter, CSEA:

The chapter is glad to hear that Capt. Fred Vetter is convalescing at home after undergoing an operation at the Ossining Hospital, and hopes to see him back soon.

Congratulations to the Sing Sing pistol team on its victory over the Department of Water Supply police on the Sing Sing pistol range. This is the second victory of the year in as many competitions for the new members of the Westchester County Police Pistol League. The team for this match was represented by Sgt. W. Byrne, Floyd Moore, M. DeSimone and J. Panelli.

Pat McCawley is convalescing nicely after undergoing an operation at the Ossining Hospital on Tuesday, December 16.

V. J. McQueeney is back after recuperating from a leg condition. Glad to see you back, Mc!

Employees were glad to greet Ed Parthemore. Ed suffered a sort of breakdown recently. It's heartening to see his jovial face around spreading good cheer as usual.

Hearty congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. Panelli, who were blessed with the arrival of a brand new baby daughter.

Belated condolences to the family of William Cribbins, who died recently. Cribbins was a former employee of Sing Sing for many years.

Members of the CSEA chapter's entertainment committee, Gus Westphal, Joe Pesik and others, are happy to announce that tickets for the annual New Year's Eve party were all sold. The commit-

tee predicted that the affair would be a magnificent success. Happy New Year to all!

Chapter President Martin Mulcahy reminds all members to fill out the information requested on the cards each member received, concerning the chapter's Widows Pension Fund. Please return them promptly to the Widows Pension Fund chairman, Pete Kellard.

Strong Plans Set by P. A. Albany Group

ALBANY, Jan. 5 — The Capital District Chapter of the American Society for Public Administration, Albany, has outlined its program for the first half of 1953.

After a meeting on "Program Planning and Control" this month, the chapter will play host in February to ASPA President James M. Mitchell, U. S. Civil Service Commission member. Mr. Mitchell will take part in a panel discussion on the future of civil service reform.

Retirement

In March a discussion of possible changes in the State Retirement System is planned. At the April meeting a discussion of conferences and conference techniques will be held. The month of May will feature the annual chapter dinner with awards to outstanding State employees.

Recent chapter meetings have included discussions on the impact of organized citizen groups on public administration, "mechanical monsters" and public administration and the public relations job in state government.

The Capital District Chapter is the second largest ASPA chapter in the United States with about 400 members. ASPA is an organization devoted to "the advancement of the art and science of public administration."

Employees in other areas of the State who are interested in organizing or joining a chapter should contact Donald Axelrod, president of the Capital District Chapter, at Division of the Budget, State Capitol, Albany.

Fredonia State Teachers College

AT A RECENT meeting of Fredonia State Teachers College chapter, CSEA, the following officers were elected to serve for the coming year: President, Lawrence Patrie; vice-president, Kenneth Howard; secretary, Alva M. Keen; treasurer, William J. Chalker.

Psychiatric Institute

NEWS OF the Psychiatric Institute chapter, CSEA:

Mary Shea, nursing department, is recovering from a recent operation.

Caesar Fragiaco, kitchen, is out because of illness.

Jack Matulat, elevator department, and Ruth Montgomery, clinical psychology department, have returned to work after being on sick leaves.

Mae Barnett and John Bujosa, dietetic department, are on vacation.

Vera Stevenson, dietetic department, has returned to work after a visit to Canada.

Congratulations to Alice Trel, O. T. department. She heads the recently-issued occupational therapist eligible list.

Citizens Union Offers Legislative Program

The Citizens Union will press for enactment of election reforms and party organization controls by the State Legislature, said President Milton M. Bergerman.

The legislative program includes:

1. Forfeiture of the public-paid part of pension benefits of retired public employees who refuse to testify before a Grand Jury concerning their official conduct, or are found guilty of crimes connected with their public work.

2. Obligation of party officers to testify when called by a Grand Jury on penalty of removal from office.

3. Requirement that judges' secretaries must be lawyers and that party officers shall not be employed on court staffs.

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School District Exams To Be Held Jan. 31

Non-teaching jobs in large variety, in 54 different titles, will be filled by school districts throughout the State from open-competitive exams to be held on Saturday, January 31. The last day to apply was on Friday, December 19. Office, custodial, phone operator, bus driver and lunchroom jobs are included.

List of Exams

The exam number, title, locations of the position, and starting pay are given, and the list, publication of which began last week, is herewith completed:

6718. SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS, Various school districts, in Cortland, Rensselaer, Schenectady and Suffolk counties \$4,000 to \$5,000.

6749. SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS, Union Free School District No. 3, Township of Cheektowaga, Erie County, \$4,000.

6750. SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS, Union Free School District No. 14, Township of Hempstead, Woodmere Public Schools, Nassau County, \$6,000.

6751. SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS, Central School District No. 1, Township of Lewiston, Niagara County, \$5,250 to \$6,675.

6752. TYPIST, Various school districts in Nassau, Suffolk and Westchester counties, \$1,200 to \$2,000.

6753. TYPIST, Various school districts in Herkimer, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Montgomery, Niagara, Onondaga, Ontario, Orange, Oswego, Rensselaer, Rockland, Saratoga, Schenectady, Steuben, Sullivan, Warren, Wayne, Yates, Allegany, Broome, Cattaraugus, Cayuga, Chautauqua, Clinton, Delaware, Dutchess, Erie, Essex, Franklin, Genesee and Greene counties, \$1,200 to \$2,000.

6754. TYPIST, Various school districts in Albany, Cayuga, Chautauqua, Delaware, Erie, Herkimer, Oneida, Onondaga, Tompkins, Warren, Washington and Wayne counties, \$2,000 to \$3,000.

6755. SENIOR STENOGR-

PHER, Central School District No. 1, Township of Chazy, Clinton County, \$3,180.

6756. SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS, Union Free School District No. 5, Township of Hempstead, Nassau County, \$5,000.

6757. STEAM FIREMAN, Various school districts in Erie, Monroe and Suffolk counties, \$3,000 to \$4,000.

6758. TELEPHONE OPERATOR, Various school districts in Nassau, Rockland and Westchester counties, \$1,200 to \$2,000.

6759. TELEPHONE OPERATOR, Union Free School District No. 6, Township of North Hempstead, Manhasset Public Schools, Nassau County, \$2,500.

6760. TELEPHONE OPERATOR, Union Free School District No. 3, Township of North Hempstead, Roslyn Public Schools, Nassau County, \$2,340.

6761. SENIOR LIBRARY CLERK, Various school districts in Nassau and Niagara counties, \$2,000 to \$3,000.

Highway Trainee Jobs Pay to \$3,410 a Year

Highway engineer trainee jobs, at \$3,175 and \$3,410 a year, are now open with the Bureau of Public Roads of the U. S. Department of Commerce. Vacancies are in Washington, D. C., throughout the country, and a few overseas.

Three years of college training are required for the \$3,175 job; and a bachelor's degree, or its educational and experience equivalent, for the \$3,410 post.

Apply to the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Bureau of Public Roads, Department of Commerce, Washington 25, D. C. not later than Tuesday, February 10.

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

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neering, or (c) eight years of general experience and one year of specialized experience, or (d) five years of specialized experience, or (e) equivalent combination of (a), (b), (c), and (d); and (3) State license to practice engineering and six more years of specialized experience with two years in supervisory capacity. Fee \$5. (Friday, February 6).

6272. SENIOR PLUMBING ENGINEER, \$6,088 to \$7,421. One vacancy in Albany and one in NYC. Requirements: (1) Same as No. 6271 above; (2) same as No. 6271 above; and (3) State license to practice engineering and four more years of architectural or engineering drafting experience in plumbing design. Fee \$5. (Friday, February 6).

6273. JUNIOR PLUMBING ENGINEER, \$4,053 to \$4,889. Two vacancies in Albany, Department of Public Works. Requirements: (1) Same as No. 6271 above; (2) same as No. 6271 above. Fee \$3. (Friday, February 6).

6275. ASSOCIATE DENTIST (RESEARCH), \$7,039 to \$8,469. One vacancy in Albany, Department of Health. Open to all qualified U. S. citizens. Requirements: (1) State license to practice dentistry or eligibility for one; (2) two years' experience in general practice of dentistry, one of which may have been as interne; and (3) either (a) one year, within past 10 years, of experience in epidemiological studies and/or dental research projects, or (b) one year postgraduate course in public health, or (c) equivalent combination of such training and experience. Fee \$5. (Friday, February 6).

6277. JUNIOR BUILDING ELECTRICAL ENGINEER, \$4,053 to \$4,889. One vacancy in the Department of Public Works, Albany. Requirements: (1) high school graduation or equivalent; and (2) either (a) bachelor's degree in electrical engineering and one year's experience in the preparation, inspection, and checking of electrical layouts on building plans, or (b) master's degree in electrical engineering, or (c) eight years of engineering experience and one year of the above experience, or (d) five years of the above experience, or (e) equivalent combination of such training and experience. Fee \$3. (Friday, February 6).

6276. ASSISTANT BUILDING ELECTRICAL ENGINEER, \$4,964 to \$6,088. Three vacancies, with two more expected, in the Department of Public Works, Albany. Requirements: Same as No. 6277 above and, in addition, two more years of experience in the preparation, inspection, and checking of electrical layouts on building plans. Fee \$4. (Friday, February 6).

6284. JUNIOR VALUATION ENGINEER, \$4,053 to \$4,889. One vacancy in Albany and one in NYC in the Department of Public Service. Requirements: (1) two years of a college course in engineering, and (2) either (a) two more years of college with a bachelor's degree in engineering and one year's experience in engineering, or (b) four years of engineering experience in valuation, design, construction, maintenance, or operation of electric, gas or water utilities or similar properties, or (c) equivalent combination of such training and experience. Fee \$3. (Friday, February 6).

6274. ASSISTANT HYDRAULIC ENGINEER, \$4,964 to \$6,088. One vacancy expected in NYC, Department of Public Service. Requirements: (1) three years' experience in hydraulic engineering or public water supply operation; and (2) either (a) bachelor's degree in engineering, or (b) four more years of the above experience or (c) eight years of engineering experience, or (d) equivalent combination of such training and experience. Fee \$4. (Friday, February 6).

6285. AQUATIC BIOLOGIST (MARINE), \$4,053 to \$4,889. One vacancy at Freeport in the Department of Conservation. Open to all qualified U. S. citizens. Requirements: (1) two years of college with courses in the biological sciences; and (2) either (a) bachelor's degree plus two years' experience in fish conservation or two years of graduate study, or (b) six years' experience in fish conservation, or (c) equivalent combination of such training and experience. Fee \$3. (Friday, February 6).

6286. SALES REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE BLIND, \$3,411 to \$4,212. Two vacancies in NYC, Department of Social Welfare. Requirements: three years' experience, of which two years must have been in sales work including some bookkeeping and responsibility for cash receipts and one year must have been in sales promotion and organization work. Fee \$2. (Friday, February 6).

6287. HEAD OFFICE MACHINE OPERATOR (TABULATING), \$4,359 to \$5,189. One vacancy in Albany, Education Department, and one in State Insurance Fund, NYC. Requirements: five years' experience in operation of IBM tabulators and auxiliary equipment, two years of which must have been in a supervisory or administrative capacity. Fee \$3. (Friday, February 6).

6288. BRIDGE REPAIR FOREMAN, \$4,359 to \$5,189. One vacancy at Babylon in the Department of Public Works. Requirements: eight years' experience in construction, reconstruction, or maintenance of bridges with two years in supervisory capacity. Fee \$3. (Friday, February 6).

6289. CORRECTION INSTITUTION VOCATIONAL INSTRUCTOR (SEWING), \$3,411 to \$4,212. No written test. One vacancy at Westfield State Farm. Requirements: State certificate to teach sewing trade; ninth grade or equivalent education; and five years' journeyman experience in sewing trade. Fee \$2. (Friday, February 6).

6290. CORRECTION INSTITUTION VOCATIONAL INSTRUCTOR (BEAUTY CULTURE), \$3,411 to \$4,212. No written test. One vacancy at Westfield State Farm. Requirements: State certificate to teach beauty culture; ninth grade or equivalent education; and five years' journeyman experience in beauty culture. Fee \$2. (Friday, February 6).

6209. ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATIVE FINANCE OFFICER, \$6,088 to \$7,421. One vacancy at the Albany office in the Department of Education. Requirements: (1) four years of specialized accounting or auditing experience; and (2) two years' experience in the supervision of an accounting or auditing staff; and (3) either (a) bachelor's degree with 24 credit hours in accounting, or (b) bachelor's degree plus one more year's experience in (1) or (2), or (c) three more years' experience, or (d) equivalent combination of (3) (a), (b) or (c). Fee \$5. (Friday, January 9).

6239. BLINDNESS PREVENTION CONSULTANT, \$4,664 to \$5,601. One vacancy in NYC in the Department of Social Welfare. Requirements: either (a) State license to practice as a registered nurse, plus four years' experience in public health or school nursing, or (b) two years of graduate study in school of social work, plus two years' experience in medical social case work, or (c) equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6240. HEALTH PUBLICATIONS EDITOR, \$6,088 to \$7,421. One vacancy at Albany in the Department of Health. Requirements: (1) bachelor's degree; and (2) three years' experience in professional writing including editorial experience with one year in the field of public health or medical science; and (3) either (a) master's degree in journalism, English, or public health, plus one more year's experience, or (b) two more years' experience, or (c) equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Open to all qualified U. S. citizens. Fee \$5. (Friday, January 9).

6241. PUBLIC RELATIONS AIDE, \$3,571 to \$4,372. One vacancy at Babylon in the Conservation Department. Requirements: (1) high school graduation or equivalency diploma; and (2) one year of public relations experience involving extensive contact with the public; and (3) either (a) four more years' experience, or (b) bachelor's degree, or (c) equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6243. IDENTIFICATION OFFICER, \$2,771 to \$3,571. Vacancies: one each at Matteawan, Sing Sing, and Woodbourne in the Department of Correction. Requirements: (1) one year's experience in photography and fingerprinting; and (2) either (a) high school graduation, or (b) three years of office or business experience, or (c) equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

6264. SENIOR CLERK (MAIN-

TENANCE), \$2,771 to \$3,571. Several vacancies in Albany, Utica, Rochester and Watertown in the district office of the Department of Public Works. Requirements: (1) one year's experience in keeping time records, stock records and clerical reports in a construction company or engineering office; and (2) either (a) high school graduation, or (b) two more years' experience, or (c) equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

6245. OFFICE MACHINE OPERATOR (TABULATING-IBM), \$2,180 to \$2,984. Several vacancies at Albany and NYC in State departments. Requirements: either (a) three months' experience in the operation of IBM sorters, accounting machines, and other types of tabulating equipment, or (b) completion of course in the operation of the above machines. Fee \$1. (Friday, January 9).

6246. TITLE EXAMINER, \$6,088 to \$7,421. Ten vacancies at Albany in the Department of Law. Requirements: (1) two years' experience in a law or real estate office or in a title company in work involving search, examination, proof or closing of titles to real property in the State; and (2) either (a) five more years' experience, or (b) two years' experience as an attorney engaged in proceedings involving title to real property, exclusive of landlord and tenant or negligence cases, or (c) equivalent. Candidates must be admitted to the State Bar. Fee \$5. (Friday, January 9).

6250. SENIOR PHYSICAL CHEMIST, \$4,964 to \$6,088. One vacancy at the Saratoga Springs Authority in the Department of Conservation. Requirements: (1) bachelor's degree with specialization in chemistry; and (2) three years' experience in physical chemistry laboratory work including experience in spectrographic and chemical work involving independent research in spectrochemical analysis and radiation; and (3) either (a) two more years' experience, or (b) master's degree in physical chemistry of biochemistry, or (c) equivalent. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 9).

6251. SANITARY CHEMIST, \$4,053 to \$4,889. One vacancy at Albany in the Division of Laboratories and Research, Department of Health. Requirements: (1) bachelor's degree in chemistry or sanitary science; and (2) either (a) one year of laboratory work in sanitary science including chemical and biological examination of water, sewage and industrial waste, or (b) master's degree in sanitary chemistry, or (c) equivalent. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6252. HISTOLOGY TECHNICIAN, \$2,771 to \$3,571. Three vacancies in NYC in the Department of Mental Hygiene. Requirements: either (a) two years' experience in the preparation of tissue specimens for microscopic examination and high school graduation, or (b) course in histology plus one year's experience in histologic work in a laboratory of general histology or neuropathology, or (c) equivalent. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

6256. JUNIOR PHYSICIAN, \$4,512 to \$5,339. One vacancy at Sing Sing Prison at Ossining in the Department of Correction. Requirements: (1) medical school graduation plus State license to practice medicine; and (2) either (a) one year or nine months' accelerated internship, or (b) equivalent. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6249. COURT OFFICER AND COURT ATTENDANT, First and Second Judicial Departments, \$3,500 to \$4,500. Openings in the five boroughs of NYC, Nassau, Suffolk, Dutchess, Putnam, West-

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6263. CAMP SANITARY AIDE, \$265 a month. Several vacancies in field positions upstate. Requirements: either (a) high school graduation plus six months' experience as a sanitary inspector or investigator; or (b) one year's experience as a seasonal sanitary inspector or investigator, or (c) two years of a four-year college course with specialization in engineering or sanitary science, or (d) certificate to teach biological or physical sciences in secondary or higher school in the State, or (e) bachelor's degree with six credit hours in general science, biology, physics or chemistry, or (f) equivalent combination of above. State driver's license. Fee \$1. (Friday, January 9).

6259. HORTICULTURAL INSPECTOR, \$3,571 to \$4,372. One vacancy in a field position with initial appointment at Geneva in the Department of Agriculture and Markets. Requirements: (1) two years of college training in horticulture, entomology and plant pathology; and (2) either (a) bachelor's degree in one of the

above, or (b) two years' experience in orchard, nursery or other horticultural crop work, including plant pest and disease detection and control, or (c) equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6260. STEAM FIREMAN, \$2,611 to \$3,411. Forty-four vacancies at departments and institutions throughout the State. Requirements: one year's experience in the operation and/or maintenance of either (a) high pressure steam boilers, burning oil, coal or gas, or (b) low pressure steam boilers, burning oil, coal or gas, plus course in fundamentals of stationary engineering. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

6261. BUOY LIGHT TENDER, \$2,316 to \$3,118. Three vacancies at Albany and one at Buffalo in the Department of Public Works. Requirements: either (a) one year's experience in the repair or operation of gasoline-driven motor boats, or (b) two years' experience as a mechanic in the repair of gasoline engines, or (c) equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$1. (Friday, January 9).

6258. BIOPHYSICIST, \$4,053 to \$4,889. One vacancy in NYC at the State University Medical Center. Requirements: (1) bachelor's degree with specialization in biological or physical sciences; and (2) either (a) one year's experience in laboratory research in biophysics, or (b) master's degree in physics or biophysics, or (c) bachelor's degree in one of the

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Salary Information Is No Military Secret

Four topflight New York Times reporters, in a panel on government public relations moderated by the editor of the Civil Service LEADER, made the point that the worst fault of public officials in their relations with the press is attempting to hide news. The result is frequently, they said, exactly the opposite of what the official intends. News is not a private commodity in a democratic nation. It belongs to the people whom it concerns. Only when they have full, swift access to the facts can they make proper decisions.

Moreover, the hiding of news is rarely a successful operation. What happens is that the data dribbles out in bits and pieces, gets camouflaged by rumor and hearsay, and ends by confusing the people rather than affording them honest information.

All this is a prelude to the fact that a great big secret is being made of a salary survey prepared by New York State officials. The information, which concerns every public employee, is being held close to the chest, as though it were some deep military secret. It shows that employees in private industry are doing, on the average, nearly 6 percent better than State employees in the raises they've been receiving. This newspaper asked an official of the State Civil Service Commission if there is a single good reason why the employees of New York State cannot have the information. No good reason was given, except that "it was agreed" the material should be "confidential." Many private employers had been canvassed for salary facts, and they might not want the data made public, this official said. On top of that, however, The LEADER was informed that a digest of the results — also "confidential" — doesn't tell the salary schedules by individual employers. Neither report has been made available.

And just how confidential are the data anyway? The report went out to some 200 participating employers. It must have been seen by at least 50 other persons. Apparently it's no secret from anybody except the people who are going to be affected by it — the State employees.

Civil Service Doesn't Know How to Recruit

One of our readers, in a letter to the editor published in last week's issue, made the excellent suggestion that civil service commissions faced with recruitment difficulties, as all of them are, should put more zip into their promotional and exploitation methods.

The commissions find themselves in a predicament not all of their own making. Disappointingly small numbers of candidates compete in exams limited to men in the military age brackets. The utter impossibility of filling some jobs in the professional and scientific fields, such as engineering and medicine, faces some government agencies.

The task to be done falls into the sphere of salesmanship, one in which civil service commissions don't generally shine. Also, civil service commissioners should take a more determined stand on the need for adequate salaries to attract talent.

When commissions intend to hold a highly specialized type of exam they frequently call in experts to assist them, but when it comes to recruitment, which is in the same category, they tend to assume that they alone can do this job extremely well.

The usual commission methods are for normal recruitment, but they don't cope with an emergency.

The commissions should experiment with high-powered assistance. The results may surprise them.

APTITUDE TEST

1. Distinguish an aptitude test, an intelligence test and an achievement test.
2. Why do not civil service exams constitute IQ measurements?
3. What are spatial relations, and what is skill with them supposed to indicate?
4. How is it possible to measure personality in terms of intelligence?
5. A fixed star is one that never moves. Right or wrong? Explain.
6. A star always twinkles but a planet never does. Right or wrong? Explain.

ANSWERS

1. An aptitude test is intended to show whether a candidate is suitable for training for a particular job; an intelligence test probes awareness and information, as a part of aptitude testing; an achievement test determines whether one already is capable of filling a particular job.
2. Because IQ tests compare past average performance at selected ages, while in civil service tests, no past average performances or present ages figure.
3. Spatial relations are the study or comparison of objects in space. Candidates are asked to compare objects, as a test of mechanical or manual ability.
4. Personality may be measured, because most intelligent persons also are industrious, conscientious, emotionally stable, careful, and full of curiosity. The least intelligent ones are likely to be boastful, unfair, nervous, wasteful.
5. Wrong. Fixed stars move fast, but do not appear to move relative to one another.
6. Wrong. The twinkle is not an infallible index. A star is a sun, is burning, and twinkles. A planet is cold, but may give off the reflected light of the sun. Atmospheric particles, and other causes, may make a planet appear to twinkle.

CIVIL SERVICE

NEWS Letter

NEW RULES and regulations, not immediately, shifting of employees to better jobs, and other devices of an expiring Administration are in evidence in the Federal government. But the Attorney General's office is leaving to Herbert Brownell, the designee for that post, the filling of all vacant jobs, as well as jobs that will become vacant because they're the patronage type. There's a job freeze on now in the Attorney General's office, in central and district offices, including U. S. Attorney staffs.

THE PROPOSED new layoff plans of the U. S. Civil Service Commission are an example of a controversial project voted just before the new Administration is to take office, although with an effective date nearly a month later. That will give the new Administration an opportunity to cancel the change. Behind the adoption of the new plan is the fact that the Democratic majority in the Commission wants to show its former Republican member, Arthur Flemming, now a member of General Eisenhower's committee to improve government operations, that the former Commissioner's disfavor of present enactment of the plan was an incentive to speeding it up. Mr. Flemming said the plan might draw the criticism that it served political purposes, though he admitted that actually there was no political motivation.

ANOTHER EXAMPLE was the insistence by the U. S. Bureau of Internal Revenue on closing the deal with Grand Central Palace, space to house all the presently scattered district offices in NYC. Mr. Stern said that a half-million-dollar project like that could wait until new Administration had an opportunity to pass on it.

FRIENDS of the man who'll head the new Classification Bureau of the NYC Civil Service Commission not only congratulated him, but some of them offered commiseration. One fellow said, mimicking a toastmaster, "I give you your friend and my friend, and a man who soon will be nobody's friend — Sidney M. Stern."

THE RETIREMENT of Frank Cassot as clerk of records, Surrogate Court, New York County, recalls the days of his appointment, when the Hall of Records was newly opened. Tiffany Studios provided most of the decorations and furnishings. The crystal chandeliers, marble fireplaces, and solid mahogany bench and trim made courtrooms look like millionaires' abodes. Mr. Cassot noted the contrast with the present decor and, for various reasons, preferred the interior as it is now.

Other States Protect Firefighters; Why Not NY?

Heart ailments of various types, incurred while one is a member of the fire-fighting force of a government department, are rated as occupational diseases in North Carolina, while Florida, also by statute, rates tuberculosis and heart ailments both, if they result in part-disability, as having been suffered in line of duty.

In North Carolina, cities may adopt their own plans of carrying out the intent of the Legislature.

The Associated Fire Fighters of Massachusetts succeeded in having that State enact a law, which also makes a heart condition presumptive evidence that it was incurred in line of duty. To controvert the presumption, the employer would have to show proof to the contrary.

Connecticut has the same kind of measure, relating to total or partial disability being presumed in heart cases.

O.K. When Joining

These laws, and supporting medical testimony, are being used by the Uniformed Fire Officers Association and the Uniformed Firemen's Association, both of NYC, to obtain legislation to the same effect statewide in New York. Thus the presumption would apply to fire-fighters in NYC employ, as well as those working for the State or local governments throughout the State.

The fact that firemen have no heart trouble when they join the department, and that so many get it in the course of their employ, has led doctors to analyze the reasons. The excitement of the work, insufficient oxygen when fighting a smoky fire, excessive strain and exposure, for instance, are cited by Dr. Hughes W. Day, of Kansas City, who addressed the Fire Department Inspectors' Conference in Memphis, Tenn.

"We can never reduce the mortality of heart disease in the fire service if we allowed damaged hearts to do heavy work," he warned, favoring light work or retirement for disability.

The facts point clearly to the necessity of passing the heart bill which firefighters are introducing in the 1953 New York State Legislature.

MAYOR Vincent R. Impellitteri has made a good selection in appointing Dr. Charles Muzzicato a NYC Civil Service Commissioner. Dr. Muzzicato, former State Senator, was an aggressive and enlightened legislator, and took an active part in civil service legislation.

WHENEVER eligible lists are established for filling upper-bracket jobs which are filled by provisionals, roadblocks against the appointments from the list are not unusual, e.g., NYC Departments of Health and Hospitals.

Comment

WANTS POLICE-FIRE WIDOWS' PENSION RAISED

Editor, The LEADER:
Some aid has been given to those retired public employees whose pensions are below the subsistence level. But what has been done for the widows of NYC policemen and firemen killed in line of duty? Nothing. They get the same \$600 a year now as they got years ago, when \$600 would buy nearly twice as much as it does now. You've heard about the forgotten man. Well, now you're hearing about the forgotten woman.

POLICEMAN'S WIDOW

SAYS NYC CAN LEARN MUCH FROM STATE

Editor, The LEADER:
I've often wondered why NYC doesn't pattern itself more after New York State, and have overall rules and regulations, and also a schedule of salary grades into which any salary of a competitive or non-competitive employee would be fitted. The State has overall attendance rules, separate for departments and institutions; also a classification division, which NYC is about to start; also a little clearer demarcation between the Civil Service Department, that does the administrative work, and the Civil Service Commission, that makes rules and exercises jurisdictional powers. The salary appeals method in the State is something that it is hoped NYC will have, as has been promised by President Paul P. Brennan and Budget Director Abraham D. Beame.
CONRAD WHITTLE
Manhattan

COMBINED ACTION ASKED IN CIVIL SERVICE DRIVES

Editor, The LEADER:
I'm sure that civil service employees will accomplish more if they will combine their efforts. Some instances of such unity have recently been shown, but there should be more. Civil service employees have many worthy goals and need all their combined strength to achieve them. Public officials listen more carefully when there's numerical strength behind the arguments. A. L. FORSHAW
Brooklyn, N. Y.

WAR VETERANS TO MEET

The New York War Veterans in Civil Service will meet Thursday, January 8, at 8:30 P.M. at 248 West 14th Street, NYC. Proposed veteran preference legislation will be discussed. The organization invites all war veterans in civil service to attend.

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346. RESIDENT IN HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION, \$2,200. Jobs are in Veterans Hospitals throughout the country. Requirements: 18 to 35 years of age; master's degree in hospital administration. Form 57 and 5001-ABC. (February 15, 1953).

345. AUDITOR (industrial cost audits, internal audits), \$4,205 to \$10,800. Jobs are in the Department of the Army, country-wide. Men only. Requirements: Three years of general experience and from one to three years of specialized experience in industrial cost audits or internal audits. Form 5001-ABC and 57. Apply to Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Armed Forces Audit Agencies, 180 Varick Street, New York 14, N. Y. (No closing date).

258. FOREIGN AFFAIRS OFFICER, Grades 7, 9, 11, and 12 \$3,825 to \$6,400 a year. Requirements for GS-7: Knowledge of a foreign country or area; and either (a) bachelor's degree with specialization in one or more of the social sciences including international law and foreign relations, history, sociology, geography, social or cultural anthropology, law or statistics; or in the humanities; and one year of graduate study with specialization in one or more of the above fields; or (b) five years' experience in one or more of the above fields; or (c) any equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Additional educational and experience requirements for higher grades. File forms 57 and 5001-ABC with U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C. (No closing date).

LICENSED ENGINEER (STEAM OR DIESEL), \$4,290 to \$4,695. Jobs are aboard naval transports operating out of NYC. Requirements: Coast Guard license as third assistant of steam or motor vessels; age, 18 to 55. Send form 57 to Employment Branch, Industrial Relations Division, Military Sea Transportation Service Atlantic, Fir Avenue and 58th Street, Brooklyn 50, N. Y. (No closing date).

LEGAL NOTICE

NATAN RIEGELHAUPT CO.

Following is the substance of certificate of limited partnership of NATAN RIEGELHAUPT CO. filed in the New York County Clerk's office on December 19, 1952. The name of the limited partnership is NATAN RIEGELHAUPT CO., the partnership will be engaged in the manufacture, cutting and polishing of diamonds and dealing in the same; the principal place of business will be at 63 West 47th Street, New York, N. Y.; the general partners are Nathan Riegelhaupt and Arthur Riegelhaupt, both of 201 West 101st Street, New York, N. Y.; the limited partner is NORMAN ALLAN of 18507 Northlawn, Detroit, Michigan, who contributed \$30,000. The term of the partnership is from December 17, 1952 to continue at the will of the parties. The limited partner is to receive 50% of the net profits. The contribution of the limited partner is returnable upon termination of the partnership and is not assignable. There is no right to add additional partners. On death of a partner the partnership terminates.

The undersigned have filed a Certificate of Limited Partnership, in pursuance of Sec. 91 of the Partnership Law of New York with the County Clerk for New York County, setting forth the formation under date of Oct. 1, 1951 of a Limited Partnership to engage in the general securities and brokerage business under the name of SCHURMER, ATHERTON & CO., with a principal office at 50 Congress St., Boston, Mass., and a New York office, c/o Shields & Co., 44 Wall St., N. Y. City. The term of the partnership as extended is four years and three months to Dec. 31, 1955. The name and address of the Limited Partner is Edith M. Page, 20 High St., Skowhegan, Me. Her contribution, which is to be returned to her on termination, dissolution of or her retirement from the partnership, is \$100,000 in cash. She made no agreement to make additional contributions, has no right to demand or receive property other than cash in return for her contribution, or any right to substitute an assignee, and her share of profits or other compensation is interest at the rate of 6% payable monthly on her contribution and a 10% share in the net profits of the partnership. There is no provision for the admission of additional limited partners or priority of the limited partner over other limited partners. The remaining general partners may continue the business on the death, retirement or insanity of a general partner during and throughout the term of the partnership. John A. Caldwell, 25 Central St., Winchester, Mass.; Mark R. Hodges, Main St., Topsfield, Mass.; Charles Tiff, Jr., Blyman Hill, Manchester, Mass.; G. Fisher Luther, 65 Morton Rd., Milton, Mass.; Martin C. Lee, 47 Lee Rd., Newton, Mass.; Edward P. Wyeth, Salem End Rd., Framingham, Mass.; W. Robert Mason, Jr., 23 Glendale Rd., Needham, Mass.; Alf C. Lutz, 39 Maple St., Kingston, Mass.; John Gardner, 7 Arzon Rd., Arlington, Mass.; H. Hale Atherton, 5 Waldron St., Marblehead, Mass.; Richard H. Moelke, Bellevue Ave., Rumson, N. J.

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equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6257. ASSISTANT RADIO-PHYSICIST, \$4,053 to \$4,889. One vacancy at Buffalo in the Department of Health. Requirements: (1) bachelor's degree with specialization in physics or electrical engineering; and (2) one year's experience in a laboratory including physics work; and (3) either (a) one more year's experience, or (b) 30 graduate credits with specialization in physics or electrical engineering, or (c) equivalent. (Friday, January 9).

STATE Promotion

5219. (revised and reissued). SENIOR SUPERINTENDENT OF CONSTRUCTION (Prom.), Department of Public Works, \$4,964 to \$6,088. Seven vacancies, ten more anticipated. Requirements: one year as assistant superintendent of construction. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

5124. (reissued). ASSISTANT LAND AND CLAIMS ADJUSTER (Prom.), Department of Public Works, \$5,414 to \$6,537. Vacancies: five in Albany, one in Binghamton, one in Buffalo, two in Hornell, four in Rochester, one in Watertown. Requirements: one year as junior land and claims adjuster; medical, physical and character requirements; driver's license. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

5126. (reissued). SENIOR LAND AND CLAIMS ADJUSTER (Prom.), Department of Public Works, \$6,562 to \$7,992. Vacancies, three in Albany, one in Poughkeepsie. Requirements: two years as assistant land and claims adjuster; medical, physical and character requirements; driver's license. Fee \$5. (Friday, January 23).

5245. HEAD STENOGRAPHER (Prom.), Division of Municipal Affairs, Department of Audit and Control, \$4,206 to \$5,039. One va-

cancy in Albany. Requirements: one year as principal stenographer. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

5246. DIRECTOR OF CEREBRAL PALSY UNIT (Prom.), Department of Health, \$4,664 to \$5,601. One vacancy in the State Rehabilitation Hospital, West Haverstraw. Requirements: one year as senior occupational therapist, senior occupational therapist (orthopedic), or supervising physical therapist. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

5247. HEAD HEARING REPORTER (Prom.), Labor Relations Board, \$4,964 to \$6,088. One vacancy in NYC. Requirements: one year as hearing reporter. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

5248. SUPERVISOR OF SOCIAL WORK (PSYCHIATRIC) (Prom.), Department of Mental Hygiene, \$4,664 to \$5,601. One vacancy at Letchworth Village. Requirements: one year as senior social worker (psychiatric); and (1) two years of graduate study in school of social work, preferably with a master's degree; and (2) either (a) four years' experience in social casework with a social agency, of which two years must have been in psychiatric social casework in consultation with a psychiatrist and one year in a supervisory or administrative capacity, or (b) equivalent of the above. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

5249. SENIOR SOCIAL WORKER (PSYCHIATRIC) (Prom.), Department of Mental Hygiene, \$4,206 to \$5,039. Eight vacancies: two at State Psychiatric Institute, one each at Middletown and Central Islip State Hospitals, one each at Rome, Letchworth, Syracuse and Willowbrook State Schools. Requirements: one year as social worker (psychiatric); and (1) two years of graduate study in a school of social work, preferably with a master's degree; and (2) either two years' experience in social casework with an agency, or (b) satisfactory equivalent. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

5250. SUPERVISING MOTOR CARRIER REFEREE (Prom.), De-

partment of Public Service, \$6,801 to \$8,231. One vacancy in Albany. Requirements: two years as motor carrier referee. Fee \$5. (Friday, January 23).

5251. HEAD STENOGRAPHER (Prom.), Department of Social Welfare (exclusive of the institutions), \$4,206 to \$5,039. One vacancy in Albany. Requirements: one year as principal stenographer. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

5917. EMPLOYMENT MANAGER (Prom.), Div. of Employment, Department of Labor, \$5,189 to \$6,313. Requirements: one year as senior employment interviewer or assistant employment security manager. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

5231. SENIOR HORTICULTURAL INSPECTOR (Prom.), Department of Agriculture and Markets, \$4,359 to \$5,189. Two vacancies, one at Hicksville and one at Newark. Requirements: one year as horticultural inspector. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

5232. HISTOLOGY TECHNICIAN (Prom.), Division of Laboratories and Research, Department of Health, \$2,771 to \$3,571. Two vacancies in Albany. Requirements: one year as laboratory worker. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

5234. HEARING REPORTER (Prom.), New York Office, Department of Law, \$4,206 to \$5,039. Five vacancies in NYC. Requirements: one year in stenographic posi-

tion allocated to G-10 or higher. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

5235. INSURANCE FUND BRANCH MANAGER (Prom.), State Insurance Fund, Department of Labor, \$5,863 to \$7,088. One vacancy in Elmira, and another is expected to develop in Olean. Requirements: one year in position allocated to G-18 or higher. Fee \$5. (Friday, January 9).

5237. SENIOR INSURANCE FUND DISTRICT MANAGER (Prom.), Upstate offices, State Insurance Fund, Department of Labor, \$8,350 to \$10,138. One vacancy in Syracuse. Requirements: two years as insurance fund branch manager or associate compensation claims examiner. Fee \$5. (Friday, January 9).

5238. ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATIVE FINANCE OFFICER (Prom.), Workmen's Compensation Board, Department of Labor, \$6,088 to \$7,421. One vacancy in Albany. Requirements: one year as head account clerk or two years as principal account clerk or two years in a position allocated to grade G-14 or higher. Fee \$6. (Friday, January 9).

5239. HEAD COMPENSATION CLERK (Prom.), Workmen's Compensation Board, Dept. of Labor, \$4,664 to \$5,601. One vacancy in Binghamton. Requirements: two years as principal compensation clerk or as junior com-

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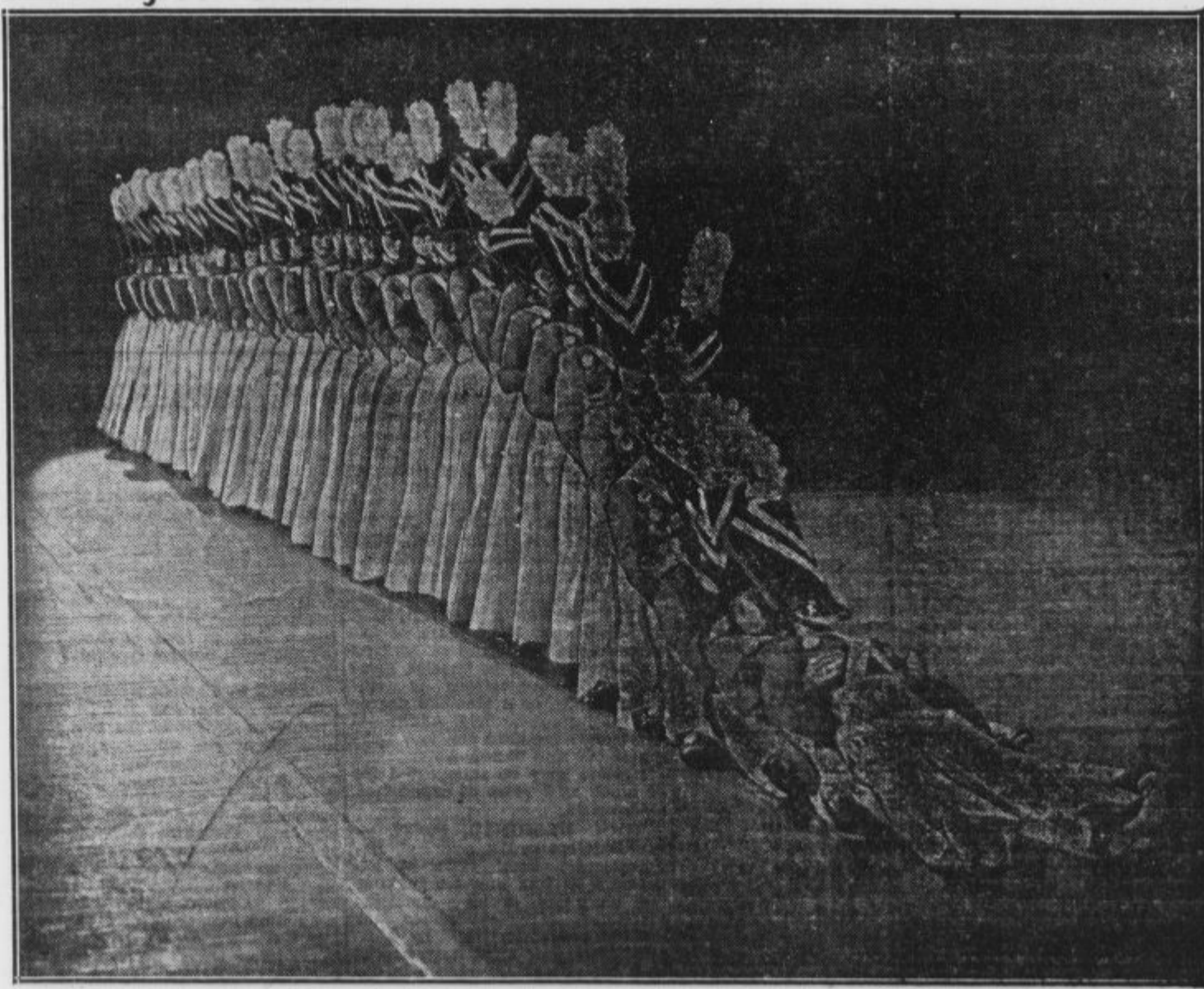
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5240. JUNIOR COMPENSATION REVIEWING EXAMINER (Prom.), Workmen's Compensation Board, Department of Labor, \$3,731 to \$4,532. Two vacancies in NYC. Requirements: either two years as senior clerk (compensation) and/or compensation investigator, or one year as senior clerk (compensation) and/or compensation investigator and, in addition, graduation from a law school or admission to the Bar of the State of New York. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

5241. PRINCIPAL CLERK (Prom.), Workmen's Compensation Board, Department of Labor, \$3,411 to \$4,212. One vacancy in Albany. Requirements: one year in clerical positions (including clerks, stenographers, typists, and machine operators) allocated to G-6 or higher. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

5242. ASSISTANT BRIDGE MANAGER (Prom.), N. Y. State Bridge Authority, \$3,773 to \$4,427. One vacancy at Rip Van Winkle Bridge in Catskill. Requirements: two years as senior clerk or as cashier. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

5243. SENIOR CLERK (MAINTENANCE), (Prom.), Department of Public Works, \$2,771 to \$3,571. One vacancy in each of the following district offices: No. 1, Albany; No. 2, Utica; No. 4, Rochester; and No. 7, Watertown. Requirements: one year in clerical positions (including clerks, typists, stenographers, and machine operators) allocated to G-2 or higher. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

5026 (reissued). PRINCIPAL COMPENSATION CLERK (Prom.) Upstate offices, Workmen's Compensation Board, Department of Labor, \$3,731 to \$4,532. Six vacancies: three in Albany, one in Binghamton, one in Buffalo and one in Syracuse. Requirements: two years (a) as a senior clerk (compensation) or compensation investigator or in a position of a higher level involving workmen's compensation and/or disability benefits claims examination and evaluation; or (b) in a position allocated to grade G-6 or higher and three years' experience in examination, evaluation or investigation of workmen's compensation and/or disability benefits claims cases. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

5148. (reissued). SENIOR COMPENSATION CLAIMS EXAMINER (Prom.), Upstate offices, State Insurance Fund, Department of Labor, \$4,964 to \$6,088. Three vacancies, one in Albany and two in Syracuse. Requirements: one year as assistant compensation claims auditor. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 9).

5204. SENIOR REHABILITATION COUNSELOR (Prom.), Education Department (exclusive of schools and the State University), \$4,964 to \$6,088. Two vacancies. Requirements: two years as rehabilitation counselor or supervisor of vocational rehabilitation. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 9).

5914. PRINCIPAL MAIL AND SUPPLY CLERK (Prom.), Division of Employment, Department of Labor, \$3,411 to \$4,212. One vacancy in Albany. Requirements: one year as senior mail and sup-

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5915. ASSISTANT PROPERTY MANAGER (Prom.), Upstate Area, Division of Employment, Department of Labor, \$4,359 to \$5,189. One vacancy in Albany. Requirements: one year in a position allocated to G-10 or higher and two years' experience in renting, leasing or managing business property on a large scale. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

5916. PRIN. CLERK, (Prom.), Div. of Employment, Department of Labor, \$3,411 to \$4,212. Requirements: one year in a clerical position allocated to G-6 or higher. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

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6586. ASSISTANT SUPERVISOR OF CASE WORK, Division of Public Assistance, Department of Family and Child Welfare, Department of Public Welfare, Westchester County, \$4,200 to \$5,320. One vacancy. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

6588. PHOTOSTAT OPERATOR, County Clerk's Office, Westchester County, \$2,650 to \$3,250. One vacancy. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 23).

6595. CLINIC SUPERVISOR (mental hygiene), Department of Health, Westchester County, \$4,200 to \$5,320. Three vacancies in the Mental Hygiene clinics. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

6247. HEAD CLERK (SURROGATE), Erie County, \$4,359 to \$5,189. One vacancy at Erie County Surrogate's Office, Department of Taxation and Finance. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6579. STATISTICAL CLERK, Tompkins County, \$2,300 to \$3,800. One vacancy in the Department of Health. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

6580. ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT, Department of Family and Child Welfare, Department of (Continued on page 12)

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6582. PROBATION OFFICER, Westchester County, \$3,670 to \$4,510. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6583. RECREATION SUPERVISOR, Village of Ossining, Westchester County, \$2,670. One vacancy. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

6584. RECREATION SUPERVISOR, Village of Scarsdale, Westchester County, \$2,613 to \$3,216. One vacancy. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

6585. SANITARY INSPECTOR, Westchester County, \$3,110 to \$3,830. One vacancy in the Department of Health. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6586. PLUMBING INSPECTOR, Town of Amherst, Erie County, \$4,500. One vacancy. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 9).

6589. PLUMBING INSPECTOR, Town of Tonawanda, Erie County, \$4,010.89. One vacancy. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 9).

6567. DRAFTSMAN, Town of Cheektowaga, Erie County, \$3,000. One vacancy. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

6565. ACCOUNT ADJUSTER, Erie County, \$3,350 to \$3,650. One vacancy in the Edward J. Meyer Memorial Hospital in Buffalo. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6566. ASSISTANT ELECTRIC SUPERINTENDENT, Village of Springville, Erie County, \$3,229.92. One vacancy. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6563. POLICE PATROLMAN, Village of Fredonia, Chautauque County, \$175 to \$265 a month. One vacancy. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

6564. PROBATION OFFICER, Chautauque County, \$3,136 to \$3,643. One vacancy. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6562. POLICE PATROLMAN, City of Rye, \$3,780. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6570. PROBATION OFFICER, Erie County, \$3,850 to \$4,350. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6571. SENIOR ACCOUNT ADJUSTER, Erie County, \$3,750 to \$4,160. One vacancy in the Edward J. Meyer Memorial Hospital in

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6578. POLICE PATROLMAN, Towns and Villages, Rockland County, \$2,950 to \$3,900. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6575. OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY AIDE, Summit Park Sanatorium, Rockland County, \$2,700 to \$3,100. One vacancy. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6574. FOOD SERVICE SUPERVISOR, Summit Park Sanatorium, Rockland County, \$3,400 to \$3,800. One vacancy. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6572. POLICE PATROLMAN, Village of Lake Placid, Essex County, \$55 a week. One vacancy. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

6572. VETERINARIAN (MILK CONTROL), Department of Health, Erie County, \$5,950. One vacancy. Fee \$5. (Friday, January 9).

6571. SANITARY INSPECTOR, Town of Thompson, Sullivan County, \$1,600. One vacancy in the Department of Health. Fee \$1. (Friday, January 9).

6578. POLICE PATROLMAN, Village of Groton, Tompkins County, \$60 a week. One vacancy. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 9).

6587. INTERMEDIATE SOCIAL CASE WORKER (PUBLIC ASSISTANCE), Westchester County, \$3,110 to \$3,830. One vacancy in Department of Public Welfare. Requirements: (1) bachelor's degree with courses in sociology, psychology or allied social sciences and (2) either (2) two years' experience in social case work, including one year in family case work, or (b) one year of social case work plus one year's graduate study, or (c) two-year course in school of social work, or (d) equivalent combination of (a), (b) and (c). Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

338. PROBATION OFFICER, Nassau County, \$4,270 to \$5,236. Six vacancies. Fee \$3. Apply to Nassau County Civil Service Commission, 1527 Franklin Avenue, Mineola, N. Y. (Friday, January 9).

6589. SENIOR SOCIAL CASE WORKER (PUBLIC ASSISTANCE), Westchester County, \$3,670 to \$4,510. One vacancy in Department of Public Welfare. Requirements: (1) bachelor's degree; and (2) either (a) four years' experience in social case work including one year in family case work, or (b) two year of social case work including one year in family case work plus two-year course in school of social work, or (c) equivalent combination of (a) and (b). Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

331. SANITARY INSPECTOR, Nassau County, \$3,270 to \$4,236. Seven vacancies in the Department of Health. Requirements: either (a) six years' experience as a sanitary inspector; or (b) two years' experience plus high school graduation including courses in general science, mathematics and chemistry; or (c) satisfactory equivalent combination of the above. Fee \$2. Apply to Nassau County Civil Service Commission, 1527 Franklin Avenue, Mineola, N. Y. (Friday, January 23).

6242. EXECUTIVE OFFICER "D", Suffolk County, \$4,964 to \$6,088. One vacancy at Riverhead in the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 9).

6248. SENIOR CLERK (SUBROGATE), Albany County, \$2,771 to \$3,571. One vacancy at Albany County Surrogate's Office, Department of Taxation and Finance. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

6583. RECREATION SUPERVISOR, Ossining, \$2,670. One vacancy at Ossining, Westchester County. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 9).

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5457. PHOTOSTAT RECORDER OPERATOR (Prom.), County Clerk's Office, Erie County, \$3,050 to \$3,350. One vacancy. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

5458. SENIOR SOCIAL CASE WORKER (Public Assistance), (Prom.), Department of Social Welfare, Erie County, \$3,350 to \$3,750. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

5459. SOCIAL CASE SUPERVISOR, Grade A, (Prom.), Department of Social Welfare, Erie County, \$4,350 to \$4,750. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

5460. SOCIAL CASE SUPERVISOR (UNIT) (Prom.), Department of Social Welfare, Erie County, \$3,850 to \$4,250. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

5461. ASSISTANT SUPERVISOR OF CASE WORK (Prom.), Division of Public Assistance, Department of Family and Child Welfare, Westchester County, \$4,200 to \$5,320. One vacancy. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

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The names of persons on the following NYC eligible lists have been submitted to NYC departments for possible appointment. More names usually are submitted than there are job vacancies, so not all certified are called to job interviews. The title of the position, the number of the last eligible certified, and the department or departments to which certified, are given. "Y" means that the investigation of the eligible has not been completed. "V" means non-disabled veteran and "D" disabled veteran.

OPEN-COMPETITIVE

Assistant civil engineer (structural), Education; 27.
Correction officer (women), Correction; 109.
Inspector of pipe laying, grade 3, Water Supply, Gas and Electricity; V 12.
Inspector of pipes and castings, grade 3, Board of Water Supply; 4.
Junior assessor, Tax; V 47.
Junior civil engineer, Education, Traffic, Housing Authority, Transportation, Marine and Aviation, Board of Water Supply, Public Works, Bronx, Richmond, Brooklyn, Manhattan, Queens Borough President's Offices, Higher Education, Tax, Parks, City College; 14 Y.
Junior electrical engineer,

Transportation, Public Works, Hospitals, Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Traffic, Marine and Aviation; 7.
Office appliance operator, grade 2, Youth Board, Brooklyn College, Education, Civil Defense, Civil Service Commission; 102.
Patrolman, Police Department; 3934.
Policewoman (appropriate for transit policewoman), Transportation; 100 Y.
Stenographer, grade 2, Civil Service Commission; 79 MY.
Structure maintainer, group C, Transportation; 2.
Surface line operator (appropriate), Transportation; 8653 Y.
Telephone operator, grade 1, Health; 171.
Telephone operator, grade 1, relating shifts, Hospitals; 332.
Transit patrolman, bridge and tunnel officer, and correction officer (men) (appropriate), Correction; V 1384.
Water tender, Marine and Aviation; 68.

PROMOTION

Assessor, Tax; 17.
Assistant civil engineer, Manhattan Borough President's Office; 4.
Assistant foreman (structures, group B), NYCTS; 13.

Health Inspector, grade 3, Health; V 108.
Stock assistant (revised), Purchase; V 22.
Supervising tabulating machine operator (IBM) equipment, grade 3, Housing Authority; 4.
SPECIAL MILITARY
Conductor, Transportation; 5663 Y.

Office appliance operator, grade 2, Youth Board, Brooklyn College, Education, Civil Defense, Civil Service Commission; VPC 28.
Stenographer, grade 2, Civil Service Commission; 136 MY.
Surface line operator, Transportation; 4938 Y.

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The announcement is No. 2-43-2 (52).

15 Patrolmen Switch To NYC Fireman Jobs

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Kaplan's Study Of U. S. Pensions Gets Started

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 — An appropriation of \$50,000 from the President's executive fund has been granted for the study of U. S. pension systems, which is headed by H. Elliot Kaplan, former Deputy Comptroller of New York State, in which capacity he administered the State Employees Retirement System. Mr. Kaplan is recognized as one of the nation's outstanding pension experts.

Temporary quarters are being occupied by the study group with the U. S. Civil Service Commission, but negotiations are being conducted for a location at 18th and G Streets.

An organization meeting was held last week, and the study thus has officially gotten under way.

A Year's Job

The work Mr. Kaplan will do is expected to keep him in Washington about two days a week.

The final report is to be submitted by year's end to Congress, which unanimously voted in favor of the project. To be sure, it was the previous Congress, but the 83rd Congress is expected to back up the project just as completely, as the study is entirely removed from any partisan controversies, as indicated by the unanimous vote.

President-elect Dwight D. Eisenhower's civil service advisers are reported to have recommended to

him that the new Administration get wholeheartedly behind the project. President Truman himself appointed Mr. Kaplan, on the recommendation of his advisers that Mr. Kaplan, because of his freedom from politics and his pension knowledge, was just the type of man about whom any Administration would be enthusiastic.

Friends of General Eisenhower say that he was glad that Mr. Kaplan was selected.

One of the questions that the committee headed by Mr. Kaplan will study will be the relationship of Social Security to the U. S. Civil Service Retirement System. Among the other Government retirement systems that will be studied will be Railroad Retirement, District of Columbia, State Department Foreign Service Retirement, and the retirement systems of the Tennessee Valley Authority and the Federal Reserve.

Besides Mr. Kaplan, former executive director of the National Civil Service League, members will include the Secretary of the Treasury, the Secretary of Defense, the chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, the Budget Director, and the Chairman of the U. S. Civil Service Commission.

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NYC Tests

The January series of NYC open-competitive and promotion exams has been announced by the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

Applications will be accepted from Wednesday, January 7, to Thursday, January 22, except the laundry worker (men) title, for which application may be made only on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, January 27, 28 and 29. There are more than 100 vacancies for laundry workers to be filled. No written exam will be held. Salary is \$1,990 a year.

Except where noted, candidates must be NYC residents.

The exams are:

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Open-Competitive

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6632. ASPHALT WORKER, \$4,100 (when assigned to asphalt laboring work); \$4,260 (smoothing or top shoveling); \$4,290 (tamping); \$4,420 (raking). Requirements: three years' experience laying sheet asphalt pavement; maximum age, 45 years. Fee \$4. (Thursday, January 22).

6692. ASSISTANT CIVIL ENGINEER (SANITARY), \$4,771. One vacancy in the Bronx Borough President's Office. Requirements: bachelor's degree in engineering and three years' sanitary engineering experience, or satisfactory equivalent. Fee \$4. (Thursday, January 22).

6684. CHIEF MATERIALS EXPEDITER, GRADE 4, \$7,250. One vacancy in the NYC Housing Authority and one in the Department of Education. Exempt from NYC residence requirements. Requirements: five years' experience as chief materials expeditor for a construction company engaged on fireproof housing construction or office building construction, or satisfactory equivalent. Fee \$4. (Thursday, January 22).

6576. CHLORINATOR OPERATOR, \$2,960. Six vacancies in the Department of Parks and the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. Requirements: one year's experience in the operation and maintenance of a chlorine plant. Fee \$2. (Thursday, January 22).

6599. CONSTRUCTION MANAGER (BUILDINGS), \$7,500. Four vacancies in the Department of Education. Exempt from NYC residence requirements. Requirements: ten years of building construction experience, at least three years of which must have been as a general superintendent on work comparable in size to projects of the Board of Education, or satisfactory equivalent. Fee \$5. (Thursday, January 22).

6619. DISTRICT HEALTH OFFICER, GRADE 4, \$7,900. Nine vacancies in the Department of Health. Open to all qualified U. S. citizens. Requirements: medical school graduation, one year as an interne, State license to practice medicine, and either (a) master's degree in public health or (b) five years' experience as a health officer or assistant health officer. Fee \$4. (Thursday, January 22).

6685. ILLUSTRATOR (CITY PLANNING), \$3,770. Five vacancies in the Department of City Planning. Requirements: bachelor's degree with specialization in art and one year's experience in the illustration and interpretation of statistical reports and data in graphic forms. Fee \$3. (Thursday, January 22).

6603. INSPECTOR OF STEEL (SHOP), GRADE 3, \$4,016. One vacancy in the Board of Transportation in Bethlehem, Pa. Open

to all qualified U. S. citizens. Requirements: three years' experience in the inspection in a shop of the process of steel fabrication, at least one year of which must have been on welded structures and one year as foreman, superintendent or inspector. Fee \$3. (Thursday, January 22).

6738. INSTRUCTOR (TAILORING), GRADE 1, \$2,995. One permanent and one temporary vacancy in the Department of Correction. Requirements: six months as a tailor, or satisfactory equivalent. Fee \$2. (Thursday, January 22).

6796. JUNIOR ACCOUNTANT, \$3,385. Several vacancies. Requirements: (a) bachelor's degree including or supplemented by six credits in accounting; or (b) high school graduation, six credits of accounting of college grade, and two years' experience in accounting work; or (c) satisfactory equivalent combination of education and experience. Fee \$2. (Thursday, January 22).

6709. SUPERVISOR OF CUSTODIANS, \$7,500. Four vacancies in the Department of Education. Requirements: high school graduation or equivalent; plus at least ten years' experience in buildings similar to school buildings either (a) in charge of maintenance or (b) in building construction in an executive or supervisory capacity or (c) as a graduate civil or mechanical engineer on building operation and maintenance, or satisfactory equivalent. Fee \$5. (Thursday, January 22).

6674. SENIOR HEALTH PUBLICITY ASSISTANT, \$4,646. One vacancy in the Department of Health. Requirements: (a) master's degree in public health; (b) three years' experience in community health education developing community health education programs, one year of which must have been in a supervisory or administrative capacity. Fee \$4. (Thursday, January 22).

6660. SUPERVISING TABULATING MACHINE OPERATOR (IBM EQUIPMENT), GRADE 4, \$4,016. One vacancy in the NYC Housing Authority. Exempt from NYC residence requirements. Requirements: two years' experience as a supervisor of an IBM installation, or satisfactory equivalent. Fee \$3. (Thursday, January 22).

NYC Promotion

6567. ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF CONSTRUCTION (BUILDINGS), GRADE 4 (Prom.) NYC Housing Authority and Department of Education. Requirements: six months as inspector of construction (including all specialties), grade 4; inspector of carpentry and masonry, grade 4; inspector of heating and ventilation, grade 4; electrical inspector, grade 4; sanitary inspector, grade 4; inspector of repairs, grade 4; inspector of steel (construction), grade 4; general inspector, grade 4; or general inspector of construction (including all specialties). Fee \$4. (Thursday, January 22).

6780. DEPUTY CHIEF, FIRE DEPARTMENT (Prom.), \$8,200 total. Requirements: one year as battalion chief. Fee \$5. (Thursday, January 22).

6595. MESSENGER, GRADE 3 (Prom.), City Court, \$3,421 and over. Requirements: six months as attendant, grade 2; watchman, grade 2, or messenger, grade 2. Fee \$3. (Thursday, January 22).

6732. ATTENDANT, GRADE 2 (Prom.), City Court, \$2,831 to \$3,420. Three vacancies. Requirements: six months as attendant, grade 1, or messenger, grade 1. Fee \$2. (Thursday, January 22).

5929. (amended notice). SUPERVISOR (MEDICAL SOCIAL WORK), (Prom.), \$4,140 to \$4,620. Three vacancies in the Department of Hospitals. Requirements: six months as medical social worker, grade 2. Fee \$4. (Thursday, January 22).

6735. TERMINAL FOREMAN, GRADE 2 (Prom.), Department of Marine and Aviation, \$2,891 to \$3,420. Three vacancies. Requirements: six months as deckhand or ticket agent. Fee \$2. (Thursday, January 22).

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Police Test Open To Servicemen Until Feb. 28

Servicemen have until Saturday, February 28, to apply in the NYC patrolman test. When the last application was received from the general public, on December 22, the number of applicants totaled 8,869.

Anybody who was in military service during the normal application period, or any part of that period, may apply until February 28.

The written test will be held on Saturday, March 14.

Pass Marks

The written test and the physical test will be competitive. In the physical test the pass mark will be 70 percent. No announcement has been made concerning the pass mark in the written test, and it may be announced for the first time on the exam paper itself. It would then probably be between 65 and 70, inclusive. But the Municipal Civil Service Commission could announce the mark sooner, since it now knows that, including prospective servicemen and candidates, it will have about 9,000 applicants. This is only about one-third the usual number, hence the pass mark may be less than 70, to assure a sufficiently large eligible list. The Commission would like at least 5,000 eligibles and could set the pass mark as the score of the 5,000th in relative standing in the written test.

Pay

The entrance salary is \$3,725 a year and rises to \$4,780 after three years. Ages are 20 to 29 for application, although nobody under 21 is appointed, and three years' continuous residence in NYC immediately preceding appointment is required. Veterans may deduct from their age, if above 29, the length of time spent in the armed forces during war.

There are no educational or experience requirements.

Basic Requirements In NYC Patrolman Test

The minimum requirements follow:

There are no formal educational or experience requirements.

Ages are 20 to 29, but veterans over 29 may deduct the length of time spent in the armed forces during war or the Korean conflict.

Minimum height, 5 feet, 8 inches, bare feet; weight not ill-proportioned, but there are no rigid standards of proportion, and age is not a proportion factor.

Minimum vision, 20/20 Snellen, in each eye separately, without glasses.

Residence in New York State and U. S. citizenship.

Servicemen May Apply In Sanitation Test to Jan. 31

The written test in the sanitation man, class B, exam will be held by NYC on Saturday, February 14. By the time applications close for men in military service, Saturday, January 31, about 11,000 men will have applied. For those not in service, applications have closed.

By serviceman is meant any-

No Point Preference On Special Military Lists, With a Single Exception

By H. J. BERNARD

WHEN the war veteran preference amendment to the State Constitution became effective, on January 1, 1951, it substituted point preference for absolute preference, but in the application of the new law a problem arose regarding special military lists.

When a list, on which a veteran is one of the eligibles, expires while he is on military duty, he would be penalized for that service, if no provision were made for keeping a list alive for him. So special military lists are established. The question arises: Does point preference, or absolute preference, or any preference at all apply to special military lists?

With one exception, the answer is No.

Same Principle Applies

The reason is not that the veteran is discriminated against, on the point preference score, when his name goes on a military list. On the contrary, veteran preference on a special military list is no different than preference on any other competitive list, and is granted in the same manner and under the same circumstances, terms and conditions, as is preference on general lists. Naturally, with respect to veteran status acquired after the establishment of a list, an eligible may not perfect a claim of point preference under the new provision, on any military list, if he could not have perfected it on the original list. That is the core of the whole matter.

Reason for the Rule

The cutoff point of the old law, which marked the beginning of the new, made it impossible to apply either form of veteran preference because neither benefit was earned in time. Under old law, all who passed an exam were put on the eligible list in this order: disabled veterans first, non-disabled veterans next, non-veterans last. Within each group the eligibles took their relative standing on the basis of their percentages. Under the new law, in open competitive exams disabled veterans who pass the test get 10 points added to their earned score, non-disabled veterans 5. In promotion tests these respective values are halved.

Since primary preference is abolished, it can not be granted to veterans restored to an eligible list after January 1, 1951, whose veteran status arose prior to that date. Neither may preference points be added for benefit of such veterans, since no point preference existed at the time their veteran status arose. An incidental point is that on a special military list, since it is composed only of veterans, any veteran preference effect would be of lesser consequence than on a list which included non-veterans.

Military Rights

While if the original list expired prior to January 1, 1951, no preference points are added for a veteran placed on a special military list, his status as a veteran is noted, and he becomes entitled to his "military rights." This phrase distinguishes point preference from other benefits. Military rights include retroactive seniority, retention and other valuable make-good for otherwise lost opportunities.

Retroactive seniority means that the veteran, on appointment or promotion, is entitled to the same seniority as that of the next lower eligible who was appointed or promoted and who had the same or lesser, or no, veteran status.

However, the establishment of military rights is, in general, to be divorced from the establishment of veteran preference, since the "rights" depend on Section 246 of the Military Law, and the "preference" on Section 21 of the Civil Service Law and the constitutional amendment.

In a court case which involved

the justification of military rights prior to January 1, 1951, the Court of Appeals directed that the two statutes be read together. But a situation quite similar to the one on which the court ruled is unlikely to arise under the new constitutional provision.

Take a list that was in existence on January 1, 1951, and that expired subsequently. Again, the veteran's name may go on a special military list and without point preference, since the old law was in existence when his veteran status arose, and the absolute or primary benefits under that law may not be invoked after January 1, 1951. In effect, the January 1, 1951 date takes care of situations that existed prior to that date, and not subsequently, through conversion to the point system as of that date. Military rights apply, however, as in the case of veterans on lists that expired prior to that date.

The Sole Exception

If, after January 1, 1951, a veteran on a revised list was passed over, but he was not passed over prior to that date, he becomes entitled to added points on the special military list, if the original list expired after January 1, 1951. This is the sole exception. Now for the first time his name has been passed over, and he is entitled to a compensating benefit. In this case retroactive seniority is determined on the basis of the veteran's standing on the revised original list, not the special military list.

Members of the armed forces who serve only during the Korean conflict, or any part of that period, no matter where they serve, who are passed over while on military service do not get point preference after the list expires. Their names go on a special military list. They get all the other military rights, however. Veteran preference would not apply because they were not discharged from the armed forces prior to the establishment of the original list.

War Veterans Only

It is therefore important to distinguish between the two types of veterans that figure in the determination of point preference or military rights. Ordinarily, when one speaks of a veteran, he means any person who has served in the armed forces. Under civil service law, in this regard, only war veterans are meant, and are of two types: (1) those discharged prior to the establishment of the list, and who meet all the other requirements for point preference, including New York State residence at time of induction; and (2) those who were not discharged prior to the establishment of the list, and therefore aren't entitled to point preference, but, regardless of where they lived when inducted, did serve in the armed forces during a war, or any other officially recognized period, of which the Korean conflict is an example, and acquire thereby military rights. Thus both these benefits—point preference and military rights—apply only to war veterans, and not to veterans generally.

Special Clothes Keep Civilians Warm At 40 Degrees Below

Techno Efficiency Council, 1 Hanson Place, Brooklyn 17, N. Y., is now offering to the public clothing that keeps one warm in excessively low temperatures, as well as an enlarged line of Thermoboots.

Two civil service employees Salvatore V. Gianola and Dominick Maglio, were assigned by the U. S. to buy equipment for the troops in Korea, where the temperature drops as low as 40 degrees below zero. The problem of keeping a fighting force warm at so low a temperature had never confronted the U. S. before. Messrs. Gianola and Maglio solved it. Soon thereafter the new business was formed. They resigned their jobs with CSO Research and Development Division, and, with the Navy's highest civilian honor as ad added asst., started in business.

They received orders from the government, including ones for what the Navy calls its deep-freeze suit, and the Thermoboots. Meanwhile the two inventors kept improving their products and now report that they can clothe and shod a person to keep him warm at 40 degrees below zero.

18,905 Examined By Medical-Physical Unit

The Medical-Physical Bureau of the NYC Civil Service Commission examined 18,905 persons in 1952. Of these 15,885 were original medical tests, 1,648 were medical re-examinations, while 627 were competitive physicals, and 745 were for disabled veteran preference claimants. Paul M. Brennan, director of the Bureau, reported the figures to the Commission.

Employee Groups Hail Job Study and Want Funds Voted Quickly

Although the Board of Estimate deferred until its next regular meeting, on Thursday, January 15, the appropriation of \$190,000 to finance a new Classification Bureau of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, the plan as outlined by Mayor Vincent R. Impellitteri is slated to go through.

Employee groups have endorsed the project, including the Government and Civic Employees Organizing Committee, CIO; the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL, and the Civil Service Forum. "We're strongly in favor of it," said Raymond E. Diana national representative of the CIO group.

"We know that the Commission is prepared to make a genuine and constructive effort to produce a workable and satisfactory reclassification of the City service," said Eugene Schwartz, special representative of the AFL group.

Mr. Schwartz deplored the delay in voting the funds.

Opinions Differ
Some civic organizations found fault with the proposed personnel for reclassification, which would be undertaken by a staff drawn partly from the Commission's own ranks, partly from eligible lists, and partly through the hiring of specialists in connection with any problem the Commission feels requires supplemental sifting. The AFL unions, also, wanted safeguarding assurances, such as that an employee's salary would be raised to that of the new grade into which his title might be

placed, in every instance, instead of being left in his present grade, if that grade becomes lower because of pay raised in higher grades.

The unions seemed to take for granted that the present division of jobs into services, and the separate grading of each service, would be continued. The Commission has been asked by others to give particular attention to the method used by the Federal and State governments, whereby there is just one series of ascending grades, and all jobs, regardless of the nature of the service, are assigned to one of the grades, and in general without pay overlaps.

Importance Stressed
The AFL unions particularly called City employees' attention to the tremendous importance of the project to them, and advised that, despite technical aspects, it should be followed closely, and every effort made to see that the employees benefit from it.

Sidney M. Stern, one of the Commission's top examiners, has been appointed to head the project. Quarters for the new bureau have been made ready in the north wing, fourth floor, 299 Broadway, in the Commission's suite.

Voting on the appropriation resolution was deferred at the last meeting of the Board at the request of Comptroller Lazarus Joseph. He said that some members of the Mayor's Committee on Management Survey wanted to study the project some more. He did not identify them or say what their doubts were.

If You Have No Experience Or You're Highly Trained There's a Job for You Here

WANTED . . . Window cleaners, outside ledge work, using safety belt, \$60 week. . . Stationary engineers, \$60-\$70 week, must be experienced and have NYC steam and high pressure licence or unlimited refrigeration permit. Apply Hotel Placement Office, 40 East 59th Street, NYC.

WANTED . . . Stenographers and typists for Japan, over 20 years old, must be citizen. 2-year tour of duty, \$2,960 plus 10% bonus. Apply at Commercial Office, 1 East 19th Street, NYC.

WANTED . . . Registered occupational therapist, man or woman, to work with young adults confined to hospital for special treatment. Must be graduate of AMA accredited school of occupational therapy, \$2,950 a year; also a physical therapist to work with children suffering from cerebral palsy. Must be graduate of AMA accredited school and have New York State license, \$3,260. Apply Nurse and Medical Placement Center, 136 East 57th Street, NYC.

WANTED . . . Double needle operators, woman experienced on corsets and bras, piece work average \$45-\$70; also single needle operators, women, experienced on housecoats, complete garment or section work, piece work, union or non-union, \$50-\$80. Apply Manhattan Needle Trades Office, 225 West 34th Street, NYC. See Miss Miller.

No Experience Needed

WANTED . . . Turret lathe foreman, set-up and operate turret lathe, acting as assistant foreman or lead man. Will help in laying out and coordinating jobs, checking set-up and following through on work schemes, must have supervisory experience, \$251 an hour. . . Car washers, 85c hour, no experience necessary. . . Gas station attendants \$45-\$70, must have driver's license and be able to read and write English. . . Auto mechanics, \$70-\$90, have own tools. . . All around sheet metal workers, knowledge of blueprints and power machines to \$2.08 hour. . . Bench and floor molders for foundry to \$2.05 hour. . . Iron workers, some shop riveting \$2 hour. . . Iron erectors \$2.50. . . Apply Queens Industrial Office, Bank of Manhattan Building, Queens Plaza, L. I. C.

WANTED . . . Machinists, \$2 hour up. . . Tool and die makers, \$2-\$2.50. . . Machine shop foreman, \$100-\$125 week. . . Sewing machine operators on wigs, \$34 week. . . Steel rule benders, \$1.50-\$2. . . Engravers, pantograph operators \$1.25-\$2 hour. . . Auto-

matic or hand screw machine operators \$1.50-\$2. . . Blueprint and photostat machine operators, \$40-\$70 week. . . Glass blowers on laboratory apparatus \$1.50-\$2. . . Jig boring machine operator \$2.10. . . Watch dial printer, Swiss machine experience, to \$50. . . Ink tinter \$75-\$100 week. . . Apply Manhattan Industrial Office, 87 Madison Avenue, NYC.

WANTED . . . Shipbuilding workers, arc welders, acetylene burners, electricians, ship fitters, sheet metal workers, chippers and caulkers, iron workers, riggers, \$1.80 hour, plus 7% for nite work. Apply Shipbuilding Trades Office, 165 Joralemon Street, Brooklyn.

WANTED . . . S&S wrappers, finishers on paper boxes, women only, must be experienced. Union scale. . . Bakers, Italian bread experience, nites, \$70-\$90. . . Plumbers with jobbing and alteration experience, \$2 and up. . . Platen press feeders, hand, men, \$1-\$1.25 hour, school or shop experience . . .

Cattle splitter, man, \$75 to start. . . Sheet metal bench hand \$2-\$2.50 hour. . . Electrician's helpers to help maintain power distributors, lighting signals and similar electrical work. Must be citizen and pass physical, \$1.56 hour. . . Oil burner servicemen, light or heavy oil, \$14-\$20 a day. . . Apply Brooklyn Industrial Office, 205 Schermerhorn Street.

WANTED . . . Beauticians and hairdressers, all boros, \$40-\$55 week, plus 30 to 50% over double commission. Also barbers, \$50 week plus 50% over double commission. Apply Beauty Culture Unit, 40 East 59th Street. Ask for Mrs. Fracentese.

WANTED . . . 100 hospital workers, men and women, 5 days, rotating shifts, ward attendants, \$2,500-\$2,750 a year with yearly increases. Must be citizen and read, write and speak English. Meals and uniforms furnished. Apply Industries Office, 40 East 59th Street.

EXAMS NOW OPEN

COUNTY AND VILLAGE Promotion

(Continued from page 12)
5463. (Prom.), Department of Family and Child Welfare, Department of Public Welfare, Westchester County, \$3,180 to \$3,830. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

5464. SENIOR SOCIAL CASE WORKER (Public Assistance) (Prom.), Department of Family and Child Welfare, Department of Public Welfare, Westchester County, \$3,670 to \$4,510. One vacancy. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

5465. SUPERVISOR OF CASE WORK Public Assistance, (Prom.), \$4,610 to \$6,050, and SUPERVISOR OF CASE WORK (Hospital Division) (Prom.), \$5,280 to \$6,840, Department of Family and Child Welfare, Department of Public Welfare, Westchester County. Fee \$4. (Friday, January 23).

5466. ADDRESSOGRAPH-GRAFOTYPE OPERATOR (Prom.), Rockland County Treasurer's Office, \$2,500 to \$2,900. One vacancy. Fee \$2. (Friday, January 23).

5467. EXAMINATION CLERK (Prom.), County Clerk's Office, Erie County, \$3,650 to \$3,950. One vacancy. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

5468. JUDGMENT CLERK

(Prom.), County Clerk's Office, Erie County, \$3,350 to \$3,650. One vacancy. Fee \$3. (Friday, January 23).

381 New Firemen; 50 Promotions Go Into Effect

Appointment of 381 NYC firemen and promotion of 35 first-grade firemen to lieutenant and 15 captains to battalion chief became effective on New Year's Day.

The group was sworn in by Fire Commissioner Jacob Grumet at ceremonies at City Hall.

Commissioner Grumet praised the department, an organization "without peer in all the world," for its outstanding record of achievement, despite the hazards of firefighting "where injuries are not uncommon, and death, too often, takes its grim toll."

Eleven promotions to captain have been held up by a court case contesting the establishment of an eligible list from the recent promotion exam.

One vacancy as deputy chief of department will be filled as soon as a list in that title is established, probably in March.

Charles Muzzicato, M. D., Cancer Specialist and Former State Senator, Is Named NYC Civil Service Member

Dr. Charles Muzzicato of Manhattan, a former State Senator, was enjoying a vacation in Puerto Rico when he received a telegram telling him to be at City Hall on January 1 to be sworn in as NYC Civil Service Commissioner. That gave him two days. He flew back, arriving in NYC the day before the event, and now is the successor of Commissioner Paul A. Fino, of the Bronx, who was elected to Congress.

Incidentally Dr. Muzzicato once ran for Congress, too, but lost a close race. He withdrew from the State Senate to make that race on the same ticket with Thomas E. Dewey, who won his first election as Governor.

Proposed by Curran
Dr. Muzzicato, a Republican, has always been a strong supporter of Governor Dewey and Secretary of State Thomas J. Curran. As New York County Republican leader, Mr. Curran submitted Dr. Muzzicato's name for the Commission-ship to Mayor Vincent R. Impellitteri. The law provides that not more than two of the three Commissioners shall be members of the

same political party. President Paul P. Brennan and Commissioner Thomas B. Dyett are Democrats. Representative Fino is a Republican.

Dr. Muzzicato feels that he can do a good job on the Commission, because of his previous public service and his membership on Senate committees that dealt with many civil service matters. He said he was surprised and delighted at the appointment.

Cancer Specialist
Dr. Muzzicato attended public schools in NYC, got his pre-medical education at Alfred University, and his degree from Loyola University School of Medicine in 1928. He served his internship in Metropolitan Hospital, a NYC institution, and took graduate courses at Columbia University School of Medicine in radiology. He also made studies at Brookhaven National Laboratories, on Long Island, of radiological effects of atom bomb explosions, on the recommendation of the State Department of Health and the New York County Medical Society.

He held medical posts in the

Veterans Administration in 1933 and '34. He is now assistant roentgenologist at Goldwater Memorial Hospital and specializes in cancer diagnosis and treatment.

Recipient of Honors

The Alfred University alumni honored him last year in a citation "for achievement and services in the field of medicine that reflect honor on the university." He was twice decorated by the Italian Government, whose medical institutions he studied for the American Relief for Italy. He was national chairman of the relief committee, 1945, '46, and '47. He is a Commander of the Crown of Italy and holder of the Star of Solidarity. Also, he is a Knight of Malta, by appointment of the Pope. Last year Police Commissioner George Monaghan appointed him an honorary police surgeon.

Dr. Muzzicato is a member of the Medical Advisory Board of the Division of Athletics, State Department of Health, reappointed last year by Governor Dewey for a three-year term. He is 51 years old. His new job pays \$12,500 a year and runs to May 31, 1956.

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- Real Estate Broker\$3.00
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- Sanitationman\$2.00
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- Social Investigator\$2.50
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Activities of Civil Service Employees in N. Y. State

Social Welfare, Albany

NEWS of the Social Welfare chapter, Albany:

About forty persons attended the Bureau of Accounting Christmas party on December 23. Carol singing was led by Fred Cue, Rose Alexander and Marjorie Luce. Games were played under the direction of Nancy Glass. The buffet supper was served from a table gaily decorated in keeping with the holiday season. Music for dancing was furnished by Mitchell Brown, Kenneth Edson and Fred Cue.

The affair was arranged by Olive Bourgeois, Mrs. Virginia Corrigan, Nancy Glass, Mrs. Carolyn Viall and Fred Grimm, co-chairmen, assisted by Mrs. Dorothy Bowdy, Lillian Lansing, Marjorie Luce, Mrs. Kathryn Westgate, Thomas Carey, Robert Cozzens and Floyd Jones.

Antonio A. Sorieri has been promoted to deputy commissioner in charge of the Division of Welfare and Medical Care. He fills the vacancy caused by the recent resignation of Harry O. Page, who joined Community Research Associates, Inc., N. Y., as associate director. Mr. Sorieri, who joined the Department of Social Welfare's social service staff in 1937, has been a public welfare executive for nearly 20 years, serving in local, State and international public social service posts. In 1943, he obtained leave from the Department to serve in the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration and in the International Refugee Administration, returning to his State post in 1948.

James E. Christian Memorial

THE JAMES E. CHRISTIAN Memorial Health Department chapter, CSEA, extends a happy and healthy New Year to all members, CSEA officers, all department officials, and the Editor and staff of the Civil Service LEADER.

Chapter news chips: The Office of Personnel Administration held a luncheon at O'Connor's Restaurant on December 18 for two members of the staff, Robert Winchester, personnel administrator, is leaving to take a position with the Philadelphia City Bureau of Streets. The former Patricia Sullivan, now Mrs. Richard Belleville, was the other guest of honor. Both Mr. Winchester and Mrs. Belleville received gifts presented by Sylvester Bower on behalf of their co-workers. In addition, "Sy" read a very humorous poem written specially for Mr. Winchester and which is worthy of a looksee. Here it is:

"Tis the same old shillelagh that his father should've used, that Bob waved round the office at the girls that he'd abuse . . . Ten lashes, girls! He was known to shout, there's a smile upon your face. And then the girls would start to work (???) at a hectic, frantic pace . . . Now many's the time in Quaker Philly, With 1,000 street sweepers to beat, He could use the same shillelagh stick in the dear old Bureau of Streets . . . Long since he should have given up, This philandering willy-nilly. But still he seeks a newer love and woos another Philly . . . We wish him luck; for fillies buck, And some riders toss with ease, But Bob's a guy who flies far and high and the job should be but a breeze."

With the traditional Yuletide parties a matter of history and a young infant New Year about to bawl out in lusty fashion, the chapter should plan early to bring into the fold the few non-members still looking on from the outside. Let's hope that this task may be accomplished before another year creeps around and 1953 will see 100 percent membership.

Orange

THE REGULAR meeting of the Orange chapter, CSEA, was held on December 8 at the Hotel Newburgh, with President Percy Van Leuvan presiding.

Guest speaker was J. Allyn Stearns, 3rd vice-president of the CSEA, who addressed the group on the subject of chapter organization. He recommended that individual city and township units be established within the chapter as a means of more adequately solving employee problems. Mr. Stearns, while advocating this plan, stressed the need for chapter unity. "Basically," he said, "all

employees are striving to make identical gains. The achievements of one group of employees necessarily determine the amount of gain which can be made by other groups."

Other speakers included James Pigott, CSEA field representative, and Glavey O'Brien, representing Ter Bush and Powell Insurance Agency. Mr. O'Brien outlined the features and benefits of the accident and health insurance plan.

Following the speakers, questions relative to retirement and employee problems were answered.

A rising vote of thanks was extended George Courtney for his work as chairman of the arrangements committee for this dinner meeting.

Mrs. Marie Cain was elected as secretary to replace Myra Fries who has resigned.

Rockland State Hospital

WILLIAM A. LYONS, a meat cutter in the Rockland State Hospital butcher shop, was awarded a certificate for meritorious service and \$25 for a suggestion he submitted to the State Merit Award Committee, which would improve operations in the hospital's butcher shop.

The certificate and check were presented to him on December 9 by Dr. Alfred M. Stanley, senior director, at the request of Granville Hills, secretary of the Merit Award Committee.

Mr. Lyons, who has worked at the hospital since 1938, suggested that beef carcasses be unloaded from freight cars by means of an overhead rail installation running from the butcher shop to the railroad tracks.

A workshop for nurses, based on the dynamics of human relationships, was held at Rockland State recently and included a large group of psychiatric nurses from other State institutions.

Two hundred twenty-six nurses, representing Psychiatric Institute, Harlem Valley, Hudson River, Middletown and Rockland State hospitals, attended the event. The workshop ran for two consecutive weeks with a different group attending each week. At the first session, November 9 to the 14, there were 116 nurses present. At the second session, November 16 to the 21, 110 attended.

The workshop was sponsored by the Department of Mental Hygiene and was under the directorship of Edith Morgan of Psychiatric Institute. Marion Crotty, of Hudson River State Hospital, was acting associate director.

The following is a list of employees who have recently joined the Rockland State Hospital chapter, CSEA, or who have renewed their membership recently:

Edgar T. Taylor, Arthur J. Mannheim, George Cornish, John E. Condlin, Royal W. Taplin, Antonino S. Olive, Charles Brown, James McBreen, George H. Sobak, Mildred V. Sobak, Philip W. Hjort, Hannah M. Dooley, Kathleen Callahan, Irene Pook, Dr. Daniel Morgan, William P. Q. Geraghty, Carmine T. Ranelli, Elizabeth Reynolds, Kathleen H. Bonville, Dina Rochlin, Anna Strong, Ruth F. Hjort, Viola C. Henricks, Agnes Richard, Dr. F. A. Radassao, Marguerite Day, Gerard P. Day.

Louisa Smith, Carolyn L. Sherwood, Paul Reynolds, Frances Lake, Elizabeth I. Cambell, Olivia M. Morse, Josephine Taulman, Ruth A. Daube, Mary Holloway, Margaret Pull, Grace K. Simpson, Grace B. Nelson, Rachel Kantenstein, Theresa Helder, Lela Hutsell, William G. Rohan, Ella V. Cleary, Mary C. Sullivan, Royal Bonville, Francis H. Hodge, Sam Wood, Anna Lawlor, Margaret D. Kearney, Frank Grenier, Jr., Benea Shich, Dr. Milaln Radinger, Michael P. Star, Marguerite Ahern, Elsie Prince, Doris B. McMillan, John Mott.

Mary J. Gross, Ann E. Hopkins, Florence M. Surbley, Cornelius Howard, Veda Gonyea, David W. Campbell, Norman Greenwood, Loretta Rourk, Dr. Lawrence P. Roberts, Grace Greenwood, Arthur V. Marks, Keith Crook, Francis Giannino, Joseph Arno, William Keeshan, Louise Rohan, Charles E. McCarroll, Hattie Nelson, Mary L. Newell, Cora Welch, Isabella R. Williams, Julia J. Bauer, Frances M. Etrie, Arthur Davidson, Nicholas Durantino, George E. Christman, Emma Tarver, Jeanne Winkle, Isador A. Saphiro, LeRoy Drooger, Mary E. Whitmore, Henry Heinsohn, Margaret Greenier, Margaret E. Rooney, Margaret

Dolan, Irene Slike, Nellie Walsh, Alfred West.

Agriculture & Markets

THE FOLLOWING verses were written by Marjorie H. Aiden, a hearing reporter in the Albany office of Agriculture & Markets. Appropriate for the season.

On the road of life,
When all seems drear,
Look up at the sky,
Cast out all fear.

For the stars are there,
The moon is, too.
They will make the way
Lighter for you.

There will be some clouds,
There is no doubt,
You can always turn
Them inside out.

When the night is o'er
And day breaks through,
Give thanks to the Lord
For guiding you.

Woodbourne

THE SECOND annual Protestant Communion breakfast was held on December 7 in the Reformed Church at Woodbourne. Guest speaker was Edwin H. Miner, president of Orange County Community College, who dwelled on the need for developing inward resources of life through practice of Christian faith. Among those present were Col. Wilson Dunn, Supt. and Mrs. Dunn; Asst. Supt. J. LaVallee and Mrs. LaVallee, Assemblyman Hyman Mintz, District Attorney Ben Newberg and Sullivan County political leader Harold Cole. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Mancusi, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Buchanan, Russel Gowdey, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Prince, and the Rev. and Mrs. C. Everett Wagner. . . .

Ross Kelley badly hurt in an accident while working. . . . Ray Johnson just back from the hospital, for more surgery. . . . Joe Woods hurt in an auto accident. . . . Mr. Busch, new shoe instructor, was badly hurt in an auto accident. Get well fellows, your colleagues miss you. . . . CSEA and chapter membership and dues at the highest level ever, thanks to the good work of Ed Wichern and William Shaw, Ray Johnson. . . .

Father Wilkins through his many friends brought a terrific stage show to the institution for Christmas. . . . Dr. Leon Small getting ready to build a mansion in Woodbourne. . . . Plenty of housing available in and around Woodbourne. . . . Ken Green has another tax exemption, a girl born on Christmas Day. Good luck. . . . Capt. Irvine has moved into a State house on the grounds. . . . W. C. I. bowling team starting annual March of Dimes benefit bowling matches with Wallkill and Napanoch. . . . Bill Van Leuvan will soon be in his new home, just built. . . . Eugene Schoonovers chickens are back in shape again and Gene has those fresh eggs again, that's for me. . . . Adam Zuhoski sporting a 1953 Plymouth, he can afford it, he's single. . . .

A committee going to Southern Conference meeting January 17, Duncan, Solod, Becker, Roberts and Paro. . . . New guard, Thompson transferred from Greenhaven, a very good bowler, welcome fellow. . . . Guard differential pay getting a going-over again, hope it gets straightened out this year. . . . Did you get your auto liability insurance yet? What a jump! . . .

New York City employees are all going on a 40-hour week with the same pay they now get for 44 and 48. How about State employees who work 48 hours? Jack Solod wants to know.

Napanoch

NOTES FROM Napanoch Institution chapter, CSEA: Gloom continued to hang over the employees at Napanoch with the news of the sudden death of Guard Albert Rode, "Bert," as he was known to all, was laid to rest close to his former co-workers, Bill Oakley and Sgt. O'Bryon. The holiday season was further darkened by the sudden death of the son of Roy Langabeer.

Ken Bradford, machinist, had an accident recently. Luckily, injuries were confined to his hand. He is still at home recuperating. Phil McGowan had a narrow escape lately, coming out of it with a badly smashed car.

Now for some brighter news.

The employees were very happy to receive the two days off during the holidays from the Governor.

George Halbig presided at his first civil service meeting the other day at the Institution. The meeting was well attended, and there were spirited discussions on insurance, cost of living raises, 25-year pension and the 40-hour week. At the meeting the drawing was made for the extra lucky guards who were to get Xmas and New Year's off.

Christmas week was a busy one at Napanoch. On the 23rd, the employees had their annual party with seven acts of vaudeville for entertainment. On the 24th, the employees held the annual party for all the inmates. Each inmate was given a gift package. There were eight acts of vaudeville for this show. On the 25th, there were church services, a big dinner and movies in the P.M. On the 27th, there were movies and on the 28th there were six acts of vaudeville from NYC for all inmates.

Salty Rowan must be going to stay awhile. Recently bought a new house. Charlie Eck was afraid of his new car so much that he kept the emergency brake on for a few days. DeVere Smith (Ret.) is confined to his home. Get well soon, DeVere!!! Richard Lane and Robert Elmendorf are being transferred to Green Haven on January 1st.

The officers of the Napanoch chapter wish to extend a happy and successful New Year to all the employees.

They would like to take this opportunity to urge everyone to attend the next meeting where many pertinent topics will be under discussion and Delegate Arthur Drew will be instructed in his representation of employees in the coming Correction Conference meeting.

Gratwick

EMPLOYEES of Roswall Park Memorial Institute entered the season of festivities by having a Christmas party. All in attendance enjoyed themselves and acquired the Christmas spirit. Dear Mr. Santa Claus was present in his traditional dress, portrayed by Dr. Anthony Hey. What a jolly Santa he was, as he distributed both practical and humorous gifts to all. Needless to say, the humorous gifts "brought the house down," and some even brought about faces to match the color of Santa's cheeks.

Providing entertainment for the employees and their honored guests, the Ladies in Gray, was a chorus composed of employees who sang Christmas carols and led the others in a community song fest. Arthur Crosson, noted organist and pianist of Buffalo, played several Christmas selections. Later in the party, after Mr. Santa made his appearance, Mr. Crosson accompanied Dr. Hey as he played his musical saw.

Not only was there fun and entertainment but delicacies as well. Through the efforts of Miss Murchough and Miss Speno and their committees, there were dainty sandwiches, Christmas cookies and candy. Presiding in the servers' positions were Hilda Golts, Mrs. Pauline DiLallo, Mrs. Grace Shongo, Mrs. Karl Wahl, Anna Mosner, Ruth Blair and Marie Janis. Through the efforts of many willing employees under the direction of Ethel Chandler and Miss Speno, who worked on and behind the scenes, the annual Christmas party was a success.

At this time the members of Gratwick chapter, employees of the Roswall Park Memorial Institute, wish to extend to all the members of other chapters and employees of other State institutions, their sincere wish for an exceedingly Happy New Year.

Brooklyn State Hospital

THE MEDICAL staff of Brooklyn State Hospital were hosts at a congratulatory party given in honor of Dr. James E. Rappa, Dr. John E. Bianchi, Dr. J. Secord Palmer, assistant directors, James McCauley, business officer, and Edith Weingarten, senior occupational therapist, all of whom received promotions recently. Orchids were presented to Miss Weingarten, Mrs. Rappa, Mrs. Bianchi, Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. McCauley. Guests included members of the Board of Visitors, as well as many former medical officers of the hospital. The committee in charge of arrangements was headed by Dr.

Nathan Beckenstein, director, and Dr. Paul I. Tarantola. Other members of the committee were Mrs. Simon Moore, Mrs. Norton Williams and Florence Unwin.

The annual prizes for the best Christmas decorations in the wards of Male Service, Building 10, were awarded as follows: 1st prize, Ward 32; 2nd prize, Ward 41, and 3rd prize, Ward 48. Honorable mention went to Wards 25, 27, 39 and 53. Judges were Mrs. Paul I. Tarantola and Mrs. Angie Panierello, who agreed that it was very difficult to award these prizes in view of the attractive and colorful decorations on each ward.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Schultz who recently became the proud parents of a baby boy. Congratulations also to Mrs. Meschia, of the social service department, who became a grandmother for the sixth time when a baby girl was born to her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Meschia.

Mrs. Ethel Farrell is flying to Brazil to visit her son who is a priest there.

The following employees are enjoying winter vacations: Leroy Sims, Irving Griffiths, James Mictari, Mr. and Mrs. William Beh, Vincent DePasquale and Mrs. Fanny Gallop. Mrs. Blanche Baker is on an extended vacation in her home town of Utica.

The following employees are making good recoveries in sick bay: Mrs. Josie Thompson, Helen Scarborough, Melvin Keyes and Aaron Berger.

Our sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Innez Martinez on the recent loss of Mr. Martinez's brother.

Arnold Moses, president of the CSEA chapter, wishes to take this opportunity to thank all the employees for their very kind and generous holiday gift to him.

Open house is being held at the home of Thomas Shirtz, who is giving railroad engineering instructions on his son's Lionel trains.

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THE PLAN Acceptance Unit of the Workmen's Compensation Board held its Christmas party early this year. The date was December 18. The employees of this unit claim that the party was the "best" affair of the year. The committee, under the able direction of Bill May, arranged a spread that will be remembered for many a day. Herman L. Federman, the chief examiner, was the genial host.

One of the "special" guests, Jacob Schutzbank, the administrator of Claims, came over to see how many of his transplanted boys and girls were doing in their new home.

Al D'Antoni brought a tape recorder and recorded Santa's visit. Ben Chase photographed the event and Irving Gold was the chief bartender. (All the bosses worked.)

George Franck, of the N. Y. Motor Vehicle Bureau, has just returned from Florida. His wife and daughter will remain under the palms until spring. George is trying to convince the Bureau to open a Miami branch office.

One of the boys at 80 Centre Street has invented a new type of brake lining for cars that may revolutionize the industry. It is guaranteed to stop on a dime, at 50 miles an hour. The "genius" stated that he is now working on an invention that will prevent the driver from going through the windshield when he steps on the brake.

Brooklyn and Jamaica Motor Vehicle Bureau:

The Christmas party was held on December 22 and was attended by employees of both offices. Guests of honor were Deputy Commissioner William S. Webb, Assistant Deputy Commissioner James Scurry and Louis Schenkel, in charge of the Jamaica office. A good time was had by all.

The Jamaica office was taken by surprise. Julia Montesani received a very "modest" Xmas present, a gold band on the third finger, left hand, plus a beautiful coat. Her new name, Mrs. Haire.

Another delightful Xmas surprise, a Cadillac automobile to Helen Jennings from her darling husband.

Girls, any more of this calibre of husband left?

Best wishes for a real Happy New Year from Sol Bendet, the president, and the officers and representatives of the New York City chapter, to all the members of the CSEA.