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# WANT TO CHANGE YOUR JOB?

HOW TO GET A RELEASE -WHAT IS ESSENTIAL JOB-

List of Govt, Private Jobs You Can Get NOW

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# DRAFT OF **GOVT FATHERS**

WASHINGTON-As this is written, the draft news for fathers in Government is very black.

Major General Lewis B. Hershey, Selective Service director, is urging that Government fathers be accorded exactly the same treatment as fathers outside Govern-

War Manpower Director Paul V. McNutt emphatically has taken a similar position.

But Judge Samuel Rosenman, former New York jurist who has been delegated by the President to handle Government draft. matters, is taking a completely opposite view.

And if Judge Rosenman's ideas prevail, Government fathers might as well begin to figure that they're in for an awful

#### It's Plain Truth

Now those are very strong words. But they are used with full knowledge of what they imply. The plain truth is this:

As things stand at the mo-ment, there is a very great pos-sibility that fathers on Government's payroll will be drafted in a manner that is considered here unfair.

Moreover, the system which Judge Rosenman is proposing, promises to work a hardship on Government itself. The Civil Service LEADER already has outined the situation for you in part. Here, however, is the way the matter stands at present:

Outside Government, local draft boards (with the approval of Selective Service) are goi g to be much more liberal with father deferments than they were with non-father defer-

That is an unchallengeable fact. It has been checked and double-checked with Selective Service officials and others.

#### Wants Same Basis

Inside Government, however, Judge Rosenman (as the President's representative) is insisting that father deferments be

handled on the same tight basis

nandled on the same tight basis as non-father deferments.

The result, inevitably, will be this: If Judge Rosenman's views prevail, Government fathers will be drafted out of all proportions to their numbers.

For the nation as a whole, approximately one out of 12 fathers will have to be called in the next six months.

In Government, the proportion might very possibly run as high as 3 or 4 out of 12.

And that isn't all.

The non-Government father, when confronting imminent in-duction can, if he wishes, transfer to a vital war industry. Under the new policy of liberal deferments for fathers outside Government, this man can count on having his induction postponed, or stayed indefinitely.

The Government father, however, can look forward to no such prospect. Government is on War Manpower's "essential activity" list. This means he probably will find it impossible. to transfer even if he wants to. The Civil Service LEADER

wishes to explain that this story is not intended to be unduly alarming. In the next few days, it is possible (although unlikely) that Judge Rosenman will change his mind-and adopt an entirely different attitude. the moment, however, the situa-

tion is anything but bright.

In fact, it's just the opposite!

Now a word about Covernment fathers themselves. They aren't asking and they don't want special treatment just because they happen to be Gov-errment employees. But, on errment employees. But, on the other hand, they don't want to be discriminated against either because they happen to be Government employees. They ask the same treatment as fathers in private industry, no bet-ter, no worse.

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CLERKS, PHONE GALS— EARN \$34 A WEEK-QUICK PLACEMENT

# So You'd Like To Change Your Job?

# How You Are Frozen Into the Job You Hold

Your question about the newest job-freeze order probably is, "How tightly am I frozen to my present job?" "Can I change my job?" "How?"

According to the rules of the War Manpower Commission, you need a certificate of availability (a written release) in order to change from a job which is considered essential, or an activity

which is needed locally. Without a release, you have to wait 60 days before you can be hired by any other employer.

Following are the conditions under which an employer must immediately give you the certificate. If he won't, the local WMC office will give you the valuable scrap of paper.

1. If you have been discharged, boss goes out of business, etc.

2. If you are laid off for an indefinite period, or for seven or more days. That means the employer can't keep you hanging around unless he can provide work for you.

3. If continuance of the employment would involve undue personal hardship. Overlong travel to the job, change in family conditions at home, illness, etc., come under this category.

4. If your employment is at a wage below standards set by State or Federal legislation, or your working conditions are below

5. If the employer fails to pay wages as ordered by a ruling of the National War Labor Board (or any other agency authorized to set or adjust wages). This means that if a company doesn't follow such a ruling it can find itself without employees.

Take Case to USES

If you feel that some special circumstances entitle you to a release and the boss says "No", you can talk your case over with the United States Employment Service or an office of the War Manpower Commission.

For instance, if your employer is only giving you part-time work, or a job which isn't using all your skills, you can go to the USES, and they can refer you to another employer where you

You can't just quit your job—if you are engaged in essential or critical work—and take another post just because you like the work or because it pays more money. The only way you can quit the job and take on another, lacking one o fthe foregoing 5 reasons, is to leave and wait for a period of 60 days. If an employer should take you on before that time, he's subject to penalties.

#### These Are 'Critical' Jobs

#### Part I-Production and Services Occupations

Aircraft-Engine Tester, all around; Aircraft-Instrument Mechanic, all around; Aircraft-Mechanic, all around; Airplane Navigator; Airplane Pilot, commercial; Airship Mechanic, all around; Ballistician: Bessemer Converter Blower; Blacksmith, all around; Blast Furnace Blower; Blaster, mining; Boatbuilder, steel or wood, all around; Boilermaker, all around; Brieklayer, refractory brick; Cabinetmaker, all around; Cable Splicer, telephone, telegraph or submarine cable; Cable Transmitter and Receiver; Cam-Lay-Out Man; Car Inspector, railroad transportation: Catalytic-Converter Engineer, synthetic rubber; Cementer, oil well; Chainmaker, all around; Chamberman, acid; Coke Burner; Computer, electric, gravity, or seismic; Conductor, railroad transportation; Continuous-Still Engineer, synthetic rubber; Converter Operator, nonferrous smelting & refining; Coppersmith, marine, all around; Coremaker, all around; Cutting Machine Runner, mining; Diamond Driller, mining; Die Maker, all around; Die Setter; Die Sinker; Diesel Mechanic, all around; Dispatcher, radio communications, telegraph or submarine cable; Diver; Driller, fine diamond dies; Driller, oil well cable or rotary; electrician, airplane, marine, power house, or submarine cable, all around; Electrician, installation and maintenance, all around; Engineer, chief, first, second, or third assistant, ship; Engineer, locomotive, railroad transportation: Engineer, turbine or diesel; Engineering Draftsman, design; Finisher, fine diamond dies; First Helper, open hearth or electric furnace; Flight Dispatcher.

Foreman: Included under this designation are only those individuals who are (1) utilizing in their supervisory production, technical or scientific work in essential activities although the occupations of the workers supervisory production, technical or scientific work in essential activities although the occupations of the sorted and responsibility for the products made or services rendered, and a training period of two or more years. In some plants, the supervisory preson

Installer, telegraph or telephone equipment.

Instructor: Included under this designation are only those workers who are caucified to perform in one or more of the critical accumations listed and because of their antifude and experience have been assigned as instructors in training programs either in plant or votional schools.

Instrument Maker and Repairer, electrical, mechanical or scientific: Jewel Reaches Moter, all around: Jointer, submarine cable: Law-Out-Man, hollermaking founder, prachinery, or shipbuilding: Lead Burner all acound: Lineman, power, telegraph or telephone, all around: Internative Engine Repairman; Loftsman, air-Lord Disputation nower or gos: Locomotive Engine Repairman; Loftsman, aircraft or shipbuilding; Loom Fixer; Machine Driller, mining; Machine Tool-Set-Up Man; Machinist, all around; Machinist, marine, all around; Mate, first, second, or third.

Up Man; Machinist, all around; Machinist, marine, all around; Mate, first, second, or third.

Mechanician, Communications Equipment: This title includes individuals who maintain and repair telephone and telegraph equipment and circuits; technical broadcast equipment; radiotelephone and radiotelegraph equipment; or submarine cable apparatus.

Miller, grain products, all around; millwright.

Miner, Underground, all around: Included under this title are only those individuals whose job assignment requires them to perform the duties involved in driving underground openings including drilling, blasting, timbering. Due to standardizations of mining methods those functions may be performed by separate individuals whose occupational titles also appear in this list because the jobs meet the critrion of critical occupations.

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Molder, bench or floor, all around: Model Maker, all around; observer, seismie; Oil Well Gun Perforator: Oil Well Treater, acidising; Optical Mechanic, all around: Paper Making Machine Engineer: Patternmaker, metal or wood: Pipe Fitter, marine: Powershovel Engineer, mining: Precision Lens Grinder, all around: Pulpit Operator, steel mill: Pumper, refinery, in charge; Purification Engineer, synthetic rubber: Radio Communications Technician: Radio Telegrapher: Radiophoto Technician: Reactor Engineer, synthetic rubber: Radio Communications Technician: Reactor Engineer, synthetic rubber: Radio Telegrapher: Radiophoto Technician: Reactor Engineer, synthetic rubber: Receiver Tester, radio or radar: Refrigerator Engineer: Sheetmetal Worker, marine, all around: Shipfitter, all around: Ship Rigger, all around: Ship Rigger, all around: Ship Filots Sirand Maintainer; Still Operator, chemical, all around: Stillman, petroleum processing: Superintendent, see Foreman; Switchboard Operator, power: Tanner, all around: Testing and Regulating Technician, telegraphor telephone: Timberman, mining, all around: Tool Designer: Tool Maker: Train Dispatcher: Transmission Engineer: Wood Seasoner, kiln: X-Ray Equipment Serviceman.

#### Part II-Professional and Scientific Occupations\*

Accountant: Included under this title are Certified Public Accountants and those who have comparable training, experience, or responsibilities.

Agronomist: Anatomist: Architect, naval: Astronomer; Bacteriologist; Chemist:

Engineer, Professional or Technical: This title covers persons who are actually engaged as engineers in the operating, research, or teaching phases of these professions, who are qualified either by having met the educational requirements or because of long experience. In addition, this title is intended to include those individuals who may specialize in certain phases of the professions listed below, such as Mechanical Engineers who specialize in the automotive, heating or refrigerating engineering field but whose special designations have not been mentioned:

Aeronautical, Agricultural, Ceramic, Chemical, Civil, Communications, Electrical, Marine, Mechanical, Metallurgical, Mining, Petroleum, Radio, Safety,
Entomologist, Forester, Geologist, Engineer, Professional or Technical;

Mining, Petroleum, Radio, Safety.
Entomologist. Forester, Geologist,
Geophysicist, Horticulturist, Mathematician (including Cryptanalyst), Metallurgist, Meteorologist, Nematologist,
Oceanographer, Parasitologist, Pathologist, medical; Pharacologist, Physiologist, medical; Plant Pathologist
or Physiologist, Seismologist.

\*The titles appearing in this critical list of Professional, Technical and Scientific Occupations are also intended to cover those persons who are engaged in full-time teaching of these professions. In addition, they cover persons engaged in full-time inspecting duties which require the utilization of the knowledge of the critical geometries. of the critical occupations.

# How to Get A Release From Your Job

IN PRIVATE INDUSTRY

I—If you're on a job, feel you're entitled to a release, the boss doesn't, and you're deadlocked, you can still get your certificate. After the boss has turned you down— Go to the United States

Employment Service Office handling the type of work, or the industry in which you are employed.

Within three days after USES grants or denies the statement of availability, you can appeal again, working as follows: —An area Appeals Board has

been set up to consider dis-puted cases in which the USES decision is being fought.

You Can Take It Further

The decision of a majority of the Appeals Board is final UNLESS you wish to appeal furfurther.

-Further appeals from the Area Board are taken to the Regional Management - Labor War Manpower Committee.

\_The Court of appeal is the

Chairman of the War Manpower Commission. His decision is final. In the New York area, the Chairman is a woman, Mrs. Anna Rosenberg.

More USES Powers
The USES has power to give you a certificate if you come under any of the following

—If your employer is not complying with WMC rulings.

you've left your job, fail to qualify for a certificate, and your employer won't take you back to the same or an equal position with seniority and other

To permit you to move from an essential industry within the area to an essential industry in an out-of-town labor shortage

The certificate of availability isn't always enough to get you to the new job. Under certain conditions you can only be hired through the United States Employment Service. This i when:

—You are to be hired for a
"critical" occupation.

(The critical occupations are those in which there is the greatest shortage of skilled workers—the types of jobs for which occupational draft deferments are most likely to be ments are most likely to be handed out.)

—If you haven't lived or worked in the locality for the

past thirty days.

—If you're trying to change from an essential to a less essen-

#### This Is the List of **Essential Work**

The list below contains the "essential" activities as defined by the War Manpower Commission in its latest ruling. If you work in any of these activities, you may not leave your job without a certificate of availability—that is, a release from your employer or the War Manpower Commission. Note that Government service is included. The Production of aircraft and parts.

Production of aircraft and parts. Production of ships, boats and parts. Production of ordnance and access-

Production of ammunition.
Production of ammunition.
Agriculture and commercial fishing.
Processing of food.
Forestry, logging and lumbering.
Construction.

Coal mining.
Metal Mining.
Non-metallic mining and processing

and quarrying. Smelting, refining and rolling of 12.

metals. Production of metal shapes and

metals.
Production of metal shapes and forgings.
Finishing of metal products.
Production of Industrial and agricultural equipment.
Production of machinery.
Production of chemicals and allied products.
Production of rubber products.
Production of leather products.
Production of leather products.
Production of stone, glass and clay products.
Production of stone, glass and clay products.
Production of petroleum.
Production of prinshed lumber products.
Production of finished lumber products.
Production of transportation equipment.
Transportation services.
Production of pulp, paper, and materials for packing and preserving.
Production of other materials for shipping and preserving.
Production of communication equipment.
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# ODB Pays \$1752 at Start To Clerical Employees

There are a limited number of positions open in the War Department's Office of Dependency Benefits, at 21 Washington Street, Newark, New Jersey.

The positions available are for junior clerks, junior clerk-typists, and machine operators. Although the em

ployees of the ODB are under Civil Service, college graduates and persons who have completed 1 4-year high school course and have 6 months' business experience, are not required to take a Ciil Service examination.

#### If You Lack Experience

Lacking the requisite experience, applicants must pass Civil Service examination before they can be considered for any of these positions. Those wishing to take the examination may make application by filling out and mailing a Civil Service form No. 57 to the Civilian Personnel

Branch of the ODB. They forms may be obtained t and post office or at the U. S. Civ Service Commission, 641 Wash ington Street, Manhattan, start, the positions pay at rate of \$1,752 a year.

Housed in a modern 22-storoffice building in the heart of Newark, the ODB does business with more than 4 million so diers, administering monthly family allowances and allow, ments-of-pay on behalf of monthan 8 million dependents. This great war agency is living up to its slogan, "Get 'Em Paid."

# 315 Posts for Handymen Available in City Service

The New York City Civil Service Commission last week opened applications for jobs with the City as Handy. man. Men under 50 with at least one year's experience working around buildings are eligible for the jobs which pay a starting salary of \$1,200 a year, then increases to \$1,500 by yearly \$120 raises. Applications for the

test which will include a written examination, a practical test, and credit for experience close on October 29.

The written test will be given first (no date has yet been set), then the practical examinations will be held as vacancies occur.

At present, there are 315 openings, mainly in Hospitals; Welfare Department, and Brooklyn and Hunter Colleges each have a few vacancies.

Application may be made either in person, or by mail at the offices of the City Civil Service Commission, 96 Duane St.

Are NYC Employees Frozen Into Jobs?

New York City employees will be included under the stabilizabe included under the stabiliza-tion plan. Nothing can be said at this point about the final pro-cedure to be set up governing the transfer of jobs by City em-ployees, except that in general the system of appeals it will follow steps parallel to those taken by employees in private industry. industry.

The full story will probably be ready by the time the LEADER reaches you next week



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# GOVT. RELEASES

# ow U.S. Worker ets a Release

you're a Federal employee desire to change your job, must obtain a statement of usbility, because Governliability, because Govern-

"These are the steps.
"These of to your department of the designated personofficer. State your reasons officer. State your reasons desiring to change to aner job. If he grants you a ase. O.K. If not, then—second—Go to the Warnsfer Unit of the War Maner Commission (on the 7th

500 Fifth Avenue, Manhat-There you will state your as forcefully as you can. War Transfer Unit will also from your agency. Should fail to receive a release at point, you can appeal still

nird-App. J to the Area La-- Management Committee. address is care of the War npower Commission, th Avenue, New York City, you fail at this point, you another appeal open.

ourth-You can go to the ional Labor - Management mmittee.( Address: War Man-wer Commission, 11 West 42nd et, New York City.)

rifth-A final appeal is availto Anna Rosenberg, who is d of the War Manpower mmission in this area.

of course, nobody says your w job will be waiting or you ile you go through all these ps. But that's something else

#### ransfers Within ovt. Service

Federal Employees are asking is: "How does the new stabiation setup affect my chances arranging a transfer from one partment to another, or get-g away to take another job?" Var Transfer Unit of the Fed-Civil Service Commission, 641 Washington Street, is in arge of inter - departmental onnel changes, and also of inting releases out of the Fedservice. (This latter funchowever, is moving up to War Manpower Commission, 500 Fifth Avenue.)

To best aid the war effort is aim of all moves allowed. consideration will be given the special circumstances or employees concerned.

#### Who May Request I ??

Transfers within Government vice can be made either at the uest of the Department or of e employee. In either case, ms obtainable at the War ansfer Unit must be filled out, tlining the reasons for the deed change.

The WTU has the final say as whether or not the transfer ay be granted.

An employee of the Federal vernment who wants ll have his request judged acding to the same standards ich apply to private em-

#### Appeals

Here is the procedure which ould be followed:
1. Apply to the director of

rsonnel at your office for your

ay be heard by the Regional view Board of Civil Service. 3. If denied there, you can Ill appeal to the Regional Manment-Labor Committee of the ar Manpower Commission.
4. And your mal appeal may made to the Chairman of the

#### ealth Dept. Seeks ental Hygienists

ar Manpower Commission.

Commissioner Ernest L. Stebhs announced this week that opportunity to cooperate in educational and controlled the Department of Heal n to that hygienists. At present are 10 vacancies throughthe five boroughs for dental lygienists who are licensed and

ygienists who are licensed and gistered in New York State. Reprience is not essential. The positions pay \$1,260 a sar to start, with sick leave and cation. Application should be ade to Dr. Harry Strusser, lief, Dental Division, Room 2. Health Building, 125 Worth Reet, Manhattan. Telephone 0.2-6900 Extension 232. 0 2-6900, Extension 232.



LIKE THIS SHOT of Butch? Wonder if he'll look like this if the Councilmen vote overtime pay to City employees.

#### **JOBS**

#### Seeking a Real War Job?

Industrial jobs cities within commuting dis-tance of New York offer a good chance to learn 1 of many trades job doing production work of vital importance.

#### **Eclipse Aviation**

Eclipse Aviation, at Bendix, New Jersey, is looking for men over 18, for training in their foundry. Men in 1-A as well foundry. Men in 1-A, as well as others, will be taken on for jobs until they are inducted. Men deferred have a good chance to learn one of the many needed, and are given the op-portunity for steady upgrading in salary from the starting 75 cents an hour.

Applicants for this job should be in good physical condition and will take an examination at the plant.

Buses to make each shift leave 41st Street and 7th Avenue. Fare is 25 cents one way, a 30-day round trip book costs

#### Chance Vought

Chance Yought Aircraft Company in Stratford, Connecticut, needs men and women trainees. The training period takes about three moths and salaries provides a steady increase. First months pay is 50 cents an hour, second 60, third 65. Once on the assembly lines, there is a good chance for high salaries with overtime work and adwith overtime work, and advancement.

#### U. S. Gypsum

A nearby plant needing help is the U.S. Gypsum Company, on Staten Island. They want husky men, over 18, 1-A's ac-

ceptable. They give a medical examination before hiring.

This selection of jobs is available at the United States Employment Service, 87 Madison. Section 611-A handles the hiring for these jobs, and they are open from 9-5 daily and Sat-

#### It's Easier Now To Work in Conn.

the Connecticut city, the Federal government has just completed dormitory accommodations for almos' 2,000 single men and wo-men. These dormitories are scattered about the city, con-veniently located near all the

large plants.

Each unit will accommodate between three and five hundred persons, and offers maid service, recreational rooms, service facilities, barbers, beauty shops, stores, etc.

The most attractive feature of this setup is the low rental. Single rooms have been priced at \$4 a week; two persons doub-

ling up can get a room for \$5.

Lifferent types of war plants are located in this city. Aircraft, radio, aluminum. machine shops, brass works, synthetic rubber plants, and chemical plants are all in the labor mar-

For the man or woman with-out any previous skill, each fac-tory has a government approved in-training program to prepare

# From Military Service to Civil Service; Or, What Every Veteran Should Know

If you're a veteran either of World War I or World War II; if you're a soldier or a sailor now serving, but hope to return to a government job; if you have a relative who is in the armed forces—then make it your job to learn carefully the information contained in this and succeeding articles. The group of articles, prepared in question and answer form by the United States Civil Service Commission, contains the information which you seek.

#### Veteran Preference -What It Is, Who Has It

What is meant by the term "vet-eran preference"?

Veteran preference refers to the benefits in the Federal civil service to which those who have served honorably in the armed forces of the United States are entitled. Specifically, it refers to the addition of 5 (or 10) points to a veteran's examination rating.

#### What is the United States Civil Service Commission's definition of a veteran?

Any person who has been honorably discharged after active duty in the military or naval service of the United States is considered to be a veteran.

#### Is there a law which states that veterans are to be given preference in appointment to positions in the Federal service?

Yes. An act of June 18, 1929, provides: "In making appointments to clerical and other positions in the executive branch of the Government in the District of Columbia or elsewhere pref-erence shall be given to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines, and widows of such, and to the wives of injured soldiers, sailors, and marines, who themselves are not qualified. but whose wives are qualified to hold such positions."

#### What is the scope of veteran preference?

Veteran preference applies throughout the entire executive

branch of the Government, except to some appointments in the Railroad Retirement Board. Is preference limited to the veterans of any one war?

No. Any active military service—either in time of peace or war—is q…lifying, provided the veteran was honorably separated from his last period of service. Does preference apply to exami-

#### nations for the promotion or transfer of persons already in the Federal service?

No. The law provides that veterans be given preference in appointment.. Accordingly, veteran preference applies only to examinations for entrance to the Federal classified service and examinations given in connection with the conferring of a classified civil-service status.

#### Who is eligible for preference?

Honorably discharged members of any branch of the armed forces of the United States who have served on regular active duty, including members of the United States Army (or Army of the United States), the United States Navy, the United States Marine Corps, and the United States Coast Guard; the widows of honorably discharged veterans; and, under certain conditions, the wives of disabled veterans.

#### What is mean by an "honorable discharge"?

Any separation from an active status in the armed forces under honorable conditions, such as return to inactive status, return retired status, or return to civilian status, is consideed to be an honorable discharge .

Army (or Army of the United States)?

The Regular Army (including comissioned and enlisted personnel, the Army Nurse Corps, the Women's Army Corps (WAC), female dietitians and physical therapy aids who have enlisted in, or been appointed to, the United States Army since April 1, 1943, and Cadets of the Unit-ed States Military Academy); The Organized Reserve Corps and the Enlisted Reserve Corps); and National Guard (while in the service of the United States).

#### What comprises the United States

The Regular Navy (including comissioned and enlisted personnel, the Navy Nurse Corps, and midshipmen of the United States Naval Academy) the Naval Reserve (including the Fleet Reserve, the Merchant Marine Reserve, the Organized Reserve, the Volunteer Reserve, and the Women's Reserve — WAVES); and the Marine Corps (includ-Reserve - WAVES); ing the Regular Marine Corps, the Fleet Marine Corps Reserve, the Volunteer Marine Corps Reserve, and the Women's Reserve).

#### What comprises the United States Coast Guard?

Comissioned and enlisted personnel, cadets of the United States Coast Guard, all vessel and keeper personnel in the Lighthouse Service, and the Coast Guard Reserve (including the Women's Reserve—SPARS).

#### Are retired commissioned and enlisted personnel entitled to pref-rence?

Yes.

Are inductees under the Selective Training and Service Act of September 16, 1940, entitled to pref-

Yes, upon their honorable dis-

(To be Continued)

# 17 Councilmen Support Time-and-Half For Overtime Work by City Employees

"We have obtained the promise of 17 members of the City Council that they will support the bill, now in the hands of their Civil Service Committee, which will give City employees overtime pay," reports the SCMWA, sponsor of the bill. The measshall not be required to exsure was introducted into the City change regular time during the

Council (June 24, 1943), Council members William A, Carroll and Doris I. Byrne, who sponsored the legislation gave the State, County and Municipal Workers of America, CIO, credit for sponsoring the overtime plan. The bill which amends the City Administrative Code provides as follows:

"Per annum employees who are required to work in excess of eight hours a day, or forty hours per week or on legal holidays, shall be compensated for such work at the rate of one-and-one-half times their regular

week for such work.

Per Diem Also The la walso includes per diem employees (working on a daily rate of pay) who are required to work extra hours, and excludes only uniformed mem-bers of the Police and Fire forces, student dietitians, student nurses, and internes.
Under the present setup against which the SCMWA has

been protesting, employees who work overtime are supposed to get time off. In egect, the understaffed departments are un-able to give them the time, the union charges, and they put in

the extra time without extra pay or even equal time off, and, moreover, they do not consider time-off adequate reward for

longer hours.

Following is a list of the Council members who promised support to the bill:

Walter R. Hart, Meyer Gold-berg, Gertrude W. Klein, John M. Christensen, Samuel Di Falco, Peter V. Cachionne, Adam Clayton Powell. Jr., Louis Cohen, Salvatore Ninfo, John P. Nugent, James A. Phillips, Rita Casey. James A. Philips, July William N. Conrad, Anthony J. George E. DiGiovanna, and George Donovan.

The total of seventeen votes in the Council represents a comfortable majority to assure its passage when it comes out of the Committee on Civil Employees, and is presented for

# One of the centers of war production near New York City is Bridgeport, Conn., and there is always a heavy demand for Why Not Change Now there. Why Not Change Now Those U.S. Jo To One of These U.S. Jobs?

Want to work for the Government? Well, have a look below, Most of the jobs listed here are in the New York area. Remember this: You'll need a certificate of availability—that is, a release—if you are now engaged in an essential or critical activity (see page But if you're in a non-essential activity, you can apply imme-ely. The salaries listed below are only part of the story. You'll actually earn about 21 percent more, because of overtime. The Federal work-week is 48 hours. You can obtain full information at the offices of the United States Civi Service Commission, 641 Washington Street, New York City.

new workers to hold cown jobs, and later advance according to their ability.

Salaries to \$75 Salaries range from \$33 a week \$75, after the breaking-in

period. Employment of New Yorkers, who want to get jobs in Bridgeport, or other parts of the State of Connecticut is handled at the United States Employment Office at 87 Madison Ave. Ask for Mr. Samuel Arons. If you're now not working, or in an unessential job, that office will clear your way to lend your hands for Victory.

3378—Sr. Operator—Elliott Fisher Bookkeeping Machine, \$1630.
3379—Messenger, (M), \$1290. Must be between ages of 16 & 18 or draft exempt. Around-the-clock shifts, 8-4: 4-12:12-8, 3472—Stenos & Typists, \$1440—Stenos & Typists, \$1420.
Duty: NYC then transferred to Washington, D. C.
3590—Sr. Multigraph Operator & Plate-Maker, (M), \$1620.
3627—Multigraph Operator, (M), \$1440. Applicants between the ages of 18 and 37 will not be considered.
3634—Clerks (M), \$1260.
3774—Messengers (M), \$1200.
3808—Jr. Operator Misc. Duplicating Devices, (M-F), \$1440—I with graphotype & addressograph experience.

3810-Jr. Calculating Machine Oper-

3837—Sr. Tabulating Machine Op-erator, \$1620—Must know wiring. Two shifts: 8 AM to 4:45 PM and 5 PM to 12:45

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4:45 PM and 5 PM to 12:45
PM.
Newark, N. J.
3881—Jr. Clerk Typist, \$1440. Duty;
Newark, N. J.
3882—Jr. Clerks, \$1440—Open.
Duty; Newark, New Jersey.
3906—Misc, Duplicating Equipment
Equipment Operator, \$1260.
3972—Jr. Clerks, \$1440—Asst. Coding Clerks, \$1620—Asst. Stat.
Clerks, \$1620. Duty; Washington, D. C.
3975—Stenographer, \$1200. Duty;
New Rochelle, N. Y.
4056—Telegraphic Typewriter Oper,
\$1410. Midnight to 8 AM
shift.

4050—Telegraphic Typewriter Oper., \$1440. Midnisht to 8 AM shift.

4118—Messenger, \$1200 (M).
4284—Clerk Elliott Fisher Writing Machine, \$1620.
4361—Clerks Steno. (M.F), \$1800 p.a. Hours 12 to 8 AM.
6027—Jr. Clerk Typist, (M.F), \$1440 p.a. Night Duty; 5 PM to 1 AM.
8014—Und. Oper. Misc. Duplicating Devices, \$1260.
8017—Und. Oper. Misc. Duplicating Devices, \$1260.
8804—Lithographer (Washington), (M), \$1440-\$2000.

V2-273—Hospital Alendant (Lyons, N. J.) (M), \$1320 less \$372.
V-21074—Substitute Post Office Laborer, (M), \$.55 per hour.
V2-1110—Window Cleaner, (M), \$1320 plus \$300.
V2-1123—Apprentice (M), \$4.84 per diem.
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# In the City Departments Skilled Men in City Service

PARKS

#### They Won't Take It Lying Down

As the LEADER went to press, Parks Department was still standing pat on Commissioner Moses' order that its employees couldn't hold another sparetime job so long as they held a Parks job.

Employee organizations in the

department have all been loud in protest against the ruling.

The State, County and Municipal Workers of America, CIO, feels that the matter was fought out in the courts once. fought out in the courts once, and the employees' right to hold outside jobs which don't inter-fere with their City work upheld. (The Natilson case in Department of Welfare.)

The union has advised its members to disregard the Moses order against outside employ-ment which was effective October 16, and say they are ready to meet the department in court unless the order is rescinded.

#### Compromise On Way?

The Greater New York Parks Employees Association reports that its officers met with Com-missioner Moses last week, and are attempting to arrange a compromise on the order by which part-time employment will be permitted. But they haven't had any word that their suggestion will be upheld at the Arsenal Building (Parks Department Headquarters).

The American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFL) also condemned the Moses order this week. Henry Feinstein, secretary of organization for the union, condemned the order (which if it is corried out just which, if it is carried out, just takes bread out of the mouths of New York families who can't live on the little which the City

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5704 FIFTH AVE. (Near 57th St.) BAY RIDGE, BROOKLYN, N. Y. pays them. I feel sure," Mr. Feinstein continued, "that Commissioner Moses must have been unaware of the Court of Appeals decision on part-tim- em-

#### WELFARE

#### Line Count

Typists in Welfare have been complaining about the "line count", which means that their production is measured. They think it's a speed-up. The practice was abolished several years ago, but recently returned.

Now a committee, with a safe majority of administrators, has been appointed to look into the situation.

Following are the members of the committee:

Anne M. McGuire, chairman, director of public assistance; Manya Friedman, administrator; Glenna Newhall, administrator, Margaret F. Bourke, director of personnel; Sidney Schwam, office manager, Jacob Cilento, head typist; and finally, James Sellinger and Ella Zwyllick, typists.

#### Restrictions On Bulletins

Every Welfare Center and each floor of the Central Office has bulletin boards on which appear notices of interest to all employees; union meetings, social events, etc.

Staff relations section has been in charge of approving the stuff before it's posted.

But a notice issued last week

by Commissioner Leo Arnstein makes pretty sure that the notices won't make very interesting reading.

Here are some of the restric-

Announcements are to be confined to: Name of the sponsor, statement of time, place, agenda, admission price, if any.

They can't be more than 81/2 by 14 inches (that should be enough).

They may anounce forthcoming publications of a staff or-ganization but then size must be down to 8½ inches by 6 inches. There's no restriction of the official bulletin board on which memos emanating from the executive offices are posted.

#### Over-Quota Muddle—

The situation of the over-quota administrators in Welfare is still muddled. Whether or not administrators are going to be dismissed seems to depend on weather conditions or something.

In correspondence with the Civil Service Commission, which has been asked to clear up the administrators' seniority standings, the department has often used the phrase "in view of im-pending lay-offs of administra-

This week the official word to reporter at 902 Broadway is that the department isn't overquota; hence no lay-offs.

Three administrative changes now make it possible for the Grade 4 supervi ers to relax a bit, as the voluntary departures will help to stall off the firings (unless the Department was just playing games with the Civil Service Commission).

Maud Hamilton (No. 1 on the list) has been loaned to the Mayor's Committee on the Wartime Care of Children."

Dorothy Swanson is or leave. Alice M. Brophy is on leave.

DIAMONDS, JEWELRY,

FURS, CLOTHING, CAM-

# Get Slight Boost in Wages

Skilled workers in the City Service who get paid by the day, and are earning less than \$2,500 a year, came in for a bit of a boost last week. They got an overall raise of fifty cents a day, which is described by the Budget Office as a bonus for the rest of this year.

However, many of the em-ployees who are getting the raise have protests filed in the Comptroller's Office claiming that they are receiving less than the outside wage for the same type of work—the rate to which they are legally entitled.

The claims are in the process of investigation by the Comptroller, but if it turns out that the employees are entitled more money they'll only get the difference between the present scale and the rate which is set by the Comptroller.

#### 50c Is An Advance

The fifty cents is sort of an advance against their higher salary schedule.

Employees involved are in the following departments: Borough Presidents, Public Works, Education, Higher Education, Parks, Sanitation, Hospitals, Water Sanitation, Hospitals, Water Supply Gas and Electricity, and Housing and Buildings; and a few scattered among the smaller city bureaus.

Below is a list of the titles of the employees granted the increase, their number, and the old and present daily rates. The new

pay rate goes into effect as of October 1, 1943:

		Old	New
	2	\$9.00	\$9.50
Auto Electrician 1	1	8.75	9.25
Auto Machinist 20	9	9.00	9.50
Auto Mechanic 25	0	8.75	9,25
Battery Constructor		8.00	8.50
Blacksmith 7		9.50	10.00
Blacksmith's Helper 5		7.00	7.50
	8	9.50	10.00
	3	8.00	8.50
	1	9.50	10.00
	5	8.00	8.50
Electrician's Helper 2		7.60	
General Mechanic		9.00	8.10
			9.50
General Mechanic 4		7.00	7.50
Harness Maker 1		8.00	8.50
	8	9.50	10.00
	4	7.50	8.00
House Painter 19		9.50	10.00
	3	8.00	8.50
Lineman 3		8.00	8.50
	9	5.50	6.00
Machine Woodworker	4	9.00	9.50
Machinist 12		9.00	9.50
Machinist's Helper 20	0	7.00	7.50
Marine Stoker	8	7.00	7.50
Mason's Helper	4	8.00	8.50
Nickel Plater	1	7.75	8.28
Orthopedic Mechanic	2	8.00	
Painter	1	9.50	10.00
	3	8.00	8.50
	1	9.00	9.50
Plumber's Helper 2	9	6.00	6.50
	2	8.50	9.00
	5	8.00	8.50
Rubber Tire Repairer		7.75	8.25
Ship Carpenter 2	K	8.50	9.00
	1	8.00	
	8	7.00	7.50
	0	7.00	7.00
Surface Heater	5	7.00	7.50
	3	9.50	
Wheelwright 2	1	9.00	9.50
Window Shade		* **	
	1	7.00	
Wireman 2	9	9.00	9.50

# Number Rate Per Day

#### 2 Wacs, 2 Soldiers

Again it's a tie in Welfare between the boys and girls turning in their "civies" and learning to "right face". Two soldiers and two WACS are represented in the group to leave this week:

Ruth Hammerton, supr. grade to Wac.; Bertha Scheffler, soc. inyestigator, Wac; Ashton Stanton and Kermit Ball, soc. investigators to Army.

#### **SUBWAYS**

#### Almost Anyone Can Get a Job

a chance to get a job driving buses or street cars for the City. For bus operators they ask that you have a chauffeur's license, no requirement for ariving a street car, except that you

Men or women over 18 have

have to pass a physical exami-nation, and be tall enough to handle the controls—about 5 feet 3. They'll teach you how to work the handles to make the car go

forwards and stop. (The tracks make it turn.) The rate of pay is 75 cents an hour for a 45 or 48 hour

Citizens are desired for these

jobs. Anyone

They say that practically everyone who wants to work for the Board of Transportation can be put on a job somewhere in the system.
They're also looking for a large

number of men, to do hard physical work as trackman, at 75 cents an hour. Non-citizens can be taken for laboring jobs, coal passers and like assignments.

And there are also a number of better paying positions open. Right now they can use some licensed stationary engineers at \$9 a day.
Applications for these and

other jobs, are being taken at Room 1, 250 Hudson Street, the offices of the Board.

#### FINANCE What to Do With Hitler

If you ask the employees of ew York City's Finance Department what should be done with Mr. Adolf Hitler, they know. Here is how a group of employees in the Excise Tax Bureau answered that question, asked of them by Rosalie Alpert, one of their number:

William Wapnick, Utility Tax:
"Put him next to Napoleon in
Kings County."
Sol Giller, Utility Tax: "Turn

him over to our allies in Brooklyn.

Bert Steinberg, Personal Prop-erty: "I don't talk for publication . . . Aw, have a heart . . . All, right, I'll talk . . . . Hang the x\*x\*x\*&\*Z in the largest public square available."

Henrietta Volper, Office Audits: "When we were kids we used to speak of a form of torture where the guity one woud be tickled and laugh himself to death. Sounds ike an idea for Mr. Schickelgruber."

Margaret Finnin, Timekeeper: "You'd be surprised."

Davis H. Lang, Correspondence: "I would put him in chains and dangle Hedy Lamarr in front of him."

Sylvia Hecht, Sales Tax Field: "Grrrrrrrrrrr."

Vera Wasserman, Correspondence: "Use camphor and castor oil in the unmentionable ways the Nazis do."

Anabelle Lazaroff, Audit Con-ference: "Oh, to be able to commit him to an eternal life of complete disregard in the midst of millions. Can you just imagine the high and mighty bombastic fool completely, but completely ignored to the end of time! I relish the sadistic thought!"

These views, with others equally blood curdling, appeared in "Victory News," a lively little publication gotten up by Bureau of Excise Tax employees. Its editor is B. L. Hillson.

13 ASTOR PLACE

AT A SPECIAL TERM, PART II, OF TRI
City Court of the City of New Year
held in and for the County of New Year
at the Courthouse thereof, located at to
Chambers Street in the Borough of Mea
hattan, City of New York on the 8th day
of October, 1943.

Present: Hon. John A. Byrnes, Chief Ja
tice, in the matter of the applications of
JOSEPH SALZMAN, also known as DAVI
ZATSMAN, also known as JERRY STONE
for leave to assume the name of JERRY
STONE.

The petitioner having duly applications that Court for leave to assume the of JERRY STONE in the stead and of JOSEPH SALZMAN and DAVID 2 MAN, and the said application having come on to be heard before me of 14th day of September, 1943, and it pearing that the said petitioner, pur to the provisions of the Selective Trand Service Act of 1940, has subnot or registration as therein provided the Court being satisfied thereby the averments contained in said petition averments contained in said petition true, and that there is no reasonably jection to the change of name propos NOW, upon reading and filing the

jection to the change of name proposes. Now, upon reading and filing the to show cause signed by Hon. Henry Schimmel, a Justice of this Court, a September 1st, 1943, and the petition JOSEPH SALZMAN, also known as JERRY STO duly verified the 23rd day of All 1943, and the affidavit of EDWARD I duly sworn to the 3rd day of Septem 1943, indicating the service of a copy the moving papers upon SHIRLEY I FER SATZMAN, the respondent he all in support of the said application, after hearing JOSEPH J. CRISA. Esq. HAROLD LAWRENCE KAPILOFF, I of counsel) in support of the said application, and no one appearing in opnose thereto, and due deliberation having had thereon, and upon the filing of opinion of this Court.

NOW, on motion of JOSEPH J. CR

NOW, on motion of JOSEPH J. CRISA, the attorney for the petitioner here, it is

in, it is

ORDERED, that JOSEPH SALZMAN is and he hereby is, authorized to assume the name of JERRY STONE on and after the 17th day of November, 1943, upgeondition, however, that he shall complete with the further provisions of this Order and it is further

with the further provisions of this order, and it is further

ORDERED that this order and he aforementioned petition be filed withsten days from the date thereof, in the Office fo the Clerk of this Court, and that a copy of this order shall within ten dan from the entry thereof be published one in the Civil Service Leader a newspape published in the City of New York, Company of New York, and that within ferry days after the making of this order, produced of said publication thereof shall be file with the Clerk of the City Court of the City of New York, the County of New York, and the grade of the City of New York, and the papers upon which it is preduced and the papers upon which it is preduced shall be served upon the Chairma of the local board of the United State Selective Servic, at which pittioner submitted to registration as above set for within twenty days after its entry, and the proof of such service shall be file with the Clerk of this Court in the Coupt of New York, within ten days after its entry, and the proof of such service shall be file with the Clerk of this Court in the Coupt of New York, within ten days a copy be served upon SHIRLEY PEFFER ZATS MAN, and it is further

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ORDERED that following the filing of the petition and order as hereinbefore a rected, and the publication of such order, and the filing of the proof of publicates thereof, and of the service of a copy of said papers and of the order as hereinbefore directed, that on and after the 170 of November, 1943, the petitioner shall be known by the name of JERRY STONA and no other name.

Enter:

J. A. B., C. J. C. C.

Enter:
J. A. B., C. J. C. C.
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this day and that it appars therefrom that
such corporation has compiled with sec
tion 105 of the Stock Corporation Law,
and that it is dissolved.
Given in duplicate under my hand and
official seal of the Department
(Seal) of State at the City of Albun,
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# General **Bradley's** Column

**Brigadier General** John J. Bradley (Ret.)



Below is a continuation of General Bradley's series of articles about fucational opportunities in the armed forces. This week's column deals ith the opportunities available to a soldier who wishes to improve imself while studying on hs own.

#### OFF-DUTY EDUCATION

Today's inductee has had considerably more civilian educa-ion than his counterpart in the last war. About 14 percent of our irmed forces in this war are college men, nearly 4 out of 10 have graduated from high school, and about 2 out of every 3 have been to high school.

Nevertheless, more off-duty educational opportunities have en provided, by the Army Special Service Division and the Navy educational Services Section, than any Army or Nay has ever had

they include: 700 correspondence courses, carrying school or oliege credit, and a number of self-teaching courses; voluntary liter-hours classes in bases and posts throughout the world; prientation lectures, movies, newsmaps to keep the serviceman up to date on the war and its significance; foreign language study, sing phonograph transcriptions and new quick methods; pocketunderstand the countries and people

#### The Armed Forces Institute

If the serviceman left any unfinished educational business behind him when he joined up, the Armed Forces Institute will help

The Institute is the most ambitious University-by-mail in his-It offers any high school or college course and a great many rade and vocational courses by correspondence. If the serviceman s sent to a place where correspondence is too difficult, he may take many or these subjects in self-teaching form. He gets these courses at pargam prices, and he gets school or college credit for them if he wants it.

The Armed Forces Institute began as the Army Institute. It stablished headquarters in Madison, Wisconsin, and enlisted the poperation of 81 colleges and universities giving correspondence courses. Thus it was able to offer more than 700 approved high school and college courses, at first to the Army, later by agreement to the Navy, Marines, and Coast Guard, also.

The Institute supplemented these 700 courses with 64 correspondence courses of its own making. These included a large proportion of mechanical, electrical, and civil engineering ourses of especial use to the armed forces.

Then the Institute took a third step. It began to prepare self-teaching courses for subjects in which it was not necessary to grade regular written assignments, and for parts of the world with which orrespondence is difficult or spasmodic. Self-teahing courses were brepared in arithmetic, shorthand, typewriting, alebra, English. Those were easy enough to make. The student could be given a key of correct is own work, and at the end of the course could take an examination supervised by a superior officer. But there was a demand for courses like physics. How could physics be taught thout a laboratory and laboratory supervision? The Institute ditorial staff solved this problem by making laboratories of the elaborate machines with which servicemen are required to become familiar—weapons, vehicles, motors, instruments of communication. or example, the staff said, what better illustration of the principle hat every action has an equal and opposite reaction could the student find than the recoil mechanism of his gun? The staff wrote the courses using military life as laboratory. The course is

For a course prepared by the Institute, the serviceman will pay two dollars. For a course offered by a cooperating college or inversity, he will pay half of the fee. The Army or Navy will pay the rest, up to twenty dollars.

First catalogues of the Institute were issued in December, 1942. Between January and May, the increase in enrollment was nearly all percent. New registrations are coming in now at a rate of about 1,000 aweek.

Sixty percent of the enrollment is overseas Shorthand is the most popular subject abroad, arithmetic the most popular with men in this country.

#### The Classes Servicemen Want

The serviceman is his own Dean in the Army and Navy. He lecides what he wants to study in his spare time, and sometimes fecults the teacher and schedules the class.

Dozens of off-duty classes are now held in outlying Naval bases lke Kodiak and Guantanamo, Naval training stations like Bain-bridge, they include geometry, basic mathematic, review arithmetic, ligh school algebra, Spanish, German, English grammar, American listory, snorthand. The classes usually meet two evening hours a week for six weeks. They are free, and textbooks are furnished.

Enrollment averages about 15. Teachers may be officers or enlisted men. They receive no pay for teaching. Sometimes they have laught before, sometimes not. The test of their ability is not whether the students. hether they have a teachers certificate, but whether the students

In the Navy, these off-duty classes meet in an Educational Service Center, Centers have been established at most outlying bases and are now being introduced in continental stations. Each enter has an education officer who helps to organize classes, secures eachers; sees that the center has a library, moving pictures, newshaps, phonograph records for language students.

The whole pogram is completely democratic and voluntary. Only those men who are interested come. But interest is high and the men are grateful, particularly in isolated bases like the three which call their Educational Service Centers the University of Odiak, the College of Dutch Harbor, and the Academy of the Andreanorr Islands.

# FIRE DEPT.

#### **Endowment Group Pays**

A former Fire lieutenant, acting captain, and now a tail gu: ier on a marine corps bomber, received \$1,055.50 last week in a Brooklyn court after a legal battle with a Fire De-partment endowment organi-

The ex-fireman, and World War I veteran, had been a mem-ber of the Firemen's Co-operative Endowment Association, and on June 8, 1942, when he left the department, Herman G. Chalcey presented his claim for

\$1,000 to the organization.

The organization denied that it owed him that amount of money, and offered him \$675 in full settlement of his claim.

#### So He Went to Court

He held out for the \$1,000, and hired an attorney, Abraham Dolinsky, to represent him. Here is the story as it unfolded in the

legal proceedings:
On April 20, 1936, Marine
Chalcey had joined the endowment group and became entitled to \$600 upon his retirement from the department; or upon his death the amount would be paid

to his beneficiary.

He paid his dues regularly, and during his membership in the organization, benefits were increased to \$1,000.

When he retired from the Fire Department, he notified the or-ganization of his retirement, and asked for his money.

That was his side of the story,

and the side which the Brooklyn Municipal Court upheld.

#### Organization Claims

That the constitution and by-laws of the association provided that the Board of Di-rectors were given the duty of taking the best measures for the security, increase and investment of the funds of the organization. That the Board of Directors in view of the large number of firemen who were retiring from the department, provided that the benefits would be paid according to the ability of the treasury of the organization.

-Members of the group who applied for retirement benefits were placed on a waiting list and were to be paid as soon as the condition of the treasury of the association would permit.

-That Chalcey's claim hadn't yet been reached and that therefore nothing was due him as yet. Also that no member had a claim for payment until he had been notified by the Board of Directors that his claim had been reached for payment.

But the Court saw it Chalcey's way, and last week he collected.

#### HEALTH

#### Blind, So He's OK

Seymour Marcus, a clerk employed in the health Department, was ordered dismissed on Octo-ber 8, 1943, by the City Civil Service Commission because of failure to pass a physical examination.

A few days later he produced evidence that he was classified as blind by the State Depart-ment of Social Service, and was ordered reinstated by the Commission.

Section 25-B of the Civil Service Law provides that a municipal civil service commission cannot discriminate against a candidate for a City job solely on the grounds that he is blind. In the case of Mr. Marcus, his lack of vision did not interfere with the performance of his duties, and he is back at work at the Bushwick Health Center.

#### SANITATION

#### Can You Write?

Sanitation has been putting out a little paper now and then, the "Spectator." Ben Alpert c. d Abe Rothenberg were the editors, Gerard Dougherty did the fancy



#### Where to Spend A Rainy Day

Here's a way for employees in the Municipal Building to spend their lunch hour on rainy

Up on the 25th Floor, WNYC has a cosy audience room where you can sit in comfort—the room is air conditioned-smoke and gossip.

Between twelve and one, there is a fifty-five minute program of calm music, and a five-minute news broadcast. Through plate glass windows you can watch the etherites in rehearsal rehearsal.

vari-typing and turned out an attractive job.

The boys were glad to do their share to keep the 951 Sanitation men in service informed of do-ings in the office and what their pals in service were accomplish-

But things change. All of a sudden the "Greetings" came to the staff of the paper. Now Rothenberg is in the Navy, the other two in the Army, and Harry Langdon, of Sanitation's Finance office, is scouting around for volunteers to get the paper to the 954 Sanitation men now

#### BOROUGH OFFICES

#### Columbus Starts A Quiet Feud

The American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL, is feuding with the Office of the Borough President of Manhattan.

"We're glad that Columbus discovered America," says the AFSCME. "And we're glad that per diem employees in the Bor-ough President's Office got the day off to march in the parade."

"But," adds the union, "we think it a hypocritical gesture of patriotism that these men are not permitted to work an

are not permitted to work an extra day to make up for the day's pay they're losing.

"They're not even asking to be paid for the day," says Edis Ranen, regional director of the AFL group, "but we think it most unfair that they should lose almost ten dollars." lose almost ten dollars."

The union reports it is tak-

ing the matter up with the Mayor in an effort to overrule the department on this point and get an extra day's work for the employees concerned

#### WNYC

#### Can You Act?

WNYC can use more people who'd like to take part in radio-dramatic shows. If you've ever done any amateur acting they can use you.

George Ashness at the station is the man to see. Legular tryouts are held on Thursday at 2 P.M., but they'll make special arrangements for City workers to show what they can do some evening or on Sunday. Broadcasts are in the evening.

#### DWSGE

#### 50 Got a Day—

tricity is one of the few departments which knows how many of their employees have been given a day off for selling \$100

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In all, WSGE bought \$35,550 worth of bonds, which will bring back \$50,933.33 in ten

And one of their Brooklyn employees hit the patriotic jack pot by getting himself a \$5,000

#### COMPTROLLER **Legal Test For** One Division

On November 23 and 30, the City Civil Service Commission is holding promotional examinations for Claim Examiner—Torts, grade 3; and Claim Examiner—Law, grade 3. These tests are only open to employees in the Administrative unit of the Comptroller's Office.

Four employees of the Bureau

of Audit felt that they were be-ing discriminated against and asked that they be declared eligible for the test.

The Commission denied their request, explaining that the pur-pose of the test was to lift the

employees in the Comptroller's Office doing examiner's work to that rank.
At present, persons listed as

searchers, clerks, investigators etc., are doing work which is performed in other departments by examiners.

As the examination of claims comes under the administrative bureau of the office, the Commission felt it wise to restrict the exam to that division.

# BOOKKEEPER

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THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State,
By FRANK S. SHARP,
Deputy Secretary of State.

By FRANK S, SHARP,
Deputy Secretary of State.
STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT
OF STATE, ss.:
I do hereby certify that a certificate of
dissolution of PILGRIM NOVELITY CO.,
INC. has been filed in this department
this day and that it appears therefrom
that such corporation has compiled with
section one hundred and five of the Stock
Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.
Given in duplicate under my hand and
official scal of the Department
of State, at the City of Albany,
(Seal) this first day of October, one
thousand nine hundred and
forty-three.

THOMAS J. CURRAN

THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State.
By FRANK S. SHARP.
Deputy Secretary of State.
STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT
OF STATE, ss.
I do hereby vertify that a certificate of dissolution of MARLOW HOLDING CORP.
has been filed in this department this day and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has compiled with section one hundred and five of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.
Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department of State, at the City of Albany, (Seal) this thirtieth day of September, one thousasnd nine hundred and forty-three,

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Secretary of State. By FRANK S. SHARP.

THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State.
By FRANK S. SHARP.
Deputy Secretary of State.
STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT
OF STATE, ss.:
I do hereby certify that a certificate of
dissolution of NOVELTY HAT BAND CO.,
INC., has been filed in this department
this day and that it appears therefrom
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section one hundred and five of the Stock
Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.
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of State, at the City of Albany,
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thousand nine hundred and forty
three.

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By FRANK S. SHARP,
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OF STATE, ss.:
I do hereby certify that a certificate of
dissolution of OXFORD PIPE SHOP, LTD.,
has been filed in this department this day
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corporation has complied with section one
hundred and five of the Stock Corporation
Law, and that it is dissolved.

Given in duplicate under my hand and
official seal of the Department
of State, at the City of Albany,
(Seal) this 30th day of September, 1943,
THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State,
By FRANK S. SHARP,
Deputy Secretary of State,
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Sy TATE, OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT
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THOMAS J. CURRAN.

THOMAS J. CURRAN, Secretary of State, By FRANK S. SHARP. Deputy Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, se.:

I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of FADUE CORPORATION has been filed in this department this day and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has compiled with section one hundred and five of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.

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Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department of State, at the City of Albany, (Seal) this 2nd day of October, 1943, THOMAS J. CURRAN, Secretary of State, By FRANK S. SHARP, Deputy Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, ss.:

I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of BEAUX ARTS LIQUOR STORE, INC., has been filed in this department this day and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied with section one hundred and five of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.

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Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department of State, at the City of Albany, (Seal) this 2nd day of October, 1943.

THOMAS J. CURRAN. Secretary of State, By FRANK S. SHARP. Deputy Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, ss.:

I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of RICH COAT, APRON & TOWEL SUPPLY CO., INC., has been filed in this department this day and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied with section one hundred and five of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.

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Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department of State, at the City of Abany, (Seal) this 29th day of September, 1943.

THOMAS J. CURRAN. Secretary of State. By FRANK S. SHARP. Deputy Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, ss.:

I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of PELHAM DELICATESSEN INC. has been filed in this department this day and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied with section one hundred and five of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.

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of State, at the City of Albany.
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THOMAS J. CURRAN.
Secretary of State.
By FRANK S. SHARP.
Deputy Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, 88.:

OF STATE, ss.:

I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of 528 EAST 147TH STREET CORPORATION has been filed in this department this day, and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied with section one hundred and five of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.

Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department of State, at the City of Albany. (Seal) this 30th day of September, 1943

THOMAS J. CURRAN.
Secretary of State.
By FRANK S. SHARP.
Deputy Secretary of State.

At a Special Term, Part II of the Court of the City of New York, Court of New York, held at the Courthouse. Chambers Street, Borough of Manhatta City of New York, on the 8th day October, 1943.

October, 1943.

PRESENT: Hon. John A. Byrnes, HIRSHFIELD and PRISCILLA RHIRSHFIELD tor leave to change names and the name of their day PRISCILLA RUTH HIRSHFIELD to BERT FIELD, BEATRICE FIELD, PRISCILLA RUTH FIELD, respective Upon reading and filing the petition HERBERT HIRSHFIELD and BEATHIRSHFIELD, duly verified September 1943, praying for leave to assum names of HERBERT FIELD, BEAT FIELD and to change the name of daughter to PRISCILLA RUTH FIELD and to change the name of the present and it appearing that the said peta HERBERT HIRSHFIELD, pursuant HERBERT HIRSHFIELD PURSUANT HERBERT HERBERT HERBERT HIRSHFIELD PURSUANT HERBERT HERBE HERBERT HIRSHFIELD, pursuan provisions of the Selective Train Service Act, has submitted to reg as therein provided, and the Consatisfied that the averments consaid petition are true and that the resonable objections to the change of name and that the interest of the property of the change of her name to conform that of her parents:

NOW, on motion of JOSEPH SCHIM
MAN, attorney for the petitioners, it as
ORDERED that HERBERT HIRS
FIELD be authorized to assume the as
of HERBERT FIELD; that BEATRIM
HIRSHFIELD be authorized to assume aname of BEATRICE FIELD; that PROCILLA RUTH HIRSHFIELD be authorized to assume the name of PRISCILLA RUTH HIRSHFIELD be authorized to assume the name of PRISCILLA FIELD; on and after the 17th day of x vember, 1943, upon condition, howen that they shall comply with the provisin of this order; and it is further
ORDERED that this order and the

of this order; and it is further

ORDERED that this order and the a
mentioned petitions be filed and en
within ten days from the date here
the Office of the Clerk of this Conrt
that a copy of this order shall withi
days from the entry thereof be publ
once in the Civil Service Leader, a
paper published in the City of New
Borough of Manhattan and that w
forty days after this order is made,
of such publication be filed and en
with the Clerk of the City Court a
City of New York, County of New 3
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ORDERED that a copy of the and the papers upon which it is shall be served upon the Chair Local Board 141, located at 241 Highway, Borough of Brooklyn, New York, at which the petitione BERT HIRSHFIELD submitted to tion within twenty days after it and that proof of such service filed and recorded with the Clerk Court in the County of New York ten days after such service; and it ther ORDERED that following the

ORDERED that following the him the publication and order, as hereind directed and the publication of such and the filing of proof of publication of such of and of the service of a copy of order and the papers upon which based as hereinfore directed that on after the 17th day of November 1 the petitioners and their infant dang shall be known by the names of HERE FIELD. BEATRICE FIELD and PRISTIELD. And by no other na Enter:

J. A. B., J. C.

STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, se.:

I do hereby certify that a certific dissolution of ALLIED CANDY Co. has been filed in this department in and that it appears therefrom that corporation has complied with section of the Stock Corporation Law, and it is dissolved.

Given in duplicate under my has official seal of the Depa (Seal) of State at the City of this 7th day of October, 1

STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, 88.: I do hereby certify that a certifical dissolution of AMERICAN MAID DRI EO., INC., has been filed in this dep ment this day and that it appears his from that such corporation has come with section 105 of the Stock Corporat Law, and that it is dissolved.

Given in duplicate under my hand official seal of the Depart (Seal) of State at the City of A this 7th day of October, 1943 THOMAS J. CURRAN.

Secretary of St. By FRANK S. SHARP Deputy Secretary of St.

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By FRANK S. SHARP. Deputy Secretary of State

# THE JOB **MARKET**

The Job Market is designed to help readers and jobs get together. The positions listed are gathered from advertisements of all the newspapers, periodicals and communication with personnel managers. These obs are analyzed and arranged in categories which will be most helpful as a basis for se-lection. However, it is wise to read the entire column rather han limit yourself to any one

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Bindery work. \$25-30, 8th floor. 200

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hal Bldg. No. 10 (33 St., 3rd Ave.), Bklyn.
Micameld, 1087 Flushing Ave., Bklyn.
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34 W. 14 St.
\$20.65. 5½ days. 4th floor, 621 6 Ave.
\$20, 40 hours, 5 days, Rainbow Ribbon, 16 E. 40 St.
Light assembly work. \$23.40. 5½
days, Irene Blake, 1 W. 62 St.
\$20.40, 40 hours, Emerson Radio,
309 W. 15 St.
\$26.00, 48 hours. Bonuses. Aero
Spark Plug Co., 1422 Hudson St.
Light factory work. Start \$26. National Biscuit Co., 445 W. 15th St.
(10th Ave.).

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J. C. Penney Co., 330 W. 34 St., clerks comptometer operators, 5 days.
Comptometer operators, 354 4th Ave.,

Comptometer operators, 354 4th Ave., Lerner Shops.
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Typists, file clerks, page girls, Elmer & Amend, Greenwich & Morion Sts.
(Christopher St. Sta.)
Accountants (general experience) and cost estimators (Engineering grads preferred.) Bendix Aviation, Marine Division, 754 Lexington Ave., Brooklyn.
Cost accountants, Jr. (3 yrs. exp.).
Accountants (contract costs, inventory, trial balance), Sperry Gyroscope Co., 4014 First Ave., Bklyn.

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Northern Blvd., L. I. C.
Laboratorians, girls, American Cyananuld Co., 159 Greenwich St. (at Cortland St.). Machinists, girls, Roebling Machine Works, 82 Beckman St.
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beys, 9-1 or 1-6. N. Y. Public Librar, Rm. 210 42nd St. & 5th Ave. Defveries, part time. 56c per hour. Stock work. \$20, 40 hours, 7th floor, 153 E. 24th St. \$25, 44 hours, 5 days. Elite Laundry, 333 E. 105th St. Shipping clerks. 8-12 A. M., 1-5 P.M., G. 10 P.M. Michaels Bros., 10 Congress St

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Clericals. Oppenheim Collins, 33 W. 34th St.
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Stockmen, 1-5 or 2 to 6 or 3 to 7. 20 hour week. 55c per hour. Macy's, 166 W. 35 St. Daily to 7 P. M., Thurs, to 9 P. M., Facking, shipping, drilling, assembling

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1 P.M.

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Night shift. Micamold, 1087 Flush159 Greenwich St. (nr. Liberty St.)
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#### Out of Town

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#### THE PROBE

#### Ramspeck Tells What's Wrong

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First—The committee recommended more liberal use of the so-called "meritorious" promotions. These are the one and two-step within-grade promotions granted to employees who have performed exceptional out-standing service. Ordinarily, standing service. Ordinarily, they carry a pay increase of \$60 to \$200 per year.

Second — The committee recommended incentive pay for some types of Government jobs.

On this point, the committee said: "Provision should be made for justifying in-grade promo-tion based upon quality and quantity of production.

There are many types of clerical work which can be measured with reasonable accuracy. e.g., key punch, typing, machine transcription, machine billing, etc. Such workers should be rewarded by wage increases based upon accomplishments as an incentive for above-average production.

#### In Upper Brackets

Third—The committee recommended that there should be more salary steps above the \$4600 level. Reason: As it now stands, a new employee has to be brought in at the entrance salary for his particular grade. However, if there were more grades in the upper-brackets, there would be a greater variety of salaries to offer newcomers. At present, for instance, the salary grades jump from \$4600 to \$5600 to \$6500 to \$8000. Were there intermediate grades, Uncle Sam probably would save

Fourth-The Committee said "provision should be made for hiring applicants under certain conditions, at amouts in ex-cess of the minimum for the grade."

On this point the committee said: "Desirable applicants can frequently be obtained for a wage in excess of the minimum of one grade but less than the minimum of the next higher grade. The consequences are that the applicant is often hired at a starting wage in excess. at a starting wage in excess of what he is willing to accept.

"As an example, a highly-qualified administrative analyst meeting the requirements for a CAF-13 (\$5600) job will accept an appointment for \$5000. This is \$400 more than the minimum of CAF-12 (\$4600). Therefore, under the present act, we are obliged to pay such an applicant \$600 per year more than re-'As an example, a highly-\$600 per year more than requested."

Fifth -The committee said the Classification Act should be revised to eliminate reference "number of employees" as a basis for determining the grade

sand salary of a supervisor.

Sixth — Personnel directors should make themselves more accessible to employees, the committee suggested.

In its report, the committee sharply criticised the employment of youthful personnel officials. It said Government too often placed "over-emphasis on college" degraes in history college" degrees in hiring these

The committee also criticized the practice of many Government workers of obtaining important raises by "blowing up" their job descriptions.

#### ODB Less People, More Work

NEWARK-Office of Dependency Benefit's officials are looking around for ways to do more work with the same amount of people.

Brigadier General H. N. Gilbert, Director of the agency, has instituted daily classes for officers and key civilian employees to "learn the most efficient methods to simplify the jobs

now under their supervision.
"They are being trained," the
General says, "to chart existing work operations, and analyze each step performed, and to rechart these operations in .. simplified form—eliminating all non-essential action. In this way, we expect to accomplish our objective—to get our work done with fewer motions, less material, and in a better : anner. This will result in better utili-

zation of our personnel."

An ever increasing volume of work pouring into the office, coupled with a low-staff ceiling fixed by Congress, and the ever-present possibility of Congressional action which would change the dependency allotments of service men, make more efficient operations necessary.

#### **Employees Stuck Now**

Employees of the ODB who are following the new plans to make more efficient use of their services are somewhat pe ved by a stoppage of promotions and raises at the ODB.

Since the recent transfer of the agency from the Adjutant General's Office to the Fiscal Bureau of the War Department, there has been no action taken on section heads' requests for the upgrading of employees.

Some workers at the office have suggested to the LEADER reporter that a few hundred ju-dicious raises and promotions around the building might do more to speed up production, than a "recharting" of the operations.

But for the present at least, the workers have to stay just where they are.

#### So Big

HEWARK—Office of Dependency Benefits is getting a practical lesson of just how big the world is. There are a lot of Chinese American soldier, whose families are still living in China. They're entitled to the same benefits as soldiers whose presents as soldiers whose presents. benefits as soldiers whose parents are living on Main Street. and the payments are beginning to reach them each month.

The check is mailed to the Bank of China in New York, then by cable-code, the New York bank orders its China branch to make the payments. Several thousand families in unoccupied China will very soon get the funds which have been piling up to their credit, and then will receive a payment every month.

#### What a Headache

The glassy-eyed looking clerks, headed by Vivian E. Kessler, are the long-suffering group who specialize in handling the oriental end of ODB's business. Just putting the address on a notice for one of the Chinese dependents is enough to make a clerk think of heading for a nice, quiet nervous breakdown.

Here's a typical address for a

Chinese dependent: (and all that double-talk must be en-tered, or the payment will never

arrive): Name of person: Chinn Tee Til-Wui;

Local store where mail is delivered: Yick Yeun Mong; Name of the particular vil. ge: Mei Hong Tune; Local district: Sha Hun Shee;

Name of group of villages:
Lakee Tune;
Name of County: Hoy Sun;
Name of nearest large City:

Canton; ame of Country: China (That's the easy part).

#### POSTAL

#### Clerks, Carriers Seek Peace

New York letter carriers and clerks got together last week and tried to make peace among themselves. They hadn't been the best of friends lately, and here's why:

When the recent curtailment of postal deliveries went into effect, it left quite a few carriers with nothing to carry.

The logical thing to do was to put them to work as clerks. But the Post Office has a ruling that when a man transfers from a clerk to a carrier job, or vice versa, he loses 5 year's seniority by making the transfer.

The carriers insisted that the 5-year provision be dropped for the duration of the postal cur-tailment. The clerks, felt that it protected them, and wanted it kept in.

#### So They Got Together

At last week's meeting between officers of Branch 36, National Association of Letter Carriers and Local 10, New York Federation of Post Office Clerks. the carriers and clerks tried to arrive at an amicable agreement.

They couldn't exactly come to terms about this business of carriers losing seniority, but they found a common ground in op-posing the curtailment of postal deliveries. They agreed to work jointly to have the old sche-dules restored so that the car-riers can become carriers again.

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# Memo to the Mayor

TERE'S a suggestion to Mayor LaGuardia: Why shouldn't there be a liaison man to act as a coordinator for matters affecting all departments? An official who could deal with the personnel problems affecting all departments? There is an obvious ease for simple efficiency that can be made out here.

The Federal government has such an individual. He's William F. McReynolds, administrative assistant to the President. New York State, through centralization of personnel powers within the Civil Service Department, and the creation of the position of administrative director, is also seeking to accomplish the same

#### HOW IT WOULD WORK

Here's an example of what we mean: When it comes to holidays, each department in New York City sets pretty much its own terms. Some allow the time off, some take it out of sick leave, and others give the employee no alternative at all. In the State, on the other hand, the Civil Service Commission sends out a directive clearly stating how it is to be done. Thus it works fairly for all employees, since all are affected the same way, and everybody knows just where he stands.

There are many such problems that ought to be handled through a central officer. Part-time employ-ment has been messed up by some officials, because they just don't know the law on it. When the Mayor offered the opportunity of a day off, recently, to City employees who sold \$100 in bonds, there was much difference in the way departments reacted. Selective service poses many city-wide problems that ought to be centrally handled. Same with leaves of absences. Same with disciplinary action.

Another function of such a liaison officer would be to transmit to the departments information about law cases affecting personnel policies, and to see that the Mayor's executive orders are properly carried out. In this capacity, a great service would be rendered City officials and employees by keeping them informed.

The need for such an official in New York City is doubly important in view of the fact that the Municipal Civil Service Commission is a weak, not a strong, body.

Why not give this some thought, Mr. Mayor?



# Repeat This!



Pvt. Paul J. Kern, who gave intelligence tests to hundreds of thousands of New Yorkers while head of the NYC Civil Service Commission, scored one of the highest marks possible (152) on the Army General Classification Test. But he'll be, of all things, an MP, and he's training at Fort Custer, Mich. . . New York's cops and firemen are going to get help from an unexpected source on their referendum, a source that will really pull votes, assuming the unfavorable Shientag suming the unfavorable Shientag decision is revised. . . . Edward Rhatigan, First Deputy Welfare Commissioner, will join the over-seas staff of Herbert Lehman's Relief and Rehabilitation setup. . . . Louis Drexler, who heads the Research Bureau of the State Civil Service Department, in the Research Bureau of the State Civil Service Department, in the Army. . . . There will be no more Army Commissions direct from civilian life. . . . Abner Frankel, former Dewey investigator, has been appointed to do special probing by the State ABC Board. . . Prettiest gals in any governmental department work at governmental department work at War Manpower Commission, 11 West 42nd Street. . . . When Governor Dewey is in New York he stays at the Hotel Roosevelt.

#### Politics, Inc.

Dewey can't win on that Albany probe and counter-probe busi-ness, and his advisers are troubled ness, and his advisers are troubled about it. They reason the O'Con-nells can stand the mud, but what the Albany crowd might dig up on GOP legislators could hurt the administration. . . . Big say in the General Has-kell campaign is former Covernor. kell campaign is former Governor Al Smith. . . . If the Bar Asso-ciation probe of Aurelio doesn't come up with the real dirt, look forward to further blasts from District Attorney Hogan. More politicians to be named. . . Col. Starling, Chief of Protective Forces at the White House for the past 30 years, will write a series of articles based on his experiences. series of articles based on his ex-periences. . . That Fortune ar-ticle on U. S. Civil service, due shortly. It will make many an official beet-red. . . . Miss Louise Gerry, State Civil Service Com-missioner: That's a swell story you tell about your fellow com-missioner. Howard Smith, and the you tell about your fellow com-missioner, Howard Smith, and the Buffalo Republicans. . . . Com-missioner Carey, who admitted volating the City Charter by holding other jobs in addition to his post as Sanitation head, didn't know about the Court of Appeals decision granting New York City employees the right to hold part-time jobs.

# Merit Men



SO YOU THINK you've got a hard job? Do you come in every morning at 9 and work until midnight or later? Irvin Rutter does. Do you work in a sensitive field where every act of yours is subject to the most detailed public scrutiny? Irvin Rutter does. Do you have to make frequent decisions affecting the lives of millions? Irvin Rutter does. It's his job to see that OPA works, in a region comprising New York, New Jersey, Pennsyl-vania, Maryland, Delaware, and the District of Columbia. Rutter is a small, soft-spoken man; you wouldn't pick him out in a crowd. But as Regional Enforce-ment Attorney for the Office of Price Administration, he holds a position of stupendous import-ance—a post which has required such an amassment of know-ledge, such a groundwork of information about the manner in which many industries operate, that if some accident were to befall him today, it would be nearly calamitous to the agency which he represents, and so for the whole people. At any rate, that's how it looks to this re-porter, after talking to officials who work with Rutter.

There are four main divisions in OPA: rationing; price control; rent control; and enforcement. This last exercises a kind of over-all control. When you read about a ring of counterfeiters of ration coupons caught and sent to jail, those counterfeiters were tracked down by Rutter's men. If you overpaid for a piece of furniture, and wrote in to the OPA regional office at the Empire State Building, your complaint came to Rutter's office. And now, if your land-lord isn't playing according to Hoyle, it's Rutter's office which is supposed to do something

about it. The demands have been great. And when you consider the small staff with which Rutter has had to operate, then you must admit that the results achieved are just phenomenal. Let those who will, yap about it: these are the facts.

#### It's Something New

The enforcement job which Rutter does is different from anything we've ever had in the past. It isn't like the work of the FBI, for that agency deals with recognized crimes. OPA has to deal with the ultimate conthe retailer, and with sumer, with the retailer, and with the wholesaler, manufac-turer, and producer. The work covers fields in which an "ethic" did not originally exist and is only now growing up. A grocer who overcharges a few cents on a can of peaches or the butcher who sells meat to his good friends without accepting ration stamps - these gentlemen have not as yet the strong awareness that their action is anti-social— even though in its ultimate effect it may be quite as serious as burglary. Enforcement in this sensitive twilight field has been an educational and psychological problem. All of this, has been fully recognized. In the early days, enforcement was therefore more on the educational side. more on the educational sidepolite warnings, "Please don't do it again" notices. Today, however, as the likelihood of innocent violators grows smaller, OPA is using its legal sanctions more and more.

#### Getting Tough

OPA has plenty of ways to get tough, too. Here are the legal sanctions it can impose:

1. Civil litigation, to enjoin the

violator from continuing his dirty work.

2. In cases of serious wilful violations, it can indict on crim. inal charges. The United States attorney then tries these cases

3. Treble damage action. This is a sanction available to consumer himself. Where yo overpay for a product, even few cents, you may take the olator to court, and collect minimum of \$50, or three tim what you over paid, amounts to more than \$50.

4. At another level, the price administrator may bring action to collect, say, from a who saler. The Government son times recovers to the extent hundreds of thousands of dolla in such actions, taking the in legal profit and more out of vio

5. And then there are the familiar administrative proceed right of a person to participat in the limited commodity whe he has shown that he wants hoggish about using it. No ly, this has involved suspending gasoline rations from individuals who couldn't resist the item. to get in their automobiles and be off, or gasoline dealers who have felt that their personal profit was more important than assuring an adequate supply of gasoline for our tanks and fly. ing fortresses.

#### Must Be Scientific

Rutter has found that the mere number of complaints isn a reliable index in shaping com pliance policy. In some fields where there is wide violation there are few complaints—for example, fur, textiles, and the apparel industry. On the other hand, it cometimes happens the hand, it sometimes happens that a great many complaints come in, but on investigation it is found that these complaint cover all the violations there are in the industry. So, in investigating, Rutter's men have to b goes on by making a "compliant survey." This means they cover a "sampling" of an industry, have their people "keep an ear to the ground," make an economic and the industry that the industry that it is not the ground," make an economic and the industry that is the industry of the industry. omic study of the industry, examine the books of a portion of the operators, consult the experts. It doesn't take long before OPA has a pretty accurate picture of the situation.

#### Since the War Rutter has been with OPA al-

most since the war started and with the Government for 11 years. At Columbia Law School

where he took his law work, he made the coveted Law Review, and was highest man in his class at the end of his second year. He had three scholarships, and upon graduation became law secre tary to Federal Judge William Bondy. That was in 1931. Tw William years later he was appointed to assistant United States Attorned in New York. In 1939 he became Special Assistant to the Attorney General of the United States. It stayed with the Department of Justice until OPA. For a period he was acting chief of the Civil Division in the IV. Division in the U. S. Attorney office. Though most of his work was tax litigation, he represent ed the Government in some spectacular cases, among them the John Strachey case (the U.S. didn't want Strachey on the ground that he had Comunist views); the Magda Fontange case (she was Mussolini's gal friend)); and, the so-call Rus sian cases. These Russian cases which Rutter considers among the most fascinating he has even handled, involved the assignment to the U.S. of all claims which the Soviet Government had here. These claims involved fabulous sums which the provise fabulous sums which the provis ional Russian government had deposited, and which the American ican banks had refused to giff up to the Soviets, and moneys which pre-Soviet corp orations and insurance companies had deposited, and which the soviet government now claimed. The issues were complicated by the period of non-recognition. International law of the most delicate kind was involved. The cases have even yet not been finally concluded.

Rutter works hard. Quietly, he has done one of the most effective jobs imaginable, in a spoi ive jobs imaginable, in a that required the agility of a tight-rope walker, the stamina of a lumberman, and the clear headedness of a number 1 law.

# letters

#### Here's Another Kick, "Clipped" by State

Sirs: Your article in last week's issue of the LEADER "State Commission Not Responsible For Appointments Below Minimum") struck home to me.

Here's what happened in my case, and I think it's typical of many other candidates for State

Last November I took the exam for Associate Unemploy-ment Insurance Reviewing Examiner. The salary range was listed as "\$3,500 to \$4,375." Unfortunately I did not notice the little line that appointments could be made below the mini-

After the list came out, I was offered an appointment at the low salary of \$2,800, plus 7½ percent during the war.

I wrote back that I wouldn't consider less than \$3,500. That's

the last I heard. I think it most unfair that the State should expect people to study and take tests, then use the list to find whom they can get to work at the lowest salary. When you take an examination for a specific job, you should get the salary for which you

A DISGUSTED ELIGIBLE. There is a possibility that something will be done about this at the coming session of the Legislature. The State Civil Service Commission is known to be averse to the present situation.-Ed.

#### **How Long May** Uniform Be Worn?

Sirs: In the Civil Service LEADER issued August 17, a letter from A.A.I. was pub-lished. He mentions that al-though he has been given a medical discharge, due to an accident, he is still in uniform, as he is "entitled to wear it for 90 days after discharge under the National Defense Act."

After weeks of inquiry and re-search, I have failed to fine any evidence to substantiate this statement.

Perhaps this applies only to those discharged for medical reasons, or is it a newly issued act — not yet generally an-nounced to lay people? Will A.A.I. be good enough to

inform many interested persons,

through these columns, where the 90-day clause may be found?

I agree with him about wearing the uniform while working but I would add this suggestion, i. e., remove all insignia and re-place them with the newly proposed button to be awarded those honorably discharged.

#### He's Had Trouble Landing City Job

Sirs: I'm trying to get 2 job with the City.
I read in the papers that the

City needs help and is crying it can't find any people to work.

So I go to the Civil Service Commission and what happens? They tell me that they haven't any exams, they haven't any

openings.

The only advice they give me is to go around to all the Departments and see if they can use me. They tell me to go to the Board of Transportation, but

I don't want a subway job.
I'd like to take a temporary
job now, so I can get experience and maybe later pass a test and keep the job for good.

There should be some place where I can get advice how to do this.

JACK BARTLEY.

ment is the fact that the Char-

ter should be safe from "easy, ill-considered action."

"Look," says Mr. Tully in ef-

# POLICE CALLS

#### They're Trying to Kill Bonus Referendum But the Last Shot Hasn't Been Fired Yet

Well, fellas, it's a tough blow, but they've killed the referendum for the time being. You all know about Justice Shientag's decision last Friday saying the referendum couldn't be on the ballot. But the game isn't over yet. Next step, the case goes to the Appellate Division. After that, there's a final appeal to the Court of Appeals. To laymen like you and us it certainly seems that the . people ought to have some way of expressing their feelings when elective officials are unresponsive to their demands. And certainly the people are wholeheartedly for the \$450 bonus, which every cop and fireman more than deserves. But outfits like the Association of Comthan deserves. But outhts like the Association of Commerce and Industry, Citizens Budget Commission, and Citizens Union don't see it that way. It costs money, so they're agin' it. What's more, they can't argue against it on straight, simple grounds; they have to hide behind legal jargon and delicate technicalities. We saw the legal papers in the case, and boy, are they something!

Replying to attempts of the Association of Commerce and Industry, Citizens' Union and Citizens Budget Committee to have the Police-Fire \$450 payraise referendum withdrawn from the ballot, James H. Tully, attorney for the Patrolman's Benevolent Association, presented his arguments to the Supreme Court why the people of New York City should have the right to vote on the increase, Paul Windels, attorney ror one Henry K. Astwood, is seeking to kill the referendum on two legal grounds:

1-That the only type of amendment to the City charter which may be made one changing an existing prosion, or adding to it something relating to the fudamental structure or framework of the City Government.

-That the voters of the City intended to preserve the charter in its present form when they voted on it in 1936, and this bound them to refrain from making any further changes in the Charter.

Tully Answers

Here are Mr. Tully's refutaon of these points.

"Look," says Mr. Tully in effect, "the people of the City adopted the Charter by their vote. Is it "ill-considered" to give them a chance to vote on an addition to it?"

"To condemn the procedure for adopting the proposed local law" (the bonus referendum) for adopting the proposed local law" (the bonus referendum), finishes Mr. Tully, "is to condemn the procedure for the adoption of the Charter itself and to impugn the wisdom of the Legislature in permitting its submission to the people."

Background
Last year, Pat Harnedy made
an attempt to get a raise
through legislation in Albany, but without success, even though other groups of employees were awarded pay increases. Then he tried before the Board of Esti-mate, and lost again—even though non-Police City employees earning under \$2,500 re-ceived raises. The referendum ceived raises. The referemakes the third attempt.

#### This Guy's Sore

To the Editor:

"Something should be done about the 37 Police Lieutenant vacancies eliminated from the Police Department budget. Why, if there are to be no jobs, were we kidded into paying for an examination and what about the labor wasted in preparing and running the exam?

"It seems to me that civil service is a joke when men doing routine police duty receive from \$240 to \$1,000 extra per annum because they know the right people while deserving candidates are limited in their chances of promotion up the civil service ladder.

"If you think any of those receiving extra compensation are indispensable, note that when they are "flopped," die or retire, the job goes on just the

"Have you heard about the precinct clerical man who is carried on the roster of a division office as a plainclothesman so he could get the extra \$240 compensation?

"Things like the foregoing cannot but convince one that all the extra money paid should be used to keep ALL vacancies filled."

SERGEANT.

#### Veterans Administration has been having its hands full with veterans lately. A number of gentlemen who participated in the last war, and seem somewhat more inc. ned to alcoholic than to industrial pur-

suits, have been noticing the sign "Veterans Administration." "Whee", they say, "this is the place for us," and proceed to make such trifling demands as fare to places like Tampa, where the climate is warmer, or a slight bit of financial aid to carry them a temporary period of

For Vetgossip

By ARTHUR LIEBERS

Vet Trouble At Vets

They don't get it, and their resultant indignation has resulted in polite requests from the guards to please leave the prem-

#### Local Vet trouble

monetary distress.

Vets had a bit of a furore about a World War I veteran who was working in the build-

The story goes back a long way, to Camp Upton during the last war. Private Bernard Oxenhandler was operated on at the camp for a nose ailment.

Since the war he's been trying to obtain veteran's compensation from the government. He charges that the operation which he underwent destroyed his sing-ing voice, and that he had suffered a loss of his occupation

as a result.

In 1936 his claim was turned down, but he didn't give up. He began working on Congress, and in 1942 he asked Bronx Congressan Charles A. Buckley to introduce a bill which would allow him to collect from the government for his loss of vocal

Finally, the hand of fate brought him to a desk at Veteran's Administration. After a short time . . . well, here the story differs. The veteran says that he was deliberately thrown out of a job by officials of Vets without any regard for his status

as a disabled veteran,
The official view at Vets has it
that he was inefficient,

But it seems that when he was told he was no longer employed at Vets, he paused in the man-ner of his going.

A Vet who happened to catch

the scene gave me a little de-scription of it. He sat down and wouldn't

budge. Mr. R. said "Go." Other bigwigs said, "Go."

He stayed.

Finally the guards came and they stood on either side of him and convinced him that it might be just as well to leave the place.

Later Senator Buckley's office called and asked if something couldn't be done.

A delegation of his friends

came in and asked if something

couldn't be done.

But at Vets, out is out . . .
he's still out.

#### Goodbye Girls

This week's column seems full of firings for some season. Some the temporaries who were hired to fill extra desks during the current busy season at Vets, have the right attitude suit the bosses, so they have already been discharged. A small percentage of them seemed to feel they were only working for a few months, so why do anything? In general though, the new kids are pitching in and doing a good job.

#### Did You Know?

There's something in \_overn-ment service called an "interim raise." It means that at any time during the year, if you are recommended for meritorious service, you can go home with more money in your pocket each pay day.

But no such raises have been handed out at Veterans Admin-istration ever since this New York branch has been in operation. One official, asking not to be quoted, thinks it's because as soon as anyone begins to do good work, the others pick on her (maybe him) and put a stop to the extra effort.

Personally, this column thinks that's the bunk and that a bit of recognition, and dough, would work wonders around the build-

#### **Dates Of Hearings** On Prevailing Pay

Here is the schedule of prevailing rate hearings which be held during the last week of October, and in November, by Assistant Deputy Comptroller Morris Paris:

Carpenters ..... October 22. Painters ..... November 15. Ship Caulkers .. November 16. Electricians .... November 17. Plumbers ..... November 19 Elevator Mech. November 22. Auto Machinists November 24. Machinists .... November 26. Firemen ..... November 29.

#### City Won't Extend Accountant Tests

The City Civil Service Commission last week denied a request from the State, County and Municipal Workers of America, CIO, that two promotion examinations be given on a citywide basis.

In June, 1943, the Commission ordered promoti examinations for Junior Accountant in the Comptroller's Office and Housing Authority, and for Accountin the Comptroller's Office. SCMWA suggested that the tests be opened to employees of all City departments.

In denying the request, the Commission said that inasmuch as there were eligible lists in other City departments, it would be unfair to promulgate new lists when the old lists were hardly more than a year old.

#### Sump'n for The Sump Men?

Sumps are in the news this

A sump is an underwater con-trivance to catch water that spills out of something in tunnels and such.

People who take care of sumps

are called sump tenders and the city has been paying them \$6

a day.

Now the City Civil Service

Commission is considering giving them a 50 cent a day raise, but it hasn't vet decide what to do about it.

LEGAL NOTICE

AT A SPECIAL TERM, PART II, OF THE
City Court of the City of New York,
held in and for the County of New York,
at the courthouse located at 52 Chambers
Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of
New York, on the 14 day of October, 1943,
PRESENT: Hon. John A. Byrnes, Chief
Justice.

New York, on the 14 day of October, 1943, PRESENT: Hon. John A. Byrnes, Chief Justice.

In the Matter of the Application of TOMASSO MACCHIARELLA also known as THOMAS MARSHIRALLA for leave to assume the name of THOMAS MEADE, Upon reading and filing the annexed petition of TOMASSO MACCHIARELLA also known as THOMAS MARSHIRALLA, verified the 2nd day of October, 1943; and the affidavit of ALICE MEADE, sworn to the 13th day of October, 1943, for leave to assume the name of THOMAS MEADE, and it appearing that the petitiner, TOMASSO MACCHIARELLA also known as THOMAS MARSHIRALLA, pursuant-to the provisions of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, submitted to registration as herein provided, and the court being satisfied thereby that the averments contained in said metition are true and the regress teams. by that the averments contained in said petition are true, and there are no reasonable objections to the change of name

able objections to the change of name proposed,
NOW, on motion of Louis Fabricant,
Esq., attorney for the petitioner, it is
ORDERED that the said petitioner be
and he hereby is authorized to assume
the name of THOMAS MEADE from and
after the 23 day of November, 1943, on
the condition that he shall comply with
the further provisions of this order; and
it is further
ORDERED that this order and the

after the 23 day of November, 1943, on the condition that he shall comply with the further provisions of this order; and it is further

ORDERED that this order and the aforementioned petition be entered and filed within ten days from the date hereof in the office of the Clerk of this Court; and that a copy of this order shall, within ten days from the entry thereof be published in the Civil Service Leader, a newspaper published in the City of New York, County of New York, and that within forty days after the making of this order, proof of such publication thereof shall be entered and filed with the Clerk of the City Court of New York, County of New York, and it is further

ORDERED that a copy of this order shall be served upon the Chairman of Local Board No. 47 of the United States Selective Service at which the petitioner, TOMASSO MACCHIARELLA also known as THOMAS MARSHIRALLA, submitted to registration, as above set forth, within twenty days after its entry, and that proof of such service; and it is further

ORDERED that a copy of this order shall be served upon the Commanding Officer of the military base at which the petitioner, TOMASSO MACCHIARELLA, is presently in military service, within twenty days after the entry of this order, by depositing a true copy thereof securely enclosed in a post-paid wrapper, in a Post Office resularly maintained by the United States Government in the City of New York, directed to such officer, and that proof of such service shall be entered and filed with the Clerk of this Court in the County days after the entry of this order, by depositing a true copy thereof securely enclosed in a post-paid wrapper, in a Post Office resularly maintained by the United States Government in the City of New York within ten days after such service; and it further

ORDERED that a certified copy of this prider shall not be issued until proof of compliance with the Clerk of this Court; and it is further

ORDERED that following the performance of the above conditions, and on and after November 23, 1

J.A.B. C. J. C. C.

#### To tranform Mr. Tully's response to non-legal language, "It's bunk." Another point brought up by Mr Windels against the amend.

**Navy Yard Gazette** 

# The Privilege

of Deferment It's a time-worn complaint in he Navy Yard that occupa-ional deferments are handed ut unfairly; but every once in while this complaint flairs up ith renewed vigor, as it has in he past few months. There is but one answer to the wail that omebody in the "X" trade emomebody in the "X" trade em-loyed elsewhere got deferred just like that"; that many ingle men remain deferred hile married men with depen-ents are inducted; and that lepers get deferred whil: me-hanics frequently do not. The nswer is found in National Sective Service philosophy itself. the right of the employee; it the privilege of the employer ad is granted for the sole pur-lose of enabling the employer effect a replacement.

#### eeping Posted

The Navy Yard employee who sads the bulletin boards religi-usly, will rarely find himself althowingly violating the Yard sulations so long as he re-ains within the gates. But hen he passes in and out of le Yard, he never knows what expect; and if he's in a hurry nd has a package in his hand which he went through the d tape of obtaining a personal loperty pass, he doesn't know hether to permit the marine lundo his neatly tied parcel to "clip him one" for trying exercise undue authority. And exercise undue authority. And hat is he to think as he totes two containers of coffee, one himself and one for his low worker who claims the nieen coffee is "tepid and stes like dish water", only to scover, in these days of the rational Pationed beverage, that he is

permitted to bring in only one such container? What about such container? What about that V-Mail letter which he can't carry out through the gates? Goodness knows, the employee certainly has no objection to the actual regulations themselves; as a matter of fact he very frequently goes out of his way to be sure that the marine sees his parcel or his badge. But why must he almost invariably become guilty of an infraction before he can be apprised of the rules?

-When the legislature passed

bills which authorized the drawing up of the City Charter (this was back in 1934), it didn't include any restrictions on the type of law that might be incorporated into the Charter.

Other arguments advanced by the opponents of the amend-

ment's quoted statements made by the Charter Revision Com-

mittee (which drew up the Char-

ter). Mr Tully in his reply fails to understand how their ideas, "however sincere and idealistic," can affect the meaning of the term "Charter" as intended by the Legislature.

A later act of the Legislature,

in 1939, when the City's Home

Rule Law was re-enacted, which didn't impose any limits on the contents of the Charter, is ac-

cepted by Mr Tully as showing that they didn't have any limits

As to the point that the people, when they originally

voted on the Charter, meant to

keep it that way forever:

#### Those Card Checks

It is a real satisfaction to learn, once in a while, that the implied foibles of some employees are not always or necessarily ployee looks forward to those forthcoming manila envelopes specially made to hold and pro-tect that card check which he is so forcibly urged not to muti-

#### APT Retort

Happen what may to the Navy Yard employee, almost invariably he develops a keen sense of humor about those things in the Yard which trouble him the most. For example, those "screwy" sick leave regulations have given vent to many an hilarious poetic outburst. Here's a letter written in the same vein. It just about sums up the feelings of the "rank and file".

"To Whom It May Concern.

"Along with my sick leave application, I have been requested to submit a letter of explanation. I have been ill on occasion, the reason for which I have been at a loss to explain. If in the future I should discover a paragea for the numerous ills panacea for the numerous ills which have confronted the human race since time immemorial, I will be glad to donate such information to Science for post-

erity.
"Meanwhile, since I know the meaning of the word 'health,' I am taking every measure to safeguard it."

John Q. Navy Yard

#### The Poets

There may be a shortage of manpower in the Yard and some very annoying shortages of good food and ideal working condi-tins; but one thing that isn't lacking are poets. Their versifications keep cropping up like mushrooms in the most unsuspected places. How's about a verse or two from some of you? What fascinates you most about the yard? What have you done in the Yard that you prize more than anything else? What do you think of your fellow workers? How do you feel about War Bonds? Here's what one employee feels:

#### A Song for Victory

Many thousand worker Pockets full of eash.

What your cash was spent for Is little our concern; But if you've failed to buy a bond You've got a lot to learn.

The ships are on the high seas Our kin are at the guns; Several million doughboys Blasting at the Huns.

And if their mission falls short For want of what it takes. Sore indeed you'll feel the blow, The squalor it partakes.

So, if you've got a brother A dear friend or a son, Who's giving all his life's blood To down that dirty Hun;

Please give your all in War Bonds And even more in toil; To speed the day when we will say: Lo! Peace, Proud Vict'ry's spoil!

MORRIS GORDON

#### LA GUARDIA, QUILL ON SAME PLATFORM

Mayor Fiorello LaGuardia, with whom the Transport Workers Union was at daggers point but a short time ago, rill be the featured speaker on the opening day of the Transport Workers Union Convention, Wedesday, October 20th, at 11:30 A.M., at the Transport Hall, 153 W. 64th Street, New York City.

V2-1655—Steam-Diesel Engineer (M), (M), \$2800 less \$396. V2-1659—Brakeman (M), \$8.00 per

diem. V2-1668—Oiler (M), \$6.86 per diem. V2-1670—Boxmaker (M), \$6.24 per

V2-1672—Boatbuilder (M), \$9.12 per

V2-1673—Boilermaker (M), \$9.12 per

V2-1674—Chiper & Caulker, Iron (M), \$9.12 per diem. V2-1675—Coppersmith (M), \$9.60 per diem.

diem.
V2-1676—Driller (Pneumatic) (M),
\$9,12 per diem.
V2-1677—Gas Cutter or Burner (M),
\$9,12 per diem.
V2-1678—Shipfitter (M), \$9,12 per diem.

V2-1679—Shipwright (M), \$9.12 per V2-1680—Brakeman (M), \$7.52 per

V2-1681—Patternmaker (M). \$10.56 v2-1682—Refrigeration & Air Cond.
Mech. (M), \$9.12 per diem.
v2-1683—Rivet Heater (M), \$5.92 per

V2-1684—Wharfbuilder (M), \$9.12 per

V2-1684—Waller diem.
V2-1687—Fireman (Oil) (M), \$1800 less \$372.
V2-1699 Asst. Engr. (M), \$2600.
V2-1700—Rigger, Derrick Barge (M), \$2000.

\$2000, V2-1704—Welder (M), \$1.15 per hour. V2-1706—Auto Mechanic (M), \$1.15 per hour. V2-1709—Shipfitters Helper (M), \$.83

per hour. V2-1712—Sr. Laborer (M), \$.72 per

hour. V2-1714—Extractorman (M), \$.67 per hour. V2-1715—Helper Rigger (M), \$6.16 per diem.

diem.
V2-1716—Helper Machinist (M), \$6.16
per diem.
V2-1717—Jr. Storekeepers (M or F),
\$1440.
V2-1718—Oller (M), \$1572 less \$352.
V2-1719—Stationary Fireman (M), \$.85
per hour.

V2-1719—Stationary Fireman (M), \$.85 per hour.
V2-1720—Elevator Operator (M), \$1200.
V2-1731—Crane Operator (M), \$2100.
V2-1735—Oiler (Diesel) (M), \$.87 per hour.
V2-1743—Guard (M), \$1500.
V2-1744—Boxmaker (M), \$6.72 per diem.
V2-1745—Paver (M), \$9.68 per diem.
V2-1746—Electrician (M), \$10.08 per diem.
V2-1749—Fireman Laborer (M), \$1320 plus \$300.
V2-1750—Coal Passer (M), \$1200 plus \$300.
V3-805—Hospital Superintendent, Un-

V3-1730—Soft Passet (M), S300.

V3-805 —Hospital Superintendent, Unclasified (overseas base) (M), \$3250.

V3-891 —Head Adjuster (M), \$4600.

V3-892 —Adjuster (M), \$3200.

V3-1253—Assoc, Inspector Engineering Materials (M or F), \$2000.

(Elec.), Assoc, Inspector Engineering Materials (Mech.)

(Schenectady, N, Y.)

V3-265 —Assistant Technologist (Jersey City, N, J.) (M), \$2600.

V3-1532—Sr. Accounting Clerk (Barber, N, J.) (M), \$2000.

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Naval Architect (M),

(M), \$3200.

V3-1556—Junior Naval Architect (M), \$2000.

V3-1461—Traffic Manager (Bayonne, (N. J.) (M), \$2600.

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V3-1433—Marrine Surveyor (M), \$2300.

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V3-1818—Senior Clerk (M or F), \$2000.

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V3-1925—Jr. Veterinarian (M), \$2000.

V3-1949—Jr. Mage Rate Analyst (M or F) \$4600.

V3-1949—Jr. Metallurgist (M), \$2000.

V3-1721—Nr. Draftsman (Panama Canal Zone) (M or F) \$1440 plus 25%.

V3-1721—Sr. Supy. Tab. Equipment (Jurgay City) (M), \$2300.

V3-1554—Associate M (M), \$3200. V3-1556—Junior Nava

# U.S. Exams

(Continued from Page 3)

V2-1143—Office Appliance Repairmen (M), \$1660.

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V2-1238—Window Washer (M), \$1500.

V2-1239—Sr. Laborer (Newark), (M), \$1500.

V2-1257—Mechanic (M), \$9.12 per diem.

V2-1267—Mechanic (M), \$9.12 per diem.

V-21293—Storekeeper, Jr. (Edgewater) \$1440.

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Given in duplicate under my hand and official scal of the Department (Seal) of State at the City of Albany thi 11th day of October, 1943.

THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State,
By FRANK S. SHARP.

thi 11th day of October, 1943.

THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State.
By FRANK S. SHARP.
Deputy Secretary of State.
By FRANK S. SHARP.
Leave of God Free and Independent.
To Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Johnson named in the will of Juliette Ferrer, deceased, as Mr. and Mrs. John Son); Mary A. Hines (named in the Will as Mary Hine); the Attorney General of the State of New York: and to the heirs at law, next of km, and distributees of Juliette Ferrer, deceased, whose names and places of residence are unknown and cannot, after diligent inquiry, be ascertained by the petitioner herein); the legatees, next of kin and heirs at law of JULIETTE FERRER, deceased, send greetings.

Whereas, James F. Egan, Public Administrator of the County of New York, who has his office at Room No. 309, Hall of Recerds, 31 (Thombers Street, the City of New York, has lately applied to the Surrogate's Court of our County of New York to have a certain instrument in writing dated November 27th, 1940, relating to both real and personal property, duly proved as the last will and testament of JULIETTE FERRER, deceased, who was at the time of her death a resident of the County of New York.

Therefore, you and each of you are cited to show cause before the Surrogate's Court in our County of New York at the Hall of Records in the County of New York, on the 5th day of November, one thousand hise hundred and forty-three, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why the said will and testament should not be administration with the Will annexed should not be issued to the Public Administrator of the County of New York.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of the Surrogate's Court

of the said County of New York

of the said County of New York to be hereunto affixed.

(Seal) Witness, Hon. James A. Foley, Surrogate of our said County of New York, at said County, the 22nd day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nineteen hundred and forty-three.

GEORGE LOESCH,
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.
STATE OF NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF STATE, ss.:

I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of STUYVESANT REFRESHMENT CO., INC., has been filed in this department this day and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied with section 105 of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.

Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department of (Seal) State at the City of Albany, this Sth day of October, 1943.

THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State.

By FRANK S. SHARP,
Deputy Secretary of State.
STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, ss.:

I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of NEUMEYER REALTY CORPORATION has been filed in this department this day and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied with section 105 of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.

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THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State.

By FRANK S. SHARP,
Deputy Secretary of State.

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By FRANK S. SHARP,
Deputy Secretary of State.
STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT
OF STATE, ss.:
I do hereby certify that a certificate of
dissolution of BUCKNELL FABRICS CORP,
has been filed in this department this day
and that it appears therefrom that such
corporation has compiled with section 105
of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it
is dissolved.

dissolved.

Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department (Seal) of State at the City of Albany this 9th day of October, 1943.

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Secretary of State.
By FRANK S. SHARP.
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### Shopping News

#### Post War Less

A new scientific development in the production of plastics may revolutionize the post war appearance of Americans. That is the opinion of Mr. A. J. Heller, director of Keen Sight Optical Co., 276 Livingston St., Brooklyn. 'So many people have taken to contact lenses as a convenient war time necessity that the new type of glasses should be well accepted by the public when the war ends," he says.

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Developed over more than a century of experiments, contact lenses are now made from a plastic material that expands at the same rate as the eye ball and this gives the perfect fit at all times. With the danger of breakage removed, this type of glasses is recommended by many leading eye specialists as a safety measure in defense plants where various industrial hazards are always present. Sportsmen, surgeons, ships, officers and personnel, are among the large groups of persons who have flocked to the use of contact lenses because they make possible the elimination of forging, condensation from sea spray and similar natural inconveniences.

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Cemetery Campaign

#### Cemetery Campaign

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#### MENTAL HYGIENE **Employees Will** Hold on to Jobs

ALBANY—Legislation to permit the "freezing in" of mental hygiene employees who are not now eligible under civil service and rules to continue in their positions as reclassified will be sought next year, says Judge J. Edward Conway, president of the State Civi Service Commis-

Meanwhile all employees who might otherwise have been ousted from their present jobs by reason of reclassification standards and qualifications are assured by Judge Conway that they will be retained pending the passage of legislation.

#### **DeGraff Explains** "Classification"

John DeGraff, Counsel for the Association of State Civil Service Employees, last Friday told employees of the Brooklyn State Hospital how to file an appeal from their new classifications, He explained to them what the word "classification" actually means, along with a big com-panion word—standardization. He made the suggestion that all Mental Hygiene employees dissatisfied with the new setup be sure to file their appeals. Regular appeal forms have been prepared

A standardization appeal, De-Graff stated, is for correction of a case when the employee feels his title is right, but the salary

too low.

A classification appeal is one made to obtain a title which correctly describes the duties of the job.

Group or Individual? The first—standardization appeal—is preferably a group action. "It would be foolish," the ASCSE attorney pointed out, "for the Board to hear, say 2,000 nurses individually. They can appeal together, and the case of all the nurses taken up together.

Classification appeals on the other hand, can well be done on an individual basis, since the

General Lindsay Warren came up this week with an important

packet of goo. news for the many old-line Government em-

ployees who probably will find it necessary to accept demo-tions after the war.

Warren ruled, in effect, that such demotions will have to be accomplished without loss of

The formal wording said they should be accomplished with "minimum" loss of pay. However, for most employees it will mean no loss whatever.

Thousands of old-line Govern-

ment workers have been pro-moted in the last few years.

In many cases, they have moved into jobs vacated by

After the war, many of them

If they refuse such demotion, Government will be obliged, un-

will have to be demoted back to their old jobs to make way for returning service men.

der its present rules, to dis-charge them.

Here's Why However, the Comptroller General's ruling of demotions with "minimum" loss of pay

means that practically all em-ployees will find it to their ad-vantage to accept the demotions,

follow the so-called Classica-tion System.

Classification system overlap so far as salary is concerned.

ception for jobs below \$4600.

4—However, it is not true for

3-This is true without ex-

The situation is such that em-

ployees below \$4600 can afford'

to take a two grade demotion

after the war-and suffer no

For example, the starting salary for Grade CAF-10 is \$3500,

However, the top salary for the same grade is \$4600, which is exactly the same as the starting

-The various grades of the

for these reasons:

jobs above \$4600.

pay loss whatever.

salary for CAF-12.

1-Government pay

pay to the employee.

Here's the dope:

service men.

**Post-War Demotions Will** 

employee knows what his duties are, and he also knows whether or not the title adequately de-

or not the title adequately describes these duties.

The employees were warned against falling into the error of assuming that if someone else appeals, it will be OK for them.

"If," said DeGraff, giving an example, "500 persons are in a given title and only two appeals. given title, and only two appeal, it is a safe assumption that a safe assumption nothing will be done about that

During the question and answer period, several employees inquired what they could do about canceling appeals they had previously made through individuals or groups. DeGraff explained that any employee could write in to the State Civil Service Commission cancelling Service Commission cancelling his former appeal, and make out

a new form.

To Ask Minimum Pay
At the annual meting of the Association of State Civil Service Employees this week in Albany, the proposition will be brought up of bringing all State employees up to the minimum salary of the grade This is im-portant, particularly in the Mental Hygiene Department, first in view of the vacancies; second, because the department stands to lose a great many employees if they don't receive more pay. The minimum for attendants and the ASCSE wants to make

sure that no attendant receives less-is \$1,200.

The salaries in Mental Hygiene were established during the last war. There have been no increases in base pay since then, except for a time-increase of \$4 a month after 5 years of work, which came in 1927. Everybody, therefore, looked forward to substantial readjustments in salaries. When the new scales came out last month, it was seen that "substantial readjustments" were small, indeed. The result-ant uproar has made the Ad-ministration look at the problem again. Budget Director John Burton has promised that the Dewey Administration wishes to be fair, and will make necessary upward changes. But any changes must wait upon an analysis of the current payroll.

The Association of State Civil Service Employees, Mr. DeGraff stated, is also planning to analyze the payrolls, and will make its recommendations thereafter.

# T. Cawley and the Bouncing Checks

If you should happen to be in the vicinity of Harlem on Thursday morning, drop into the Magistrate's Court at 170 East 121st Street. As of the time we were going to press, a certain bald-headed gentleman, wellknown to Mental Hygiene employees, is scheduled to put in an appearance. His name is Mr. Thomas J. P. Cawley,

a lawyer. His appearance on Thursday, however is not in his capacity as a representative of the law. No, Mr. Cawley has an-other mission there: it's to answer a summons for bouncing checks. Mr. Cawley, State employees will recall, is the very same individual who was susspended from practicing law a three-month period in 1936 because of unprofessional conduct. Mr. Cawley claims he's innocent of that charge.

However, let's go behind the scenes of the incident which is on the boards for Thursday.

Last Thursday evening, Mr. Cawley showed up in the Manhattan State Hospital, seeking members for two associations which he represents and, at the which he represents and, at the same time, making hay by taking signatures of employees for whom he says he will endeavor to do something about their job-classifications. But if your classification is changed for the better, then, friend, won't you please remember your benefactors. Now it so happens benefactors. Now it so happens that the State Budget Director and Governor Dewey recognize that the recent Mental Hygiene clasifications are going to require revision, and they have publicly said they are going to be fair about revising these classifications. So what, it may be asked, is the necessity of Mr.

Cawley's legal services? moreover, if the revisions come through in the normal course of events, as they apparently will, does it mean that Mr. Cawley gets the credit?

However, to return to the sub-ject of the bounced check, a topic of undoubted interest to those Mental Hygiene employees who may like to have a bit of background on the man who is

Last year, Mr. Cawley was building up an outfit of hospital employees. At Manhattan State, was introduced to Alexander Maran, bookkeeper paymaster of the institution. He asked Maran, a veteran of many years' services, to be one of the sponsors for his association.

And so Maran, along with an office boy and a number of other employees each chipped in a \$3 membership fee. That was the last Mr. Maran heard about the activities of the organization so far as he personally was concerned.

On February 17 of this year, Maran relates, Cawley asked the paymaster if he wouldn't personally cash a \$20 check.

"I don't have my check book with me," said Cawley. "I'll bring you a check tomorrow morning." Maran gave him the

ley showed up and asked paymaster whether he had blank check available. There and Cawley filled out a close for \$20 payable to "cash."
"I could use another \$30,"

then said. "Yes," said Maran,

A second blank check was, duced and filled out. Maran ceived the checks; Cawley ceived \$50 in cash. This sequence of events is all according Maran.

A few days later the chacame back—bounced, alas! sufficient funds," said the in the terse, simple way who banks have of saying thing Maran phoned Cawley.

"Oh, deposit the checks ag advised that friend of the heat la Hygiene employee. "It's

ably a mistake."

Mistakes could be. So Magently thanked Cawley, deposited the checks a sec

Bounce! Again came the of rubber. Maran phoned Cawley,

phoned and phoned, every for more than 10 weeks, clockwork.

Last Thursday, when Caspoke at Manhattan S Maran could stand it no lon Maran could stand it no long Before many employees, he his views about the gentlen called him a few choice descrive epithets, and warned his workers that they had better the up with him. Then, a everybody watching, he presend that they had better the up with him. Then, a everybody watching, he presend that the pear in the Harlem Magista Court on Thursday.

At this writing Mr. Ca was not available for communications.

#### THE COURTS It Pays Off To Be Careful

Thirty-five fire telegraph dispatchers were careful. When-ever they got paid, they signed their payroll "under protest."

Now, 21 of them have received checks from the City for incre-ments which they didn't get at

The other fourteen will get their money in a few weeks. Here's what happened:

The jobs to which they were appointed didn't have any minimum salary, but the maximum was set by the City at \$3,300.

"If there isn't any minimum salary listed for us, then we ought to get yearly increments," they said.

The Increment law provides that those entering City service at less than \$1,800 a year get

\$120 a year raises.

The case went to court, and the men won judgments against the City for the increments which they should have received between June 1939 and June 26, 1941. It comes to \$120 for the first year, and \$250 for the second year to each man. The total payment of back salary which the City must fork out comes to almost \$11,000. Moral the men kicked each time they got paid, and when the time came to collect, the City couldn't back out on the grounds that they hadn't said they were mad on payday, and hence couldn't

# in their department. Then another wait. Finally

those who have passed both portions of the test will have credit allowed for their service ratings and seniority. When all of these factors have been given their proper weight, the lists will appear containing the names of those who have been successful.

This process is expected to take about nine months. Separate promotion lists will

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#### State Association In Annual Meeting

Judge J. Edward Com President of the State Civil vice Commission, will add the Association of State Service Employees at its am meeting, scheduled for Tuest October 19, at the Ten Eyeki tel, Albany, Others who willy sent their views before the sociation are Budget Dim John E. Burton and Freem MacCurdy, M.D., Mental Hydrodyners, M.D., Mental Hydrodyne

Commissioner.
The meeting is expected to one of the most momenton many years. The association giving deep consideration to problems which have arised cause of the war, and which deeply affected the civil se of the State as well as the ployees themselves. Dele from throughout the State attend, and resolutions been prepared dealing with been prepared dealing will wide variety of problems, least among them the proof salary adjustment. Office of the Association are known favor a permanent minimal salary schedule for State ployees, and an upward resoft the present \$1200 base. There will be two panel cussions: The first is enimal than the proof the present \$1200 base. There will be two panel cussions: The first is enimal than the proof that the

Under Career Service Law. charge of the discussion Clifford C. Shore and Frant Osborn. The second is 'S Service Laws and Rules," 4 cussion to be led by The Becker and Charles H. Fos President of the Association Harold J. Fisher.

Harold J. Fisher. Executive resentative is William 9. Donough, who last week 18 ed as Assistant Director of Milk Division in the State partment of Agriculture, der to devote full time ASCSE job.

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The same thing holds for all salaries below \$4600. Above that figure, however, there is no overlap. Therefore \$4601-andup men and find themselves demoted as much as two grades will have to take a pay cut but not a very big one.

#### PAYROLL

#### Down

WASHINGTON-Uncle Sam's payroll has begun to decline.

Civil Service Commission this week offered conclusive proof to

As of July 31, it reported, total Government employment stood at 3,223,275, a drop of 29,223 from the previously-reported June figure of 3,252,198.

Thus, July became the first month since the start of the emergency that the payroll actually has decreased.

The Commission reported "sizeable" decreases in War Department and War Manpower Commission. It said the bulk of the War Department slash occurred outside Washington, while curtailment of NYA activity accounted for the decline in WMC's roll.
In the Washington, D. C. Met.

ropolitan area. Government employment dropped 1248. At the end of July, it stood at approxi-mately 275,000, a decline of 25,-000 from the February peak.

#### Mecca Temple Is **New Test Spot**

The City Civil Service Com-mission has just made arrange-ments to use the ballroom of the Mecca Temple on West 55th Street for examinations.

#### **EXAMS** Intormation For Clerks

One of the most popular examinations given by the City Civil Service Commission this year is the promotion test for Clerk, grade 3 and 4.

grade 4 test will be given on Saturday, November 6; the grade 3 exam on Saturday, No-

Almost five thousand applica-tions for the two examinations have been filed with the Com-mission, and the first job is for

the Commission to check each application and determine whether the candidate is eligible to take the test.

If Ineligible
Those who fail to meet the requirements because they haven't the required length of service in the lower grade, or who are working in a position which doesn't entitle them to take the test, will receive a notice by mail about two weeks before the date of the test saying

others will receive a card telling

that they are ineligible, and their filing fee will be refunded. About this time, too, the

The following morning, Cawthem where to appear for the examination.

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> Then you'll have to wait until

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