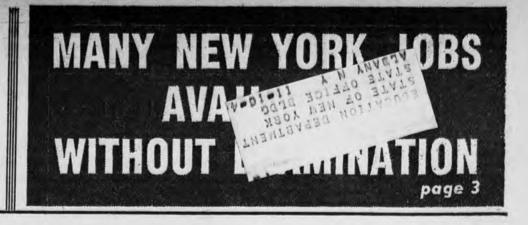
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# MAYOR'S PAY PLAN WHAT IT MEANS-HOW IT WORKS

New York City employees have rarely been in more for unrevealed reasons, withheld \$100 a year; and for district su- one case, merit raises asked by the state than in the past three weeks. Mayor La others. Example: In the Sanita- perintendents now earning \$3,500, Health Department for its Grade ittery a state than in the past three weeks. Mayor La others. Example: In the Sanitamardia had announced that a salary raise would come hrough, he had called together the City's Commissioners

artments in the past two weeks, nese facts emerged by the time

have not yet submitted to the Mayor their statements of what pay raises they want for their employees and where the artments in the past two weeks.

tion Department, he has stated that raises will go to Junior Sani-tation Men, Class B Men, Class C hrough, he had called together the City's Commissioners and told them to find the money for it—and there the matter had remained, with the exception of action taken in six epartments—Police, Fire, Saniation, Correction, Welfare, and atlon, Correction, Welfare, and bublic Works; plus an increase to have not yet submitted to present pay scales, the lower figure in general going to clerks. the Mayor their statements of what pay raises they want for their employees and where the money is coming from. In the case of those departments which have submitted figures, the Mayor impart for the first time, also, the raise asked for auto considerable. is issue of The LEADER went released only those he chose, and raise asked for auto enginemen— in the forthcoming bonus. In

a raise of \$250 is in prospect.

2—In general, the raises for City employees are as fol-lows: \$100 or \$120 for those earning \$2,500 a year or less; \$240 for those earning between \$2,500 and \$4,000 a year. The final top figure of those entitled to increases may go up to \$4,500. In the upper brackets, many "merit" raises have been given within the past three months, some of them sub-stantial. There was no indication whether persons receiving these merit increases would be included

Health Department for its Grade 4 clerks weren't O.K.'d by the administration. This may indicate that the policy of merit raises might be slowed down from now

-Employees of the Board of Transportation will not be included in the prospective salary increases.

-Actual increases to date: \$420 a year for members of the Police Department. \$150 a year for nurses in the Hospitals Department. And in the Sanita-(Continued on page 16)

# U. S. ANNUAL LEAVE LIMIT UP?

By CHARLES SULLIVAN

WASHINGTON-In the near future, Congress will be requested to act on an important new annual leave measure for Government workers—A bill to raise the present 90 day limit on the total of leave which can be saved up by a U.S. employee. Here is the situation:

All Government employees get 26 days of annual leave per year. They can spend it for vacations or other

purposes. Or, if they wish, they can save it for future use - up

to the 90-day limit.
Until three years ago, the limit
was 60 days. Since it was raised, employees with 60 or more days

days each year. Even so, a good many employees reached their full 90-day limit by the end of 1942.

This means that any additional leave these workers may have to their credit have been per-mitted to save only 15 additional will be lost to them — unless Congress passes remedial legislation. National Federation of Federal Employees, largest of the Govern-

ment worker unions, expects to get the necessary legislation introduced shortly.

There are many good arguments to support the lifting of the limit. For one thing, employees who already have accumulated their 90-day limit of leave are the very ones, frequently, who are the most diligent and conscientious. Otherwise, they would not be forgoing earned vacations in order to stay on the job.

For another, in some agencies heavy restrictions have been put

on the use of leave, during wartime. In a few cases, at least, this has made it impossible for employees to spend their accu-

mulated leave.

And finally, there is this consideration: Leave is something an employee earns. Under the law, he is just as much entitled to it as he is to his salary. For many employees, this leave is a form of insurance. They have saved it up against the rainy day when they may be out of a job.

All of these considerations, it is believed here, will weigh heavily when Congress is asked to raise the 90-day limit on leave.

# WAR JOBS QUICK pages 7, 10

15% PENSIO RISE SEE FOR RETIRE FEDERAL

IMPORTANT CIVIL SERVICE BILLS DIE

## \$420, Overtime Work, Joy to Cops, Firemen

mbers of the Police and Fire Departments have d what they can expect from the Mayor's pay

ined to the Police De-by officials of the Pa-Benevolent Association, he Fire Department by nmissioner Patrick J. walsh, the Mayor's proposed plan is this:

A bonus of \$420 a year will add up to roughly about \$1 an hour, for Firemen, A bonus of \$420 a year, in return for 8 additional hours in every cycle of 20 days for policemen. days for policemen.

The uniformed City forces would receive an increase, but it won't cost the City anything.

All that has to be done is to telire enough police and firemen to make up the money needed for the bonus. Then by having each cop and fireman work the extra hours the departments can make up for the shortage of man-

There was wide resentment among men in the Police Department at the curious way in which ment at the curious way in which the pay-raise-overtime-work plan was "sprung" on them. While there was a disposition to give the Mayor some credit, at least, for the \$420 pay-raise figure, LEADER reporters speaking to delegates of the Patrolemen's Benevolent Association reported a great furore that Harnedy had not revealed to them the actual revealed to them the actual conditions of the raise, which apparently he knew about during the PBA meeting on Dec. 14. Harnedy's approach to the whole matter of pay raise was voiced by one delegate in these words: "Why all the mystery and secrecy? Since when are we a one-man organization? Harnedy goes to the Mayor himself, makes no (Continued on page 16)

Resentment Among Cops

## Post-War Job Loss Faces U. S. Employees

WASHINGTON-Here's a small set of figures which sharply points up the unhappy situation which will face many present Federal employees after the war.

10,500 - That's the number of employees Agriculture department has on duty in Washington.

9,000 — That's the number of former Washington employees Agriculture has on furlough workers who are entitled to return to the department after the war. Twenty-five hundred are on military furlough. The rest are war transferees, now working in other agencies.

9 out of 10 - That's the number of present employees who would have to be fired if every former employee returned to reclaim his job,

Those are the figures, and figures don't lie. THE LEADER presents them for what they're worth — as a fairly typical example of a fairly typical agency. However, the figures should not be taken solely at face value. In trying to analyze them, you Uncle Sam's employees.

should keep in mind the following facts:

First — Many former employees will not want to return to their And some,

will find it impossible, Second — Those who do return will not return all at once. War agencies, for instance, probably will be demobilized gradually. Many Federal employees who see the way the wind is blowing

have wanted to resign in order to take jobs in private industry. However, they're caught up in the War Manpower Commission's job-freeze regulation, which prevents them from taking another

post for 60 days,
With hiring of Federal employees down, some officials say the situation will cure itself with normal turnover. Nevertheless, there's plenty of worry among

THE MEANEST FIRING IN CIVIL SERVICE

## RETIREMENT 15% Pension Rise in View

WASHINGTON — Things are looking better for retired Federal employees.

That's another way of saying that their chances for wartime increases in pensions have improved sharply in the last few

The Senate already has passed a bill which would:

-Give Government workers who retired before January, 1941, the same increased pensions as those who have retired since. Raise all Federal empoyee

pensions by 15 per cent for the duration.

The thing that has changed about the situation is this: House opposition to pension increas appears to be crumbling. Rep. Robert Ramspeck, level-headed chairman of the important House Civil Service Committee, is still opposed. However, not even he is as strongly against the measure as was once the case.

Also, Congress recently has voted 15 per cent pension in-reases for widows of war ve-

Meantime, Federal employee anions are working vigorously on behalf of the bill. They have been button-holing Congressmen right and left. If the measure came to a vote tomorrow, it probably would 'ose. However, it won't come to a vote tomorrow. And, before it toes, the chances are it will pick ip considerable support.

## **Full Pensions** After 30 Years

WASHINGTON - Should Feleral employees be permitted to retire — with full pensions — after 30 years of service?

Sen. George D. Aiken (R.,Vmt.) ntroduced a bill to that effect. Senate Civil Service comittee sometime in the next 10 days. And indications are that it will get

Dowerful support.
The bill also has potent opposition. Both Civil Service Commission and Budget Bureau have gone on record against it—on the ground that it would be too expensive. Nevertheless, observers here think the measure has a good

prospect of passage.

At present, the 30-year employee who retires before the age of 60 gets a reduced pension. Thus, the new bill holds out an important promise to many Go-vernment old-timers who entered the Federal service when they were still fairly young.

As the law reads-

— An employee retires auto-matically at 70. If he has as much as 15 years of service, he gets a full pension.

— If he has 30 years of service can retire with full pension

If he has 15 years of service, he can retire at 62, with only a very slight reduction in pension.

- If he has 30 years of service, he also can retire on a pension at any time between 55 and 59. In that case, however, the reduc-tion in his pension will be fairly noticeable.

### For Survivors

Senate Civil Service Commitmembers on another important Federal employee measure.

This one would give survivors of employees who die in the service lump-sum payments equal to the full amount of their ac-cumulated annual leave.

At present, survivors get nothing. It's due to an odd quirk in

the law. Employees who resign their jobs - and in some cases those who get fired get full pay for the amount of their accrued annual leave. The law permits nothing whatever, though, for the survivors of those who die in the

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## Many Bills Important to Civil Employees Will Die as Council Holds Final Sessions

Last week's City Council meeting devoted a good part of its time to Civil Service matters. Nine bills concerning the rights of City employees were introduced at the meeting, and referred to the Council committee on Civil Employees. However-and this is the important fact—no meeting of this committee is scheduled before December 23, when the present City Council holds its last

meeting. Then, all bills in the hands of the Comittees die a natural death, and the new Council which comes in with the new year begins with a clean slate.

The provision of the latest batch of civil employee bills:

No. 338 Louis Cohen: Provides

For Vetgossip

One of the supervisors has fi-

nally done it! For a long time, the colored and white workers in

Veterans Administration have been getting along fine. There

might have been a little restraint

when the office first opened, but lately Vets might have been taken

as an example of how persons of different races can get along.

Then, this had to happen: Miss

Hester, a supervisor, decided that it would be a good idea to find out the birthdays of the workers

in her section. Then on the pro-

per day, the employee would re-

port to work and find a little card of birthday greetings on her

desk. It was a delightful little ges-

ture and made everybody very

either the utmost gall, or the worst taste imaginable.

You've probably seen those greeting cards around town which

ridicule colored people. Well, the well-meaning supervisor left one of these cards on that girl's desk.

complaint went right to Mr. Reichert. The colored employees didn't stop there. They wrote to Washington demanding some sa-

Right now, that card is in a

manila envelope on his desk, and Mr. Reichert is waiting to hear

from Central Office, and readying

an explanation.

As it looks from here. If Miss Hester meant to deliberately in-

Hester meant to deliberately insult one of her workers, she should be subject to disciplinary action. If it was a tactless "boner" that she pulled, an apology is in order. Next step in this affair depends on what General Hines'

Office does. (He's national head of Vets Administration).

forgotten. But a large proportion

of the employees are burned up, and plenty. They think this has

carried things a little too far.

DISCRIMINATION PROBLEM

A discussion of discriminatory

practice in federal agencies will

highlight the December 22 meet-

ing of Local 21, United Federal Workers of America, CIO, Among

those to participate in the discus-

sion will be Eleanor Nelson, Na-

tional Secretary-Treasurer of the UFWA; Edward Lawson, Regional

Director of the Fair Employment

Practices Comittee; and Edward

Strong, National Secretary of the

Meeting will take place at 13 Astor Place, 3rd floor and will begin at 7 P. M. sharp.

For the returning soldier— there's nothing better to keep him up-to-date on Government

job opportunities than the Civil

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UFWA TO CONSIDER

So far as the officials at Vets are concerned, it's all over and

That started the rumpus. The

However, the climax came when one colored girl's birthday came around, and the supervisor had

By ARTHUR LIEBERS

Has No Place

Ridicule

that no City employee may be appointed until his fingerprints have been taken by the Civil Service Comission and investi-gated by the Police Department. No. 338 Louis Cohen: Provides

Comission shall not have the power to waive the payment of any fees without the consent of the Board of Estimate.

No. 340 Anthony Di Giovanna: Provides that the Municipal Civil Service Commission must publish a notice in the City Record before it may certify a list as being "appropriate" for any position except that for which the test was

Down On Experts

No. 339 Anthony Di Giovanna: Provides that salary vouchers for any "expert" hired by a City department must be accompanied by a statement of the head of the department explaining why the duties cannot be performed by any person in the City civil ser-

No. 341 George E. Donovan: Provides that any "expert" em-ployed by the City must meet the residence requirements.

No. 342 William M. McCarthy: Provides that any notice by the Municipal Civil Service Comission of a change of title or reclassifica. tion must contain the name or

tion must contain the name or title of the specific jobs involved. No. 343 William M. McCarthy: Provides that all salary vouchers for persons employed by the Citymust show that the person is actually working in the department by which he is employed

No. 345 Frederick Schick: Provides that when any person has been found "unqualified" for a City position by the Municipal Civil Service Comission, any future certifications of that person must carry a record of his investigations by the Commission.

No. 346 Frederick Schick: Provides that the salary youther commission.

vides that the salary voucher of any "expert" hired by the City must carry a statement that the money is being paid to him for personal services, and not to any person employed by him, or working as a subcontractor.

Bills To Die

Following are other bills which are in the hopper of the Civil Employees comittee and also likely to die with 1943:

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## **Security Numbers** Likely to Be Out

WASHINGTON - The issue of Social Security numbers for Government workers is now up to Senate and House conferees. (See LEADER for December 7).

The House has passed a bill which would permit them. It is an appropriation measure, giving the Civil Service Commission about \$800,000 to centralize Federal employee retirement records. If the Commission has its way, one of the things for which it uses the money will be to give Social Se-curity numbers to all Federal employees - for identification pur-

The Senate, however, has killed the appropriation. It listened to the protest of Federal worker unions, which feared a grab by Social Security Board to take over

the Federal retirement system.

That puts it squarely up to the conferees. Best bet: Civil Service will get its appropriation to centralize retirement records. But the finally-approved bill will carry a special clause, barring use of Social Security numbers.

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## LISTS ecent Action

Fire Department has one vafor a Striper at \$11.25 a The name of Aaron Ziblatt sent in from the preferred for Letterer.

Power Maintainer "C" insportation to make one apntment at 95 cents an hour. nbers 1 to 8 were submitted. IRT list was also sent in to ake appointments at not more an \$1.00 an hour. The first fif-

Prom. Accountant, B. of T. he promotion list to Account-Operating Division, Board of insportation will be used to ke one promotion to \$2,401. nbers 4, 5 and 6 were sent to Maurice Weinstein, ney Goldstein and William ister are being considered for permanent position.

Cleaner (Women) The regular list for Cleaner omen) will be used to make appointment in the Departnt of Health at \$1,200. Twelve es were submitted, reaching

Prom. Foreman, Telephones One promotion will be made om the list of Promotion to reman. Telephones, IND Divin. Board of Transportation. mbers 1, 2 and 3 were sent in the \$3,060 job; permanent.

Prom. Junior Accountant
The Board of Transportation is king two promotions from the motional list for Junior Acintant, Operating Division—one Brooklyn, one in Manhattan. e job pays \$1,801. Eight names number 16 were sent in.

mior Administrative Assistant Civil Service Commission is king one appointment from departmental list for promoon to Junior Administrative As-stant, Candidates for the \$3,000 ition are Theodore H. Lang, nd Joseph Lev. 2 and 3 on the st. Number 1, William H. ocker has been appointed.

Property Manager Board of Estimate is appoint-gone eligible from the competilist for Property Manager. e job will be in Manhattan, ys \$2,400. Ten names were subtted down to number 38.

Laundry Worker Forty-eight names from the list Laundry Worker were sent to Department of Hospitals to ake appointments in all borghs, Number 2459 was the last The jobs pays \$1,000 a ear, or \$720 with maintenance.

Sanitation "A" List Nine more men on the Sanitaon Man "A" list were certified "B" appointments at \$1,920 a They must pass driving test nd have State chauffeurs license. mber 7312 has been reached.

# What's the Real Reason Mrs. Harvey Was Fired, Commissioner Catherwood?

Mrs. Helen L. Harvey is out of a job. It appears that Commissioner M. P. Catherwood, of the State Division of Commerce, wanted Mrs. Harvey out of the division, even though she had been a satisfactory employee of the State for eleven years, and held the title of Principal Stenographer-a post carrying real responsibility in Mr. Catherpower the promotion list to power meaning and the promotion list to power moders bailiwick. So the Commissioner issued a series of charges and then dismissed her on November 27. The good commissioner was prosecutor, judge, jury, and hangman. wood's bailiwick. So the Commissioner issued a series of charges and then dismissed

And it appears that Mrs. Harvey never had a chance.

"Old Lady" Stuff

Catherwood's charges have an "old lady" quality about them. As this reporter read them, he got the impression that most were constructed out of the filmy kind of picayune small-stuff by which any person working in any office can be damned. Moreover, many of the charges could only have been made by a "squealer," and Mr. Catherwood blandly accepts these charges—and has denied Mrs. Harvey's demand to be faced by her accepts

by her accuser.

The first charge complains that
Mrs. Harvey has demonstrated "gross miscounduct and negli-gence," and cites a number of cases where sick leave and vacation records weren't correctly rec-

orded.

Miss Harvey admits errors, but

according that the counters by asserting that the very system of keeping records in the Division makes it impossible to maintain perfect records. Moreover, she shows that five of the "corrections" listed as a basis for her removal, are themselves erroneous. The work of keeping these records, incidentally, was piled on her in addition to her other activi-

She Helped Employees

Commissioner Catherwood charges that Mrs. Harvey is responsible for various typographical errors in "The Stenographic Guide." This is a booklet prepared by Mrs. Harvey on her own initiative "because I thought it would help the employees in the Stenographic Pool." She spent much time assembing the material and writing the original draft, and submitted the draft to several persons in the office before having it mimeographed.

In answer to Catherwood's com-

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HE GOES TO BAT FOR HER. Capt. Maurice F. Neufeld, brilliant young State official and Deputy Commerce Commissioner before entering the service, wrote all the way from Sicily to protect the job of Mrs. Helen Harvey, who, he thought, was being unjustly dismissed from service. The letter, written to Commerce Commissioner Catherwood, is a classic

# 'I Must Not Remain Silent About This': Capt. Neufeld

What do others think about from Sic "ity. Neufeld was Deputy the firing of Mrs. Helen Harvey? Commissioner of Commerce, and Catherwood on the subject, wrote a stinging reply all the way

Well, Well! So That Clerk Grade 3

Commissioner of Commerce, and

(Cont. on page 16)

#### So deep is the impression that one State official, now with the a close personal friend of Catherwood's. It isn't clear why Cather-Army, Captain Maurice F. Neufeld wood communicated with Neufeld in answer to a letter from Dr. about this matter, but the response is something Catherwood

Exam Was Just a Perfect Little Gem! The City Civil Service Commission last week decided to stand pat on the tentative key answers and accepted

those answers as the final rating key for the promotion test to Clerk, Grade 3. In its report to the Commission,

the Examining Division recommended that the key be confirmed "with the possible exception of Item No. 33 on which there is divided opinion. One examiner suggests the tentative key answer (C' be considered the only correct answer; another examiner, how-

the Commission on protests against the examination ran to 29

Some excerpts from the report: "About 80 protests of a general nature were submitted. These protests did not dispute any of the tentative key answers, but criticized the test as a whole. They asserted either that the test was Department of Welfare, Welfare Center 84, comes another clerk, grade 3, or not in accord-ance with the advertised scope of the test. These protests fail to substantiate their assertions by reference to specific items or by eiting competent authorities and citing competent authorities and sources.'

There was wide agreement that the test as a whole was a poor one. The LEADER quoted three authorities who held to this view: Harry Langdon, Chief Fiscal Offi-cer of the Sanitation Department; Dr. Sterling Spero, of the School of Public Administration, New York University; and Frank P. Clement, Director, Division of Administration, Department of Pub-blic Works. Many other authorities could have been cited. However, candidates themselves dis-puted the validity of the examination on the logical bases admitted by the Civil Service Commission's Examining Division. Employee organizations, too, protest-ed on valid grounds. The statement that "these protests fail to

"The protests that different in-

may be disposed of since all candidates are being given credit for

these items . . ."
This procedure, however penalizes those hardy individuals who spent time and effort trying to work out these four problems, time which they could have spent to better advantage on other parts of the test. Now they discover that others who took the test but didn't work on these problems get just as much credit as they! Obviously, it's an unfair solution to a problem which the Commission

mishandled.
"Other suggestions were to lower the pass mark, lower the weight of the test or permit every one to take Part II. The question of the number passing is not as-certainable until after preliminary that candidates are doing well on the test . . ."

In the case of question 55, an error occured on the examination paper where "Board of Estimate and Apportionment" appeared in-stead of "Board of Estimate"; 22 candidates asked that the question be thrown out, but the Commission felt that the candidates should have know it meant the Board of Estimate and let the question stand.

In permitting this question to stand, the Commission is penalizing candidates for its own error. It used to be the "Board of Estimate and Apportionment." But today, it's only the Board of Estimate. Employees who knew this fact, and answered intelligently in accordance with it, must be counted wrong, says the Commission. The Commission should have thrown this question out or allowed credit for alternative answers.

Question 33, which one examiner felt should be allowed the alternate answer, dealt with the meanings of "internally" and "in-herently". The report says: "There is authority in dictionaries for regarding "internally" and "in-herently as synonyms." The Com-

## **JOBS** City Posts-No Exams

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Welfare Island—59th Street and

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Kings County Hospital-Clarkson

Avenue, Brooklyn.
Sea View Hospital — Castleton
Corners, Staten Island.
Hospital Helpers—\$660 with main-

tenance, \$960 without; for heavy work such as collecting garbage, passing coal, etc., \$1,200.
Hospital Attendant — \$720 with maintenance, \$1,020 without.

Laundry Worker—\$720 with maintenance, \$1,020 without.
Stenographer—\$1,201.

Technician (X-Ray)—\$1,260 with maintenance, \$1,500 without.

Board of Transportation Street Car Operator-75c hr.; 5

ft. 4 in, minium height. Bus Operator-75c hr.; 5 ft. 4 in.

minimum height. Conductor—70c hr.; 5 ft. 6 in. minimum height.

Maintainers Helpers — 75c hr.: aliens accepted.

Porter—62½c hr.; aliens accepted. Trackman — 75c hr.; alien accepted.

Apply Room 1, 250 Hudson Street. Finance Department

Tabulating Machine Operator; Typist-Bookkeeper—\$1,201. Apply at Room 507, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

Board of Education Lunch Room Helper-50c hr.; part time, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. daily. Apply Board of Educa-tion, 110 Livingstone Street, Brooklyn.

Board of Water Supply Guards (for work outside of New York City)—\$135 per mo. Ap-ply Wednesdays only, Mr. Tier-ney, Room 1816, 120 Wall St.

Housing Authority Coal Passer—\$1,440; aliens accepted.

Porter-\$1,320; aliens accepted. Fireman-\$1,500; aliens accepted.

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Free living quarters will be provided for those men who want to take advantage of the offer, and meals are available for \$6.50 to

Citizens can be taken on immediately. Friendly aliens may be hired if they get approval.

To apply for these jobs, call at either of the following offices of the United States Employment Service, where you will be interviewed and sent out to the rail-road company if they think you'll

Manhattan Office-87 Madison Avenue.

Brooklyn Office-205 Schermerhorn Street.

inal answer. There were 74 pro-tests on this question.

Since even one of its own examiners was confused by this question and suggested the possibility of an alternate answer, the Commission should have allowed both possibilities.

On the question about safeguards being put in the way of an office supervisor's purchase of new office machinery, 105 pro-tests came in, but were turned down on the ground that no authoritative evidence was produced to show that the Commission was

wrong. This was question 7.

This was one of the questions which nobody could make head or tail out of. Persons acquainted with that sort of problem-who would be considered authorities by all except the self-righteous Examining Division of the Commis-sion—just threw up their hands and scratched their hair. Pity the poor clerk who had to find an answer out of such nensense.

# hampion Blood Donors Among Govt. Employees



comes another contestant for the honor of the civil-ser-vice - blood -donor - champion. He's Les-

dred Fay Nichols ter W. Tharpe, ho has made ten trips to the bank. And close on his is Mildred Fay Nichols of nitation's Queens Borough Ofwho has made nine donaons, and is scheduled for her ath visit on January 11. So iss Gladys Comeau, telephone perator at the Excise Tax Buall who who has given eight pints blood, gets some real compeon for the title of champion ood donor among government

Both the leaders in patriotism from departments where one and his neighbor at the desk have been down to the Cross. From the small staff Welfare Center 84, 23 em-lees have donated 88 pints of

hen the Department of Sanirecently took a check of Department to see how many its employees had made donait was found that 212 men 5-6400.

From the and women from the department

From the Board of Transportation comes another entry. Fifty-one-year-old Louis Berkowitz, who says that he has never felt better in his life than after giving his sixth pint of blood. He is working as a motorman on the IRT, out of the Woodlawn Station, and his hobby is encouraging others to come across with plasma.

Below is a listing of Welfare Center 84's employees who have gone two or more times to the

blood bank: Helen Molloy Joanna Heiman Bessie Appleman Anita Brereton Ruth Friedberg Grace Nason Jacob Blum Ruth Cantor Max Gaber Helen Hill Rose Hirsh

Helen Kessler 3
Bertha Kramer 2
Esther Levy 2
Sidney Levy 3
Evelyn Markow 2
Lillian Mendenhall 4
Evelyn Natelson 2
Max Postilniek 5
Aaron Solomon 6
Max Schaeffer 4
Sidney Zirin 3

The LEADER will print the name of every government employee who has contributed his blood two or more times. So let's

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ever, believes that 'B' 'internally' should be credited as well."

The report of the examiners to closely typewritten pages.

substantiate their assertions . . . by citing competent authorities and sources" is smug and fatu-

structions regarding items 76-80 herently as synonyms." The Com-were given in the three schools mission decided to hold to its orig-

# In the City Departments

## **PARKS**

## Sleeper Promoted

A LEADER Merit Man shared Parks Department promotions which were handed out last week. William B. Sleeper was elevated to the position of Acting Borough Director for the Bronx, placing him in charge of maintenance and operations of the parks in that borough. Warren C. Don-nelly was promoted to a similar position in Queens,

In their new capacities, the men



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## No, You Can't Have a Course!

Grade 2 and Grade 3 clerks in the Parks Department want very much to study for the second party of the promotional examination they will shortly be taking. Part II of the test deals with the functions of the department.

Now, the clerks know that other departments have set up in-service training course to aid their employes in preparing for the test. These courses serve another purpose, too—that of helping the clerk to know his job better.

Park employees asked for such a course, too, but the department flatly turned them down.

Dr. John J. Furia, head of the City's Division of War Training, said that he could do nothing about initiating such a course. The department will have to ask for a course before we can do anything," Furia explains." If such a request comes through, Dr. Furia will help to set it up, but from all indications, the Park Department's attitude negative.

The official reasons given for refusal to give the course is "shortage of help." However, it isn't explained just how this factor enters in. Other departments, faced with the same "shortage" situation as Parks, are giving the courses successfully, and report "packed attendance."

## Want to Be A Lifequard?

Men who are interested in lifeguard jobs at the City beaches and pools next summer can get their names in now. The posts pay \$5 a day.

The Parks Department is accepting applications from men of 17, or deferred, for a training course which will qualify applicants for the jobs.

Candidates must be able to swim 50 yards in 40 seconds; be at least 5 feet 7 inches tall; pass medical and physical tests; and also obtain a Red Cross First Aid Certificate.

The swiming test will probably be given some time in February, then classes in life-saving will be given to those who quaify.

If you'd like to apply, send your name to the Parks Department, Arsenal Building, Fifth Avenue.

## WELFARE **New Bosses**

When Joseph P. Piccirillo was appointed acting first deputy com-missioner of Welfare, and M. Anne McGuire, acting second deputy, the LEADER predicted that the functions of the offices would be shifted around with deputy

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Piccirillo in charge of personnel, and deputy McGuire taking over all welfare activities.

An announcement from Commission Leo Arnstein, last week. reassigned the functions of the Welfare Department as follows:

Under acting first deputy Commissioner Piccirillo: Bureau of personnel; chairman personnel rating board; passing on recom-mendations for dismissal, suspensions, and all disciplinary action; supervision staff relations section; Division of Veteran Assistance; Division of Building Management and Procurement; Division of Public Solicitation; and depart-mental war activities.

Under acting second deputy Mc-Guire: Bureau of Public Assist-ance — social service, resource, medical and nursing service; emergency welfare services; pro-cedures and systems; post-war planning; and school lunch pro-

Other administrative changes made by Commissioner Arnstein: Mrs. Vivian C. Mason designated Assistant to the Acting Second Deputy Commissioner. The Division of Emergency Welfare Services, Post-War Planning, and the Division of Procedures and Systems will be under her super-

Miss V. Charlotte Authier, Act-Director of the Bureau of Public Assistance, will assume responsibility for the Division of Medical and Nursing Service.

Edward Sanderson designated Assistant Director of the Bureau of Finance and Statistics. Mrs. Margaret L. DeWitt desig-

nated Director of the Bureau of

Personnel.
Jacob T. Zukerman becomes
Director of the Division of Pro-Zukerman becomes cedures and Systems.

## Flu Victims

vision.

Typists in Welfare are all vic-tims of the "flu." They're not all sick, they're victims nevertheless.

The Department has a line-count which the typists say is an unfair way of checking their work. Their protests were so loud that a committee was appointed to look into the situation and report to Commissioner Leo Arn-stein. But every time the Com-mittee tried to meet, a few of the members were laid up, and the meeting had to be postponed. Latest committee member to succumb to the germs was Margaret Bourke of the personnel office.

## To The Wars

One sailor and 3 soldiers are this week's contribution to the armed forces from the Depart-ment of Welfare. The following employees have gone off on mili-

Sidney Block, Clerk Grade 2, W.C. No. 67, Army; Eurene Goldberg, Clerk Grade 2, W.C. No. 67, Army; Harold Luban, Soc. Investigator, W.C. No. 26, Army; Albert E. Ostrick, Soc. Investigator, W.C. No. 41, Navy.

## SUBWAYS Study for

# Promotion

Following is another set of questions of the type used on promotion examinations to motorman The answers will appear in next week's issue of The LEADER. Below these questions you will find the answers to last week's set.

1. The number of motors per

car in a type B unit is

(A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 3

(D) 4.

The motorman's indication light will, be dark when

(A) the motorman's reverser

## **Curb the Parties**

In former years, the day before Christmas was a joyous occasion in the Municipal Building. Little Christmas trees were all around the offices, gifts were exchanged, and anyone with enough energy to lift a glass to his lips could have all the liquid refreshment he wanted.

Now, with a war going on, ome departments think it wouldn't be very good taste to celebrate while co-workers are fighting in Italy and the Pa-

Liquid refreshments are scarcer than promotions, And a notice has gone around from the Department of Public Works asking a curb on parties. Parties mean cleaning up afterwards, and there isn't enough help to handle the ex-

(B) a door engine switch is turned off

the train is stopped a door is inoperative. (C) (D)

3. Third rail power is used to operate the

(A) door engines (B) couplers

(C) emergency lighta

(D) heaters.

4. The number of running positions on the master controller which have the accelerating resistance all cut out is

> (C) 4. (D) 5. A signal to proceed cannot be

(B) 2

given with a (A) white lamp yellow lamp (B)

green lamp

(D) red lamp 6. A motorman is required to

blow the train whistle (A) before rounding a sharp

curve if an automatic signal fails to clear (B)

before pulling into a shop

building before starting after an emergency brake applica tion

7. A single car may not be opwithin yard limits erated

if the brakes are cut out (A)

(B)

at any time without electric brakes (D)

unless the hand brakes are set up The maximum number of

2,000 series cars that can be accommodated in a station 536 feet long is

(A) 10 cars (B) 8 cars

7 cars

(D) 6 cars

9. The running lights of a train

are front top lights

(B) front bottom light

(C) rear top lights (D) rear bottom lights

10. Reverse moves beyond the limits of an interlocking (A)

are never permitted must be limited to one train length (B)

(C) may be made only under flag protection may be made only under

signal protection. Answer to previous questions:
1. (C); 2. (A); 3. (B); 4. (B);
5. (C); 6. (C); 7. (D). 8. (B);
9. (B); 10. (A).

# Officially Dead The Board of Transportation

has done a bit of pruning—with derstood.

Until lately this has been the situation. Deputy Commissioner Edward C. Maguire has been getting \$12,000 a year to straighten out the personnel difficulties from which the transit lines had been suffering. He was appointed to the position last July.

However, before the new deput commissioner was appointed the Board had a three-man committee, called the Impartial Grievitee, which had for the committee, which had for the committee. ance Committee, which had func-tions somewhat similar to tho which ex-Judge Maguire too over, but which had difficulting with the Commissioners. At \$5. 000 a year, two members of the group retained their job—Andrew R. Armstrong and Nathan Frankel. The third member, W. Francis Fitzgerald, resigned last year.

"They were cleaning up their affairs," explains a spokesman iq the Board.

After six months, the "cleaning up" period ends the last day of this month, when the committee vanishes from officially

## Mayor's Chauffeur **Now Competitive**

Two resolutions passed by the City Civil Service Commission won the approval of the State Civil Service Commission at that body's last meeting. One resolution raised the maxi-

mum pay of student aides in the Board of Education to 75 cents an hour, and increased their work. ing hours to 900 a year.

The second resolution took the exempt job of chauffeur-attend. ant from Mayor LaGuardia's of. fice, and transferred it competitive class under the title of auto-engineman.

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## Clerks Get 60% Raise Some City employees have received a 60 percent

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for New York City on January 1, 1943. His salary was \$840. Then on July 1, 1943, he shared

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went to the new minimum of \$1.200. On January 1, 1944 he's getting the regular \$120 increment (the

in the cost-of-living bonus, and

Budget office has already approved these increments). This brings him to \$1,320. The Mayor's pay boost, it is expected will bring him another 5 percent raise, \$60, so that his

salary after the increase will then be \$1,380. That adds up to increase of a bit more than 60 percent over the salary one year ago.

# General radley's

By Brigadier General John J. Bradley (Ref.)

## tras in the Serviceman's Pay Envelope

TO LIKE TO ADD to my column of last week on the subject of a veeman's earnings. A number of readers have asked me: "What the "extras" available to a man in service? Here are some of

m:
The base pay of any enlisted man, warrant officer, or nurse, is reased by 20 per cent for foreign service or sea duty A comsolved officer's pay is increased 10 per cent for foreign service or

Any enhisted man or officer who must frequently participate in the man increase of 50 per cent over his base pay. is applies to men and women in all branches of the service.

An omcer or warrant officer receives additional pay at the rate \$100 a month, and an enlisted man at the rate of \$50 a month, en engaged in parachute duty. Enlisted men on duty where ra-ns in kind are not available, are generally entitled to a daily allowce of \$1.50 in addition to base pay.

In addition, the Army adds \$2 a month for each decoration a

As for the Navy man, he too receives extra pay for foreign sersea duty, and it's the same as for an Army man-20 per cent ra for enisted personnel, 10 per cent extra for commissioned of-

Men on submarine, flight, or parachute duty receive 50 per cent addition to their base pay. Listening on a submarine brings \$2 re a month. Deep-sea divers earn \$30 a month extra, plus \$5 for res beyond depths of 90 feet. Enlisted men detailed as messmen eive 50 a month extra; when detailed as mail clerks, \$10 to \$30 And, again as in the Army, men receiving merit awards have a month added to their pay.

Coast Guardsmen and Marines in general are entitled to the me extras as Army and Navy men.

These extras do not, of course, include dependency allotments,

on I have discussed at other times in this column.

## they're Not All Federal Employees

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES have suffered from the attacks on neir work as "a haven from the draft," even though that is far, ar from the case. The percentage of Federal employees who have eceived occupational deferment is smaller than the percentage of cupational deferments in private industry, as everyone by now lows, It is thus most interesting that National Selective Service eadquarters sent to Col. McDermott, New York City Selective ervice chief, the names of 3,600 registrants who have been roneously deterred as Federal employees. It appears that some cal poards nave taken it for granted that anybody who has a ight connection with the Federal Government (like taking a ourse in a Maritime School) is therefore a Federal employee, doreover, in the cases of the employees so listed, the boards have amitted that no valid request for deferment had been received.

As all Government employees know, before a Federal worker an become eligible for occupational deferment, he must obtain a whole series of OK's, not only from his own department, but from special Presidential committee set up for the purpose.

Col. McDermott has informed local boards that they may not ssue occupational referments without receiving a valid request. He has told them, moreover, to reclassify the 3,600 who are not rederal employees.

Or course, a Federal employee with children will receive the ame consideration for a possible "hardship" deferment as a father putside Government service. The determination of a hardship teterment is made by the local board, not by the employee's

## arks St. George ects Officers

The St. George Association, Dertment of Parks, held an elecm of officers at which the foling men were placed in office: resident, J. Wright; First Viceresident, J. Wright; First Vice-esident, John Devlin; Second ce-President Louis Reese; Fi-ncial Secretary, Mrs. A. Kull; cording Secretary, Mrs. V. lutic; Treasurer, Percy White; blor Bearer, Harold Glascoe; storian Edith Humber, Moslegate, Walter Sutton.

The Association has purchased another \$1,000 war bond. Next meeting of the group is sche-duled for January 3, 1944.

### QUEENS BOROUGH WORKERS

PLAN PLEASANT YULETIDE Out in Queens, the Borough Presidents Office is planning a Christmas party with local talent. William Low, engineer in the topographical bureau will m.c. the affair. Robert Farrell, chief clerk, storian, Edith Hughes; Mar-all, Fred Shaffleberger; Na-nal Delegate, William H. Slee-tr. Jr.; Alternate National De-laboratory will also sing.

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## In the City Departments

## PUBLIC WORKS \$2 Extra for Cleaning Women

Cleaning women in the Department of Public Works are one group who can know what to expect in the line of increases when the Mayor makes his announce-

They'll work an extra hour a night, 6 nights a week, bringing their total to 36 hours.

On the financial side, they'll be raised from \$860 to \$1,040 a year. Those now getting \$1,040 will be raised to \$1,140. It comes to just about \$2 a week more, for the extra 6 hours of work. This setup, as tentatively approved by the Mayor, means that they'll be paid about 35 cents an hour for the extra 6 hours weekly that they'll have to put in.

## Colgan Promoted

The Department of Public Works has given another elevator mechanic helper a temporary promotion to elevator mechanic, and an increase to \$2,580 a year. Last week, the City Civil Serv-

Commission approved change in the status of Patrick Colgan. However, the promotion is only good until an ordered promotion is held and a list of eligibles for the job drawn up.

## LAW DEPT. **Xmas Raises**

Law Department had an early Christmas this year. There are a lot of vacancies in the depart-ment. Employees were doing the work of other people at their old salary. So, the department sent in requests for increases, and the powers-that-be came across with an OK.

Here is the batch of lucky lawyers and other workers who have cause to celebrate; other departments which had made similar requests were stalled off.

John B. Dunn, Clerk, from \$3,300 to \$3,420; James J. Mc-Gowan, Daniel L. Cammarano and Maximilian Bader, Deputy Assistants Corporation Counsel, from \$2,000 to \$2,240. from \$3,000 to \$3,240; Alice E. Trubin, Associate Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$4,000 to \$4,250; John A. Leddy, Clerk, from \$6,250 to \$6,500; Irving Schwartz, Examiner, Law Department, from \$2,820 to \$2,940; Joseph G. Vickers, Deputy Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$4,500 to \$5,000; Martin J. Depine, Law Clerk, from \$3,720 to \$4,120; Fred Lindeman, Clerk, from \$3,360 to \$3,480.

Salary Increased-Robert Abberman, Deputy Assistant Cor-poration Counsel, from \$3,000 to \$3,240; James B. Mulry, Assessor, from \$5,000 to \$5,500; Eardlie John, Associate Assistant Corporation Counsel from \$4,250 to poration Counsel from \$4,250 to \$4,500; William A. Fagan, Clerk, from \$3,300 to \$3,540; William G. Read, Engineer, from \$4,640 to \$5,000; Sol Cooperman, Deputy Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$3,240 to \$3,360; Paul Selby, Lunior, Assistant Corporation Junior Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$2,820 to \$2,940.

Salary Increased - Edward C. Johnson and John J. McGovern. Clerks, from \$3,900 to \$4,000; Alfred T. Macre, Examiner, Law Department, from \$3,240 to \$3,-600; Henry J. Shields, Deputy Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$4,750 to \$5,000; Isidor Bleich, Deputy Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$3,000 to \$3,750; Arthur E. DePhillips, Junior Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$2,500 to \$2,620; John F. Kelly and Joseph J. Dunn, Deputy Assistants Corporation Counsel, from \$3,600 to \$3,840; David Zucker, Clerk, from \$3,600 to \$3,840 per

Salary Increased Samuel Lippman, Deputy Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$4,500 to \$4,-650; Martin Holtzer, Junior Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$2,520 to \$2,620; James Muldoon, Examiner of Accounts, from \$4,-500 to \$5,000; Rose Schneph, Deputy Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$4,250 to \$4,500; Herbert Lefkowitz, Junior Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$2,520 to \$2,700; Albert Cooper, Junior As-sistant Corporation Counsel, from \$2,520 to \$2,760.

Salary Increased - Samuel A. Bloom, Deputy Assistant Corpo-

ration Counsel, from \$5,500 to \$5,750; Samuel Pines, Examiner Law Department, from \$4,640 to \$5,000; Joseph Hirt, Junior Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$2,700 to \$2,820; Harold L. Goldberg, Junior Assistant Corpora-tion Counsel, from \$2,640 to \$2,-760; Jacob C. Lefkowitz, Deputy Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$3,840 to \$4,000; Samuel Gold, Junior Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$2,520 to \$2,640; Nathan Blum, Deputy Assistant Corporation Counsel, from \$4,120 to \$4,500.

Salary Fixed — Assistant Corporation Counsel, Louis M. Weintraub, at \$5,750; Arthur L. Mar-vin and Russel L. Tarbox, at \$8,-500 per annum; Francis J. Bloustein and James H. Prothero, at \$7,000; Martin V. Callagy, at \$5,-000; Madeline Arcese, Ida Cassasa, Paul Lindemann and Raymond J. Horowitz, at \$4,250; Arthur H. Goldberg, Charles C. Weinstein and Frank J. Horan, at \$7,500; H. Broadman Epstein and Harlen E. Cecil, at \$6,250; Harry S. Lucia and Benjamin D. Gold, at \$6.000; Richard L. Balti-more, Jr., Leo Klauber, Robert J. Keegan, Hortense M. Wittstein, Robert E. Hugh and Carmine Ventiera, at \$3,750; Nelson Rosenbaum, at \$5,500; Charles A. Mur-phy, Simon Silver and Joseph G. De Vito, at \$4,750; Leo Brown, at \$6,500 per annum.

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Fannie, also known as Fannie Fannie Kraus Moss, CITATION— Kraus, Julia Kraus Balazs, Karl Kerner Ottilie Schwartzbard, Herminie John, Jos Ottille Schwartzbard, Herminie John, Josephine Freud, being the persons interested as creditors, distributees, or otherwise, in the estate of Fannie Moss, also known as Fannie K. Moss, Fannie Kraus Moss, deceased, who at the time of her death was a resident of 21 E. 76th Street, New York City, Send Greeting:

Upon the petition of EMILY R. WEISBERG, residing at 11 Commerce Street, New York City, as Administratix, of the Estate of Adele Recht, deceased, Administratix of Fannie Moss, deceased, You and each of you are hereby cited to show cause before the Surrogate's Court of New York County, held at the Hall of Records in the County of New York, on the 4th day of January, 1943.

Hall of Records in the County of New York, on the 4th day of January, 1943, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why the account of proceedings of EMILY R. WEISHERG, as Administratix of the Estate of Adele Recht, as deceased Administratix of Famile Moss etc. should not be judicially settled. In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of the Surrogate's Court of the said County of New York to be hereunto affixed.

Witness, Honorable James A. Foley, a Surrogate of our said county, at the County of New York, the 12th day of November in the year, of our Lord one, thousand nine hundred and four-three.

George Loesch, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court, (L.S.)

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I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of ASPHALIT PROCESS
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.
Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department (Seal) of State at the City of Albany this 30th day of November, 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 ABRAGIN 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.
Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Depart(Seal) ment of State at the City of Albany, this 24th day of November, 1943.

THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State.

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 J H STEIN CO.
INC., 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.
Given in duplicate under my hand and official scal of the Depart(Seal) ment of State at the City of Albany, this 30th day of November, 1943.
THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State.

Secretary of State. By WALTER J. GOING, Deputy Secretary of State.

ANDERSON - STIGEN, BIRGER, also known as B. Anderson-Stigen,—P. 2715, 1943.—Cration.—The People of the State of New York, by the grace of God free and independent, to Britta Cederberg, Skandinaviska Kreditaktiebolaget and The Commercial National Bank of Charlotte, North Carolina, distributee, executors and trustee of Birger Anderson-Stigen, also known as B. Anderson-Stigen, deceased, send greeting:

North Carolina, distributec, executors and trustee of Birger Anderson-Stigen, also known as B. Anderson-Stigen, deceased, send greeting:

Whereas, The Chase National Bank of the City of New York, which has its place of business at No. 11 Broad Street, City of New York, has lately applied to the Surrogate's Court of our County of New York to have certain instruments in writing relating to both real and personal property, duly proved as the last will and testament and codicil thereto of Birger Anderson-Stigen, deceased, who was at the time of his death a resident of the County of New York:

Therefore, you and each of you are sited to show cause before the Surrogate's Court of our County of New York, at the Hall of Records in the County of New York, at the Hall of Records in the County of New York, on the 19th day of January, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why the said will and testament should not be admitted to probate as a will of real and personal property. In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of the Surrogate's Court of the said County of New York, at said county, the 30th day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-three.

L. S. GEORGE LOESCH, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

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GEORGE LOESCH,
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court

Notice of Formation of Limited Partner-ship, ROBERT WOLF CO.

Notice of Formation of Limited Partnership, ROBERT WOLF CO.
Notice is hereby given that the persons herein named have formed a limited partnership for the transaction of business in the State of New York and elsewhere, and have filed a certificate in the Clerk's Office of the County of New York, of which the substance is as follows:
The name of the limited partnership is ROBERT WOLF CO.
The character of the business is screen printing on textiles.
The location of the principal place of business is 37 West 3rd Street, Manhattan, New York City.
The name and place of residence of

New York City.

The name and place of residence of each member is as follows: Robert B. J. Wolf, 2 Preston Street, Larchmont, Westchester County, New York, who is the general partner, and Gussie Klein, 371 Belmont Avenue, Newark, New Jersey, who is the limited partner.

The term for which the partnership is to exist, is from September 20, 1943 and shall be terminable at will of either

to exist, is from September 20, 1943 and shall be terminable at will of either parly, upon giving thirty (30) days written notice to the other of his or her intention of dissolving the partnership. The amount of cash contributed by the limited partner is \$3.500. No other property is contributed and no additional contributions are agreed to be made by the limited partner.

The compensation of the limited partner is one Hundred Fifty (\$150.00) Dollars, per week, which is not to be charged to the capital investment of the limited partner and fifty percent (50%) of the net profits.

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right to substitute an assignee in her place and stead, any person of good moral character and against whom there are no judgments, upon the same terms and conditions as provided for in the Articles of Copartnership made and entered into on or about September 20, 1943.

The general and limited partners give unto each other an option to acquire his or her respective interest in the partnership, subject to all the provisions of the original Articles of Copartnership dated September 20, 1943, in case of assignment of his or her respective interest, that may be caused voluntarily, involuntarily or by operation of law.

The certificate referred to above, has been sworn to by all the general and limited partners.
Dated: November 12, 1943.

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

I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of AMERICAN PROCESSING CORPORATION, has been filled 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

Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department (Seal) of State, at the City of Albany, this 6th day of December, 1943, THOMAS J. CURRAN, Secretary of State.

Secretary of State. By FRANK S. SHARP, Deputy Secretary of State.

By FRANK S. SHARP.
Deputy Secretary of State.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

BETTY BARNES BLOUSES—Notice containing substance of a certificate of limited partnership filed in the New York County Clerk's office November 18, 1943, duly dated, signed and acknowledged by all the parfners. (1) Name: Betty Barnes Blouses. (2) Business character: Manufacture and sale at wholesale of blouses and waists. (3) Principal place of business: 1375

Broadway, New York City. (4) General partners: CHARLES A. CORNIBERT, Country Club Drive, Flower Hill, Port Washington, New York; JULES MAZARIN, 6757 Fleet Street, Forest Hills, New York; JULES MAZARIN, 6757 Fleet Street, Forest Hills, New York; JOKN, 3525 Decatur Avenue, Bronx, New York; G. Limited partner: GLADYS L. CORNIBERT, Country Club Drive, Flower Hill, Port Washington, New York, (6) Term: August 10, 1943 to August 10, 1948. (7) Contributions by limited partner are not to be returned upon dissolution of the partnership. (8) Share of profits: Limited partner receives interest at 6% upon capital contribution and three-fifteenths of the net profits, Upon death of limited partner, partnership is to be dissolved. However, CHARLES A. CORNIBERT has option to purchase the interest of the limited partner.

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

I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of SHAPIRO & SON CURTAIN CORP., 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 (Seal) of State, at the City of Albany, this 7th day of December, 1943.

THOMAS J. CURRAN,

Secretary of State, By FRANK S. SHARP,

Deputy Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT

Deputy Secretary of State.

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

I do hereby certify that a certificate of
dissolution of PHILIP COHEN, 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,
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Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department (Seal) of State, at the City of Albany, this 6th day of December, 1943.

THOMAS J. CURRAN, Secretary of State.

By FRANK S. SHARP, Deputy Secretary of State.

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

I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of CONTINENTAL BROKERAGE CORPORATION has been filed in this department this day and that it

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Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department of State, at the City of Albany, this 7th day of December, 1943.

THOMAS J. CURRAN.
Secretary of State.

THOMAS J. CURRAN.

STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT
OF STATE, ss.:
I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of JO'S HILL REALTY COR-PORATION has been filed in this department this day and that it appears therefrom that such corrogation, has 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 (Seal) of State, at the City of Albany,

this 7th day of December, 1943. 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 certify that a certificate of dissolution of EAST DRIVE HOMES,
INC., has been filed in this department this day and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied wih section one hundred and five of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it is issolved.

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Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department (Seal) of State, at the City of Albany, this 4th day of December, 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 161 PERRY ST. CORP, has been filed in this department this day and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied with Section 106 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 Albany, this 4th day of December, 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 FISHER FISH 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 discoulted of the Department of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it discoulted of the Department is dissoluted.

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Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department (Seal) of State at the City of Albany, this 8th day of December, 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 JOSEPH BREEN, 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 sissolved.

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Given in duplicate under my hand and ooffcial seal of the Department (Seal) of State, at the City of Albany, this 7th day of December, 1943.

THOMAS J. CURRAN, Secretary of State.

By FRANK S. SHARP, Deputy Secretary of State.

At a Special Term of the City Court of the City of New York, held in and for the County of New York at the Old County Court House, New York County, New York, Dec. 13, 1943.

Dec. 13. 1943.

Present: HON. JOHN A. BYRNES, Chief Justice.

In the Matter of the Application of EDWARD JAMES SANTORE for leave to change his anne to EDWARD JAMES PURCELL.

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change his anme to EDWARD JAMES PURCELL.

Upon reading and filing the petition of ELIZABETH PURCELL, duly verified December 13th, 1943, and the consent of EDWARD JAMES SANTORE, Infant herein, duly acknowledged December 13th, 1943, praying for leave of said infant EDWARD JAMES SANTORE to assume the name of Edward James Purcell, in place and stead of his present name; and it appearing that said infant is not subject to registration under the provisions of the Selective Service Training and Service Act of 1940; and the Court being satisfied thereby that the averments contained in said petition are true and that there is no reasonable objection to the change of name proposed;

said petition are true and that there is no reasonable objection to the change of name proposed;

Now, on motion of James Loccisano, attorney for petitioner, it is ORDERED, that Edward James Santore be, and he hereby is authorized to assume the name of Edward James Purcell on and after January 22nd, 1944, upon condition, however, that petitioner shall comply with the further provisions of this order, and it is further ORDERED, that this order and the aforementioned petition be 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 once in CIVIL SERVICE LEADER, a newspaper published in the County of New York, City and State of New York, and that within forty days after the making of this order, proof of such publication thereof shall be filed with the Clerk of the City Court of the City of New York, in the County of New York, that following the filing of the petition and order as hereinabove directed and the publication of such order and the filing of proof of publication thereof, that on and after January 22nd, 1944, the said Edward James Santore shall be known by the name of EDWARD JAMES PURCELL, and by no other name. Enter: John A. Byrnes, Chief Justice of the City Court of the City of New York,

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

OF STATE, ss.:
I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of Brookshire Sportswear 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 (Seal) of State, at the City of Albany, this 16th day of November, 1943

THOMAS J. CURRAN, Secretary of State.

By FRANK S. SHARP,

STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, ss:
I do hereby cert. 'v that a certificate or dissolution of DOREX GARAGE CORP., 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 an
official seal of the Department
of State, at the City of Albany.
(Seal) this 9th day of December, 1943
THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State.

Secretary of St By FRANK S. SHARE Deputy Secretary of State.

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

I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of SHENANDOAH CHEMISTS, NC. has been filed in this department this

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thousand nine hundred and forty-three.

THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State.

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THOMAS J. CURRA

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STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPA
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I do hereby certify that a cer
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Deputy Secretary of STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPART OF STATE, ss.:

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h at Plymouth Restaurant, 103 Henry Brooklyn. (We had arranged to bers Street—just the place to set to do so the days there out. It's swell to there at prices so we had a very substantial luncheon, and felt well fortified to accomplish our mission. Our first stop was the Post Jewelers. 427 Flatbush Avenue Extension; there we saw Mr. Bradbury, who showed us a fine watch, just the thing for Larry, our fighting Marine. Mr. Bradbury took care of the mailing for us. THAT was easy—we wandered over to the Hudson Canadim Fur Shop at 565 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, where the "Chief" gazed longingly at a luxurious fur coat they had displayed in their window. She'll have to wait till the Mayor puts that raise through. I'm afraid. After I "dragged" her away, we went to the London Outfitters, 285 Lyingston Street, Brooklyn, for some clothes for Marty and Teddy. They have clothing and Jewelry there at prices so low, they will amaze you.

Now across the River to Manhattan. First stop 36 John Street, the Missy Shop, where Mr. Rock helped us select a fine junior dress—definitely in the groove—envy of every hep cat—or so my deb daughter tells me. We promised Marty a leather briefcase, so the Windsor Luggase Shop. 236 Broadway, was the next stop. There we saw a leather wallet that was skardly what we'd been looking for for some time, and while we definitely had Christmas shopping in one afternooth) Had a very substantial luncheon, and felt well fortified to accomplish our mission. Our first stop was the Post Jewlers, 427 Flatbush Avenue Extension; there we saw Mr. Bradbury, who showed us a fine watch, just the thing for Larry, our fighting Marine. Mr. Bradbury took care of the mailing for us. THAT was easy—we wandered over to the Hudson Chandlan Fur Shop at 565 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, where the "Chief" gazed longingly at a luxurious fur coat they had displayed in their window. She'll have to wait till the Mayor puts that raise through, fru afraid. After I "dragged" her away, we went to the London Outfitters, 285 Livingston Street, Brooklyn, for some clothes for Marty and Teddy. They have clothing and Jewelry there at prices so low, they will amaze you.

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## Yuletide Thoughts About Civil Service Problems

THE TROUBLE with the raise in pay which Mayor LaGuardia has granted to City employees lies precisely in that it is a grant, given by the Mayor in a manner that suggests the bitter flavor of charity. The whole pay plan has been jammed through with a peculiar gracelessness. The basic fault, as this paper has continuously maintained, is the administration's refusal to deal with City employees as adult men and women, entitled to a voice in the making of decisions which influence them vitally. There must, sooner or later, be instituted in this town a system of conference and negotiation between the City and its employees. This attitude of "I am the Mayor, and I make the decisions, and if they don't like it, they can lump it!" has, from a purely practical viewpoint, not brought results. Let the Mayor look around, see what has happened to employee morale, to their feelings about their jobs, in a time when morale should be highest—Mr. Butch may be rudely shocked. The day of mystery, secrecy, and doubletalk about such matters as salary should long have ceased. There would be a healthier spirit in New York City's government corps today if the Mayor realized this fact. Signs from the bailiwicks of employee organizations all point to the conclusion that they are going to put on the heat in this matter. More power to them.

## U. S. EMPLOYEE LEAVE

CONGRESS HAS before it two bills concerned with Federal employee leave. One would extend the present 90-day time-limit on the accumulation of annual leave. The second would grant to the survivor of a Federal employee, in event of the employee's death, a cash payment for the accumulated leave which the deceased had earned. The first of these measures is designed to aid hard-working employees who go on and on without taking time out for personal matters-some of the finest men and women in the Government service. The second bill is designed to cushion the impact of death for an employee's dependents by granting them payment for the time owing the employee. Neither of these bills are of world-shaking importance. Neither will cost the Government very much money. Both are obviously just. Both should pass.

## IT'S EASY TO BE FIRED

THE STORY OF THE MANNER in which Mrs. Helen Harvey, a State employee for 11 years, with an excellent record, was kicked out of her job (see page 3) brings to mind again the fact that the civil service employee, despite all the pious words, has very little protection against the whim of a superior. The State legislature, when it convenes in January, should re-examine the concept of employee-protection as now embodied in State law. If an employee can be fired as readily as Mrs. Harvey has been, new law is needed. And we suggest to employee organizations that they begin thinking now about the kind of protective bill they want.

AND TO ALL civil service employees, to the fighting men and women of this nation and our allies, to those who are working with hand and brain to bring this war to a quick, successful conclusion-

> 4 Happy Yuletide from the staff of the Civil Service LEADER.

## letters

More on the Work-Week

Sirs: After consulting many of my fellow workers, the consensus of opinion seems to be that

the best working hours for a 48 hour, 5½ day week, seems to be as follows: 8-12:15—1-5:30, Monday to Friday; 8-12:15 on Satur-

My co-workers were all enthusiastic about my letter in The LEADER recently. They are looking forward to a 51/2 day

MADELINE GORDON

## Repeat This!



Dewey Department of Governor Dewey's character that few people know about is his personal interest in the men is ans personal interest in the men who work or have worked under him. Example: word came through 10 a.m. Saturday of Irving Barst's death among the soldiers drowned in the New Orleans Staging Area. Barst had formerly worked with Dewey (see page 16). At 10:30, Dewey commispage 10). At 10:30, Bettey Commis-sioned John O'Connell, State Liquor Authority head, to get all the details about Barst, and to phone the Gov-ernor every hour as to whether Barst's ernor every hour as to whether Bars's family was O.K., when the body would be shipped, when the funeral would be held . . . By the way, two former Dewey boys are doing well with Naval Intelligence: They're Lieut. Joe Kaitz and Lieut. Charles Chattaway. The Covernor "thinks Chattaway, . . The Governor "thinks in tone." When he writes a speech, he always "hears" it mentally, and will change the sentences around until he gets the right vocal effects. It's the result of his cont. It's the result of his early musical training . . . The State Capitol will be interested to learn that FDR saw Col. Charles Poletti, former lieutenant governor now with AMG, during the President's recent trip abroad . This column scooped the dailies on the extension of the Governor's probe of the Albany Democratic machine

LaGuardia Layout
There are lots of changes going on
New York City's Department of

Investigation. Just routine, Commissioner Herlands? . . . Sanitation offi-cials shrug their shoulders at the Hart report about their department. But they think Herlands let them down by his weak defense of them . . . The State Legislature convenes January 10. In Albany, Ruben La-zarus is Mayor LaGuardia's trouble-shooter. But Rube has been acting as the Mayor's secretary since Lester Stone left that spot to go into public relations work. No one has been groomed to take over when Lazarus goes up to Albany. The only current possibility, say the wiseacres, is Charles Murphy, who recently came into City Hall from the Law Depart ment to take over legal chores. But Young Murphy doesn't know the ropes yet, and it's doubtful if he could take over the grueling post of Mayoral secretary. But maybe Butch will pull somebody out of his hat at

the last minute, as he often does . . .

## Merit Men



IRVING W. HALPERN has been enormously successful in the rehabilitation of men and women released from prison. In percentages, 91% of his charges "go straight." That record has been accomplished by a scientific handling of its work by the Probation Office of the General Sessions Court in New York City. Only last year, a fascinating feature was added to the work of this Office — the reclamation of youthful offenders who now come within the purview of new courts known as the "Youth Office the reclamation of

The Probation Office over which Halpern presides is divided into two sections: Division of Investigation and Division of Supervision. The first of these has as its function the problem of delving into the life of every individual convicted by the General Sessions Court. Halpern's men don't just probe - they must deliver report analyzing the individual's whole personality. They must uncover the conditioning influences in his life, and to do this they go back to the day he was born. They examine every facet of his conduct and his habits over the years. Then they write detailed reports. These reports go to the judge before he pronounces sentence. A copy of the report goes to the institution, and another to the parole authorities

The Division of Supervision has as its function the control and direction of persons released on probation. "No individual lives in a vacuum," says Halpern. "We work with their families. We do what has to be done about their work with their families. We do Halpern in Manhattan. Their what has to be done about their only son last week entered the health, recreation, education, sav-

ings, religion, discipline, and en ployment." It's an enormous of and Halpern insists it must accomplished on an individually basis. When a man comes out basis. When a man comes out probation, a probation officer assigned to him. This officer draws up a plan of action, wh is passed upon by the execut in the department. The probat officer goes to work on the b of this plan, and then, Halper explains, "we insist that the pla be modified each six months The tall, slow-speaking Chi Probation Officer favors log probationary periods, because knows that the alteration of character cannot be accomplish on a short-term basis. While he has a staff 89 employees, he en lists the aid of every city agency in his work. There is even a psy. chiatric clinic, run by the Hos pital Department, attached to the General Sessions Court. An interesting feature of the success of the work done by Halpern and staff is this: During the depression years, the ratio of employ. ment among their charges wa higher than among the general population!

#### They Work Hard

The reputation of Halpern's office is tops in the nation. Every, body who wants to do probation work seeks to get into this office But standards are high. Every probation officer must have college education, must pass grueling civil service examination must measure up to the most exacting standards before he car expect an appointment here, Par is good, and is likely to get ever better. But the work is hard. The staff puts in all kinds of hours and if you should phone late the evening, chances are you'd find somebody on the job.

Halpern, now 53, has a couple of fascinating ways for "getting away from it all". He paints and he cooks. His painting is becoming quite respectable. He travels to the Beaux Arts studios whenever he gets a chance isn't too often. He's always had a yen for drawing, and during his early schooldays often got in dutch for making caricatures of his teachers. As for his cooking he claims no expertness, but hi friends say that his pot roasts and stews are something. "There is the fun of eating it," Halpern explains.

He has found time, too, to write two books. One of them, "A De-cade of Probation," is used as a text book in many universities.

Halpern lives quietly with Mrs.

# How Can Civil Service Be Improved?

The article which follows is recommended reading for every administrator and every employee in a supervisory position. It is the final portion of an essay begun six weeks ago, delving into civil service personnel problems. Though dealing primarily with New York State, its conclusions are applicable to Federal and Municipal Government. The author: H. Eliot Kaplan, Executive Secretary, Civil Service Reform Association.

(10) Research Activities have been begrudgingly undertaken sporadically and in minor fields. Little is known, for example, of the validity of many of the tests even for clerical and police ap-pointments. The research laboratory has been shunned as mere academic practice and financial extravagance. But we go on year after year probably mak-ing the same mistakes and blundering along in applying practices and techniques the real selective and objective value of which we have only vague knowledge. Even modest funds invested judiciously in the direction of research should bring large dividends in developing new methods and practices, in eliminating useless or needless ones, and in finding short cuts to more practical results.

(11) Transfers. The present practice of handling transfers from one department to another too haphazard and uncontrolled. It is approached entirely from a negative point of view when it should be the responsibility of the personnel agency and the departments or persons to be encouraged to go from one department where they are less needed to one where their work would be more important. The Commission's responsibility now is passive. Its attitude often is

one of indifference and admin-

THE LEADER INVITES COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS ON THIS SERIES OF ARTICLES

istrative annoyance. There is no positive program of transfers based on the premise of the good of the service rather than the mere convenience or wish of the individual seeking transfer.

(12) Separations from Service. The present system of dismissal from the service is far from satisfactory, either to ad-ministrative heads or to employees. While attempts have been made to modernize disci-plinary action and review of arbitrary or capricious action of operating departments, the system is still wanting in effectiveness and in just results. True, the problem of handling dismissals is a knotty one, and no universally acceptable solution has yet been evolved. Nevertheless, coupled with the problem of dis-missals inevitably arises the problem of employee relation-ships which cannot and must not be relegated to a sphere of unimportance. The problem of handling employee grievances, welfare and similar problems affecting employee relationships is one that must be approached sympahetically and with a view

to giving employees a square deal. The responsibility for employee relationship policies is not that of the personnel agency alone. It is the responsibility of the state administration itself which must determine the basic policies to be followed by its operating agencies and to be si-pervised by the personnel agency.

(13) Leaves of Absence, Hours of Work, Vacations and Com-pensable Injuries. There is no uniform plan governing any of these matters. Abortive attempts have been made from time to time to meet these problems on a state-wide basis with a view to standardization and uniform. ity in departments and agencies. They need reconsideration and more liberal treatment.

(14) Over-all Supervision Finally, there is the responsibility of over-all supervision and investigation of the administration of the personnel system of the State. This is the responsi-bility has included bility basically of the personnel agency which should report to and make recommendations to the executive. Involved inherently in all of the problems of per-sonnel management are those of fiscal control and administrative management generally. For coordinating these the executive is ultimately responsible.

Adopting these suggestions will not bring the millennium in personnel administration to New York State. It will, however, bring a modern public personnel and a modern person sonnel system. It will, at least give a new impetus to our civil service, and provide a more workable merit system worthy of the State out to the state of New York. It can be done!

# POLICE CALLS

## Here's What the Court of Appeals Retirements Decision Means to Policemen

The Court of Appeals decision in the Pierne-Harvey ase is, as every cop now knows, of tremendous im-ortance. The LEADER, in seeking to analyze the meanof the decision, queried a number of prominent atorneys. There was general agreement among them that he decision opens the way to easier retirements, but every me of them also advised the men in the department: Step oftly! The 12-page decision settled some questions, but eft plenty of others without solution, and the man who proceeds on the theory that he is now automatically re-

ired, may well be automatically etired, but may also find himself uzzling, but here's how it works as James Tully, PBA atorney, interprets it:

Tully's View

when a man puts in his aplication for retirement, he autoatically retires himself. BUT another step has to be taken. etting his name on the pension olls. This intervening step must performed by an outside agency the trustees of the Police Penion Fund. So, in order to do this. becomes necessary to institute andamus proceedings. (This ans a court action to compel a efendent to perform something). low, here's where the hitch comes It so happens that the courts ve discretionary power to grant to withhold granting the manamus. The Court of Appeals has ecided in several cases that the purts possess this discretionary

Thus, a judge could refuse a andamus when an emergency xists. In three pension cases the past two years, the courts ave refused to issue a mandamus place men on the pension rolls. So, while a man may legally etire himsef under the new Court Appeals decision, it doesn't nean that he can necessarily ompel the Pension Fund imediately to put his name on the olls so that he can start drawng money. A man who has his ull 20 or 25 years in, may put in apers for retirement today, and uit tomorrow. But he would have o wait until the trustees put his ame on the pension rolls before e can begin to draw cash on his

In answer to a question about e policeman's status in the dertment after he has turned in is retirement papers, Mr. Tully against assuming too

Up on Charges

"I would say that the departent may not bring a man up charges if he has already put his papers, judging by a cold ading of the Court of Appeals cision. However, I also feel that he courts might work out a waivin such a case. Remember hat both Pierne and Harvey had ready ceased working when the harges were issued against them. there a man continues on the ob, the courts may construe that application for retirement is

uggestion

How's about that Consolidation?

here's just one thing left in our

uggestion box which the Yard

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and whoever is trying to

greatest headaches and

exempt from the rules and regula-tions of the job."

Can't Compel It

General agreement with the Tully view on the decision was voiced by Nathaniel Kaplan, attorney who formerly served as an Assistant D. A. under Thomas E. Dewey and Frank Hogan. Kaplan's interpretation:

"The Pierne case recently decided by the Court of Appeals, established the principle that the Police Commissioner cannot com-pel a member of the department to answer charges preferred against him after the member has filed his application for retirement, notwithstanding the fact that the trustees of the Police Pension Fund have not acted upon the retirement application. The filing of the application has the effect of a severance of connections with the Police Department. The requirements of the pension provisions of the law are fulfilled by meeting the following conditions: (1) Service of time in the department, depending upon whether the applicant is in 20 or 25 year pension category; (2) filing of application for retirement; (3) no charges pending against the member at time of

filing application for retirement. "The court held differently in the case of an application for pension based on medical grounds, even though the physical examiner had recommended release from service, in the case of Keevan. In that case, the court held that the mere filing of an application was not sufficient, but required the approval of the Pension Fund.

"The decision in the Pierne case does not mean that all those who have filed for retirement can receive their pensions im-mediately. The board in my opinion, cannot be compelled to certify more than a reasonable number of applications each month, and any effort to compel the board to act upon all pending applications would, I feel, be unsuccessful. The court has discretion in mandamus proceedings, and such proceeding brought to compel certification of all pending applications for retirement would be denied in view of the war emergency. Any applicant who seeks to gain his pension in advance of his regular turn on the list, as determined by a reasonable exercise of judgment by the pension fund, would in all

"It is interesting to note that the application by Judge Black, formerly of the Supreme court, to compel payment of salary to him based upon a constitutional requirement was denied in view of the then financial emergency of the city. In all likelihood the present war emergency would be deemed even more drastic. I do think, however, that a member of the department who meets the retirement prerequisistes and files his application for retirement, may leave the department and collect his pension as of the day of the filing of the application, although he may not receive actual payment until his application is acted upon by the board.

Calls It "Revolutionary"

Mr. Sydney Rosenthal, Queens attorney who tried the case for the three defendents, termed the Appeals Court decision "revolu-tionary." He stated that the decision changes the whole concept of the relationship between the Police Pension Fund and the men. He emphasized, in a statement to The LEADER, that men who reach retirement age and have their requisite service in the department, are automatically retired from the force as soon as they apply for retirement. The attorney anticipates that the City will not lightly accept the Appeals Court decision and apply it to everybody who desires to leave the department. He does point out, however, that the decision now provides the opening wedge for any policeman who wishes to go to court in order to establish his right to a pension. A policeman may consider it settled that his actual retirement begins on the date he writes upon his retirement papers, Rosenthal says. Mayor La Guardia late last

week confirmed these views about the Pierne decision. He will undoubtedly seek new legislation in Albany to do something about it. Unofficially, however. The LEAD-ER has learned that the Police Department will contest any man who applies for retirement on the basis of the Pierne-Harvey decision. Any member of the department, one source told this newspaper, who hopes to obtain his retirement and pension, will find the way barred by legal ac-tion. The City is prepared to take any case straight through to the Court of Appeals again. It is understood that the staff of the New York City Law Department feels that it can win any case in the courts on the basis of war emergency, and the discretionary power of the court to grant or withhold mandamus. Never-theless, the probability seems pretty clear as this is written, that the problem of retirement is far from settled; and the courts will witness some hard battles in the near future. A number of men, it has been learned, plan to quit and then sue, since their pension money, in any case, is just as safe as if it were in a bank.

## Ray Martin No. 1

Sergeant Raymond G. Martin. number 88 on the P. D. Lieutenant list, had his claim for disabled veteran preference approved heffective until he is reached on he list. It seems to me an inredible situation where a man so held in a number of cases hill working would be considered by civil service employees. Him up to the top of the situation where a man brought by civil service employees.

> plications, in writing, to the Shop Personnel Officer. cordial invitation was also extended to all officers whose assignments are in related fields of personnel administration to attend these lectures where such

neering, Drafting, Machine Design (mechanics and materials), Mathematics and Shop Methods, and electricity are being offered by Stevens Institute of Technology. A separate section has been set up called Stevens War Industries School to provide these courses for men and wom-

Requirements are: graduation evenings per week, and lead to a certificate. Interviews with applicants will be held at the Dean's office, 5th and Hudson Streets, Hoboken, N. J.

How Do You Feel About Yard employees.

## Why Was Mrs. Harvey Fired?

(Continued from page 3)

appearing in letters, Mrs. Harvey answered: "I do my best to check everything that comes from the Pool but you can readily understand that it is impossible for me to check the accuracy of every letter and address typed by the ten girls under my supervision." She argues, also, that the Pool must in part depend upon check-ing by the person who dictated the letter. Mrs. Harvey points out to the Commissioner that petty charges of this type can be made anybody - including Commissioner himself. His own letter charging her with removal from office on the ground that she had failed to detect stenographic errors, contains, she says, errors of the same kind. She lists mistakes in spelling, punctuation, and grammatical construction in Catherwood's letter.
To such petty lengths do Cath-

erwood's charges go as even to include "dissension" among the girls in the Pool. Mrs. Harvey replies that this "refers to a petty incident involving a party which the girls gave one evening to a follow. girls gave one evening to a fellowemployee who was leaving the office. It had nothing to do with office work and the incident was of such a trivial nature that I do not feel it could properly be characterized as 'dissension'

The Commissioner cites as a reason for Mrs. Harvey's removal, the charge that she didn't attend church in Schenectady on one Good Friday when she was supposed to have been attending church. He doesn't say how he discovered this enlightening and important piece of information. He jes' knows! Mrs. Harvey, a woman who pays attention to the requirements of her religious around the place, he was ju faith, answers emphatically: "I clerk in the personnel office.

plaint about typographical errors | did attend church in Schenectady on the Good Friday in question. And she goes on to explain precisely how she utilized her timeoff in traveling from Albany to her church in Schenectady.

There are other charges, all hammered home by the Commissioner with a great noise, though upon reading they seem small indeed.

#### Merit System Involved

Mrs. Harvey entered the State service on July 1, 1932. She has been steadily promoted. Her work has been highly praised by State officials who had contact with her. Her service ratings throughout the entire period have been in the 90s or the high 80s, and her rating never fell below 82 until she was marked by the present administrative assistant, who gave her 77. She appealed, and as a result her rating was changed-to 76!

The case isn't ending, however, at this point. Persons interested in preservation of the merit system, who have looked at the facts in this case, have told THE LEADER that if an employee can be thrown out at the whim of a department head, there is very little left of the merit system. Mrs. Harvey has retained John T. DeCraff, eminent Albany attorney, to carry the case as far as it will go.

#### Clerk to Lt.

Thomas Moran, 2nd lieutenant, U. S. Army Air Forces, visited the Sanitation offices last week and created quite a furore among the gals. He's navigator on a B-19. He's single. The last time he was around the place, he was just a

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## ope it out, if anybody, certainly list have, by this time, an even teater headache. Course in Employee Relations

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Notice is hereby given that the persons herein named have formed a limited partner-ship for the transaction of business in the State of New York and elsewhere, and have filed a certificate in the Clerk's office of the County of New York, of which the substance is as follows:

New York ALE.

character of the business is buying, manufacturing, and dealing in

apparel. peation of the principal place of is 1350 Broadway, New York

The name and place of residence of each member is as follows: S. WILLIAM BORGENICHT, 1150 Park Avenue, New YORK City: MAX BORGENICHT, 969 Park BORGENICHT, 1150 Park Avenue, New York City; MAX BORGENICHT, 969 Park Avenue, New York City; both of whom are general partners; and LILLIAN W. BORGENICHT, of 1150 Park Avenue, New York City, and HELEN G. BORGENICHT of 969 Park Avenue, New York City who are limited partners.

The term for which the partnership is to exist is from November 1, 1943, to 0 tober 31, 1948, inclusive.

The amount of capital contributed by each of the limited partners is \$30,000.00 all in property. No additional contributions are agreed to be made by either limited partner. The time when the contribution of each limited partner is to be returned is upon dissolution of the partnership.

imited partners shall receive no sation or interest on their capital mitions but shall each be entitled to 25% of the annual net profits of sincership.

Tight is given a limited partner to use an assignee as contributor in the contract of the contract of

limited partners.

Jimited partners, right to priority is given either partner over the other as to consus or as to income. In case of ath of a general partner the partnershall be dissolved, but the surgeneral partner may continue the so of the partnership to the end form.

o certificate referred to above has sworn to by all the general and lim-partners, dated, November 1, 1943.

V2-2287-Auto Mechanic (M), 98c per hr. V2-2291—Jr. Laborer (M), \$1200. V2-2295—Sr. Stationary Boiler Fireman (M), \$1500.

V2-2294-Patrolman (M), \$1860. V2-2298-Patrolman (M), \$1680.

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V2-2305—Power Machine Operator (M or F), \$1560.

V2-2306—Jr. Power Machine Operator (M or F), \$1440.

V2-2310—Office Appliance Repairman (M), \$1860.

V2-2311—Office Appliance Repairman Helper (M), \$1560.

V2-2323—Maintenance Mechanic (M), \$5 pe rhour.

95c pe rhour. V2-2326—Steamfitter Helper (M), -80c

V2-2326—Steanfitter Helper (M), -80c per hour, V2-2328—Janitor (M), \$1200.
V2-2330—Laborer (M), 95c per hour, V2-2332—Helper Boilermaker (Bayonne) (M), \$6.16 per diem.
V2-2333—Helper Machinist (Bayonne) (M), \$6.16 per diem.
V2-2334—Helper Rigger (Bayonne) (M), \$6.16 per diem.
V2-2335—Helper Trainee (Bayonne) (M), \$6.16 per diem.
V2-2336—Firefighter (Bayonne) (M), \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.
V2-2337—Plumber (Bayonne) (M), \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.
V2-2338—Rigger (Bayonne) (M),

\$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

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\$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2339—Riveter (Bayonne) (M),
\$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2340—Sheet Metal Worker (Bayonne)
(M), \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2341—Shipfitter (Bayonne) (M),
\$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2342—Shipwright (Bayonne) (M),
\$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2343—Welder, Electric (Bayonne) (M),
\$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2344—Welder, Gas (Bayonne) (M),
\$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2345—Boilermaker (Bayonne) (M),
\$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2346—Chipper & Caulker, Iron

V2-2349—Boltermaker (Bayonne) (M), \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2346—Chipper & Caulker, Iron (Bayonne) (M), \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2347—Coppersmith (Bayonne) (M), \$9.60 to \$10.56 per diem.

V2-2348—Driller, Pneumatic (Bayonne) \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2349—Electrician (Bayonne) (M), \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2350—Joiner (Bayonne) (M), V2-2351—Machimist (Bayonne) (M), \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2352—Pipecoverer & Insulator (Bayonne) (M), \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.

V2-2353—Fire Tender (M), 76 per hr. V2-2354—Packer (Bayonne) (M), \$6.96 per diem.

V2-2354—Packer (Bayonne) (M), \$6.9 per diem.
V2-2355—Mechanic Learner (Bayonne) (M), \$4.64 per diem.
V2-2357—Apprentice, Mech. Trades (Bayonne) (M), \$4.64 per dier.
V2-2356—Classified Laborer (Bayonne) (M), \$6.40 per diem.
V2-2359—Anglesmith, other fires (Bayonne) (M), \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem.
V2-2360—Blacksmith, other fires

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(Bayonne) (M), \$9.12 to
\$10.08 per diem.
V2-2361—Flangetender (Bayonne) (1 (Bayonne) (M),

V2-2361—Flangetender (Bayonne) (M), \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem. V2-2362—Framebender (Bayonne) (M), \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem. V2-2363—Refrigeration and Air Cond. Mechanic (Bayonne) (M), \$9.12 to \$10.08 per diem. V2-2364—Whartbudger (Bayonne) (M).

V2-2364-Wharfbuilder (Bayonne) \$9.12 to \$10.08 per di V2-2367—Firefighter (M), \$1860. V2-2368-Unskilled Laborer (M), \$1300.

V2-2370—Sr. Office Appliance Repairman (M), \$2040.
Office Appliance Repairman Helper (M), \$1500.
V2-2373—Oher (M), \$6.88 per diem.

V2-2374-Boxmaker (M), \$5.72 per diem, V2-2376—Packer (M), \$9.96 per diem, V2-2376—Optical Inst. Assembler (M), V2-2377—Packer (M), \$6.96 per diem, S7.68 per diem, V2-2378—Classified Laborer (M), \$6.40

per diem. V2-2379—Brakeman (M), \$7.52 per diem V2-2380—Pattermaker (M), \$10.56 per

diem. V2-2381—Refrigeration and Air Condi-tioning Mechanic (M), \$9.12 per diem. Rivet Heater (M), \$5.92 per V2-2382diem. V2-2383—Wharfbuilder (M), \$9.12 per

V2-2384—Boatbuilder (M), \$9.12 per diem. V2-2385—Boilermaker (M), \$9.12 per

V2-2386—Chipper and Caulker, Iron (M), \$9.12 per diem. V2-2387—Coppersmith (M), \$9.60 per

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V2-2391—Shipwiisht (M), \$9.12 per diem.

V2-2392—Apprentice Mechanical Trades (M), \$4.64 per diem.

V2-2393—Helper-Traince (M), \$6.16 per diem.

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per diem.

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V2-2422—Laborer (M), \$1320.
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V2-2430—Jr. Stat. Fireman (M), 80c per hour.
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V2-2449—Puller and Loader (M),
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V2-2480—Guard (M), \$1740.
V2-2485—Laborer (M),
V2-2485—Laborer (M), \$1740.
V2-2483—Stationary Fireman

V2-2508—Patrolman (M), \$1680.
V2-2509—Crane Operator (M), \$1.15
per hour.
V2-2510—Elevator Operator (M), \$1200.
V2-2510—Chanfler (M), \$7.26 per diens
V2-2517—Laborer (M), \$6.88 per rdiem.
V2-2518—Fire Chief (M), \$2600.
V2-2522—Stationary Fireman (M), \$1680.
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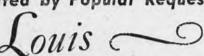
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- Sets \$1,200 a year salary for internes in City Hospitals.
- Grants mandatory leave for employees to go into war work.
- Abolishes fees charged for taking City Civil Service examinations.
- -Employees must get mini-mum salary of the grade to which they are appointed.
- Sets 313 working days a year for Sanitation men "B" and
- -Grants salary increases on
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- tion must be dismissed if he has not resided in the county from which he was appointed for ten years. Provides time - and - a - half overtime for over 40 hours.
- City would pay pension con-tributions of employees in service. -Physical disability not to af-
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- Changes qualifications of employees in Department of

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MEYER KAHN, General Partner ISAAC DUKE, General Partner SOPHIE DUKE, Limited Partner JOSEPH M, KAHN, Limited Partner STATE OF NEW YORK

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Subscribed and sworn to before me,
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Sidney G. Bernheimer, 993 Park Ave., New York City, N. Y.; Buss, Address; 304 East 45th Street, New York City, N. Y., Frederick J. Jaccarino, 1470 Midland Avenue, Bronxville, N. Y.; Buss, Address; 304 East 45th Street, New York City, N. Y.

Frederick J. Jaccarino, 1470 Midland Avenue, Bronxville, N. Y.; Buss, Address; 304 East 45th Street, New York City, N. Y. CERTIFICATE OF PARTNERSHIP

Innution of firm name by a partnership.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have this sth day of October, 1945 made and signed this certificate.

SIDNEY G. BERNHEIMER RICHARD JACCARINO FREDERICK J. JACCARINO STATE OF NEW YORK

On this 8th day of October, 1943, before me personally appeared SIDNEY G. BERNHEIMER, RICHARD JACCARINO, and FREDERICK J. JACCARINO, to me known and known to me to be the individuals described in, and who executed the foregoing certificate and they thereupon duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

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VIII. The share of the profits or other compensation of the limited partners is as follows:

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IX. The remaining general partner may continue the business after the death, retirement or incapacity of the other general partner.

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Beginning tomorrow, the N. Y. Paramount also presents a new Paramount technicolor musical, "Riding High", with Dorothy La-mour, Dick Powell, Victor Moore, Cass Daley and Milt Britten and his band. Tomy Dorsey and his boys will head the stage show... "Northern Pursuit" starring Er-rol Flynn, continues for a fifth week at the N. Y. Strand with Glen Gray and the Casa Loma Orchestra as the "in person" attraction . . . 'Ravaged Earth", a sensational film exposing the attraction of Japanese militarists. atrocities of Japanese militarists

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write. Irving Barst, that gay, wonderful person whose spirit was laughter, is dead. He per-ished last week, a soldier wearing his nation's uniform, in the terrible disaster which took the lives of 26 fighting men when their cruiser-type vessel overturned in Lake Pontchartrain, New Orleans. Barst had entered the service but two months ago, on October 16. Although only 28 years old,

Barst had already built up an enviable reputation as an investigator with Thomas E. Dewey and Frank Hogan, Manhattan District Attorney. Hogan, deeply affected by the news of Barst's drowning, said: 'I have known Irving since 1935. He served under Dewey as special rackets investigator and in

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aver expected. Neufeld sent

copies of his letter to his wife, Mrs. H. C. Neufeld; to the Asso-

ciation of State Civil Service Em-

ployees; and to Mrs. Harvey. Here's what Neufeld, considered one of the most brilliant of the younger State officials, wrote;

"Dear Doc: Your letter of No-

vember 5 reached me today, Even

here in Sicily, where I have learned to expect and deal with almost

unything, the news that you have

brought specific charges against

Helen leaves me stunned and aghast. I should have thought that with your influence in Al-

bany, which has always been con-

siderable, a suitable post within the civil service might have been

found for Helen . . . I have no way, obviously, of knowing what

has been happening since I left,

think Helen deserved better treatment, not only because of her long service in the State where

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Capt. Neufeld's Letter

IRVING BARST is dead. It's able nature won him hundreds one of the saddest sentences of friends. All of us are great-this reporter has ever had to ly saddened by his loss in the service of his country.

In addition to his work with Dewey and Hogan, Barst had served for a year as an investigator with the U.S. Army Air Forces, Intelligence Section, Just before entering service, he had been employed tion. by Governor Dewey to investigate all applications for pardons, commutations, and exec-

utive clemency.
Barst's education was obtained in the New York City schools. He attended Brooklyn College and took his law degree in the Brooklyn Law School, He had married shortly before entering the Army. Dewey considered him one of the finest young investigators in the State.

Irving Barst leaves a wife this office till March 1942. He Ruth; a brother, Haskell, and was a young man of the finest a sister, Dorothy; and his character, whose gay and lov-mother, Mrs. Sophie Barst.

to the Division of State Planning

and to the early Division of Com-

to those who labored long hours sincerely and faithfully when others either left or laughed. I know all of Helen's faults,

and I have been critical of them

to her face, but mediocrity is not one of them. When mediocrity stays on in State offices surround-

ed by that protective coloring,

and people like Helen, with all their efficiency, loyalty, intelli-gence and knowledge, have

charges preferred against them because of personal difficulties,

then something is amiss, and not

wholly on Helen's part. I remember, and I think you should, that

despite all the work you and I did in keeping the Division of

State Planning going, that job would have been tremendously difficult, if not impossible, with-

out Helen's assistance, persistence, and loyalty, because, if you re-member, she knew more about the

office than either you or I in those early days, ranging from

the history of activities and sub-

"It is very easy, during prosperous years, for individuals and institutions to forget their lean years and their responsibilities

## and C men, who rise to \$2,200; Until last July B men had earned \$1980 and C Men \$2040. All these Sanitation groupings had received a \$180 raise on that date. Their present additional raise is \$100. In Correction, Welfare, and Public Works, employees earning up to \$2500, who had received \$120 increases in July, now get an additional \$120; those earning above \$2,500 receive \$240 additional.

5-The Mayor is requiring that Sanitation men work Sundays for nothing in order to receive the additional pay. Mr. LaGuardia had already tried to stop Sunday pay for November, but was prevailed upon to con-

## Cops, Firemen

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report to the men, writes letters atmosphere of darkness.

Sergeants Opposed

In fact, the Sergeants Benevo-lent Association, meeting in secret session last week, passed a stinging resolution telling the Mayor and the Commissioner they didn't like the idea of tying up a pay raise with overtime work. They'd work overtime if they had to in this emergency, but they feel the raise is coming to them without strings attached. The resolution passed unanimously.

The Uniformed Firemen's As-

sociation is already on record with its opposition to any scheme of overtime work unless it provides equal pay for all overtime work. This resolution was passed last August when the firemen felt that their 8-hour day was threat-ened, and it is in line with American Federation of Labor policy. The UFA is an affiliate of the na-

in a matter which is certainly at the present time your business, but on the other hand, I feel I must not remain silent about what I know about Helen from my association with her as Director of the Bureau of State Planning and Deputy Commissioner of the Division of Commerce. Perhaps even now a friendly solution can be worked out: a position somebe worked out; a position some-where else in the service with equal pay and responsibility, and not in the light of bitterness and irritations which have been slow-ly piling up along with imagined slights, disloyalties, and tales carried by others who may have had reasons to build their own positions in an expanding agency at the expense of those already

ject matter to the proper way of keeping books and making out the annual budget, Helen cannot work in an atmosphere where she is not given responsibility commensurate with her ability and where she feels ing her certainly created and fostered an atmosphere which neither you nor I, in her position, could have flourished under and been happy under. Here, in Sicily, where I am face to face every day with all of the problems of a country suffering under the cruelties of war. I am particularly sensitive and impatient of the

and makes commitments involving the whole organization without asking us. What goes on here?" The resentment has been on a rising scale because of Harnedy's repeated failure, in the past two years, to obtain a raise in pay. Now, when finally a raise is coming through, it is as a handout from the Mayor, not because of anything which the organization's leadership accomplished. There was further resentment because, when the \$420 fig-ure did become known, the men weren't informed how many additional hours they would have to work for the money. The whole negotiation was carried on in an

tional labor body. .

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tinue it for the last two months of the year. Sanitation men work an average of 9 or 10 Sundays a creases will be taxes. sums to be drawn out of the creases will be taxes. An thing: Although the anno year. They may also be called upon to put in additional over-time as needed during the week, thing: Although the announce raises are on an annual basis, tually they can be put the only for 6 months, because new budget comes into effect July. This may be merely a budget or it may be marker; but no official-in the department would hazard a guess as to just how many more hours the men keeping matter; or it may wedge for employees to make will have to work. The overtime situation for patrolmen (see article on page 1) will come to bonus a permanent part of salaries. 8 additional hours in each 20-day 7—Very few City employ will see their additional before February 1. In some partments, a driblet of the money may come through January 15—but don't our cycle; for firemen, an increase to 64 hours in every 8-day period It is surmised that the LaGuardia policy of overtime work will all the way through the City. For clerical employees, it will take one of two forms: (a) the full 6it. However, no matter when increase finds its way into paycheck, it will be retroact. day week; or (b) a provision requiring these employees to be available for any overtime detail January 1, 1944. the departments may require. In some quarters there has been talk

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