Facts of Life for Corps of Employees

The pay situation made for a higher-morale, higher-efficiency deal with human beings the way you can while awaiting the facing a of secrecy over salary information. The private industry went up about 10.5 percent. Dewey has announced approval of a $200,000 program to improve the hygiene field desired. Special chaplains not serving full-time will be paid from a recognized theology committee. Appointment of a hospital chaplain will be done by the institution chaplain committee assisted State officials in choosing. Rabbi Harold H. Goldstein, general secretary of the New York Board, was supervisor since 1980. He served under eight presidents.

More Chaplains for Mental Hygiene

The State's menial hospitals had full-time Protestant chaplains. The plan calls for 24 instead of 2. The State Civil Service Commission has placed the title of

Bill Provides Extra Pay Every 5 Years

The State Civil Service Commission has approved the title of assistant in the medical field. The plan specifies that the titles of assistant in the medical field will be named.

SYRACUSE, Feb. 2—Representatives of the State Department of Public Health announced on Saturday, January 30, that the 16th annual dinner at 6:30 P.M. will be held at the Central New York Conference, at the Commodore Hotel, Syracuse. The dinner is sponsored by the State Civil Service Commission. It will be held at the Commodore Hotel.

John J. Kelly, Jr. to M. C. Annual Syracuse Dinner

The second bill calls for pay-...
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Economic Forecasting

The season for economic prophets is well under way and many of the experts in the field of economics have been peering into the future. Some of their thoughts and opinions are of real value. Were this not so, banks of industry would not set their production schedules, involving expenditure of millions of dollars, on the basis of the economists' considered opinions.

We summarize these forecasts and relate them to a paramount problem presently confronting all state employees—their salaries.

Immediately after World War II, a great many business forecasters anticipated a downward economic adjustment or recession that would have resulted if certain key factors were not properly evaluated by these forecasters. For instance:

1. Post-up demand for all kinds of goods after the war, partly because of the huge expenditures that had existed for years. Automobiles and home appliances were the beneficiaries.

2. Necessity for expansion in plant capacity; business spent unprecedented amounts for new plant and equipment.


4. Shortages of skilled defense workers were huge.

5. Technological improvements were rapid.

Present Prophets for Years to Come

Now for the present forecasters:

It seems to us that three of these factors will not exert as much upward economic pressure in 1954 as they have in the past.

1. The demand for goods has been immediately satisfied.

2. Business will probably not continue to expand plant capacity at the same rate.

3. Government expenditures for defense will not be as big a booster to business as in the past.

On the other side of the ledger, these factors will continue to act as a stimulus to business:

1. The population will continue to increase, thereby increasing basic demand.

2. Technological developments will continue to be rapid and important.

Comment on Recent Mild Decline

Actually, business experienced a mild decline during the last two months of 1953. Most of the recent declines have been spotted in the automobile industry and in November about 6 percent below its 1953 high. It would not seem reasonable for any economic structure to be constantly in such a state of flux. A certain amount of trimming about the system would have to be done.

In any examination of the so-called "adjustments," reference should always be made, not only to some previous all-time high record, but also to an absolute level. An illustration might be helpful. In the last 12 months, we have been hearing and reading about unemployment. It stands at about two million. Some unemployment is unavoidable. People do change jobs, etc. However, a level of two million historically has always been considered as approximately the norma minimum. It is difficult to get any more excited about this than that minimum now that over one million of one percent of the labor force have lost their jobs, both in this country and abroad.

Weekly, Daily, Weekly Earnings

Average hourly earnings may be expected to continue to increase during 1954. Average weekly earnings may drop slightly. Average hourly earnings may increase or possibly remain constant. Collective bargaining cannot be ignored in the total picture, as some very significant labor contracts are due for revision this year. Whatever the results of business negotiations, the purchasing power of the consumer can be overlooked. No drastic fall in the cost of living may be expected, however, as both these factors gained headway.

40-Hour Bill Introduced; No Pay Cut

A look at the pending plant expansion program announced by General Motors. Highway building programs and the current school building boom are important factors of stimulation.

(Continued on Page 4)

Welcome, Oscar Taylor

The Civil Service LEADER welcomes Oscar M. Taylor, new president of the State Civil Service Commission. There's a lot of work to be done. Much of it will require courage, much will require imagination. Mr. Taylor will find the pressures of public service intriguing but more pervasive than those he found in the New York Telephone Company. We look forward to his soll. A good start for him to a rock-hard resistance to the intrusions upon the merit system; for active steps toward making civil service more efficient arm of government; and for sympathetic consideration of the problems that will come before him.
State Jobs

In 1953

ALBANY, Feb. 1—The State Civil Service Department held 4,096 exams in 1952 record by more than 30 per cent. There were nearly 80,000 applicants, the largest number since 1932. In 1953, 1,954 exams were held with 64,462 applicants.

The department continued to provide a full day's work for most of its exams. Rating of exams for State positions was completed during 1953 on an average of 57 days after the list was established. In previous years, most State exams required more than 90 days to complete and prior to 1948, the average was well over a year.

799 State Tests

There were 799 State tests in State service. The tests were for local units of government, counties, and school districts. The Civil Service Department is now doing about 85 per cent of the examinations work of the government outside of New York City.

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The department reports 18,572 permanent appointments in State service. This was an increase of 2,012 over the permanent appointments of the previous year, which was 16,560.

An examination included 1,943 permanent promotions of State employees in the competitive class in 1953, an increase over the previous year. The department's annual statistical report, issued October 1, 1953, shows 4,362 State employees in the competitive class.

Solon Wants Legislative Job Details

ALBANY, Feb. 1—Assemblyman Daniel M. Roberts of Kingston wants the names, addresses, salaries and duties of every State employee as determined by lump sum appointments, made public.

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Question, Please

WHAT IS THE TIME LIMIT ON CLAIMS FOR VETERAN'S BENEFITS?

Mr. Bauer—On lists established after January 1, 1951, the time limit on claims for veteran's benefits is six months from the date veteran was discharged or the date that the veteran's death was reported to the Judge of the County Court. The time limit may be extended if the veteran is not found and the Judge of the County Court is notified.

Present, Mr. Kelly, asked the committee to return and pass comment on the accuracy of the statements made by the veteran. The State Civil Service Commission is authorized to file claims for benefits at any time.

Quartermaster Group To Present Two Revues

The New York Quartermaster Purchasing Unit in a collaboration with the Carlisle Purchasing Unit of the Philadelphia Quartermaster Unit, will hold a Gay Nineties Revue and dance Friday, February 19 at the Carlisle Club, 111 East Sixteenth Street. Tickets will be $1.50 each.

The performers include: Connie Berman, Joan Horowitz, Thomas Mark, George White, Ralph Solomon, Helen Blank, Myron Cohen, Ida Brein, Mike Rotker, David Greenberg, Michael Haskel, Eliezer Lefkowitz.

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Activities of Employees in New York State

Employment, NYC
EVERYONE is talking about the evening and weekend employment opportunities of the current dance season, to be held at Brooklyn Academy of Music and the New York City Center. (Details are available at the Brooklyn Academy of Music, 30 Lafayette St., Brooklyn, N.Y., 11201.)

Office-Hospital-Nursing

At the January 20 meeting of the board of directors, composed of: Gertrude Craig, Alice McLeod and Mrs. Charles A. Leff, the following were announced:

Fred Kirschenbaum, LO 850; Bornard Federgreen, LO 90; Frank Zemlicka, LO 115; Pinkie Kirschenbaum, LO 90; Vincent Soukup, LO 115; and Thomas Boyd, Luther Baird takes over this chapter, CSEA, reports that its members are: Edward Sottong, commander; Al Wagerman, vice commander; Ray Sansone and John Mackenzie, trustees.

N. C. O.T. department, returned from a trip to Europe. Mrs. Catalana, Sal Viola, Barbara Stanfield, Harry Bardwell, Fred Nelson, Mrs. Spellman, Marie Voels, and Josephine Criscuolo. Mr. Immer, Alvino Pox, who will work for the State of Mental Hygiene discussed the 40-hour week petition, but more are needed. February 5 is the deadline to submit news for publication. Denmark chapter's first meeting will be held February 2 at the Tinnitus Club.

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What's Your Protection If You Lose Your Job?

President Eisenhower has recommended that Congress enact legislation covering Federal civilian workers under unemployment insurance. The recommendation is eminently sound. The total number of those employed by the United States government has fallen, hundreds of thousands hold their jobs under the most precarious of temporary classifications. Federal employees, like their brothers in private industry, deserve the protection of unemployment insurance when reduction in their ranks becomes inevitable.

Pension plans are available in private industry, but there is no comparable device available in the public service. Guards have a minimum for their services and a pension at age 65 in both the police and fire service. A guard starting at age 21 and working with Civil Service Commission, is eligible for retirement. Consequently there is danger in letting men take the exam after they are over 21, too. This was proven during the past experience when an eligible list of only 104 names was established.

Wage is another matter. It is true that it is lower than the wage of the same classification in private employment. But the Federal employee is not fired for hisные do not have to worry about the job his job, if it is for the public good, his job is not threatened. Indeed, no one has ever made a case for the argument that Federal employees should be denied the protection of unemployment insurance. Federal employees ought to have the same protection that government aides suffer in many aspects of job-security.

New York State employees do enjoy the protection of unemployment insurance. Federal employees ought to, also; the benefit ought not to be withheld from employees of New York City, the various counties and other jurisdictions within New York State.

Such are the vicissitudes of politics, however, that when legislation was passed granting unemployment insurance to New York State employees, those employed by local units of government were not included. These local units do have the right to provide unemployment insurance—and under favorable conditions, too. But up till now, they have chosen to allow their employees this invaluable protection. Thus, when a public employee loses his job, he is really "out in the cold." He has no cushion to tide him over while he is seeking other employment—a condition that hasn't been tolerated in private business in New York City, the various counties and other jurisdictions within New York State.

These vicissitudes of politics are further complicated by the fact that government workers usually follow their colleagues in private industry in most matters of job security. But how far behind should they be expected to trudge?

The New York State employment law should be enacted into law for Federal employees. And in New York State, the time has arrived to enact legislation mandating Federal employment for two decades. It is true that government should pay for the uniform. Recognition of that policy is through organizations of their own. It must be assumed that pension law is beyond the understanding of the average employee, when interpreted in simpler terms than those found in bills.

The NATIONAL CIVIL SERVICE LEAGUE finds the Eisenhower Administration has made "subtle and commendable efforts to maintain the bargaining rights of the Federal employee," but has not been active enough intempering the effect of veteran preference on the merit system.

The NATIONAL CIVIL SERVICE LEAGUE will have a special meeting in the 72-year history of the Federal merit system moved into top management levels and became the true responsibility of the President in 1933. The National Committee will be working with the new Schedule B policy-making and confidential jobs.

A BILL has been introduced by Representative Emanuel Celler (D., N.Y.) whereby competitive employees whose jobs are transferred to Schedule A, C, or B, are entitled to apply to the Civil Service Commission for reinstatement. If enacted, the bill would spare such employees the fate of Leo A. Roth, a Department of Justice attorney, who, under existing law, is entitled to a position in the Federal service.

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ter, or by mail, not before February 1 and not after February 8, at $1.61 a hour, $96.00 for a 40-hour week. Candidates who have applied by February 8, except that there are no deadlines for expired positions.

Mostly Clerk Jobs

Work that has now been available for applications close, as James E. Cafferty, director of the Civil Service, expects to get the two lists out as fast as possible.

Candidates will take the same written test, but must specify on their application which position they wish to take the test for. The position of which they will be appointed will be for job clerk jobs, mostly with the State Comptroller and the Post Office Department.

The present lists will be used for the next 90 days, until March 1, when the new lists will be available. Candidates will be notified of the department to which they will be appointed.

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CHIEF MARINE, $11,600; one vacancy in Depart-
ment of Parks. Requirements: Bachelor's degree in marine engineering; or equivalent; or extensive experience, plus training at an approved school. Fee $5. (Thursday, February 18).

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ELEVATOR OPERATOR, $3,485. Requirements: six months' experience as elevator operator in office building or apartment house or store in which the operation of elevators is under direct control of the employer. Fee $3. (Thursday, Feb-
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FOREMAN, GRADE 2, $2,924; four vacancies. Require-
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cent experience; or (b) four years of recent experience, plus training at an approved school. Fee $3. (Thursday, February 18).

HOUSING CARETAKER, $1,200; 200 vacancies in NYC Housing Authority. Requirements: NYC Housing Authority experience. Fee $3. (Thursday, February 18).

JUNIOR DRAFTSMAN, $3,830; 18 vacancies in Board of Estimate. Requirements: one year's training; two years of recent experience in drafting; or equivalent; or training in an approved trade school. Fee $2. (Thursday, February 18).

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PHYSICIAN, $3,830; six vacancies. Requirements: B.S. degree in nursing. Fee $2. (Thursday, February 18).

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Automobile mechanics (men), teacher and substitute; February 19.

Health education, substitute; February 2.

Laboratory assistant (biology, general science), regular and substitute; February 26.

Mathematics, chairman of department; March 26.

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Mechanical drafting (men), teacher and substitute; March 26.

Performing arts (dance), teacher and substitute; February 19.

Physical sciences, chairman of department; February 19.

Presswork (men), teacher and substitute; February 26.

Printing and presswork (men), teacher and substitute; February 26.

Radio mechanics (men), teacher and substitute; February 26.

Related technical subjects (bio- logical and chemical), teacher and substitute; February 19.

Religious education (men), teacher and substitute; February 19.

Schools for children with re- gular and substitute; March 26.

Speech, chairman of department; March 26.

Speech, teacher and substitute; February 19.

Woodworking (men), teacher and substitute; February 19.

Junior High Schools

English, teacher; opens February 26.

English, substitute; February 3.

Spanish, teacher and substitute; February 19.

Social studies, teacher and substitute; March 19.

Transportation, teacher and substitute; February 19.

Law Cases

Sidney M. Stern, chairman, reported that the written test for the position of patrolman is now open. Mr. Stern continues to seek the highest qualified person for the job.

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Citizen Union Condemns 'NYC Security Query; Says It 'Strikes Terror'

Milton M. Bergerman, chairman of the Organization, had written to Mayor Wagner asking him to discontinue the "Employees Security Questionnaire," and this favor has been granted.

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UFC Joins Craft, Hobby Organization

The Uniformed Fire Officers Association of Brooklyn has joined "Labor Unions in Arts and Crafts." This organization has been sponsored by the New York Public Library, started two years ago with six unions participating, the purpose of which is to give those with a hobby an opportunity to exhibit arts and crafts created during leisure time.

Last year, the following unions had displaying their handmade work: nurses, druggists, upholsterers, tailors, artists, photo engravers, sailors and maids.

"The free exhibition run for two weeks in 1954 at the Kings District League of New York. In addition to the work of the participating unions, there were pictures, paintings, sculpture, leatherwork, metalwork and ceramics."

If you have some art or craft, and would like to enter this April, 1954, exhibition, contact the executive director of the UFC, 150 Chambers Street, N.Y.C.

Fire Officer Proves Courage, Generosity

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upon backing the Association's demand for a 13 per cent pay increase for all employees, which the Association felt would further endanger the present emergency pay increments. The Federal employees need all the support they can get.

RALPH BONNEFACE
Buffalo, N. Y.

MORE TITLES

Admission to the exam for promotion to park foreman has been broadened by the NYC Civil Service Commission. The titles now are clinicer and pruner for pruners. Examiners for driving farmerson, attendant and auto-employees.

A Commission proviso states that anyone who has applied for a position in the Civil Service and receives a score and test will be held. The Commission was about to go ahead with the promotion exam as the Civil Service exam is held.

The test has been set for re- perusal of applications, but the Com- mission will let the test be opened shortly.

J. E. MARTIN Transit Police Assn.
The newly elected officers of the NYC Transit Police Benevolent Association are John J. Martin, president; James Noonan, 1st vice president; John Atkins, 2nd vice president; Edward R. Collins, executive secretary.

ORDINANCE EMPLOYEE'S IDWA WINS $125

Selma Henderson received $125 from the Efficiency Awards Program of the Department of the Army, NYC Ordinance District, for a proposal of an error-free method of reproducing documents which will save the Ordinance an estimated $4,000 during the first year of use.

TORMEY APPOINTED ASS'T. ATTORNEY GENERAL

After General Nathaniel Goldstein has announced the appointment of James C. Torney as an Assistant Attorney General at $8,500 a year, Mr. Torney will also be rated by a personal interview and an examination of his character.

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players and veterans committee has demonstrated its interest in the future of public servants in NYC. His other Council posts include chairman of the committee on housing, and member of the following committees: building, general welfare, parks and playgrounds, and rules, privileges and elections.

He is serving his second term, having been first elected in 1926. Mr. Schrecker, a member of the American Legion New York Bar Association and a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, was born and educated in NYC. Mr. Schrecker received his LL.B. degree from St. John's Law School. He is a member of the American Legion of the Bronx and a member of the American Legion of the City of New York. He is a member of the American Legion Auxiliary, the Bronx Post. The Commission was about to admit Mr. Schrecker to the Civil Service in the City of New York, and that latter admission will be made. It is further stated that this Interim will be held by the Secretary of the Civil Service in the City of New York, and that it will be held by the Secretary of the Civil Service in the City of New York.

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An in-service training course for tax collectors has been given by the State Department of Taxation and Finance. A press conference was held at the headquarters of Mrs. Hazel Ford, director of the department, to announce the course, which was held from February 1 to 3. The department, said Mrs. Ford, is offering a new course for the tax collectors who have been appointed within the past three years.

The purpose of the course was to give tax collectors additional knowledge and skills that they can use in their work. The course covered a wide range of topics, including the laws and regulations that govern the collection of taxes, the procedures for collecting taxes, and the duties of the tax collector.

In both the Albany and the New York City offices, the course was given in two parts: the first part covered the general principles of taxation, and the second part focused on the specific duties of the tax collector. The course was taught by a team of experienced tax professionals, including Abraham Blume, senior attorney, and Boris Honig, associate tax collector.

The course was well received by the participants, who said that they found the information to be helpful and relevant to their work. The success of the course has led the department to plan a similar course for tax collectors who have been appointed in the past three years.

The department is dedicated to providing its employees with the training and support they need to perform their jobs effectively. The department is currently working on a new program to help tax collectors improve their skills and knowledge, and to ensure that they are up-to-date with the latest developments in tax law and policy.

The department also encourages its employees to participate in ongoing professional development activities, such as seminars, workshops, and conferences. The department is committed to helping its employees continue to learn and grow in their careers, and to providing them with the tools they need to succeed in their work.
Of the Gowanda State Hospital Employees Federal Credit Union, and guests, at the sixteenth annual dinner meeting, were seated, from left, Victor Cohen, toastmaster; the Rev. Meri Schiffman; Mrs. Grace Peters, chairman; George Peters, president; Herbert Meyer, vice-president; Otto Kassendant, treasurer; Sheldon Brandt, supervisory committee; Clarence Markham and Warren Smith, members of the board of directors; Candace Blandon, credit committee; and Frederick Lewis, supervisory committee. George Peters and Carl Peters of the board of directors were absent when the picture was taken.

The Broadacres Christmas Party, held at the Club Mansion, Mrs. Harper was presented with bouquets to match that given her previous year.

The Broadacres Christmas Party was attended by a full membership, including the wives of members, and guests.

The January bi-monthly meeting of the Class B chapter of the CSEA was held at the Club Mansion, was well attended. Food excellence, good music, and a lot of fun were enjoyed by all.

The chapter welcomes Maude Decker, secretary; Mary Schaack, clerk; and Herbert Meyer, president. Standing, Vito J. Ferro, War­ ren Smith, George Peters and Carl Peters of the board of directors, Vito J. Ferro, Warren Smith, George Peters and Carl Peters of the board of directors were present.

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WELCOME to the following new members of the Broadacres chapter, CSEA: Mrs. Frances Drake, Jane Ledzak, Theodore Taylor, Alfred Lavender and Joie Valentin. Best wishes to William Capasso and Kenneth Chu, who have entered the School of Anesthesia. Springfield Hospital, Mass., and to Eleanor Wondro, who is awaiting a blessed event.

A message from the Cum­ mington chapter, CSEA: Mrs. Frances Seega: Examining Unit, Ida Gottleib, senior occupational therapist, to the members of the credit union.

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