Miscarriage of Justice

"Millions for nonsense but not one penny for public employees."

We refer to the fact that certain Republican leaders in the State Legislature adopt the above motto for this year, because this is just the way they have spent some of the taxpayers' money for the 1958 session.

Pet projects, vote-getting appropriations, plush legislations, padded purchasing funds — all these were written into the budget without a blush. But when it came time to consider the economic status of 80,000 State workers and their families, these legislators couldn't find a nickel anywhere.

Employees Shocked and Embittered

Despite a continued period of inflation, despite the fact that certain public employees have had no new money for years, despite proof offered by the State itself that a salary increase was in order for its workers, the session ended without so much as a word — let alone money — for public employees.

Throughout the State, workers received the bad news with bitterness and with shock. They have been told, in so many words, that for 1958 the public employee is an expendable commodity. They have had their pocket-books, their dignity and their morale trampled on and they're not going to forget it.

The lack of a pay raise has dealt a severe blow to State service. It has pushed wage levels further behind. Let's see how the State recruits now. Let's see how morale can be maintained.

The public employee is outraged and he is resentful. And no amount of pleasant words next fall is going to soothe him.

Dr. Moore First to Enroll
In Retirees' Health Plan

ALBANY, March 31 — Governor Harriman, in ceremonies at the Capitol, personally enrolled the first State employee to enroll in the new program extending the State's health insurance plans to persons who retired before the civil service pension fund became effective, December 5, 1937, the date the original plan became effective.

The Department of Civil service and about 200 retirees are also covered.

State Teachers May Now Work Until 70

ALBANY, March 31 — The State University's academic staff now may continue to teach past the age of 65, under a new ruling by the Board of Trustees.

The trustees have extended the mandatory retirement age for its teachers from 63 to 70, bringing it in line with other State agencies.

Under new rules, "members of the academic staff shall be retired without loss of benefits upon the 21st day of August next succeeding their reaching age 70."

Those wishing to retire earlier may notify the chief administrative officer of the college.

Session Ends With No Pay Raise, State Legislation And County Bills Passed

Workers Bitter At GOP Inaction

ALBANY, March 31 — Outraged and resentful public employees learned last week that they will face the future without a salary increase.

The 1958 session of the State Legislature has ended — and without any action by Republican leaders to grant a wage boost to State workers.

The Civil Service Employees Association fought back and took to the link to minute to convince GOP legislators that lack of a pay raise would thrust public employees dangerously far behind economically but their efforts fell on deaf ears.

Earlier in the session, Governor Harriman, in keeping with his promise of last year, proposed pay increases for most State employees. His proposals were struck from the budget by GOP leaders, who made no attempt to restore them in any form.

Employee reaction has been extremely bitter. No one believed until the last minute that the Republican House would refuse to face the facts and come through with a salary raise. When the session ended without even a gesture toward wages the news was received with stunned wonder, then with downright indignation. From Buffalo to New York, employee reaction has been unbridled.

The GOP, however, got even, the GO P refused to show any financial concern for State workers, especially at the end of the session.

Recent newspaper stories on payroll padding and excessive expenditures have added fuel to their reasoning on this matter.

Better Knows Elsewhere on the legislative front the Association did well, considering the apathy of the Legislature toward State service this year.

The 60-hour bill drafted by the Association and introduced by Sen. Fred Rath has been signed by Gov. Harriman and goes into effect April 1. Thus, in a 3-year period the Association was able to slice a whole day off the work week of thousands of institution and hospital employees without any decrease in salary. This has been a major achievement by the Association for these workers.

A good many other important pieces of legislation were passed. The insurable age on loans was increased from 60 to 65 years and the insurable amount from $2,000 to $3,000.

The extra death benefit has been extended.

It will be easier to pay for similar plans designed to the Retirement System.

The enrollment took place immediately after Alexander A. Talk, president of the Civil Service Commission and chairman of the Temporary State Health Insurance Board, made the program official by signing contracts with the insurance carriers, the Blue Cross Plans of New York State and the Blue Shield Plans of New York State.

In his remarks to an audience of State department heads, legislators, employee organization representatives, and others, Governor Harriman expressed his hope that similar plans designed to protect the health of older State workers would be adopted by private businesses.

Under the new State plan, which goes into effect June 3, approximately 8,300 retired employees are eligible for coverage.

Both the retirees and the State will share in the cost. Benefits included in the plan are up to 120 days of hospitalization in non-private accommodations, therapeutic and diagnostic services, including hospitalization and home hospital and surgical and industrial medical care.

Exam Study Books

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POLICE AND FIRE SOCIAL SECURITY SECURED

Governor Harriman signs certification of the police and fire referendum for social security coverage. Shows from left are William W. Cross, president of the New York State Fire Fighters Association; Comptroller Arthur C. Small; Governor Harriman;-salesman F. S. McCrever, superintendent of State Police; Louis J. Leftowits, attorney general, and Thomas McGurn, president of the New York State Police Conference.
WASHINGTON, March 21—Representative Paul A. Fino (R., N. Y.), recommended that employee organizations, particularly those sponsored by the House Ways and Means Committee, would raise recipients of old-age assistance for Federal hospitals, the problem of the entire nation, and disabled veterans. The congressman said that this would enable the Federal government to use the lottery proceeds to benefit a national organization of public employees, support his bill to authorize a national lottery. He added that the organization would be the National Lottery. The measure now pleads difficulty or impracticality, and in the meantime, to raise the money, we can't afford it. Both solutions do not do the job, and the government can afford to do many worthwhile things that it cannot do now.

Representative Fino says that a national lottery would be effective throughout the country, except in states that prohibit it. He said, 'We could yield $1 billion a year to the Federal government to support the lottery, and still employ the laws that we have now. The problem is not enough; we can't afford it.' Both solutions do not do the job, and the government can afford to do many worthwhile things that it cannot do now.

The booklet describes States' Tax Reduction One Aim.

"Workers contribute one-third of their pay to government, in the form of taxes, which is a crushing burden that must be shared," Mr. Fino said. "This is not a measure to promote gambling but is a way to legalize gambling from the tax-paying standpoint. It will help the public service. It is a way to spread the burden of the crooks and racketeers, and it reduces the hypocrisy that has been associated with the concept of gambling. People will gamble, and the government, instead of taxing it, should profit from the revenue it generates.

He made a survey that indicates that 47 percent of the adult population of the United States favors a national lottery. He adds that Paralleling their appeal for a national lottery are the finding of a recent government survey, showing that the majority of the American people favor a national lottery. He adds that the opposition is not that of the public service, but that of the public service employees.

Fino Asks Public Worker Support of Lottery Bill

Sidney M. Stern, counsel, reported to the New York City Civil Service Commission on law cases as follows:

**JUDICIAL DECISIONS**

**Appeal Division**

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The Union Raider

THE UNION RAIDER we are writing about has nothing to do with the civil war. It has to do with the tactics used by certain organizations to get members. Council 50 is a very good example of such activity in the civil war. It has a lot to do with the tactics used by certain organizations for other organizations. Council 50 is claiming the credit for the 40-hour bill which Governor Harriman has just signed into law. Council 58 had absolutely nothing to do at all with the bill.

John J. Kelly, Jr., counsel of the Civil Service Employees Association, drafted that bill and Senator Fred Roth of Onondaga county introduced it and saw it through the Legislature to the Governor's desk.

RECORD SHOWS WHAT'S WHAT

Council 50 believes in the tactics of the big lie, the same tactics that more than 1,800 physicians, nurses and other public health workers from communities throughout New York State are expected to attend the 34th annual health conference in Rochester, for four days starting June 9.

The 1953 conference is sponsored by Annual Health Conferences Inc., the New York State Public Health Association, the Association of School Physicians, the School Nurses Association and the New York State Health Department, Dr. Hilleboe said. The conference was held in Rochester in 1953.

Highlighting the conference's two general sessions, which will be held in the Rochester War Memorial Auditorium, will be a discussion on "Expanding Scope and Coverage of Accident and Health Insurance" and a symposium on "International Health."

Other subjects to be discussed at the various conference sessions include radiography, research and treatment of muscular dystrophy, environmental health problems, gastrointestinal disorders, planning and planning for long term illness, and nutrition and dental health.

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Among the recipients was the late Dr. Albert D. Kaiser, who was the Rochester's distinguished health officer for several years. Details for the annual health conference are now being completed and the full program will be announced in the near future.

Parking garages are built on Hawk, Swan and Doors streets to ease parking congestion near state offices in Albany.

The legislature's bill to create a parking authority to construct parking facilities out of the proceeds of bond sales with a substantial advance of state funds is in its final form, he said. It addresses the problem of parking facilities for state employees on Capitol Hill.

The Governor proposed three

Big Attendance Is Expected at State Health Conference

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Liebner Heads

NYC Chapter State

Max Liebner has been nominated for the office of president of the newly formed NYC Chapter of the Civil Service Employees Association, Henry Shemin, chairman of the Sidney County nominating committee announced.

He will succeed Solomon Ben- dol, who, after serving many years in the office, resigned to accept a position with a private engineering firm, the American Bridge Co.

Other nominations were Samuel little, first vice president; Edward Green, second vice president; and William J. Shields, recording secretary.

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LIEBERMAN ATTENDS CORRECTION CONFERENCE LUNCHEON

A luncheon meeting of the New York State Department of Correction Civil Service employees at the Willowcote Hotel in Albany, March 4, was attended by conference delegates and Correction Commissioner McHugh who reviewed some of the recent goals of the department, the organization of the correction system, the establishing of a conservation correction camp, the new uniforms, the 40-hour work week, and the accelerated training program. The luncheon was a part of the semi-annual meeting of the conference held in Albany March 3 and 4. Also at the meeting, Albert L. Foster of the Department of Public In-
MARCY SUPERVISION COURSE COMPLETED

Dr. H. W. Abrahamer, center, assistant hospital director, presented certificates to fifteen Marcy State Hospital employees who completed the Fundamentals of Supervision course. Dr. Abrahamer also presented an instructor's certificate to Gertrude K. Rice, supervising nurse, who conducted the course. The employees, shown here, were Mary Courtilot, David Ellis, Donald Pults, Everett Weaver, Edith Cardone, Marie Jones, Roger Erlich, Margaret Pultz, Frances Quinlon, Barbara Engel, Irene Lawless, Daris Blust, Kenneth Livingston, and Humphrey Jones. A dinner was served the graduates in "A" dining room.

ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYEES THROUGHOUT NEW YORK STATE

Ononta

The March meeting of the Oneonta chapter of the Civil Service Employees Association was held at the State Health Department Office, Oneonta.

The following election results were announced: Marion Wakin, State Health Department, president; John Brophy, State Teachers College, 1st vice president; William Rele, Homer Folks Hospital, 2nd vice president; Nellie Hardy, State Teachers College, secretary; and Rosalia Kompare, Homer Folks Hospital, treasurer. Delegates are Marion Wakin, Betty Moore, Homer Folks Hospital; Agnes Williams, Employment Office, and John Brophy.

Further plans were also announced for the annual dinner scheduled to be held at the Elks Club in Oneonta on April 12 at 8:30 P.M. Maxwell Lehman, Deputy City Administrator of New York City will be the principal speaker. West Utica's orchard has been engaged for dancing following the chicken dinner. All reservations must be in to the chairman of the ticket committee, Betty Moore, by April 8. Tickets are $2.00 and may be secured from Rosalia Kompare and Betty Moore, Homer Folks Hospital; Nellie Hardy and John Brophy, State Teachers College; Agnes Williams, Employment Office; Harry Williams and Gladys Ennis, Conservation Department, and Margaret Woods, State Health Department.

A memorial sale is planned for the latter part of May.

Mt. Morris

Dr. Henry Meyer, who underwent surgery at the Wyoming County Hospital, Warsaw, died February 28. Dr. Meyer was much loved and respected by those with whom he worked and associated. Before transferring from the chapter to go to Mrs. Meyer in her bereavement. Ida Frest, aunt of Emily Jackman and Jane Minster, died at Sranga Memorial Hospital recently.

Dr. and Mrs. James Judd and family are visiting relatives in Florida for three weeks.

Oliver Lounsbury and Ruth Burt attended the CSEA conference at Albany recently.

Leeta Peller was called to Mt. Morris, has been supervising housekeeper replacing Cora Bryant, who has retired. Alice Yowell has been appointed housekeeper.

Mrs. Laverne has been visiting her son in Washington, D.C.

Hilda Meyer has been absent several days because of a knee injury. Alice Haight has been ill with pleurisy the past week. A speedy recovery to both.

Harry and Viole Stedman have been enjoying a week's vacation. Ruth Yenner is spending her vacation with her daughter in Florida. Phylomena Marciano is spending a month with relatives in California. Alice Ace has been on a trip to Iowa. Others vacationing are Larry Cooker, Marjorie Collins, Anna Morris, Joyce Ludvig, John Passamante, Shirley Passamante, Shirley Merriman, Pinto Tewksbury, and Eise Goldthwait have been appointed to the selection committee.

The State Education Department and the Public Health Nursing Division of the Health Department conducted a tuberculin testing week at Mount Morris Hospital the week of March 16. Agnes Sullivan is driving a new Nash.

Miss Gourlay, assistant director of nurses, was on vacation during the month of February. Katherline Willon is on an extended vacation.

LABOWSKI RE-ELECTED BY POLICE PULASKI GROUP

Sergeant Michael Labowski was re-elected president of the Pulaski Association of the New York City Police Department.

Also elected were Roman Fuduszek and Walter Donach, vice president; Joseph Burichardi, executive secretary; Maretei Niebrzydowski, recording secretary; Stanley Ratta, corresponding secretary; Frank Czechowski, treasurer; Andrew Janon and Thomas Jakubowski, financial secretaries; Frank Markowski, sergeant-at-arms; Stephen Godlewski, Valentine Skala, Daniel Beoka, John Burszynski, Theodore Lukasiewicz and Walter Roskowski, trustees.

Officers will be installed at a dinner-dance Sunday night, April 25 at the Polish National Home in Massapequa.

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Two employees of Harlem Valley State Hospital received certificates from Dr. Leo L. Iselin and Ingenious. Shown at the presentation were, from left, Samuel Cohen, senior business officer; Daniel Mostachetti and Frederick Titelius, who took the course; Peter Goramone, chief pharmacist, and Paul A. Petrillo, City Employees Suggestion Program, announced.

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Promotion and transmittal of sev-
dealers in appliances and devices

Idea Awards to 22 in City

Sylvia Piatetzky, Evelyn Schwartz, and Paul A. Petrillo received the top amounts in the latest awards, William III. Roster, executive director of the New York City Employees Suggestion Program.

Cash awards totaling $465 were approved a $2,345.75 ap-

HARMON VALLEY EMPLOYEES COMPLETE COURSE

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Government frequently meets employee requests for general pay increases with the argument that government can’t afford the money. That stock argument is untenable. If the Federal government can’t afford to pay postal, classified, legislative, and judiciary employees the money they need and deserve, how can it afford a foreign aid program that costs more than the amount of underpayment?

In a recent President Eisenhower vetoed a pay increase bill on the ground that it would be inflationary. What kind of an argument was that? Federal employees have to meet the same demands of rising and peak living costs as any other employees. The first obligation of government, after payment of interest and principal on the public debt, and pension obligations, is employee salaries. Now the President could not offer even that empty argument. A little inflation might be rather welcome during a little recession.

Danger of Being Neglected

Public officials find it convenient to throw the employee salary issue as far as the background as possible. Were it not for the strenuous efforts of employees organizations, including lobbying, the whole issue no doubt would be permanently forgotten, except by the small percentage of legislators who realize that employee salaries are as important to the economic strength of their state or country as to its employees. Bills for increasing postal pay are moving. The Senate passed one, now being considered by a conference committee of Senators and Representatives. What happens to the postal bill will largely determine the results for the other Federal employees.

A Ray of Hope

The House, that has yet voted even a postal pay increase bill, has voted 366 to 22 to grant more than $688,000,000 a year increased pay to the armed forces. No rider was attached to the bill to produce the required revenue. None should have been. The crux is the obligation of government not to pay the salaries it should. The general sources of government revenue, principally taxes, must provide the amounts.

This is unfair and unjust to tack onto salary bills riders to provide the money for financing the raises, as is done in the postal pay bill that the Senate passed. The House riders would increase the rates of postage. Why should any Federal employee’s salary depend on the postage rate, even a postal employee’s pay? Why must a particular source of revenue be provided, to finance a pay increase for any employee? The postal pay bill that the Senate passed is general and primary. It is nonsense to say that government can’t afford to pay adequate salaries, it can’t afford not to pay them, sovereign though it be, any more than private industry can.

What Must Be Must Be

When government imposes a tax, the taxpayer must pay. He can not plead inability to pay. The tax is based on means to pay. When industry must pay at least minimum salaries established by law, government does not predicate compliance on ability to pay, although government itself will not hesitate to pay less than the minimum it imposes on private enterprise.

There are some considerations in which ability to pay is irrelevant; the law is obeyed, the obligation met. Employee salaries are in that class. Yet the Federal government asks its employees to back an austerity budget when the money for any other part of the expense budget. They isked for it different than those obtaining in private industry. The money for justifiable raises must be found within the broad taxing and other Income framework, the same as the money for any other part of the expense budget.

They Asked for It

Candidates knocked themselves out to get elected to the offices that carry the responsibility for raising the money necessary to run the government properly. In private industry the unions that win work with management to co-operate every penny to make both ends meet, not saying what the employees must suffer to make both ends meet.

Time to End Shirking

It is an unfair and unhealthy practice of certain unions to demand guarantees from their fellow-employees, for their own comfort and power, and shirkers of their responsibilities to their families and themselves.

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State Jobs

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or three years of college in archi-

tecture or equivalent training and ex-

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8020. ASSISTANT PLUMBING

ENGINEER, Albany, $6,140-$7,490.

Fee $6. Examination May 24. Six

months' residence in Essex county, re-

quired. (April 25)

8021. ASSISTANT DEPUTY FIRE

CLERK, Supreme Court, Queens.

Examination May 19. Eligible title:

court attendant, same department. (April 21)

COUNTY AND VILLAGE OPEN-COMPETITIVE

4830. ASSISTANT FIRE CHIEF, New-

rope, Erie county. $2,000. Fee $6.

Examination May 24. Six months' re-

idence in Erie county, required. (April 23)

4834. DEPUTY CLERK OF COURTS, Bayaus,

Lake county, Hamilton county. $1,600-$2,100. Fee $1.

Examination May 24. Six months' residence in Bayaus county required. (April 23)

4835. CHIEF LIBRARY CLERK, Erie county.

$3,360-$4,685. Fee $2. Exami-

nation May 24. Six months' residence in Erie county required. (April 23)

4836. ACCOUNT CLERK-TYPIST, West-

chester county. $2,500-$3,540. Fee $2.

Examination May 24. Six months' residence in Westchester county required. (April 23)

4837. BUSINESS OFFICE MAN-

AGER, Erie County Water Authority.

$2,490-$3,500. Fee $2. Exami-

nation May 24. Six months' residence in Erie county required. (April 23)

4838. ACCOUNT CLERK, Ramapo,

Rockland county. $3,000. Fee $2.

Examination May 24. Six months' residence in Ramapo county, Rockland county, required. (April 25)

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The following are among the open-competitive examinations New York City will open on April 8:

8317. CIVIL ENGINEERING DRAFTSMAN. $3,750-$4,300. Fee $3. Written test on June 28. Requirements: a bachelor’s degree in civil engineering, and three years’ experience in construction or a satisfactory equivalent, until further notice.

8318. ASSISTANT SIGNAL, CIRCUIT ENGINEER. $5,750-$7,100. Fee $5. Written test on June 26. Requirements: a bachelor’s degree in electrical engineering and three years’ experience in railroad or high-voltage or substation engineering work or graduation from high school or possession of equivalent diploma and seven years’ experience or satisfactory equivalent. (April 28)

8320. ASSISTANT SECRETARY. $4,250-$5,300. Fee $4. Written test on June 26. Requirements: a bachelor’s degree in business administration or a satisfactory equivalent. (April 28)

8321. CIVIL ENGINEER. $5,750-$7,100. Fee $5. Written test on June 26. Requirements: a bachelor’s degree in civil engineering and three years’ experience in construction or a satisfactory equivalent, until further notice.

8322. ASSISTANT SECRETARY, COURT CLERK. $5,750-$7,100. Fee $5. Written test on June 26. Requirements: a bachelor’s degree in business administration or a satisfactory equivalent. (April 28)

8324. DOMESTIC ENGINEER. $5,250-$6,250. Fee $5. Written test on June 26. Requirements: a bachelor’s degree in chemical engineering and three years’ experience in the control of the purification of water, or not less than a half year of chemical engineering education sufficient to make one eligible for a chemical engineer license. (April 28)

8325. N.Y.C. No. 219 OPERATOR. $6,750-$8,000. Fee $6. Written test on April 25. Requirements: sufficient training or experience as a machinist. (April 25)

8326. ENGINEER ASSISTANT, A.C. $3,250-$4,250. Fee $3. Written test on June 26. Requirements: a bachelor’s degree from high school and one year of practical experience on the job, or the equivalent of either an engineering or architecture degree or equivalent. (April 28)

8329. EUROPEANS No. 720 OPERATOR. $6,000-$7,500. Performance test in June. Requirements: an ability to efficiently operate the machine. (April 28)

8330. EXPERT PRINTWRITER. $3,500-$4,500. Fee $3. Performance-test eligible. Requirements: two years’ experience in high school graduation or equivalency certificate and one year’s experience in blueprinting. (April 28)

8331. PROMOTION. Transit Authority. $7,000-$9,000. Fee $5. Written test on June 27. Eligible title: Transit Police Officer. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. Written test weighs 50, 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. (April 28)

8332. FOREMAN (STRUCTURES-GROUP D), Transit Authority. $7,000-$9,000. Fee $5. Written test on July 11. Eligible title: Transit Police Officer. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. (April 28)

8333. CHIEF ARCHITECT. Board of Education. $10,500-$12,000. Fee $10. Written test on July 11. Eligible title: Transit Police Officer. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. (April 28)

8334. ARCHITECT. Board of Education. $10,500-$12,000. Fee $10. Written test on July 11. Eligible title: Transit Police Officer. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. (April 28)

8335. ASST. BUILDING SUPERVISOR, Harrison, Westchester county. $7,500-$10,000. Fee $7. Written test on June 27. Eligible title: Building Inspector. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. (April 28)

8336. JUNIOR ACCOUNT CLERK. Department of Tax Coordination, Westchester county. $5,700-$7,300. Fee $5. Written test on May 24. Eligible title: Junior Account Clerk. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. (April 28)

8337. INTERMEDIATE ACCOUNT CLERK. Department of Tax Coordination, Westchester county. $5,700-$7,300. Fee $5. Written test on May 24. Eligible title: Account Clerk. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. (April 28)

8338. ARTIST, ARCHITECT. $5,750-$7,490. Fee $5. Written test on June 27. Eligible title: Architect. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. (April 28)

8339. DOMESTIC ENGINEER. $5,750-$7,100. Fee $5. Written test on June 26. Requirements: a bachelor’s degree in civil engineering and three years’ experience in construction or a satisfactory equivalent, until further notice.

8340. ACCOUNT CLERK-TYPIST, New York State Education Department, Westchester county. $5,700-$7,100. Fee $5. Written test on May 24. Eligible title: Typist. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. (April 28)

8341. INTERMEDIATE ACCOUNT CLERK. New York State Education Department, Westchester county. $5,700-$7,100. Fee $5. Written test on May 24. Eligible title: Account Clerk. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. (April 28)

8342. SENIOR CLERK, Sullivan county treasurer, Westchester county. $8,500-$10,000. Fee $8. Written test on May 24. Eligible title: Clerk. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. (April 28)

8343. Assistant Resident Architect, Housing Authority, New York, $4,850-$5,290. Fee $4. Written test on May 24. Eligible titles: foreman of housing construction, housing maintenance man, or supervisor. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Professional-occupant’s license required. (April 28)

8344. Civil Engineer, Housing Authority, New York, $5,750-$7,100. Fee $5. Written test on May 24. Eligible title: Civil Engineer, same department. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Professional-occupant’s license required. (April 28)

8345. Fire Chief, Pelham Manor, Westchester county. $9,000-$11,000. Fee $9. Written test on May 24. Eligible titles: position in the competitive class in Harrison, Westchester county fire department. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. (April 28)


8347. JUNIOR ACCOUNT CLERK. Westchester county public library, with locality. $4,250-$4,900. Fee $4. Written test on May 24. Eligible title: Junior Account Clerk. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. Written test and seniority weigh 50, 70 percent required. (April 28)

8348. Fire Captain, Scarsdale, Westchester county. $6,300. Fee $6. Written test on May 24. Eligible title: Fireman, Scarsdale fire department. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. (April 28)

8349. satisfication clerk, Division of Land records, county clerk’s office, Westchester county. $3,750-$4,800. Examination May 24. Eligible titles: position in the competitive class in Westchester county clerk’s office. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. (April 28)

8350. SELECTMAN PLANNER, Westchester county. $6,300. Fee $6. Written test on May 24. Eligible title: assistant planner. Written test weighs 50; 70 percent required. (Continued on Page 13)
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ESTATE OF MARY BROWN.

The undersigned, William F. Brown, as

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State of New York, her last known home.

therein, deceased, has been administrated.

Boome, the Treasurers, do hereby publish

the Notice of the Petition of The Public

Administrator of the County of New York

and County of Richmond, New York State,

on behalf of the said MARY BROWN, for

the appointment of a Guardian for the

said MARY BROWN. All persons having

knowledge of the affairs of the said

Mary Brown, deceased, are hereby

notified to appear before the Surrogate's

Court of the County of Richmond, in the

City of Richmond, at the Court House

in that City, in and for the County of

Richmond, New York State, at the

hour of half-past ten o'clock in the

forenoon of the 1st day of May, 1959,

to show cause why the said Mary Brown,

deceased, should not be adjudged

incapable of managing her own

affairs and why a person competent

and authorized to act for her in all

matters of property be not appointed

to act for her in all matters of

property.

WITNESS WHEREOF, we have

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William F. Brown

Exec. 1

Mary Brown

Clerk of the Surrogate's Court

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The Attorney General of the State

of New York, The Public Administrator

of the County of New York, after

hearing the Petition of the

Petitioner, do hereby publish

the Notice of the Petition of The

Public Administrator of the

County of New York, for the

appointment of a Guardian for

the said Mary Brown,

deceased, to manage all of

the goods, chattels and

credits of the said

Mary Brown, deceased.

Be it known, that the petition

of The Public Administrator

of the County of New York

and County of Richmond,

New York State, on behalf

of the said Mary Brown,

deceased, for the appointment

of a guardian for the said

Mary Brown, deceased, to

manage all of the goods,

chattels and credits of the

said Mary Brown, deceased,

been granted.

WITNESS WHEREOF, we have

hereunto set our hands.

William F. Brown

Exec. 1

Mary Brown

Clerk of the Surrogate's Court
LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

(Continued from Page 6) is a minority of the civil service accountants. Most of the governmental accountants have taken a stand against the opinion of the Board of C.P.A. Examiners that their experience is equivalent to an examination.

Past experience has taught us that the negative attitude of the Board of C.P.A. Examiners toward governmental accounting experience as satisfactory equivalent causes us to believe that civil service accountants, other than certain tax examiners, eventually will be so regarded. In 1924 Governor Smith and in 1930 Governor Roosevelt vetoed bills that did not provide for immediate enrollment of Federal, state and municipal accountants. The following governmental accountants organizations oppose the present amended bills and hope that Governor Harriman will follow the precedent of his distinguished predecessors and veto the proposed bill:


In addition, veteran organizations have taken a stand against these bills.
The Society of Municipal Accountants urges all interested civil service accountants to wire and write to the Governor asking for a vote.

HYMAN MARQUIS
President, Society of Municipal Accountants.

LOTTERY IS CALLED BEST WAY TO LOWER TAXES
Editor, The Leader.

The national need is for lower taxes. The same need exists in state and local governments.

The law disallows sweepstakes here but the sweepstakes in Ireland are greatly supported by American money sent there surprisingly. People are inherent gamblers. They will always take the chance of a losing in order to make a gain. No law on earth will be able to keep them from it.

Lotteries and sweepstakes run nationally would keep our coffers full; taxes could be reduced drastically.

We would have more money to spend which in turn would create more jobs and eventually would have full employment and the time would be liberty here to raise our standards to where they belong.

The Government could be wise in letting tax societies conduct lottery sales.

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WITNESS, Honorable Joseph A. Consigliere, Judge of the Surrogate's Court of the State of New York, County of New York, and in the City of New York.

WHEREAS, REYNOLD H. CHABIN, who was a resident of the County of New York, in the City of New York, in the State and County of New York on the 8th day of April, 1955, at the Village of Mill Basin, in the County of New York, State of New York, deceased, was a resident of the County of New York, New York.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused the said instrument to be signed by us, the undersigned clerks of the Surrogate's Court of the said County and City of New York, to be recorded and registered in our office.

WITNESS, Honorable Joseph A. Consigliere, Judge of the Surrogate's Court of the said County and City of New York.

This 27th day of April, 1955.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMPANY

You are hereby cited to show cause before the Surrogate's Court of our said County and City of New York, State of New York, to show cause why the third intermediate account of Sidney R. Kent, in addition, the personal representative of the said Sidney R. Kent, deceased, who at the time of his death was a resident of the County of New York, New York, in the City of New York, New York, deceased, who at the time of his death was a resident of the County of New York, New York, in the City of New York, New York, deceased, who at the time of his death was a resident of the County of New York, New York, in the City of New York, New York, deceased, who at the time of his death was a resident of the County of New York, New York, in the City of New York, New York

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, BY THE GRACE OF GOD FREE AND INDEPENDENT, PHILIP A. DONALD
Chairman
Sent to the Secretary of State.
Looking Inside

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on the rolls (budget lines for 30,000). Union membership is split pretty evenly between two groups.

Disagreement Again

City officials would rather deal with a few leading unions than with union locals. They don’t want City Hall to run and save time and money. The organizations themselves are split on the exclusive collective bargaining proposal. Those groups that practically saturate public sector employees in the city will be recognized, with their membership, in place of the council's uncertainty. The union has an outstanding example. The police union has a similar aim. A proposal to include police in the contracts would help include them in the labor relations code, provide codified grievance rules and arbitrate rights for indeterminate or indefinable issues.

Source of Strongest Support

The groups that are keen for exclusive collective bargaining are either those exclusively representing a large particular group, or those that have a longstanding presence. Both aim to still have enough people to quality for exclusiveness through having 30 percent of the potential. No employee group that would be leaked for defeat would root for exclusive collective bargaining.

Perhaps the trouble lies not with exclusive collective bargaining at all, but with the burdens cast upon unions by the non-members. Gains are frequently general, non-members profits from them as much as co-members; there is nothing much an employee organization can do about erosion of this, so long as benefits cost too much. The gains are shared by those who contribute something to the cost. If all non-members were required to pay a service charge because the organization that has exclusive collective bargaining right must represent them, everybody else can, the retention of large numbers of members to join public employee unions would collapse. The charge would be equal to the dues that members pay, yet the exclusion of them would not be compelled to join public employee organizations would cease. 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Specialists must include progressively responsible experience in one of the following or comparable experience in the field of law, business administration, accounting, economics, marketing, industrial management or engineering; industrial, commercial, or commodity analysis or planning; directing, and coordinating the activities of a staff engaged in personnel analysis; and experience as liaison representative in industry or between industry and government whose experience is of such a nature as to show familiarity with contract negotiations or administration.

Eligibles on State and County Lists

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The table lists eligible candidates for specialist positions in various states and counties. The candidates are ranked based on their qualifications and experience, with the most qualified candidates listed first.

LETCHWORTH COURSE ATTENDED BY EXPERTS

Doctors from several State institutions attended the winter term of the Letchworth Village Graduate Course in Mental Deficiency, conducted by Howard S. V., recently. The highly qualified students in the course were Dr. Alise Atchison of Wessac, Dr. James Leboeuf of Newark, Dr. M. Pedroni of Letchworth Village, Dr. Angelo Carlucci of Craig Coloney, Dr. Robert Meidler of Willowbrook, Dr. Alexander Zawitz of Rome and the one out-of-stater, Dr. Walter Riley of Laurelton, Pennsylvania. The lectures are given by Dr. Potter and other specialists in the field and are sponsored by the Department of Mental Hygiene. According to Dr. Isaac N. Wolfe, senior director of Letchworth Village, applications for the spring term are coming from all over.

Dr. Lawrence C. Kolb, director at Psychiatric Institute, presents certificates of achievement to employees for successfully completing a course in fundamentals of supervision conducted by the Training Section of the State Department of Civil Service. Shown at left Ellen Edson of Elmwood Hospital, Florence Montefusco, Patrick Farrell, Nina Allison, Ruby Donovan and Stewart Martin, who took the course; Wina Gaway, nursing supervisor who conducted the course, and Dr. Kolb. Absent were Jane Bowser and Alice Trei.

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  - Auto Mechanic: $3.00
  - Auto Mechanic Helper: $3.00
  - Asst. Foreman: $3.00
  - Asst. Train Dispatcher: $3.00
  - Bookkeeper: $3.00
  - Bridge & Toll Officer: $3.00
  - Cabinetmaker: $3.00
  - Electrician: $3.00
  - Elevator Operator: $3.00
  - Federal Service Entrance Exam Prep: $3.00
  - Telephone Operator: $3.00
  - Police: $3.00
  - Fire: $3.00
  - Fireman: $3.00
  - Fireman (F.D.) $3.00
  - Jr. Attorney: $3.00
  - Jr. Accountant: $3.00
  - Jr. Engineer: $3.00
  - Janitor: $3.00
  - Restaurant: $3.00
  - Street Cleaner: $3.00
  - Street Cleaner Helper: $3.00
  - Typist (GS 1-7): $3.00
  - Civil Service Coaching: $1.00

**Exams**

- **Examination Tests**
  - Entrance Tests: $2.00
  - Employment Interview: $3.00
  - Dietitian: $3.00
  - Employment Interviewer: $3.00
  - Chemist: $3.00
  - Housing Officer: $3.00
  - Fireman Tests: In all
  - Correction Officer: $3.00
  - Clerk, GS 1-4: $3.00
  - Civil Engineer: $3.00
  - Auto Engineer: $3.00
  - Home Study Course: $3.00
  - How to Study Post Office Schemes: $1.00
  - How to Pass College Entrance Tests: $3.00
  - Jr. Attorney: $3.00
  - Jr. Accountant: $3.00
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**Military**

- **Military Entrance Tests**
  - Military Entrance (1st Class): $3.00
  - Military Entrance (2nd Class): $3.00
  - Military Entrance (3rd Class): $3.00
  - Military Entrance (4th Class): $3.00

**Insurance**

- **Insurance Agent:**
  - Salesman: $3.00
  - Foreman: $3.00

**Home Study**

- **Home Study Course**
  - Health: $3.00
  - Home Study Course for the Civil Service: $3.00

**Railroads**

- **Railroad Clerk:**
  - Postmaster: $3.00
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As a retired State employee you are very interested in the plan that is going to cover retired workers. Is there anything you would like to know that is available that tells what the insurance will provide?

The plan will supply the same benefits as those provided to active employees under Parts I and II of the State Health Insurance plans by the Blue Cross and Blue Shield organizations. These include benefits for all hospital diagnostic and therapeutic services for us to 120 days in semi-private accommodations in private and in-hospital medical care. Only former State employees with at least five years State service who retired before December 5, 1957, will be eligible to participate in the plan.

I retired from State service three years ago after 25 years service. I would like to enroll in the health insurance plan for retired State workers that was just announced. What should I do now?

Corporation queries, answers

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Health insurance plans for employees, legislation effectuating this program, and the importance to county workers.

Another major piece of legislation permits political subdivisions to pay employees for accumulated overtime and unused vacations on separation from public service.

Still another bill permits employees to set up merit award programs.

State workers are able to enroll in the new plan of the health insurance program under Part I of the State retirement system. If you decide to do so.

A question was given in Article I, Section 5 of the various county laws, namely: Is it possible to eliminate of very important existing benefits such as, for example, the coverage of tuberculosis, mental and nervous diseases.

ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYEES IN STATE

Manhattan State

The Chapter is conducting a Blood donor program in co-operation with the American Red Cross. Any employee may volunteer either as a donor, and donate a pint of blood, if in good general health, for the annual sales of 18 and 19. Your contribution to this program will be credited to the employees of the hospitals who may be used for them and the members of your family.

During the morning will be Donor Day, when we have built up a good credit balance. We will have a special extension of 48, and arrange for their appointments. These extensions are over 150 employees who are unable to come in some cases, donors have given their blood for the third time. Support this program; it is vital to you and me.

A training class for New York State Board members, in the handling of equipment, etc., will be held at Manhattan State Hospital on the new Medical-Surgical nursing program, sponsored by the Public Health Service of the Federal Government. The new student nurses will be taught to care for patients, and the wards and food service requirements at the new Gracie Building, the Verplanck, Institute for the Aged, the Creedmoor State Hospital, the Gracie and the Creedmoor State Hospitals.

The new Medical-Surgical nursing program is being conducted at the Creedmoor and the Creedmoor State Hospitals.

SUNDAY, APRIL 15, 1956

A surprise baby shower was given by Rockland State Hospital employees to Mrs. John Waller, mother of the Payroll Department at Land's Riverside Inn, Pearl River, in memory of the late Mrs. William Land. Mrs. Land was a retired employee of the State Health Insurance Plan. Mrs. Land's daughter, Mrs. Helen Waller, was present, along with the Hospital staff and many friends.

The shower was well attended, and the guests enjoyed refreshments and gifts. The baby shower concluded with a luncheon at the Riverside Inn, where the guests were entertained with a program of music and poetry.

The baby shower was a wonderful way to celebrate the birth of a new baby and to honor Mrs. Waller for her many years of service to the Hospital.