CSEA Asks Open Enrollment For Health Program

ALBANY — The Civil Service Employees Assn. has asked Governor Rockefeller to grant active and retired State employees a 30-day open enrollment period in the State's health insurance program.

CSEA urged reopening of the program in calling upon the Governor to establish a general policy to insure fullest benefits to employees of newly-enacted CSEA-sponsored legislation which provides non-contributory individual coverage beginning June 1, and assumption by the State of 30 per cent of dependent coverage next January.

The Employees Association asked that the policy provide—in addition to an open enrollment period of 30 days for active and retired employees—that:

- Applicants be accepted regardless of whether or not they had ever previously applied— and regardless of rejection of any previous application.
- Present subscription be allowed to change from individual to family coverage, and vice versa.
and retirement benefits on the State level there were important overtime payments, shift advances made in other areas. New York City's Patrolmen's Benevolent Assn. led the way in

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crease to 50 percent of the State's budget. Under a measure approved by Governor Rockefeller only last week, police officers throughout the state will be allowed to work 12 hours per week, providing the

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There were other, minor bills that could not make it through. One of the most important victories won by civil service officials would be to strip the Legislature of the right to mandate improved salary and working conditions in political subdivisions if evidence showed such improvements were necessary to provide the public with adequate service.

The New York State Teachers' Assn. Civil Service Employees Assn., the League of Women Voters and Mayor John V. Lindsay were among the many who fought the bill vigorously. There was one angle of merit to the Green proposal, however, and that is that it served to alert civil service even more to the fact that this same battle will be fought out in the current rewriting of the State Constitution. In the meantime, the Legislature approved of the Governor's multi-billion dollar transportation and highway bond program which must be approved by voters in the Fall — could cause considerable the need to call for new State taxes next year. And Governor Rockefeller has already hinted to the Employees Association that failure to pass the State salary increases this year would be remedied in the next session of the Legislature. It was not one of the great legislatures for public employees, but certainly was not one of the worst.

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**Brentwood Unit Wins $5 Benefits**

(From Leader Correspondent)

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In the official reply, Daniel Krupak, administrative director of O.G.S., said his agency had received a "sum of $1,800,000 to the regular budget to air-condition 80 Centre Street. This was approved by the Governor and submitted to the Legislature in the existing budget.

It was reported at this point, however, Krupak pointed out, and again upon being recommitted in the Senate, the action.

A CSEA spokesman attributed the optimistic rumor in part, as a misapprehension of State employees union claiming full credit for an added final clause, and that the clause was added at the Centre Street offices.

"Spreading this erroneous impression up to 100,000 people, the organizers, and down was the strike," the speaker said. He termed the incident typified of the union work policy, "in which the end always seems to justify the means."

Other items on the meeting's agenda included discussion of special promotions for public employees at the Pines, S. Fallsburg in cooperation with the Southern and Central New York State Civil Service Employees' Assn. John D. Corcoran Jr., official negotiator, and Jack Pender, president of the State Civil Service Employees Assn., and representatives of the chapter in attendance will vote on its membership and have over the years represented all State employees in negotiations with the Governor and Budget Director, CSEA pointed out that it was no longer affecting State employees, including wages, hours and working conditions, to be bargaining for public employees in the State.

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Sunday, May 14
6:00 p.m.—Human Rights Forum—Board Boro, moderate discussion.

Monday, May 15
6:00 p.m.—Around the Clock—N.Y.C. Police Department training program.
7:30 p.m.—Profile—Paul Manchesher interviews people in the news.
8:00 p.m.—Behind the News—On the Job—N.Y.C. Police Department training program.
9:30 p.m.—On the Job—N.Y.C. Police Department training program.

Tuesday, May 16
4:30 p.m.—Profile (live)—Ted Thackrey moderates program.

Wednesday, May 17
4:30 p.m.—Profile (live)—Paul Manchesher interviews people in the news.
5:00 p.m.—On the Job—N.Y.C. Police Department training program.
7:00 p.m.—Community Action—Ted Thackrey moderates program.

CITY

NEW YORK CITY—The applications Section of the New York City Department of Personnel is located at 40 Thomas St., New York, N.Y. 10013. It is three blocks north of City Hall, one block west of Broadway.

Applications: Filing Period—Applications issued and received Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., except Thursday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

Application blanks are obtainable free either by the applicant in person or by his representative at the Application Section of the Department of Personnel at 49 Thomas St., New York, N.Y. 10011. Telephone: 266-8720.

Mailed requests for application blanks must include a stamped, self-addressed business-size envelope and must be received by the Personnel Department at least five days before the closing date for the filing of applications.

Completed application forms which are filed by mail must be sent to the Personnel Department and must be postmarked no later than the last day of filing or as stated elsewhere in the examination announcement.

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STATE

STATE—Room 1100 at 270 Broadway, New York 7, N.Y., telephone 267-1016, Governor: Alfred E. Smith State Office Building and the State Campus, Albany; Room 606, Genesee Building 1 West Genesee St.; State Office Building, Rochester, (Wednesday only).

Candidates may obtain applications for State jobs from local offices of the New York State Employment Service.

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FEDERAL—Second U.S. Civil Service Register Office, News Building, 220 West 42nd Street (at 2nd Ave.), New York 1, N.Y., just west of the United Nations building. Take the BMT Lexington Avenue Line to Grand Central and walk two blocks east, or take the shuttle from Times Square to Grand Central or the BMT Crown-Finishing沙tram and get on the 4th Ave line to the Grand Central station.

Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday. Also open Saturdays 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Telephone 773-4101.

Applications are also obtainable at main post office except the New York, N.Y. Pos Office. Boards of examiners at the particular installations offering the tests also may be supplied to further information and application forms. No return envelopes are required with mailed request for application forms.
More than 3,000 of the Nation's mailmen and supporters gathered in Washington last week to appeal to Congress for a substantial pay raise.

Many labor leaders and groups will appeal for a three-day session with headquarterers at the Statler Hilton Hotel.

At a recent hearing on the measure which would bring about an increase of one grade for all postmen below the letter grade, salary grade is gaining strong support in Congress.

Air Force Jobs

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Full information with instructions on how to apply may be obtained from the nearest post office, at Civil Service Offices, Boards of U.S. Civil Service Examiners, and at the Board of U.S. Civil Service Examiners, Dobbins Air Force Base, Georgia 30060.

Sanitary Engineers Needed by State at $13,500 To Start

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Basic minimum qualifications include a bachelor's degree in engineering and completion of a professional engineer's license. The qualifying experience ranges from four to 10 years for various specialties.

For further information and applications on this post, contact the New York State Department of Health, Office of Water Pollution Control, recruitment unit 440, The State Capitol, Albany, New York 12222 or any of the local offices of the Department in New York City.

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The list includes the following names:


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Case Worker I,
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First Negro Trainmaster Promoted By T.A.

Thomas D. Stewart, Jr., a 46-year old New York City Transit Authority train dispatcher, recently became the first Negro to attain the rank of trainmaster in any railroad system in America.

Stewart, who has been a transit worker for 21 years, reached the division management level by passing civil service examinations. He started in 1946 as a conductor. In 1961 he was promoted to motorman and ten years later to train dispatcher. As a freshman trainmaster he will be paid $11,000 a year.

His new post carries with it responsibilities for the proper and safe operation of trains under his jurisdiction. He will supervise trainmasters, assistant dispatchers, signal workers, assistant dispatchers, signal workers, and train dispatchers.

NEW JOB — Thomas D. Stewart, Jr., the first Negro trainmaster on an American railroad, sits at his desk at the Transit Authority headquarters in Brooklyn.

The New York City Rapid Transit System contains 720 miles of track along 237 miles of route serving 481 stations. Stewart is presently assigned to the BMT division. He is one of four trainmasters who during their eight-hour tour, are responsible for the operation of trains on the BMT's 7,614 miles of route. Born January 22, 1921, in Orangeburg, South Carolina, Stewart came to New York in 1946. He makes his home in the Washington Heights section of Manhattan with his wife Sara and a daughter Diana, 22. Two other children, Thomas, III, 24, and Cheryl, 20, are married.

Summer Jobs For Psychologists

The Board of Education, Bureau of Child Guidance, 116 West 30th St., N.Y. 10001, has announced that there are positions open for qualified psychologists in the 1967 Summer Preschool Child Development Program.

Qualifications include one year (300 hrs) paid and supervised experience as a clinical or school psychologist, plus纽约 certification as a school psychologist, or the Ph.D. or other acceptable doctorate in psychology, or an MA in psychology with a minimum of 48 approved graduate credits in psychology and education. Send applications to Donald J. Granit, at the Bureau.

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Nassau Recruiting

For details about the exam, you may consult the Civil Service Commission at the County Center in Mineola until May 24.

Pension Benefits

The Pension Benefits Section of the Civil Service Commission has been established to provide information about retirement benefits. The section is located at the County Center in Mineola and is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The section provides information on retirement benefits, including pension eligibility, contribution amounts, and retirement benefits available to employees.

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For more information, contact the Pension Benefits Section at the County Center in Mineola at 516-785-4900.
File Through May 15 For Ten State Tests

Less than one week remains in which to file for ten open competitive examinations offered by the New York State Department of Civil Service. May 15 is the filing deadline for this exam series which is to include the following ten exams:

- Hospital administrative consultant, exam number 21-466, $15,825 to $16,500.
- *Senior* mathematician, exam number 21-371, $10,390 to $10,930.
- Medical records librarian, exam number 21-360, $5,615 to $6,895.
- Senior meteorologist, exam number 21-423, $5,555 to $12,125.
- Nutritionist, exam number 21-273, $6,675 to $8,335.
- Associate nutritionist, exam number 21-267, $10,530 to $12,420.
- *Sealer* nutriitionist, exam number 21-281, $8,585 to $10,135.

**Governor Inaugurates State Center**

ALBANY — When Governor Rockefeller officially cut the ribbon opening the new State Records Center at the State Campus here, he called it: "the most modern and best equipped of any existing State record facility of its kind.”

The ten exams follow. The full list of exams, with their requirements and qualifications, is available at the New York State Education Department, Division of Career and Adult Education.

**Intensive Teacher Training Program**

An Intensive Teacher Training Program to help housewives and college graduates prepare for teaching jobs in the public schools will be given this summer. Conducted by the Board of Education and New York University, it is planned to provide 250 teachers. For detailed information write to Joseph A. Mandina, project director, room 612, Board of Education, 1100 Livingston St., Brooklyn 11201.

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Oyster Bay Unit Protests Reclassification Study

OYSTER BAY—The Town of Oyster Bay Civil Service Employees Assn., has protested a new reclassification study being conducted by the Nassau County Civil Service Commission for county's three townships.

Mrs. Beatrice Jeanson, unit president, said more than 1,100 employees are being subjected to three reclassification studies ordered by the town finance reclassification study last year, but that the titles have been changed.

The study was ordered because of many changes in job functions brought about by the formation of the new suburban Town Law, according to Mrs. Jeanson.

The study was brought about by time and adoption of the Suburban Town Law.

“Mrs. Jeanson countered. "As far as Mrs. Leonard countered. "As far as the study is concerned, they’re safest with us."

Takings Law, the Employees Association sought recognition as collective bargaining agent for Thruway employees, at a meeting last week with the Authority's chairman, B. Burtlevsky.

Newly-adopted improvements won by CSEA for State workers—non-contributory health insurance, a procedure to provide salary differentials based on area economic variations—were also noted.

CSEA also served notice on the Authority to cease its efforts to press for higher grades for office and clerical workers. On its part, the Thruway agreed to pursue its study of the matter and requested that the Employees Association confine its comments to matters of additional material to substantiate the realizations.

The committee, by the Employees Association, requested an effective date of January 1, 1967, for the new Thruway passes for retired employees.

In response to other matters on the meetings' agenda, the Authority:

• Will meet with Joseph C. Zaccagni, chairman of the executive council, to set into motion CSEA's Safe Driving Program.
• Announced that a personnel officer will be available in each division.
• Will take immediate action to instruct supervisors to post toll collectors' names at all stations occupied by the collectors, except for Thruway passes for retired employees.
• Will make available to each chapter president, upon request to be made no later than May 10, a sample form usable for any toll station within the division.

CSEA representatives Bill Bedek, at the meeting included Vito D'Amico, Martin J. Demezich, Jack Conway, first vice-president of Watervil, committee members; William Nolan, committee consultant; Thaddeus W. Worst, first vice-president of the CSEA and from CSEA headquarters Joseph D. Lechler, executive director; Selita Towse, assistant counsel; and Thomas J. Luposelo, association president, mandated.

Representing the Thruway Authority, in addition to Bixby, John A. Teleser, director; William E. Tinner, director of administrative services; L. A. Seidm, director; Walram S. Brown, director of toll collection; Conrad H. Gilleo, assistant attorney; William, assistant chief engineer; and Edmond E. Bevan, assistant director of toll collection.

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particularly those in the lower financial bracket.

Among the other improved benefits are those provided by new law, which:

• Extend for another year—Dec. 31, 1965—the privilege granted retired persons to continue in service, and earn up to $1,500 a year and still qualify for supplemental retirement allowance.

• Increase the ceiling on public employees' pensions for members of income retirement, to the current law, they can earn $1,500 or, in the case of those receiving a difference between their allowance and $2,500. Under the old law they could earn only $1,000.

• Adds another year—April 1, 1968—of the non-contributory retirement plan for members of both the State employees' and the Police and Firemen's Systems.

Mitchell Is President Of Watertown CSEA

Francis J. Mitchell, has been elected president of the Watertown chapter of the Civil Service Employees Association, succeeding Charles J. Wallworth.

Mitchell, an electrician for the Watertown Police Department since 1960, was advanced to the membership of the State's first vice president. He was succeeded as first vice president by William F. Dunn. The new vice president is Nicholas N. Smith.

The annual meeting was held on May 10, at the annual meeting at Gracie's Baseball Restaurant where: Mrs. Dorothy Reville, president of Watertown chapter in the fall season dance at the Valley River Inn, "Manseville."
Civilian Sailor Cited For Daring Rescue of English Worker

CRAIG COLONY NURSING SCHOOL FALL CLASS OPEN

Dr. Vincent I. Bonafede, Director of Craig Colony School and Hospital, advises that the School of Nursing is still accepting applications for the fall course.

The school, which has been in operation since 1897, offers a three year program leading to a diploma and eligibility to take the State licensing examination for a registered professional nurse.

Under a coordinated plan, first year students are enrolled at the State University College, Geneseo, for the first semester; and then transfer to finish the remaining two years of their program at Mount Morris Tuberculosis Hospital, East Aurora, New York. The third year, in addition to offering experience and instruction at Craig Colony School and Hospital, includes four weeks affiliation in tuberculosis nursing at Mount Morris Tuberculosis Hospital, eight weeks of psychiatric nursing at Rochester State Hospital, and a two week course at Cattaraugus County Tuberculosis Sanitarium. Each student must graduate from an accredited high school in a program which included a minimum of ten years of education.

The second year, consisting of 48 weeks, includes four weeks of affiliation in tuberculosis nursing at Mount Morris Tuberculosis Hospital, eight weeks of psychiatric nursing at Rochester State Hospital, and eight weeks of general nursing in the Cattaraugus County Tuberculosis Sanitarium. Each student must have graduated from an accredited high school in a program which included at least one year of education.

The third year, consisting of 52 weeks, includes two weeks of psychiatric nursing at Cattaraugus County Tuberculosis Sanitarium, four weeks of psychiatric nursing at Cattaraugus County Tuberculosis Sanitarium, and four weeks of psychiatric nursing at Mount Morris Tuberculosis Hospital. Each student must have graduated from an accredited high school in a program which included at least one year of education and a second academic year. The third year is considered an academic year.

Craig Colony School of Nursing has been recognized by the State Department of Health for four years. The school is under the supervision of the New York State Department of Education. The school is under the supervision of the New York State Department of Education.

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Another CSEA Unit Named Exclusively

COMMACK — The Commack school non-teaching unit, Employees Assn., has rejected new negotiations and called for a new round of negotiations.

The offer was rejected because it failed to recognize CSEA demands for implementation of the settlement agreement.

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Martha McConchie Nominated By Chapter

WINCADI — Martha R. McConchie has been nominated by the Harlem Valley Chapter, Civil Service Employees Assn., for the presidency of the chapter.

Martha McConchie was nominated by the chapter's executive board and the nomination was presented to the chapter for ratification.

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Henry M. Morris Named to Traffic Safety Group

ALBANY — Henry M. Morris, a 22-year veteran able seaman, was named to the Traffic Safety Group at the State conventions.

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Final Bill Action

By Gov. Rockefeller

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allowances of their respective officers and employees paid directly or indirectly in whole or in part from public, town or village funds.

"In 1965 I disapproved a similar bill, Senate Bill 4999, the Senate Fiscal Bill. Introductory Number 4826, Print Number 4973, and for the reasons then stated (1965 General Memorandum Number 490), in addition to the reasons set forth in this memorandum, shall be disapproved.

"The Mayor of the City of New York is currently urging disapproval, has written to me as follows:

"Presently, the Mayor of the City of New York together with the local legislative body has the power to fix compensation, wages etc., and this measure would undermine that right in the local legislative body.

"This bill was intended to provide for the retirement of employees from mandating salaries and from fixing hours of work, vacations etc., the laborer was intended to take from the Mayor of the City of New York any power he presently has under the New York City Charter. However, it was drawn in such a manner as to adversely affect the City of New York in violation of the City Charter. The Board of Health (inclusion in the bills has written to me as follows:

"The extremely broad language clearly includes teachers in cities where the school district is not financially autonomous. Even teachers in fatally autonomous city school districts may be subject to the language of the bill if the city is sufficiently broad and the courts have held on occasion that a fiscally autonomous school district is a City department.

"The granting of power over teachers' salaries and working conditions to the legislative body of each city is clearly in conflict with the provisions of Sessions 2532 and 2530 of the Education Law with respect to management and control of educational affairs in city school districts with the Board of Education.

CSEA Protest

"Moreover, in recommending disapproval of this bill, the Civil Service Employees has written to me as follows:

"Several of the topics treated in our Brooks and Thacher report are subject of litigation. Therefore, executive approval of this bill would describe the courts of jurisdiction over those cases presently pending before them.

"In the light of the claim of the City of New York, in recommending disapproval, has pointed out that the bills have existing safeguards for both municipal employees and voters under Sections 23 and 24 of the Municipal Home Rule Law.

"It is important to note that the bill would also deprive City boards of estimate and apportionment of their significant statutory powers with respect to City officers and employees under Section 74 of the Second Class Cities Law.

Relation to Legislature

"This bill contains a very interesting concept, the inclusion in the statute of Local Governments of a grant of specific power to local governments to establish employee compensation and terms and conditions of employment. As a result, under the State Constitution, any legislation enacted at the State level which would diminish or impair such local power would require passage by the Legislature and approval by the Governor at two successive sessions of the Legislature. This would give local governments an opportunity to take appropriate action at the local level and, in many instances, make the second passage of State legislation unnecessary.

"I strongly recommend that this subject be carefully studied by the Constitutional Convention as part of its total review of the relationship between State and local governments. I believe, however, that the Convention should not preclude the opportunity for participation by the local chief executive or by the voters in a referendum, as would be precluded by the bill before me. Accordingly, I am constrained to withhold my approval of this bill.

"Disapproval is also recommended by the Department of Social Welfare, the Department of Civil Service, the Board of Parole, the State Administrator of the Judicial Conference, the Board of Higher Education of the City of New York, the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Labor and Industry, the League of Women Voters of New York State, the Community Service Society, the Conference of New York, and the Patrons Benevolent Association of the City of New York, the International Association of Fire Fighters, the New York State Fire Fighters Association and numerous others.

The bill is disapproved.

Other Bills Signed

Other civil service legislation approved last week by the Governor includes:

1. A bill permitting retired public employees to work for a public employer without losing any pension payments, provided the employee was not the same workman prior to retirement.

2. The measure which revises eligibility for veterans' credits in civil service examinations and re- tenion in abolished positions, to include service in hostilities from Jan 1, 1963 to July 1, 1968.

Vetoes

The Governor last week vetoed civil service-related bills that would have:

1. Increased from three to four per cent the permanent rate of regular interest on contributions of the State Employees Retirement System.

2. Provided an additional pension of 1/60th of final average salary for each year of service in excess of 25 years for State police and regional State park police.

3. Given all members of the State Employees Retirement System special interest on their contributions at a rate equal to the average rate of compensation of the system.


5. Permitted members of the special 25-year retirement plan for correction officers, who are promoted to other specified positions in correctional institutions, to continue in the special 25-year plan.

6. Terminated membership in

32 Winners Nominated in Annual Competition For Psychiatric Aide Of Year

The winners in the annual "Psychiatric Aide of the Year" competition have been announced by the New York State Asm., for Mental Health.

The awards will be presented at ceremonies scheduled to be held at each institution where the awards are being made. There is one award made in each facility with an optional honorable mention citation permitted.

The 1967 winners are:

Brox County — Bronx State Hospital, Janina R. Oyarzun.
Kings County — Brooklyn State Hospital, Mrs. Kathleen Barten.
Bronx County — Binghamton State Hospital, Mrs. Jeanne Ter
coon.
Dutchess County — Harlem State Hospital, John Mellett.
 Erie County — Buffalo State Hospital, Mrs. Madelina Kambal and Gavanda State School Charlie Underwood.
Livingston County — Craig Col- yer School and Hospital, Louise Harman; Mrs. Mary Randazzo, "Honorable Mention."
Monroe County — Beecher State Hospital, Donald D. Sayer, New York County — Manhattan Psychiatric Center, Charles Pasztor.
New York City — New York City Police Department, Charles Fagan; New York City — Veterans' Administration, James Lora Redepenig; and the New York Psychiatric Institute, Calvin Taborine.
Onondaga County — Onondaga County Psychiatric Hospital, Mrs. Gret
ta Marion and Syracuse State School, Mrs. Barbara Ray
eck.
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The Veterans Administration, James B. Schafer

New York State — Middlesex State Hospital, Mrs. Otti Brewer.
Queens County — Creedmore State Hospital, Mrs. Nettie Bragman.
Richmond County — Willowbrook State School, Martin E. Bricker.
Suffolk County — Leichwright Village, Mrs. Rosalie Booker; and Rockland State Hospital, Ray G. Williams.
St. Lawrence County, St. Lawrence State Hospital, Mrs. Margaret Carfagno.
Schenectady County, William State Hospital, Mrs. Irma Moore.

Civil Service

Suffolk County — Kings Park State Hospital, Robert E. Craig.
Central Islip State Hospital, Mrs. Helen H. Bicknell.
Empire State, Mrs. Theresa Gerera; and McLeansport Veterans' Administration Hospital, Albert P. Blasco.
Wayne County — New York State School, Peter Lombardi.

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"The Arguments

In a separate supporting statement, submitted by the Committee of Attorneys who initiated the appeal, it is maintained that:

1. There has been a rise in outside salaries at a more rapid rate than to higher levels than is attributable to the general rise in wages and salaries.

2. Such rise is due to an imbalance between supply and de
cument.

3. The State has recognized these conditions and has taken remedial action with respect to state employees, (such as hearing officers).

4. The State has unreasonably neglected to take appropriate action with respect to the other legal positions, (such as members of the legislature).

5. The suggested remedial action is reasonable and appropria
tions to the determination of the matters in controversy.

The appeals in the appeal are Anthony Caglione, Arthur B. Chiaro, John P. John and John C. Perkinson.

CIVIL SERVICE LEADER

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