

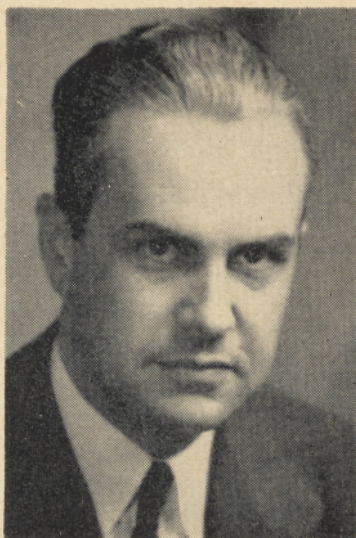
Meet Our State Civil Service Director

William G. Coleman was born in Callao, Mo. He attended the University of Missouri, where in 1937 he took his B.S. degree in Public Administration. In 1939 he received his M.A. in Political Science, also at the University of Missouri. He did further graduate work in Political Science at the University of Chicago in 1939-1940.

Mr. Coleman was Merit System Supervisor in State Government of Missouri in 1940-1941 and directed the installation of a Merit System of Personnel Administration in the department of Public Health, Welfare and Employment Security.

In 1941-1942 he was Merit System Supervisor in the State of Louisiana.

From 1942 to 1946 Mr. Coleman was an officer in the U.S. Naval Reserve, performing personnel work in connection with the classification and assignment of enlisted personnel. He was released from duty on March 5, 1946 as Lieutenant USNR and reported for duty as Oregon's Civil Service Director on March 8, 1946.



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Mr. Coleman has a splendid background for the work in which he is engaged. He has a pleasing personality and an intense interest in his work. We wish him every success.

Senator Wayne Morse Predicts More Organization

Lack of organization has caused the nation's white collar workers to suffer more than any other group in the lower pay brackets, Sen. Wayne Morse (R. Ore.) said.

Speaking at the first annual convention of the Office Employees International Union (AFL), the Oregon senator said he believed organization of office workers would spread in the near future to several millions "who today do not share any equality of collective

bargaining benefits with industrial workers."

Considering what he termed standard of living legislation pending before congress, Morse said "the same reactionary forces which have all along fought the organizing of white collar workers and workers generally are again opposing a minimum standard of living for low-paid workers which the pending 65 cent minimum wage bill seeks to provide."