

after the completion of six months of satisfactory service.

Referred to the laws and legislation committee for inclusion in the legislative program the matter of charging vacation time as earned.

Approved a recommendation by the director of civil service for the appointment of a committee to advise and assist the civil service staff in the new pay survey soon to get underway.

Considered three recommendations proposed by director of membership.

(1) That serious consideration be given to opening the entire insurance program to all state employes and to study the effect it would have on membership.

(2) To study the advisability of establishing uniform dues within the chapter.

(3) To consider making the various chapters responsible for payment of a year's dues for every member who is on their records as of December 31 of any year unless within 30 days or a given time the executive officer is notified that such members are no longer with the organization.

Voted to reclassify the position of assistant executive secretary to personnel assistant II as of June 1, 1950.

Instructed the executive secretary to hire a part-time clerk stenographer I on half-time to supplement the force of the executive office and that Miss Brimacombe continue to draw her \$5 a month for the work she is doing in connection with applications for OPS.

Instructed executive secretary to purchase a typewriter to replace the one stolen during a recent robbery in the headquarters office.

Considered the advisability of amending Section 10, Paragraph 5, of the Civil Service Law re principal assistants and private secretaries of

elected officials. No action taken on this item.

Deferred action on social security amendment by board of directors until such time as sufficient information can be secured from all sources to enable the board to prepare a recommendation for submission to the general membership.

Voted necessary funds to permit the executive secretary, the assistant secretary, and administrative secretary to attend the 1950 Western Regional Civil Service Assembly conference in Portland, June 5-7.

Appointed Mr. Bamford chairman of a committee to make all arrangements and preparations for the coming conference of the general council.

Considered the matter of initiation fees for veterans. No action taken.

Instructed the executive secretary to secure proper theft insurance on equipment in the headquarters office.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 7:45 p. m.

No man really becomes a fool until he stops asking questions.—Charles P. Steinmetz.



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