

Sacramento, California,

March 4, 1930.

The Civil Service Board of the City of Sacramento met in special session on the above date at 7:15 o'clock P. M., President Chenu presiding.

PRESENT: Commissioners Maloney, Weisman, and Chenu.

ABSENT : None.

The minutes of the special meeting of February 27, 1930, were read and approved as read.

Mr. Hageman and Mr. Hatfield appeared before the Board and announced that they were present in behalf of Mr. G. Ward, a Steam Roller Operator in the Street Maintenance Division. Mr. Ward was also present. They asked to be heard with reference to the request contained in the communication directed to the Board by Mr. Blood February 27, 1930, upon authority of Mr. B. C. Clark, the City Engineer. The Board inquired as to whether Mr. Hageman was appearing before the Board upon the authority of his department head. The Board then discussed the request of the Engineering Department asking that Mr. Ward be placed on a salary basis of \$190 per month, with a suitable classification, instead of the present rate of \$10.00 per day. After giving consideration to the statements made by those appearing before the Board and making a survey of the possible benefit that might accrue to the city from a new arrangement for this position, the Board, upon motion by Commissioner Weisman, seconded by Commissioner Maloney and unanimously carried, found that the position held by Mr. Ward if classified as Steam and Gas Roller Operator at a salary of \$190.00 per month would be correct and instructed the Secretary to transmit the findings of the Board in this case to the City Council for their action.

Upon motion by Commissioner Weisman, seconded by Commissioner Maloney and unanimously carried, the Board determined that it would be in order to hold an election of officers for the Civil Service Board. Thereupon President Chenu announced that nominations were in order. Commissioner Weisman placed in nomination Commissioner Chenu for the office of President, and this nomination was seconded by Commissioner Maloney. Nominations were thereupon closed by the same mover and second and the Secretary was instructed to cast unanimous ballot in favor of Commissioner Chenu for President. Comm. Weisman spoke briefly concerning the progress made by the Civil Service Board in the past under Commissioner Chenu's term of office. Commissioner Chenu replied to Commissioner Weisman's remarks and thanked the Board for their expression of confidence.

Commissioner Maloney was placed in nomination for Vice-President by Commissioner Weisman. Commissioner Maloney declined the nomination upon the grounds that his appointment to the Board had just occurred. Commissioner Weisman was placed in nomination by Commissioner Maloney and this nomination was seconded by Commissioner Chenu. Nominations were thereupon closed by the same mover and second, and the Secretary was instructed to cast unanimous ballot in favor of Commissioner Weisman for Vice-President.

The Board next proceeded with the Personal Fitness Test for Engineer in the Fire Department and thirteen candidates appeared before the Board for the oral examination. The following eligible list was established to become effective March 20, 1930:

ENGINEER - FIRE DEPARTMENT

1.	Birch, George H.	92.81 %
2.	Ambrose, George A.	91.32
3.	Cecchettini, Andrew J.	89.60
4.	Cole, Otto O.	88.76
5.	Hultado, Frank M.	86.56

6.	Gibson, Elmer C.	87.15 %
7.	Aldrich, S. J.	86.76
8.	Wiest, Lawrence J.	85.70
9.	Willits, George P.	85.05
10.	Evans, Thomas L.	84.78
11.	Solem, Otto	82.84
12.	Polkinghorne, George	81.83
13.	Bradley, Leonard W.	80.75

The communication of F. A. Hobson that was given consideration by the Board at their meeting of February 27, 1930, and which concerned the salary paid to the Foreman at the Incinerator in comparison with salaries paid other foremen working for the City was next discussed by the Board. A report of the investigation into salaries paid foremen, as ordered by the Board in accordance with Section 52 of the Charter, was read. Upon motion by Commissioner Maloney, seconded by Commissioner Weisman, and unanimously carried, the Board found that the salary paid the position of Foreman at the Incinerator was not commensurate with salaries paid other foremen performing like work for the city and that a salary of \$2400 would more nearly compensate for the work instead of \$2100. The secretary was instructed to convey this information to the City Council.

The case of Henry Broc, which the Board referred to the City Attorney, was referred to the City Manager and City Council.

The case of A. M. Gillette requesting that the Board determine whether he was in the classified service was laid over in order to allow the Secretary time to obtain more facts covering the case.

The Board next proceeded to review the proposed examination papers for Detective Sergeant. Upon completion of this review the Board set March 10, 1930, at 7:00 o'clock P. M. as the date for the examination and March 17, 1930, for the Personal Fitness test.

A communication was received from the City Manager relative to J. F. Keegan, a Patrolman in the Police Department, who was granted a

three months' leave of absence due to illness, and whose leave expired. It appeared from the communication that no extension of leave was requested. Advise was requested from the Board as to the proper procedure in the premises. Upon motion by Commissioner Weisman, seconded by Commissioner Maloney and unanimously carried, this communication was referred to the City Attorney for an opinion.

A communication was received from Marie De Back asking that she be granted an extension of her present leave. Upon motion by Commissioner Weisman, seconded by Commissioner Maloney and unanimously carried, this request was granted.

Adjournment was taken at 11:00 o'clock P. M., to meet again March 13, 1930.

*J. A. Sember*  
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APPROVED:

*H. J. Shesman*  
V i c e P r e s i d e n t .