

[6] . . . . . HEALTH

Health, like intelligence, is taken for granted. Poor health sometimes may be hidden—for a while. Some school systems demand that teachers and administrators pass occasional health examinations. Intelligent persons give reasonable attention to keeping in good health. They know how much depends upon it.

[7] . PREJUDICE AND FAVORITISM

Prejudice and Favoritism are most pronounced in times of economic and political stress. There are prejudices for and against persons on the basis of age, sex, race, marital status, religion, political affiliation, economic views, place of residence. Irrespective of proved fitness, candidates often fail to obtain positions because of these things. Many communities follow the policy of "local jobs for local people," especially when unemployment is general. At such a time, too, political and personal influence or "pull" is more frequently observed.

Prejudice and Favoritism are especially deplorable when they operate against