

CITY CLUB INDORSES NEW CONSTITUTION

Important Changes All for the Better, Says Report Adopted by Trustees.

TAX ARTICLE APPROVED

The proposed new State constitution as a whole and the taxation article to be submitted separately to the voters have been approved by the trustees of the City Club...

In the report adopted by the trustees the committee says that "the important changes in the frame of the State government are all changes for the better."

"Responsible and efficient State administration is made possible. The existing administrative chaos is abolished. The Governor is made the real head of State administration with such broad powers of appointment that credit for good administration or discredit for bad administration of the State's business as a whole becomes unmistakably his."

"The transfer to the heads of departments appointed by the Governor of the present duties of the Secretary of State, State Treasurer and State Engineer, besides making for efficiency of administration, shortens the ballot."

"The provision making it the duty of the Governor to present an annual budget to the Legislature, and limiting the power of the Legislature with respect to appropriations not contained in the budget, marks a great advance toward businesslike treatment of public finances and expenditure. It is a radical improvement upon the provisions to be found in any other American constitution, State or Federal, and may well prove to mark the beginning of a new and better era in governmental finances in this country."

"The new home rule article, while it falls short of the measure of home rule advocated by the club, will tend to prevent legislative tinkering with local charters. Its adoption will go far to strengthen and make effective home rule sentiment."

"The judiciary article does not present the important opportunity for reform in judicial administration which many hoped, but as a whole it does present modifications of the existing system which should make for considerable improvement."

"The new grant to the Legislature of the power to extend workmen's insurance to occupational diseases and to prohibit manufacturing in tenement houses is a desirable extension of governmental power."

"Other proposed amendments, although perhaps of less importance than those previously mentioned, represent as a whole a careful attempt at improvement in governmental methods or machinery. While differences of opinion may exist as to the wisdom of some of these amendments, it is certain that they can be said that changes have been made for the worse."

"The new taxation article permits the Legislature to authorize county instead of local assessment. This is a distinct advance toward scientific methods of taxation."

UNIONS WILL FIGHT NEW CONSTITUTION

Federation of Labor Plans State Campaign Against Amendments.

James P. Holland, president of the New York State Federation of Labor, yesterday informed the Central Federated Union that a meeting of the executive board of the State Federation has been called for October 4 to plan a statewide campaign against the proposed new State Constitution.

President Holland in his report said: "Organized labor is thoroughly dissatisfied with the proposed State Constitution. Labor was allowed three delegates to the Constitutional Convention, while the corporations had 129 prominent lawyers as delegates. We consider the new Constitution as one drawn up by the representatives of corporations only and all proposed amendments as favorable to the corporations and opposed to the interests of the unions."

Morris Brown, treasurer of the Central Federated Union, said: "I favor the unions voting against all of the amendments except woman suffrage. We should send speakers throughout the State to oppose the amendments."

COURT HOUSE BID IS FORCED.

Supreme Court Justice Colahan yesterday directed the Court House Board, which has charge of plans and work on the proposed new County Court House, either to accept or reject the bid of the Levenson Wrecking Company within five days.

The wrecking company bid \$5,000 for the contract of tearing down certain buildings to be taken to make room for the court house and made a deposit. All other bids were rejected.

Although the Levenson company's money was retained, its bid was neither accepted nor rejected. The company applied for a mandamus to compel the board to act. It appeared on the argument that the board has learned there is no bid valued at \$10,000 in the buildings and does not care to award the contract until the disposition and ownership of this iron is decided.

EXPENSES CUT BY POLK.

Reports Department Can Get Along With Smaller Allowance.

One of the few city departments which have informed the board of Estimate that they can get along next year with a smaller allowance than was provided in the 1915 budget is the Corporation Counsel's office. Corporation Counsel Polk's request, filed just before he resigned on Thursday, is for \$819,529.25, this year he got \$851,370.

By not filling staff vacancies a saving of \$3,000 is proposed. This is partly offset by increases for a few other positions.

The Park Department of Queens has asked for \$223,150, an increase of \$27,166, or 13.5 per cent, over the 1915 allowance.

WEDDING Announcements, Invitations, "At Home" and Visiting Cards, cost very much less at Macy's than in "exclusive" shops or in other stores in the city.



WITH the courteous assistance of an expert shopper on the staff of our Personal Shopping Service, buying things for the folks at home becomes a task of pleasure for visitors to New York.

The Lowest-Priced Rug Sale in New York

And an Immense Sale of CARPETS

WE took thousands of the best rugs and hundreds of rolls of the best carpets from three of America's most famous mills—and because we paid CASH, we got a discount from reduced clearance prices.

Qualities That Average Much Higher Than Elsewhere

On a basis of actual comparison—materials against materials, weaves against weaves and colorings against colorings—these rugs, with a few exceptions, are better than those now advertised in any other New York sale.

Prices Lower Than the Sale Prices of Any Other Stores

From 25 to 50 cents on the smallest rugs to many dollars on the large sizes, Macy's prices, almost without exception, are lower than lowest prices elsewhere.

Every Rug Absolutely Perfect and New!

French Weave Wilton

Most Wiltons are only "2 shot" rugs. These are "3 shot, 13 wire," and, therefore firmer and longer wearing than Wiltons that may cost you more elsewhere.

Table with 2 columns: Verified Price Elsewhere, Macy's Sale Price. Lists various rug sizes and prices.

Worsted Wilton Rugs

In quality we think this rug excels those advertised at slightly higher prices by another store of repute.

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High-grade Wool Wilton Rugs

Among these are some of the identical rugs advertised elsewhere at higher sale prices:

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CARPETS

No Remnants, No Short Rolls. All Full, Perfect Rolls.

The mill these carpets come from is known from Boston to San Francisco. For years the trade mark of this mill on a yard of carpet has been a guarantee of quality.

Highest Grade Wilton Carpet

Macy's regular price \$3.24 the yard.

2-4 Border Sale price, \$2.24 the yard.

Royal Wilton Carpet Sale price, \$1.89 the yard.

Macy's usual price \$2.48 the yard. Sale price, \$1.48 the yard.

2-4 Border Sale price, \$1.24 the yard.

Macy's usual price \$2.24 the yard. Sale price, \$1.24 the yard.

High Grade Body Brussels Carpet

Macy's usual price \$1.59 the yard.

2-4 Border Sale price, \$1.24 the yard.

Macy's usual price \$1.24 the yard. Sale price, 98c the yard.

High Grade Axminster Carpet Sale price, \$1.14 the yard.

Macy's usual price \$1.34 the yard. Sale price, 89c the yard.

Macy's usual price \$1.24 the yard. Sale price, 89c the yard.

This is a most unusual collection. Prices elsewhere are considerably higher than those we have quoted. For example, the high-grade Wilton Carpet retails elsewhere regularly at \$3.50 the yard; the Body Brussels retails elsewhere at \$1.75 the yard.

Enter another new style in Milady's Shoes \$5.49



Silk and Cotton Chiffon Poplin (Yard), 49c

The smartest of Fall Frocks may be fashioned of this desirable material. Dependable quality, of an even round cord, with lustrous silk face, in plain colors.

White, cream, pink, sky, helio, Palm Beach, Russian, reseda, taupe, Piping Rock gray, new blue, wall blue, Copenhagen, California rose, golden brown, African brown, dark purple, light navy, navy, midnight blue and black.

Sale of Handkerchiefs For Men and Women

Qualities and Prices of Exceptional Interest

Purchases for ready cash and the fortunate transactions of our Belfast representative make this a sale of more than usual importance.

Men's Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, 12c

Macy's Usual Price 15c, 19c, 24c.

An additional quantity of these slightly imperfect handkerchiefs so much in demand.

All Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs for Men, 12c

Macy's Usual Price 15c and 19c.

Many styles of initials. 300 dozen.

Women's All Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, Special at 12c ea.

Fine sheer quality. Imported from Belfast. All with 1/4 in. hems, 400 doz. in the special purchase.

2,000 Dozen Women's Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, 6 for 29c

Pure Irish Linen! You have paid more for cotton initial handkerchiefs than this. For every day use. Neat openwork emb. initials.

Mail Orders promptly filled.

Macy's—Main Floor.

"Macy's One of Few Houses in Country to Receive New Shipment of Oriental Rugs"

—And also the only store in the City to sell them at prices so low.

Macy's excels this season not only in price, but selection as well. This store commands resources and has influence in quarters that can't be approached by other stores.

Comparison and the prices quoted, serve to establish definitely the advantages to rug-lovers of modest means of making selections at Macy's.

Silky Beloochistan Rugs at \$7.87, \$9.94, \$11.84 and \$15.74. More than 600 rugs in doorway and hearth and "scatter" sizes. You save from \$1 to \$5 each on these rugs from specialty stores prices.

Persian Moussoul Rugs at \$14.48, \$17.49, \$22.89 and \$27.50. More than 1,000 to select from, representing every known intricate small design, as well as the beautiful medallion patterns that distinguish rugs woven in certain districts.

Room Size Afghan Rugs at the remarkable prices of \$59.50 and \$72.50, for library, living room and dining room, in beautiful mahogany tones; finely woven and of silky texture.

Prices are fully 10% less on every desirable rug and in many instances a quarter less than most other shops would charge.

Macy's—Fourth Floor.

Women's Coats For Coming Cool Days

AN unusual assemblage of utility and dress coats, cut on correct lines, and with that subtle air of distinction which clings about the earlier modes.

A long, loose coat of black velour with high collar of beaver or skunk-oppoosum fur, set-in sleeves and deep cuffs. Lined throughout with beau de cygne. Suitable for dressy wear. \$29.75

A Cheviot Coat, with raglan sleeves, all-around belt buttoning at sides, and high collar finished with animal scarf of skunk-raccoon. Fully satin lined. Navy or black. \$19.74

A long-waisted Zibeline Coat with full flaring skirt, flap pockets, and large rolling collar of skunk-oppoosum fur. Satin lined throughout. Navy or black. \$24.74

Black and White Plaid—As illustrated, with all-around belt, velvet-faced funnel collar and velvet cuffs. Yoke and sleeves satin lined. A serviceable utility model. \$14.74



Macy's—Third Floor.

Women's Fur-Trimmed Suits Are a Joy to Behold!

"Fur—and still more Fur!" cries insatiable Fashion, who, having already equipped suits with huge fur collars and deep cuffs, proceeds forthwith to add a wider border to the coat or a smart touch to the skirt.

A Bernard copy in broadcloth shows Russian blouse with high collar, gauntlet cuffs, and deep band around coat of skunk-dyed oppoosum. Ball buttons and loops fasten it. Pompadour silk lining. Circular skirt. \$37.75

Bernard also inspired the suit of velour illustrated. Wonderfully chic it is, too, with its sling collar of oppoosum, and its huge buttons of fancy jade. \$49.75

Still another Bernard copy, in gabardine, shows a distinctive coat (cut somewhat on the paddock flare) that buttons straight up to its collar of broadcloth and velvet, outlined with fox fur. \$23.74

A suit of fine poplin has coat cut on peasant blouse lines, with circular yoke outlined with silk braid. It is fascinatingly trimmed with braid-bound scallops and acon buttons. A sling scarf of skunk-oppoosum adds the last note of smartness. \$28.75



Clever Suit Fashions Adapted to Slender Youth

Though suit modes for misses take strict account of the youth and ingenuousness of their wearers, they are not a whit behind their elders in grace, cleverness and smart fashion.

What growing miss would not be more than satisfied with a suit of checked wool velour with dapper belted coat that fastens with a swinging curve to one side, and has such a high collar, faced with velvet. Especially when there are two pockets in the coat and two more in the skirt! \$33.75

—or a gabardine suit with belted coat braided a la militaire, and with high beaver collar. In brown, navy, black or green. \$24.74

—or a suit of velour mixture, trimmed—even around the bottom of coat—with oppoosum fur, and with unique tabbed pockets, and skirt pocketed to match. (Illustrated) \$48.75

For the junior there is a jaunty suit, of gabardine trimmed with velvet, that buttons straight up to its velvet collar with cravat ends, and only pretends to button down the back as well. \$19.74



Macy's—Third Floor.

Women's Gowns for Day and Evening Wear

NEW and distinctive things are arriving daily. Smart street frocks of serge and broadcloth—afternoon gowns of satin, charmeuse, tulle, and Georgette crepe—evening frocks of tulle, tulle, and Georgette crepe—unique collars, fur and metal trimmings, and other striking fashion features, make this Macy assemblage one of extraordinary interest.

The striking afternoon gown illustrated is of satin striped Marquise over chiffon, trimmed with brown fox fur. Gold embroidery outlines the yoke, and heavy gold tassels finish the skirt. One just glimpses an orange satin girdle, veiled beneath the chiffon. \$124.00

A regal matinee gown of black silk velvet has full side-draped skirt, caught with a large ornament of jet beads. A half girdle of jet beads clasps the waist. White satin pulling outlines the neck. \$139.00

Inexpensive, yet smart, is an afternoon frock of beau de cygne, with full blouse trimmed with coney fur. White tulle vest and collar. Georgette crepe sleeves. In Atrique, navy or black. \$24.74

Hang a quaint little suspender frock of pale-tinted tulle tulle, with pointed Elizabethan bodice, and side-puffed skirt, over a petticoat edged with silver lace. Add a fluff of silver lace at neck and sleeves. Result—a modern dancing frock that isn't a whit less pretty because it is priced only at \$22.74

A Notable Showing of Imported Models

On Monday our dress salons will place on exhibition daytime and evening gowns and tailor suits newly arrived from Paquin, Drecoll, Beer, Martial et Armand, Rondeau, Maison Bernard, Avadis, and Lelong.

Macy's—Third Floor.

Our Lace Department

Announces the arrival of recent importations of Tinsel Laces, Black and White Silk Laces, Filet and Cluny. Radium Nets, and hand-sewn Princess and Lierre Laces for the October bride.

Black Silk Brussels Net (yd.) \$1.29

2 yards wide; Macy's usual price \$1.59 yd.

"Radium" Nets (yd.) \$1.49

High lustrous silk; bold designs in black, white and ecru.

Hand Crochet Laces—Made by the peasants in Italy—exact reproductions of the Baby Irish Crochet patterns, but prices are about one-half those of the real Irish Crochet.

Hand Crochet Edging. Rose & Shamrock Pattern. 1 inch wide (yd.) 49c

Hand Crochet Edging. Rose Pattern. 1 1/2 inch (yd.) 49c

Hand Crochet Edging. 1 1/2 inch (yd.) 67c

Hand Crochet Edging. 2 inches (yd.) 79c

Machine Made Linen Laces and Edgings Filet and Cluny Patterns.

One-half to 4 inches wide (yard), 6c to 35c. Make dainty trimmings for curtains, household linens, decorative scarfs, etc.

Macy's—Lace Dept., Main Floor, Centre.



Disposal of Bric-a-Brac Art-Ware and Porcelains

QUAINT and artistic productions of famous foreign and domestic potters, odd pieces from the Orient, rare curios and beautiful things offered at reductions that will attract a throng of art lovers to Macy's.

- Royal Bone-Ware, Irish Belleek, Chinese Hand-painted Porcelain, Japanese Wicker-covered Vases, Japanese Hand-painted Vases, Japanese and German Hand-carved Ivories, Wedgwood English Porcelain, Nile-oak Domestic Art Ware, Harley Stoke-on-Trent Porcelain, Pierced Hungarian Bronze Mounted French and German Porcelain Teakwood Stands, Royal Vienna and Crown Dresden Figures, Dresden Floral Art Pieces, Lace Work Pieces from Germany, St. Lucas ware from Holland, and Shelley English Ware.

Reduced to the Very Special Prices

Table with 4 columns: Former Price, Reduced Price, Former Price, Reduced Price. Lists various items and their prices.

Tables arranged for convenient selection. Salespeople will be glad to answer inquiries and to make suggestions regarding schemes of interior decoration.

Macy's—Basement.

SHOPPERS consider the moving stairways one of the greatest comforts at Macy's. For going from one floor to another, they are far better than the elevators. Quick, safe, convenient—never crowded, always running. Use them the next time you come to Macy's.

