

# Curran Stands for Fair Play in All Boroughs

## Coalition Candidate Tells Women of Brooklyn, if Elected Mayor, He Will Give Time to Whole City

### Pledges Help to Transit Better Playgrounds and Home Rule Among the Reforms He Advocates

Borough President Henry H. Curran, Republican-coalition candidate for Mayor, in an address last night before an audience of Brooklyn women at 127 Remsen Street, Brooklyn, said that if elected he would be Mayor of all five boroughs, serving each to the full extent of his power. He stressed the need for improved transit facilities, better playgrounds and home rule. He declared that he favored some modified form of borough government.

Mr. Curran was welcomed heartily, and his speech was interrupted frequently by applause. He explained at the outset that he had been serving the city for ten years and realized that it was a city most difficult to manage.

**City's Expenses Explained**  
He called attention to the municipality's expenditures. "We spend almost \$1,000,000 every twenty-four hours," he said, "and we want to get our money's worth. It means a good deal to get it, because if we do not the result will be felt in every home."

"If elected, I promise you all that I will be Mayor not only in the borough in which I live but will be equally Mayor of the five boroughs, and I will report to you in Brooklyn as well as the other boroughs and tell you of my administration."

In commenting on the need for home rule in this city, the Borough President said the city could not afford to have two governments—one in Albany and one in New York. He asserted

that the city should have greater powers than it now possesses, particularly so far as transit matters are concerned. The five-cent fare, he declared, is sufficient.

**Borough Rule Urged**  
Mr. Curran declared he favored some modified form of borough government that would make the borough presidents directly responsible to the boroughs. There are fourteen city departments, he said, which in many ways duplicate work, and changes could be made to prevent such duplication.

The Borough President deplored the numerous automobile accidents which occur here, and added that increased playground facilities would reduce the number of such fatalities.

"We have 100,000 children on part time in the schools, and we have inadequate playgrounds," he said. "All of this must be remedied."

At the close of his speech Mr. Curran was asked many questions by the women.

Mrs. Beatrice Stevenson, leader of the women, was chairman of the meeting, and introducing Mr. Curran said that a change of city government was needed and that "we must have a man who knows the job."

## Murphy Will Drop Collins, Run Talley

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from soup to nuts for the next few months.

**Hines Says He Whipped Bully**

"Did you ever see a big bully among the kids who, on account of his size and vocal powers, was able to throw a scare into all the little fellows, until one day some chap that could'st stand it any longer gave him a bust in the nose? And then what happened? Why, all the other boys who had been nursing grievances promptly stepped up and gave the bully some more smashes in the nose and then the bully and his family moved out of the district because they could not stand the disgrace. That's what is happening now. I've got the bully on the run. Why did he change his mind about Judge Talley? He had begun to hear from all the districts—that's the an-

swer. Murphy used all the power of his personal machine to beat me in the primaries last year, and he got licked three and a half to one. Murphy's weakening now on this judgeship matter is a sure sign that things are happening in the Wigwag. I haven't anything but feelings of respect for Judge Talley and Judge Collins. They are fine men. I believe that in his inmost heart Judge Talley is feeling very kindly toward a district leader by the name of Hines for the quick shift that is to put him back on the ticket."

**Parachute Jumper Killed**  
ROCKFORD, Ill., Aug. 18.—"Bud" Bridgema, of Chicago, was instantly killed this afternoon when his parachute failed to open when he leaped from an airplane here. Bridgema was practicing for an aerial circus.

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**FIRSTLY**—You are assured of receiving your furs without any of the delay occasioned by the usual Fall demand for this character of work.

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Storm Umbrellas for men and women.  
Regularly 2.00 Now **1.35**

Cotton Umbrellas—fine quality with silk cases.  
Regularly 3.00 Now **2.50**

Silk Umbrellas—better grades.  
Regularly 7.50—8.00 Now **4.95**

## Cap and Fringe Hair Nets, 1.00 Dozen

# Arnold, Constable & Co.

FIFTH AVENUE AT 40TH STREET

## Tricolette Silk Sweaters

Now **7.95**  
Regular Value 12.50

Smart, well fitting Tuxedo model in a lustrous plain weave hard to distinguish from pure silk. Finished with two roomy pockets and a tailored sash belt. In

COPEN BROWN  
PEARL BUFF  
HONEYDEW TANGERINE

Priced at 7.95 for immediate clearance, hence early shopping is advised.

Very rarely have *Bathing Suits* of these qualities been offered at **3.95**

At 4.95 and 5.95 they would prove remarkable values, but in order not to carry over a single suit into next season we take a severe loss by pricing them at 3.95.

Wool Jerseys, Pajamas and Surf Suits form an attractive display that will soon be depleted at this price.

### Sale of Leather Goods

**SUIT CASES**—Black enameled duck, with tray, pockets, leather corners straps all around, two clasps and locks; handsome crocodile linings. Value 10.00. **6.50**

**SUIT CASES**—Dupont's imitation leather; dull grain finish. Looks and wears like the most expensive suit cases. Value 16.50. **10.00**

**SILK HAND BAGS**—All the newest shapes and styles of the season in one large assortment. Regular prices 5.50, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50. **3.95**

**LEATHER VANITY PURSES**—Flexible metal edges. Staple and novelty leathers and shapes; long strap handles; many pockets, compartments and fittings. Reg. 5.00. **2.95**

### Further Emphatic Reductions Applied to Remaining Porch Dresses

Models that moved rapidly at other special prices will go out with a rush with the new lowered prices now in effect. They command interest because of the daintiness and desirability of the styles—the superior quality of the materials and the very evident care that has been used in the finishing of each model. Choice of remaining stock

Reduced to **3.95, 4.95 and 5.95**  
(House Dress Dept.—Second Floor)



## The Greatest Merchandising Sale Ever Held in the Men's Furnishing Field—Two Shirts Practically at the Price of One

### SILK SHIRTS

Pick out any silk shirt at the regular price. Then pay \$2.00 for its mate. You can buy two \$7.85 shirts for \$9.85, a saving of \$5.85.

And don't forget this: National Shirt Shops' regular prices have always been lower for equal quality than you could get any place else.

### BUY 2 TIES Take Home 3

Buy any two neckties at the regular price marked on the ticket, and then select for yourself any third necktie of the same price range.

Pick out two neckties at \$1.50 each. We will give you free another \$1.50 necktie of your selection.

# NATIONAL SHIRT SHOPS, Inc.

31 Park Row opposite the P. O.  
208 Broadway at Fulton St.

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The Story of this Merchandising Sensation

We are one of the largest distributors of men's shirts and furnishings in the country.

With our 62 stores from coast to coast, we buy shirts and furnishings by the thousand dozen. We work on narrow margins of profit and quick turnovers of stock.

In the past few weeks sales all over the country have slowed up. We are determined to prevent stagnation in the men's furnishing field. We are throwing thousands of dollars in merchandise on the market to break up the calm and create a new buyers' market.

The furnishings we are selling now cannot be replaced to sell at those prices. But we believe the times make this action imperative, and we feel that manufacturers will do their part when these stocks are sold.

### Drastic Repricings On Silk Blouses

Entire remaining stock completely re-arranged and severely marked down in price to insure immediate clearance.

Smart Silk Blouses suitable for wear with new Fall suits—in dark and light colorings. All sizes in the assortment but not in every style.

Now **5.00 10.00 15.00**  
Heretofore 8.95 to 25.00

### Cotton Blouses

Are a popular attraction on the Second Floor

Choice **1.85** Each

There are hundreds of styles from which to choose a suitable blouse, every one worth decidedly more than the quoted clearance price.

### Negligees

$\frac{1}{2}$  Price

Formerly 15.00 to 95.00  
To Close 7.50 to 47.50

Every model in stock without reserve. Fully  $\frac{1}{2}$  off as indicated by above prices. Reductions to be taken as garments are purchased.

All Sales Final

### All Linen Handkerchiefs

Women's Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs, Formerly 6.00, Now 3.60 dozen.

Extraordinary Value

Men's Imported pure Irish Linen Hemstitched and Initial Hemstitched—(hand embroidered) in white only. While this special lot lasts Box of six **2.85**

## A Sale Extraordinary of SILKS

Consisting only of weaves and colorings in greatest demand. Every yard is of first quality, notwithstanding the reduced prices. In variety, magnitude and value, a silk event entirely out of the ordinary. For instance a few examples:

#### Canton Crepe

The unexpected sometimes happens. In this case it was the arrival of an exceptional purchase of the weave supreme for Fall use just in time for this sale. But the most important news is that we are able to offer it for less than it can be bought at wholesale most places. 40 inches wide too. In Navy and Black.  
Regularly 4.50-5.50 Yard

### 2.98

#### Rich Foulards

As soft and light to the touch as shuttle-down but firm as to weave and silken as to texture. In a range of light and dark, figured effects desirable for afternoon dresses or ideal for rich coat linings. Procured with much difficulty for this mid-season sale at a price impossible to duplicate. 36 in. wide.  
Regularly 3.75 Yard

### 1.68

#### Black and White Crepe de Chine

Here's another all silk extra heavy weave that has been making "town talk" for a week. The arrival of some two thousand additional yards will be good news to those unable to get here for the previous sale. Paris dictates Black and White, therefore we have quantities of it, and for those who like colors there is a rich autumnal range. 40 inches wide.  
Regularly 4.00 Yard

### 2.15

#### Satin Crepe

An advance Fall weave as popular as Canton Crepe and preferred by many because of its wonderful draping qualities and lovely colorings. Four or five yards of this ample 40 inch width will make a frock and the money saved will buy another! One of the outstanding values in this greatest of all silk sales. In Black, Brown, Navy and other new shades.  
Regularly 4.50-5.50 Yard

### 2.75

Silk Crepe de Chine—about fifty colors. Special **1.48**  
Silk Georgette Crepes in complete range of shades. Special **1.45**  
Satin Charmeuse—40 inches wide. Regularly 4.00. Now **2.48**

### Pure Thread Silk Women's Hosiery

**.95** Pair

In Black, Cordovan and Russet—semi-fashioned—fine, even weave.

### Hosiery (Fibre and pure thread silk mixed)

A fine, even weave that is semi-fashioned. In Black or Gray. Very Special. **.87** Pair

### ½ Price Sale of All Wool Dress Serge

An excellent quality bought at a great price concession and featured for a limited time only at this price.

**1.58** Yard  
Regularly 3.50 Yard

Shown in Navy, Dark Brown and Black—54 inches wide; spunged and slubbed.

### Imported Wool Plaids

**3.25** Yard

54 inches wide—in new Fall colorings.

### Plain Black Silk Velvet

at less than half price

A specially prepared sale of a superior quality 40 inch Black Velvet which is a truly remarkable value at the quoted price.

1920 Price Was 9.00  
**3.95** Yard

### Mark Down Sale of Men's Furnishings

**Shirt Assortment No. 1**  
Tennis or Sports Shirts. Value 2.50  
Fancy mercerized Shirts—sizes 14, 15, 15½ and 17. Value 3.50  
Neat printed Madras Shirts—sizes 14 to 17. Value 2.50  
Other good Shirts—various odd lots. Values 2.00 and 2.50  
**1.45**

**Shirt Assortment No. 2**  
Tennis or Sports Shirts—white chest. Value 3.00  
Woven Madras Shirts—odd small lots. Value 3.75—4.50  
White Madras Shirts—excellent quality. Value 3.50  
**2.25**

**Shirt Assortment No. 3**  
Discontinued styles and odd lots from previous sales—not all sizes in each particular pattern. Values 1.65-1.85  
**1.15**

Neckwear—plain and fancy Formerly 1.50, Now **.95**  
Underwear—loose athletic styles Formerly 1.50-1.75, Now **.95**  
Pajamas—plain and fancy Formerly 3.50, Now **2.45**  
Halt Hose—plain lites Formerly 35 and 50, Now **.25**

### Unprecedented Offering of Wilton Rugs

At marked modifications from the regular scale of prices, including an extra 10% discount to be taken off as rugs are purchased.

Size	Formerly	New Price
27 x 54	21.00	17.00
36 x 63	25.00	19.50
46 x 76	50.00	42.00
69 x 90	112.50	82.50
90 x 105	147.50	122.50
9 x 12	167.50	137.50
11.5 x 15.6	235.00	185.00

### Seamless Scotch Chenille Rugs

Size	Formerly	New Price
32 x 63	17.00	14.25
3 x 6	21.50	18.00
4 x 7	35.00	29.50
6 x 9	65.00	55.00
7.6 x 9	77.50	65.00
9 x 10.6	135.00	98.00
9 x 12	120.00	102.00

### Carpets At Sale Prices

Figured Carpets, including English and Domestic Wiltons, Axminsters and Wilton Velvets in desirable patterns and colorings.  
Formerly Priced at 5.75 to 9.50 Yard Now **4.25 to 7.00** Yard

### Women's Washable Dresses

**20% OFF**  
Former Sale Prices

The price reductions that have been made afford genuine savings of sufficient importance to induce every shopper to purchase a supply for present and early Fall wear. There are many warm days during September and October when a cool Washable frock is indispensable. An inspection of the fashionable models presented will be an incentive to make a purchase.

**Sale Prices 5.45 to 29.50**  
**To Close 4.36 to 23.60**

### All Other Apparel for Final Clearance at 1/3 to 1/2 less than former prices