EVENING PUBLIC LEDGER-PHILADELPHIA, THURSDAY, JULY 17, 1919

CHARTER PRINCIPLES DECLARED ATTAINED

Praises Fact City Is 'Permitted' to Clean Own Streets

IMPROVEMENT IS FORECAST and remove waste was advanced one

"The principles sought by the new city charter have been attained," says posals will be regarded as triffing-one Has Right of Way."

"The city is kindly 'nermitted' to do doing for years," the bulletin states, is written into the law, although an exception is made possible if the peoples' representatives so vote."

dred work of an "unspecifiable" char- was killed in France. acter.

Contract Article Praised

Continuing, the bulletin states: to considerable discussion and amend- greatest percentage of oversubscriptions small parks in the operation between

maximum period. The advantages of on the list. freedom to enter upon long-term contracts for certain purposes are so ob vious as to need no comment. "The city's interest is protected by a stipulation that whenever the term

of a contract exceeds four years there shall be inserted in the contract clause reserving to the city the right to cancel such contract at any time after four years, without liability by the city to the contractor."

In reference to street cleaning, the following is added :

"The arguments and the proposals of the charter committee were set forth in Citizens' Business 358 of April 3-No. 4 of the Charter Series. Briefly, the original charter bill contained a pro-vision that Philadelphia must do its own street cleaning and repairing, as;

well as the collection of ashes, waste, rubbish and garbage, after December 31, 1919. A proviso permitted doing At your dealer's

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Founded in 1894

TRANSIT FEE "The Governor held-and we think not entirely without reason - that changed conditions in the future might make this rigid three-fourths provision seem unduly irksome. He thought that so mandatory a stipulation by the Leg-islature was an invasion of the principle of home rule, and in deference to Municipal Research Bureau his, wishes 'a majority' was substi-Draines Fact City is 'Bermitted' tuted for 'three-fourths' in the pro-**Is Rejected as Being** viso. Moreover, in deference to the opinion of the city solicitor and other Excessive

public officials, the date for making it the city's duty to clean its own streets year-to December 31, 1920. "In the long view of history these

amendments to the original charter pro-William Draper Lewis, who drafted the transit lease rejected by the Public year is as but a day in the life of a a bulletin issued today by the Bureau great city, and municipal (instead of Service Commission, is to receive \$\$000 of Municipal Research under the head- contract) street cleaning will be so for his year's work instead of the ing of "Municipal Street Cleaning Now much a matter of course in the future \$25,500 fee he asked of the city. that the famous proviso will have no The original fee demanded by Doctor

importance." itself what every modern city has been LAUNCH "DELCO" SATURDAY members of Councils, who declared it

this work by contract if three-fourths of the Council and the Mayor so decided.

of Christening Vessel

When the Liberty loan honor ship payment of the smaller amount. Most of the bills passed by Councils Delco is launched on Saturday after-It is pointed out in the bulletin that the bulletin that the bone of the bone of christening the bone of christening the bone of christening the based by Councils the best way to do that is to have received the Mayor's signature. no item in the entire program of the Wilmington, the honor of christening Among the mensures approved were : charter committee precipitated so lively the ship will go to a Sharon Hill girl. The omnibus bills for main sewers.

a debate as the one requiring the city Miss Marian Lynch, daughter of the branch sewers, grading and paving, re to do its own sstreet cleaning and kin- late Captain Edmund W. Lynch, who paving and improving country roads. The ordinance condemning the plot The Delco was awarded to Dela- bounded by Longshore, Gillespie, Dissware county in the fourth Liberty loan ion and Jackson streets, for Board of

campaign and was one of the ten ships Recreation purposes. "An excellent feature of the charter article on contracts-one also subjected Reserve district that produced the Housing Corporation to lay out three

ment-is the section that permits the and the greatest percentage of subscribcity to enter into contracts for longer ers according to the population of each than one year, which is the present district. Delaware county was fourth mea

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FRIDAY

Silk Dresses

Then Wife

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bregon avenue and Johnson street.

Broad street to Solly street.

The measure authorizing the Boar

City Surveyors to give the nam

'Roosevelt'' to the boulevard from

excessive. They succeeded in reducing does. Except for those six "and the fact that it ought so to do Sharon Hill Girl Will Have Honor if to \$8000 and Mayor Smith has ap years, the best way to sell proved the ordinance authorizing the most things for a man is to sell his womenfolks. And

The Delineator The Magazine In One Million Homes

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No part of the wardrobe is nore lovely than the Summer Hat, and some of these combine the charming transparency and airiness of summer fashions with a bit of satin or velvet that tells of the new modes to come. The Millinery Store looks like a great garder in the full bloom of the season **New Midseason Hats** Velvet crown with crep-

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with

glycerined fancies and ribbon. White Crepe Georgette Hats-now \$5.95 Just the Hat to wear with

summer dresses, and ight hese were formerly much higher priced. A great variety of shapes and trimmings shown. Straubridge & Clothler-

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Interesting Strawbridge & Clothier News for To-morrow, the Last Business Day of the Week

To-morrow, Friday, is our last business day this week. The Store will be closed Saturday. Shoppers participating in the attractions mentioned herewith and all others providing for personal or home needs, will find our service to-morrow fully up to that standard which has made this Store widely known as a comfortable place to shop. Fill week-end outing needs to-morrow.



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Silk Sun or Rain Parasols, Special, \$5

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Sturdy, practical Umbrellas, overed with American taffeta covered. (cotton), with tape edge. Plain or fancy carved wood handles, finished with a wrist cord on women's Umbrellas, or plain mission wood handles, in book or crook style, on men's Umbrellas, Strawbarder & Ubduer-Able 7. Market Street

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The daintiest of Freeks for little girls and their big sisters, and lenty of cool Dresses for practical wear:

Girls' Organdie Dresses, \$7.50 to \$10.00

In rose, blue or pink. Delightfully summery styles, with round or square neck finished with plaited frills or an embroidery collar; elbow sleeves and tucked or ruffled skirt with deep hem. For girl- from 8 to 14 years.

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Plaited Dresses in straight Russian style, of white twill with Belgian blue cotton collar and cuffs. Em-broidered emblem, red service band and belt. Sizes 6 to 12 yrars

Misses' and Girls' Middy Blouses, \$2.25 Favorite lace-front Middles of white drill with rose or cadet blue collar and cuffs; fancy pockets. lizes 6 to 18 years.

Misses' Summer Frocks, Many Kinds

At \$11.50 to \$15.00 - Dainty models in misses' ummer wash Dresses-distinctive styles of figured or flowered voile, organdies in plain shades or striped tissue. New tucked and fitted bodices are featured: tunic, draped or tucked skirts. Also two-piece Per ale Dresses with pique vestee and collar. Sizes 14, 16 and 18 years.

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- > Strawbridge & Clothier-Second Floor, Market Street

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At \$2.95-A slip-over model

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those who need extra sizes, as well Daintily beautiful as you may mow, since French taste and as for the usual figure. Many kinds, colors, prices. fingers evolved it. . Of a slightly heavier cotton than usual in plain-color crepe, trimmed with to insure long wear, hand-scalloped at neck and armholes, and hand-embroidered in charming designs on the front-\$2.50,

rrow satin ribbon, and with fringe at bottom. In sizes for misses and little women as well as in regular sizes.

At \$3.50 - Of figured crepe draped in graceful lines, satin rib-bon trimming.

At \$3.85-Of plain crepe, a straight model with trimming of satin ribbon and two pockets.

In Extra Sizes-Plain crepe Kimonos—\$3.50; of figured creps -\$4.85.

Third Floor, Filbert Street, West

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