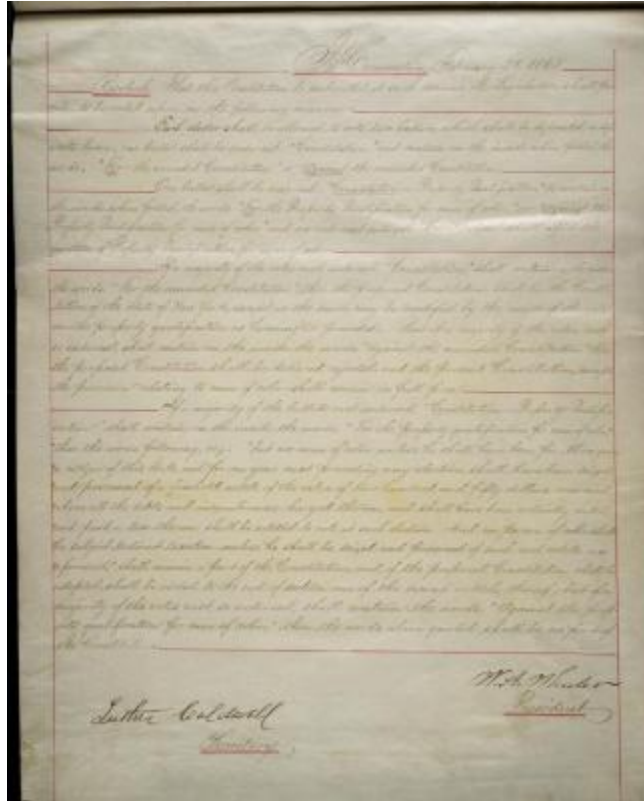


Proposed constitution of the state of New York, resolutions of February 28, 1868



A revised Constitution of New York State was proposed after a Constitutional Convention of 1867-1868. It was rejected, except for a Judiciary article, the following year. One of the proposed changes to the constitution was the repeal of property requirements for African Americans to be eligible to vote.;The question would become moot in 1870, when the 15th Amendment to the federal constitution was ratified, eliminating all property requirements for voters.

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