

ARGENTINE LINING UP TO FORM NEW LINK IN SCHOOL CAMPUS

NEW YORK (HGNS) - Extension of the campus of the Henry George School of Social Science which now embraces the United States, Canada, England, New Zealand and Australia, to South America, is forecast by a request received at National Headquarters, 211 West 79th Street, from Easton Garrett of Buenos Aires, Argentine, for permission to translate the Teachers Manual into Spanish, to be used by B. Machello, a lifelong and ardent Georgist, who will tour the Argentine to lecture on the economic and social philosophy of Henry George and establish Henry George study groups.

It is a noteworthy coincidence that practically on the eve of the return of Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, himself a subscriber to Georgist principles, from the Pan American Peace Conference just ended at Buenos Aires, the Henry George School should receive this overture to utilize the technique developed by the School to spread across the South American Continent a knowledge of Henry George, the practical application of whose teachings would make the wars of nations against nations as inconceivable and impossible as a war among any of our own United States, the provinces of Canada, the counties of England or the corporate units of any individual nation today, said O. K. Dorn, acting director of the School, in commenting upon this request, which has already been authorized.

It is proposed to make the Manual the standard for use in all countries as soon as translations have been approved by the trustees of the Henry George School. A special edition will be published for Argentine.

Easton Garrett and Senor B. Machello are both active Georgists and members of the Henry George Association of Buenos Aires.

HENRY GEORGE SCHOOL FORMS SPECIAL CLASS FOR YOUNG MEN'S BOARD OF TRADE

NEW YORK (HGNS) - On Monday evening, January 6, the first session of a special class formed for members of the Young Men's Board of Trade was held at the Henry George School of Social Science, 211 West 79th Street, under Lancaster M. Greene, a trustee of the School and himself a member of the Young Men's Board of Trade.

The treasurer of this organization, Sidney Tobias, took the course last year with Mr. Greene "out of sheer curiosity," he said. His curiosity rapidly turned to enthusiasm and so keen became his interest in the work of the School that before the new term opened he wrote his entire membership urging them to enroll.

Said Mr. Tobias in his letter, "The purpose of the School is to disseminate knowledge of fundamental principles of economics in their relation to current affairs. I found the course so instructive that I take this opportunity to recommend it to you. Whether you agree with Henry George or not, you will have every opportunity to express your views."

The Young Men's Board of Trade is a member of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce and of the New York State Junior Chamber of Commerce, and is a division of the New York Board of Trade. On its roster it numbers some of the foremost younger leading industrialists and representative business men in the metropolitan district.

BRITISH SECTION EXTENDS CLASSES TO EIGHTEEN CENTERS

LONDON (HGNS) - The close of 1936 saw the three month old British Section of the Henry George School of Social Science firmly established with eighteen classes located in London, Liverpool, Bootle, Birkenhead, Waterloo (Liverpool), Codrington, Belfast, Keighley, Manchester, Streatham (London), Birmingham, Halifax, Glasgow, St. Andrews and Sheffield, with

a total enrollment of 209 students, indicates a summary of the School's progress in the January issue of Land and Liberty, London.

For the new year it announces at least thirteen additional classes started or about to start in twelve centers, with Stockport, Clitheroe and Cardiff falling into line for the first time, and the election of a new Board of Governors, on which E. J. Briery of the Bristol League, J. L. Hamilton of the Clitheroe Henry George Group, Frank Fox of the English League, F. R. Jones of the Liverpool League, E. M. Ginders of the Manchester League, Chapman Wright of the Midland League, W. R. Lester of the Portsmouth League, Wm. Reid of the Scottish League, Andrew MacLaren, M.P. of the Tunstall and District Georgian Society, Wilfred Harrison of the United Committee, Eustace Davies of the Welsh League and Ashley Mitchell of the Yorkshire and Northern League, will serve until the end of 1937. The Board adopted a simple constitution for the School at its first meeting and appointed F. C. R. Douglas as Hon. Secretary.

The teaching staff will include Leon McLaren, H. A. Berens, W. Hildreth, F. R. Jones, J. W. Foley, Curzon Newhouse, E. J. McManus, Geo. Musson, Geo. Green, Howard Binns, D. J. J. Owen, F. L. Crilly, Chapman Wright, C. H. Smithson, Wm. Reid, John Wilson, J. T. Haxon, H. C. McGhee, A. H. Weller, J. L. Hamilton and C. A. Gardner.

The urgent need of the School being more classes and more teachers a central class to train students to organize and lead their own classes will be conducted by A. W. Madsen, editor of Land and Liberty, London, and secretary of the United Committee for Land Value Taxation, at the Committee's rooms, 94 Petty France, beginning January 21.

No practical experience in teaching is required. A fair understanding of the subject matter is necessary and the rest is made easy by the use of the Teacher's Manual containing questions and answers to each section of Progress and Poverty, the function of the instructor being to guide the students rather than to lecture them.

The experience so far gained shows that the tutors are finding their work interesting and agreeable. One instructor writes, "I am very pleased and have gained myself from this new interest in Henry George."

Assistance in organizing classes and circularizing students will be given upon application to the Secretary, F. C. R. Douglas, 94 Petty France, London, S.W.I.

LANCASTER M. GREENE EMPHASIZES SCHOOL'S IMPORTANCE AT COMMENCEMENT DINNER
 MIDDLETOWN, N.Y. (HGNS) - Thirty five guests attended the commencement dinner of the latest class to complete the course in Progress and Poverty under Walter Falchild, which was held on Wednesday evening, January 6. Lancaster M. Greene, a member of the Board of Trustees of the Henry George School of Social Science and one of the faculty at National Headquarters addressed the assembly. "The success of this School shows the futility of criticism, of speechmaking and politics," he declared. "If you wish to see people convinced of the truths which you have learned here...talk about this most dramatic thing in education today - the growth of the Henry George School of Social Science from 84 students in one room the first year to 10,000 students in hundreds of classes in cities all over the world in its fourth year." Z. K. Green, a Georgist of many years standing and one of the sponsors of the Middletown Extension also spoke.

NEW YORK CHAPTER TO HOLD OPEN HOUSE

NEW YORK (HGNS) - Arthur H. Vetterman, President of the New York Chapter of the Henry George Fellowship announces that the Chapter will hold open house at the National Headquarters of the Henry George School of Social Science, 211 West 79th Street every Sunday from 3 to 10 P.M. Members and friends from all parts of the city and country are invited to make the School their meeting place.