

The Henry George School in the News

SYRACUSE does it again! Their second class in Fundamental Economics enrolled 39 students, with 36 copies of *Progress and Poverty* sold. Sixteen will graduate June 29th. Emanuel Choper is the teacher. From the Syracuse spring class publicity, 47 enrollments for the correspondence course were also obtained. The enthusiasm of Mr. Choper and class organizer, Bette S. Breese, had infected everybody.



A graduate of the Syracuse winter class, Jeremiah F. Enright, expressed the sentiments of many when he wrote that this course has forced him to "re-think" his ideas. He has come to the conclusion that "the force of an ideal is greater than the ideal of force." With grateful thanks for the course and praise for his teacher, Emanuel Choper, he writes, "Thank God for Henry George. I shall do all I can to advance his wonderful theories for the betterment of all."

ST. LOUIS director, Noah D. Alper, addressed about 80 students of the Midwest Bible College of St. Louis, presenting and answering questions on the "Economic and Social Philosophy of Henry George." The first of two morning periods was devoted to the presentation—two weeks later a second period was devoted to student questions and discussion. *The Labour Question* by Henry George, and other literature, was provided for student study during the interim.

SAN DIEGO reports the largest spring graduating class in its history. There were 45 graduates, not counting the special college group. At a commencement program on May

14th Professor Morgan Harris of Chapman College spoke on "The Rich Man's Welfare State." Dr. Andelson, the director, reports that they seem to be reaching more college students lately. Several State College students have been doing term papers on various aspects of George's thought.

Mrs. Florence Bale was recently named "San Diego Georgist of the Year." She is a fairly recent graduate and now a valued member of the teaching staff. She works for the City Budget Office where she evidently makes no secret of her interest in Henry George's philosophy.

A Social Action Institute attended by ministers and lay people was held for the purpose of defining the problem of adequate housing. It was reported extensively and favorably in both local newspapers. Prominently featured on the afternoon and evening programs were Glenn E. Hoover, Oakland City Councilman and Robert V. Andelson. There was a showing of the film "Land . . . and Space to Grow," and a review of the August issue of *House & Home* magazine by Louis N. Perna, a Georgist faculty member, formerly of Newark, New Jersey.

Dr. Andelson has recently spoken at 3 Kiwanis meetings, the Current Club and the Men's Fellowship of the First Christian Church of El Cajon. He also gave a 15-minute radio talk over station KGB on May 7th, sponsored by the Women's Civic Planning Club.

A number of chapters of the California Incentive Taxation Committee have been formed in Greater San Diego, chiefly by graduates of the school, and 25 of the recent graduates are currently enrolled in the World Trade class.