



I wish to register my very great pleasure that you published the excellent article, "Correctives that Unite," by Walt Rybeck (October). Mr. Rybeck very clearly perceives the proper relationship between followers of the thinking of Henry George on the one hand, and the so-called "liberals" and "conservatives" on the other.

The modern-day "liberals" began with a deep concern for human welfare and rights, but they have become so enamored of big government, and so unconscious of the age-old problem of tyranny, that today they have little in common with Georgists.

The so-called "conservatives" of today, as Mr. Rybeck points out, are disturbed over big government and heavy taxation; but are almost utterly without social conscience, have no fear of the dangers of private monopolism, and have no understanding whatever of the tidal wave of social revolution that is sweeping our times.

Mr. Rybeck did an excellent job of making these points clear, and I hope his article will discourage Georgists from undertaking disruptive and unjustified flirtations with elements that would have no sympathy with basic proposals of Henry George.

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[Walt Rybeck has recently been transferred to Washington, D.C. as correspondent for The Dayton Daily News, and, with his wife and two children, has taken up residence at Silver Springs, Maryland. This is an honor which becomes him and which we all applaud. It will redound to the credit of his newspaper.]

Robert Major's "Mother and Teacher" in the October issue was the most provocative article you have printed in a long time. Congratulations.

FRED B. JACKSON
Washington, D.C.

The article by Mr. Lurio in September was fine. I wish we had more people in the Henry George movement who would interest themselves with the techniques of L.V.T. There is such a great need for working out the details. Discussions such as this are a good answer to people saying that L.V.T. is impractical.

E. S. HANSCH
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There is uneasiness here over the tax and money business, and a real crash is bound to come unless enough people wake up to put things right and abolish debt and taxes at once. I was pleased to see the "Word With You" in the October HGN. Yes, phoniness has us down in the dumps.

C. L. MORRISON
Edmonton, Alberta

Our government is running into debt at a rate unprecedented in peacetime. This of course means more inflation than ever. A few weeks ago my wife regaled me with a list of eleven articles which she had bought during the last few days, and which had gone up in price since she last bought them. Since then I have noted at least as many more price increases. I am wondering how much longer a young man will be able to tell his girl friend she looks like a million dollars without getting his face slapped.

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