A Statement

In taking over the editorship of The Freeman, I ask the indulgence of our readers. For it is with understandable trepidation that I assume a duty for which no one knows better than I the lack of professional training I bring to it.

What makes the job more formidable is the ideal which has been set for me during these past eight months by Will Lissner. Had he not done so well I would not feel the magnitude of the undertaking.

On the other hand, the job Will has done in establishing definite standards, in policy and in format, will be of real value in helping me to carry on. The hard work of starting the publication is over. To him

I owe a debt of gratitude which I shall try to repay by continuing to make The Freeman an interesting monthly interpretation of events in the light of Georgist philosophy.

A public expression of personal attachment is indelicate and a useless intrusion on the reader's time. Yet I do wish that every reader of The Freeman knew Will Lissner as I know him-for a man of such parts is well worth knowing. F. C.