

To the Editor:

I still manage to get letters in the Tasmanian press, and I can see a change of thought here. The Australian Labor party, which had its foundation built on George later adopted the socialization pledge or plank. Although quite a number of labor supporters are still leaning toward socialism and protection of secondary industries by tariff laws, the press here is becoming more pro-George.

I have sent copies of our journals to the local press, including the H. G. News dealing with the dollar question.

The leagues in Melbourne, Sydney* and South and Western Australia are doing a good job, and I am prepared to say that South and Western Australia are nearer to success than most states. The Tasmanian rating system is far behind the times (that is for local government). General taxation is still under the commonwealth plan of uniform taxation.

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[*See next column.]