

The School in the News

NEW JERSEY offers the basic course for the first time in the new headquarters building at 78 Clinton Avenue, Newark. Students are urged to take advantage of the reading room and well-stocked library. The reading racks include regularly three daily newspapers and a number of periodicals, including *The Henry George News* (but it's better to have your own copy).

ST. LOUIS alumni members celebrated their first anniversary on September 9th at their new club rooms, 5164 Washington Avenue. All active members pay \$5 annually and have voting privileges—they also receive *The Henry A. George News* as a bonus.

CHICAGO'S Henry George Woman's Club, Ninth District, Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs, held its annual picnic in August in commemoration of John Z. White's birthday. Dr. George Tideman spoke on some of the highlights in the career of this contemporary of Henry George who lectured so widely on his principles. Community singing was led by Mrs. Selim M. Tideman and Mrs. George A. Tetzlaff, president, welcomed members and their friends. John Lawrence Monroe, director of the Henry George School in Chicago, was the guest speaker.

DETROIT'S fall program got under way with a dinner meeting at the Downtown YMCA with S. James Clarkson as the speaker on the subject, "The Legality of Land Value Taxation in Michigan." Leonard Huckabone was chairman. Five classes are being conducted in the Downtown YMCA, the Ferndale Lincoln High School and the Birmingham High School. For further information address Robert Benton, director, Henry George School, 920 Ford Building, Detroit 26.

EAST BAY Extension friends in Berkeley welcomed a new director, Arleigh Chute to succeed the retiring founder of this extension, Mrs. Caroline E. Thompson. Mr. Chute is a technical representative for an X-ray company in San Francisco whose interest in political economy began three years ago at the Henry George School in San Francisco.

LOS ANGELES again celebrated Henry George's birthday with a get-together at headquarters, characterized by an informal discussion directed toward better cooperation between students and the headquarters staff, with a view to extending the principles of Henry George. A course in Applied Economics has begun at the school, 577 N. Vermont Avenue.

SAN DIEGO is fortunate in having added to its teaching staff, Louis Perna, former dean of the New Jersey School, and Charles Adams, past president of the San Diego alumni group. Seven classes in basic economics have begun in San Diego and environs. The Lemon Grove alumni (graduates of Everett Seeley's classes) have organized a civic group and have had several interesting meetings. One item on their agenda is to find a name for their group activity.

NEW YORK announces, in addition to its many basic classes, five unusual advanced courses as follows: A Philosophy of Life under the guidance of Robert Clancy, based on the teachings of the school's founder; Great Books Discussion with skilled moderators, including Dean George H. Royal; The Business Cycle by Stanley Sinclair, based on the book by E. C. Harwood, *Cause and Control of the Business Cycle*; and *Progress and Poverty* Re-examined with Phil Grant, author of *The Wonderful Wealth Machine*.