The School in the News

TORONTO leads off this month for a change. On a recent visit to three extensions, Robert Clancy, director of the Henry George School, spoke at the School of Economic Science, along with Murray V. Jones, Commissioner of Planning and Secretary-Treasurer of Toronto's Metropolitan Planning Board. The subject was "Housing and Re-development," and under the leadership of Harry E. Pollard, Southern Ontario director, the evening was profitable, witty and entertaining.

DETROIT school friends came out in enthusiastic numbers to meet "Director Clancy" when he spoke in their city on April 17th preceding the Toronto visit. This was a dinner meeting at Wayne State University and Mr. Clancy spoke on "The Cure for the Recession." C. Leonard Huckabone was the chairman.

OHIO's director, Verlin Gordon, welcomed Robert Clancy at the three-year old extension city of Cleveland, where the principles of Henry George were once widely understood and discussed. At present the spring term is getting under way at the Troy Public Library in an effort to re-acquaint this city with some of its storied past.

LOS ANGELES has "night people' too! On a recent late radio show the Fairhope plan was mentioned and two alert listeners, Jack and June Kennedy, telephoned the station to fill in details and give specific information about the Henry George School. Listener inquiries were numerous and the response is still being felt at the school.

At the April completion party held at the downtown Los Angeles auditorium of the Southern California Gas Company, a symposium was held dealing with the current recession. Participants were Thomas Randall, speaking for labor; Leigh Sillipahant, presenting the businessman's views; Stanley Sapiro representing the Henry George School; and Hyman Ledeen, industrialist and engineer, was chairman.

NEW JERSEY invited all friends to an informal reception in April to meet the five men and eight women recently graduated from a class led by Phil Grant, Dave Sklar and John T. Tetley in the study of *Progress and Poverty*. Two new classes in Fundamental Economics have begun at headquarters on Tuesday and Wednesday evening. Visitors are cordially invited to drop in at 78 Clinton Avenue, the school's new location in "a pleasant neighborhood in downtown Newark" any day.

NEW YORK is looking forward to an Eastern Director's Conference to be held at headquarters May 10th and 11th. Directors from Toronto, Montreal, Boston, Hartford, Philadelphia and New Jersey are expected. Saturday will be given over to discussion of pertinent problems of interest to all. New York faculty members will welcome an opportunity to meet the visiting directors in the evening, and a happy time is anticipated by all.

May evening events include a discussion by Phil Grant and Sydney Mayers on May 2nd on "How to Avoid Depressions"; May 9th is the last film program of the season; and on May 16th Lionel Gonzalez will show color slides from Egypt and Israel, trouble spots of the East; all at 8 p.m. May 24th is fiesta evening, starting at 6 p.m. with an Italian dinner followed by a Hi-fi recording of "Tosca" at 7:30.

DON'T FORGET! San Diego Georgists are working like beavers to have everything in perfect readiness for July 9th to 13th when delegates to the annual conference of the Henry George School will be exclaiming mightily over the climate, the hospitality and their good fortune at being present.