## The Henry George School in the News

SAN FRANCISCO enjoyed its winter banquet on December 16th with everybody turning out to hear and applaud Dr. Irene Hickman. By this time Georgists around the world surely know that Dr. Irene Hickman is the first woman ever to have been elected an assessor, and that she endorses Henry George's principles. So when she spoke on "Why One Hundred Percent," her audience was with her one hundred percent. Whoever would have imagined the dismal science could arouse so much interest? She was introduced by Hon. George R. Reilly, Chairman of the State Board of Equalization.

**DETROIT** graduates came out on a snowy night for the graduation exercises at the Whittier Hotel on December 10th, when Robert Clancy, the school's director from New York, was the speaker-Robert Benton, Michigan director, presided. Among out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Smith of Grand Rapids. The headquarters of this Michigan extension are in Royal Oak where activities are conducted from a handsomely appointed office. A new promotion circular has been prepared whereby prospective students may indicate their own choice for a class location.

BOSTON held its commencement in the Arlington Street Church on December 12th. William Camargo, Head of the Spanish Division of the HGS in New York spoke on the international work of the school. Sanford Farkas was the chairman. The Boston director, Mitchell S. Lurio, has been conducting basic classes for some time in

this church near the Boston Common, and will soon begin a class in Applied Economics.

NEW YORK advanced classes begin the week of January 9th with three in Applied Economics and one in Economic Science; also, History of Spain, Public Speaking, History of Economic Thought, Money and Credit, and Introduction to Linguistics. The basic course, Progress and Poverty, begins January 16th with classes Monday through Friday. Economics classes in French, Spanish, Italian and German begin the week of January 23rd.

Lancaster M. Greene, investment counselor and treasurer of the Henry George School, will begin the Fridays at Eight series on January 6th with his ever popular market message. On January 27th Dr. Pasquale Cerasoli will discuss "The Chiropractic Approach to Health." January 13th and 27th will

be film nights.

The first faculty and friends dinner of the year will be on January 7th at headquarters. A discussion will follow at 7:30 on "Russia Today." Professor Ellsworth Raymond of New York University will speak, also Jack Schwartzman; and Nathan Gish will show color slides. Sydney A. Mayers will preside.

Newsletters in three different languages have been launched at headquarters for graduates of the foreign language divisions: Bulletin Georgiste (French), Georgist Nachrichten (German), and Notiziario H. George (Italian). These will be issued periodically and everybody is invited to send in news items which may be of interest to readers abroad.

1967 marks the 35th anniversary of the Henry George School.