

The petitions for the pending measure must be signed before July 1st by 25,000 qualified electors. The vote is on Nov. 6. Our friends are therefore urged to communicate with Barney Haughey, secretary Single Tax and Old Age Pension League, 1605 Larimer Street, Denver, Colorado. The pamphlet containing instructions to circulators of the petition is a carefully prepared argument which does credit to Mr. Haughey's committee.

Prof. Harry Gunnison Brown will send his "Tale of Two Cities" for distribution by thousands throughout the state in addition to which, if funds are available, reprints of Prof. Brown's article on the Farmer in this issue of LAND AND FREEDOM will be widely circulated.

Single Taxers Planning for Chicago Convention

COMMITTEES to take care of every phase of the third annual Henry George Congress have now been organized under the able leadership of General Chairman Clayton J. Ewing, who is also the popular President of the Chicago Single Tax Club, having recently been re-elected to that office in recognition of the good work accomplished during the first year of the re-organized club's activities. Stimulated by the success of the two Congresses which met in Philadelphia and New York, the Chicago Club is eager to do all that is possible to make the Congress in that city one that will be remembered as another milestone in Single Tax progress.

It is too early to make announcements concerning the actual programme for the Congress, but we are assured that there will be a number of prominent figures in the movement and that discussions will be provided to cover all of the more important phases of the Single Tax progress to the extent of the capacity of the three-day session which opens Monday, September 10th at the Congress Hotel. This Hotel has reserved for our convention, meeting rooms admirably adapted to the purpose and the management is lending its hearty cooperation.

The following sub-committees have been named:

Reception Committee: Henry Tideman, Chairman; George C. Olcott, Joseph L. Murray, John F. Connors, Mildred Tideman, Mrs. Angeline Loesch Graves.

Registration: John Lawrence Monroe, Chairman; Marien Tideman.

Press Publicity: Leo Heller, Chairman; Emil O. Jorgensen, E. A. Howes, Joseph Bauer.

Local Transportation: Otto Cullman, Chairman; Dr. Walter Verity, Edwin Hamilton.

George M. Strachan has been appointed Vice Chairman of the general committee.

Mrs. Henry Martin, Secretary of the Henry George Lecture Association, reports a keen interest on the part of her correspondents in various parts of the country in the approaching convention, and that a number have

indicated that they are planning to be in Chicago to participate. A goodly delegation from the Pacific Coast states is expected in view of the central location of Chicago as compared with the recent places of meeting.

The value of the annual Congress in the way of instruction and inspiration has been demonstrated by the gatherings of 1926 and 1927 and the Convention Committee appeals to all disciples of Henry George throughout the United States and Canada to rally to the support of the Chicago convention. A special effort will also be made by Chairman Ewing to have delegates present representing the international movement in lands across the seas.

The first announcement of convention plans will go out through the mails within a few weeks and fuller information as to the programme will be available for the July-August issue of LAND AND FREEDOM. Those who have the cause of Henry George and his philosophy at heart are urged to plan early for a great gathering in Chicago in September.

Lecture Work of the Henry George Foundation

SECRETARY PERCY R. WILLIAMS, of the Henry George Foundation, responding to invitations from co-workers in several different fields, carried his speaking campaign into New York, Ohio and Delaware during April and May, in addition to carrying on the work incident to the movement for advanced tax legislation in Pennsylvania.

At Syracuse, New York, he spoke to the Rotary Club, one of the largest of its kind in the world, and found a keen interest in the idea of concentrating municipal taxes upon land values along the lines of the Pittsburgh plan. Journeying into Ohio, he spoke on Sunday, April 22d, to the congregation of the People's Church of Cincinnati, presided over by the veteran Single Tax leader, Rev. Herbert S. Bigelow. Mr. Bigelow himself gave a most desirable introductory presentation of the fundamentals of the Single Tax philosophy, in which he evinces the same deep interest he has maintained throughout the years. Mr. Williams was also the guest of a representative group of Single Taxers of Cincinnati at a luncheon in the University Club, arranged by Fenton Lawson, another member of the Advisory Commission of the Foundation.

Dr. Mark Milliken, chairman of the Ohio state committee, also spoke at this meeting, commenting favorably on the work of the Henry George Foundation and on its last Congress in New York City, and emphasizing the need for organized effort in Ohio. Through the cooperation of Dr. Milliken, Mr. Williams also addressed the Economics Class of the Western College for Women at Oxford and students of the Hamilton High School.

Visiting Delaware early in May, Mr. Williams spoke on the Pittsburgh Plan to the members of the Wilmington