

York, have been enrolled, and have pledged their services to the extent of their abilities whenever required. A pamphlet containing half-tone cuts of the speakers, and outlining the plans of the Lecture Bureau will be sent on application. This is the greatest and most important work ever undertaken in this city, and its progress will be watched with interest.

DR. MATTHEW GAFFNEY.

(See Frontispiece.)

Dr. Matthew Gaffney, author of the forthcoming book containing much of interest relating to the late Doctor McGlynn, was born in the city of Newark, N. J., in 1870, and is a descendant of John Carr, who was among the first to import Irish flax into America. Dr. Gaffney was graduated from the Christian Brothers' School and the New Jersey Business College in his native city, and in 1897 was graduated with the degree of M. D. from the College of Physicians and Surgeons.

Though a young man Dr. Gaffney has built up a large and lucrative practice in the city of Newark, and has contributed to medical science several works on heredity.

The Single Tax cause has no firmer friend, no more earnest worker than this successful young physician. The Single Tax means more to him than to most men. In the conception of its philosophy he ascribes to the results that would follow its adoption a great deal more perhaps than many of us would even dare to hope for. And these probable results he will contend for with citations from his medical experience and illustrations drawn from his reading of Buckle, Spencer, Mill and Adam Smith. He believes that the Single Tax will bring about a reign of law that will not abolish involuntary poverty only, but crime and disease as well. He still wears a Single Tax button which Henry George pinned upon his breast, and he reveres the name of Dr. McGlynn as the priest not only of the faith of the church of which he is a devoted adherent, but of that economic faith which is needed to supplement the work of the church

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