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NEW JERSEY -

Two New Jersey resolutions — one from Senator Feldman, the other from Assemblyman Mazur — proclaim May 5th Henry George Day. The event was noted in an article in a local New Jersey newspaper, the *Palisadian II*. The proclamations state that "Outstanding in the 19th Century is the name Henry George. . . To chart a safe course through the future, Henry George. . . proposed a number of reforms affecting the quality of life of all the citizenry of our nation, including an equitable property tax, the elimination of urban blight and the wise use of natural resources. This House honors the memory of the man who advocated peace and brotherhood among men."

School Notes

SAN FRANCISCO

The San Francisco School has been busy organizing a program of events to celebrate the anniversary of *Protection or Free Trade*. Activities included a seminar by the Junior Statesmen of America with student debates, dinners, an essay contest "Invest in America," the distribution of informational flyers and a proclamation by the Mayor of San Francisco naming May 5th Henry George Day. The Northern Californians celebrated Henry George Day in style.

LONG ISLAND

A group of twelve Georgists, many coming from the Long Island Executive meeting, recently traveled from Long Island to the Henry George Birthplace in Philadelphia.

George Collins, Director of the Philadelphia School, spoke to the group about the historical significance of the Birthplace and its many memorabilia including Henry George's bed and foot locker, and a first edition of *Progress and Poverty*. The group spent the afternoon visiting other historical sites in Philadelphia.