Progress of The Campaign

New York

THANKS to an autocratic election law, enacted by Democrats and Republicans for the very purpose of keeping new political ideas off the ballot, the citizens of New York will not have the opportunity this year of voting for Macauley and Barnum.

After months of futile planning, the Single Tax Party of New York gave up the hope of getting on the official ballot of the State. The law simply made it impossible without an expenditure of at least \$5,000—which the party could not raise this year.

In order that every citizen of New York City, at least, might have the opportunity of voting for the Single Tax, the party, at an expense of about one thousand dollars, succeeded in placing on the official ballot the names of the following candidates:

Banjamin W. Burger, for Justice of the Supreme Court, First District, which includes all of New York and Bronx Counties.

Edmund Conger Brown, for Justice of the Supreme Court, Second District, which includes all of Long Island and Staten Island.

Morris VanVeen, for Congressman from the 21st Congressional District.

George R. Macey, for Assemblyman from the 7th Assembly District.

Burger and Brown afford an opportunity for every voter in the greater city to register his or her conviction on the Single Tax. Every follower of Henry George should urge all of his friends to vote for either of these two candidates.

The larger the vote for the Single Tax the sooner will the land question be injected into the political arena.

Immediately after the election the party will inaugurate a movement for the democratization of the election law, so that in 1922 it may be possible to place a State ticket in the field. Also, plans are being formulated for the organization of County Committees throughout the State.

New Jersey

NEW JERSEY has placed on the ballot the following names as presidential electors for Macauley and Barnum:

John Greany, Newark; J. Benjamin Douglas, Bloomfield; Mark M. Fagan, Jersey City; Wm. B. DuBois, Bayonne; Chas. Goldzier, Bayonne; Herman G. Loew, Newark; Rayner M. Bedell, Montclair; Edwin J. Jones, Westfield; David White, Paterson; Orrin I. Brieby, Palisade; Henry A. C. Hellyer, Tenafly; Frank L. Pollard, East Orange; Percy S. Marcellus, Orange; J. T. R. Proctor, Bayonne.

In Monmouth County Mr. Gaston Haxo, son-in-law of that old friend of Henry George, A. M. Molina, has been nominated for the State Senate.

In Hudson County the following ticket has been nominated for Members of General Assembly:

Samuel R. Shoup, Weehawken; Adolph I. Lohse, West Hoboken; J. Wm. Oliver, West New York; Henry Molteni, Weehawken; James M. Dow, West Hoboken; Thos. W. Edwards, West New York; Robt. Bruckhoff, West Hoboken; Geo. E. French, Jr., Jersey City; Thos. A. Gilson, Hoboken; Frank Wagner, Hoboken; O. Edward Smith, Hoboken; Amelia E. DuBois, Bayonne.

In Essex County the following have been nominated for Members of the General Assembly:

Frank B. Connor, Belleville; Geo. E. Sanderson, Belleville; William J. Wallace, Newark; Alfred Bourgeois, Nutley; Eugene T. Leach, Belleville; Alfred Cooper, Belleville; Jeremiah V. B. Parker, Newark; Gladwin Bouton, Bloomfield; Joseph E. Stegner, Newark; Walter J. Triner, Caldwell; William A. Bock, Newark; George L. Rusby, Nutley.

In Bergen County Chas. T. Logan, of Palisade, has been nominated for Congress for the 6th District.

The nominees for General Assembly in Bergen County are Mrs. Agnes Lillian Shannon, Morsemere; Wm. P. Rothman, Palisade; and William D. Newman, Hackensack.

In Union County the following were nominated for Members of the General Assembly: Mrs. Caroline Peddie Ball, Westfield; Paul T. Peckham, Westfield; and William F. Wakeham, Rahway.

There is a very general and widespread interest among the people of New Jersey and they are beginning to understand and appreciate the explanation of the Single Tax as to what would naturally follow the policy the Single Tax Party has adopted, in the phrase, "The rent of land belongs to the people." They receive it gladly, and a largely increased vote is looked for in this State.

The State Committee is thus officially constituted: Raynor M. Bedell, of Montclair, Chairman; and E. M. Caffall, of West Palisade, Treasurer.

Connecticut

TWO candidates of the Single Tax Party have entered the race for representation in the General Assembly, John Cairns and Will Asimus. Mr. Cairns is too well known to need any introduction to readers of the Review. Mr. Asimus has been a newspaper man for fifteen years and previous to coming to Manchester was a member of the reportorial staffs of the New York World, Evening Sun and New York American. It is his first venture in politics. He is editorially connected with the Manchester Herald.

Mr. Cairns is conducting an active campaign and has addressed a number of good meetings in Manchester, Hartford, and Thompsonville. Mr. Macauley spoke in Bridgeport on October 6.

The presidential electors are as follows:

William J. Lee, Bridgeport; John E. Heyke, Whitneyville;



Frederick K. Perry, Union City; George E. Mecorney, Meriden; Oliver Rule, Meriden; Will Asimus, Manchester; John Cairns, Manchester.

Ohio

EVEN the old-line Single Taxers said we could never get 9,000 signatures to petitions in Ohio and get on the ballot, for every signer had to pledge himself to support and vote for the Single Tax.

In six days we secured 18,979 signatures in Cleveland alone. 5,000 signatures were secured in one day in the city of which Tom Johnson was formerly mayor.

September second was a proud day for us, for it was Henry George's birthday and our little band marched by Tom Johnson's statue, which holds in its hand a copy of "Progress and Poverty," on our way to file with the Board of Elections our Single Tax petitions containing nearly 19,000 signatures. We were on the ballot in Ohio with over twice the number of signatures required, and most of them, because of the diligence of our able Chairman, George Edwards, were sworn to twice instead of once as the law requires. We were taking no chances with the politicians.

In two months we have secured more publicity in Ohio for Single Tax than it has previously had in a great many years. The Cleveland *Press* has notified us that if we will furnish them Single Tax news they will give us space every day until election.

Already E. H. Foote, Single Tax nominee for Governor, has challenged both the Republican and Democratic candidates to debate the question, "Resolved, that the one-plank platform of the Single Tax Party will effectively solve more of the vital problems of today and come nearer to establishing justice to all, both rich and poor alike, than all the planks of both the Republican and Democratic platforms combined." They will hear from Foote again whether or not they accept this challenge.

Thousands of pieces of Single Tax literature have already been distributed, and we are arranging a speaking programme for the spreading of the gospel of the Single Tax. Meetings are being held on the Public Square in Cleveland.

Some Single Taxers said it would be far easier to get signatures to the Amendment petition than to our Party petition. Cleveland was the city where the Amendment people had their best success, but they had worked for many weeks to secure only 8,000 names when our straight-out Single Tax Party appeared on the scene and secured nearly 19,000 names in six days. We then turned our organization over to the Amendment people and in two weeks they had added 14,000 names to their list, but even now the Amendment will not get on the ballot this year. This should convince timid Single Taxers that the Party movement is a real good for the Single Tax cause, and the way to get a thing done is to go after it.

At the present writing the Single Tax Vice-Presidential candidate, R. C. Barnum, is preparing a challenge to debate with the Vice-Presidential candidate of the Farmer-Labor

Party. He, too, is a Cleveland resident. Mr. Barnum has also taken steps to secure an aeroplane in which he hopes to be able to make a trip over several States campaigning and distributing literature. Here in Ohio our motto is "ACTION."

On Saturday, September 18th, four of our Single Tax candidates spoke on the Public Square in Cleveland, and got a statement of what the Single Tax stands for in each of the three leading Cleveland papers.

We filed with the Secretary of State a drawing of a black cat which we propose to use as the Single Tax emblem. Below is what the Cleveland *Plain Dealer*, of September 19th, said:

"R. C. Barnum, Single Tax Party candidate for Vice-President, E. H. Foote, candidate for Governor and other Party leaders have put up to Secretary of State, Harvey C. Smith, the proposal to give the Single Tax ticket on the presidential ballot an insignia of its own. The Democrats have a rooster, the Republicans have an eagle, the Socialists have a torch, and the Single Tax Party wants a cat, a black cat.

"'Not because we are superstitious,' the Party leaders say, 'but because when a man is converted to the Single Tax principle he says, 'I see the cat,' or 'that keeps the cat in the bag.'"

At Columbus yesterday members of the Secretary of State's office said they would try to comply with the request although it may be impossible to get the cuts to all counties before the ballots are printed.

Cleveland papers carried an announcement of our adoption of the emblem of the black cat.

E. H. Foote, the Single Tax Party's candidate for Governor, has challenged the Democratic and Republican candidates to a series of joint debates. He has also attacked those Democratic leaders who have formerly been Single Taxers, among them being Vic Donahey, Democratic candidate for Governor, and the Republican candidate as well.

R. C. Barnum has publicly pilloried men who were formerly avowed Single Taxers and who are now silent on the principle. "Chameleons," he calls them, and among them are Robert Crosser, Newton D. Baker and Vic Donahey.

He says:

"I challenge these men to come out and stand for what they once advocated. On the other hand, I challenge them to denounce the Single Tax and lose the votes they once might have had."

Mr. Barnum's position is that one cannot be for and against the Single Tax, at the same time, and that Henry George's definition of a Single Taxer holds good: A Single Taxer is one who does something for the Single Tax."

At the executive meeting of the Ohio Single Tax Party on Saturday, September 18th, we passed a resolution to mail to each banker in the city of Cleveland a copy of our platform and arguments together with a letter calling his attention to the fact that there is an organized political party in the field that intends to stay in the field until it brings down rents and land values, and we call the attention of the bankers to the fact that they may be able to use this



fact with some customer who wants to borrow on the present fictitious land values.

Following are the names of the Ohio nominees of the Single Tax Party: For Governor, E. H. Foote, Cleveland; Lieutenant-Governor, W. O. Blase, Youngstown; Secretary of State, Jasper Shuman, Toledo; State Auditor, J. H. Kaufman, Columbus; State Treasurer, Adam Lehr, Cleveland; Attorney-General, George Edwards, Youngstown; Chief Justice, Joseph W. Gottlieb, Youngstown; Supreme Court Judge, Frank R. Field, Youngstown; Supreme Court Judge, G. D. Hersey, Youngstown; Supreme Court Judge, George Cook, Cleveland; U. S. Senator, Henry B. Strong, Cleveland.

A telegram has been received from the Secretary of State announcing that the Single Tax ticket is safely on the ballot, having secured 25,000 signatures to the nominating petitions. The Farmer-Labor Party has secured only 6,000, several thousand less than the law requires, and will not appear on the ballot. And this is instructive as to our course in Chicago, for if the Single Tax Party had allowed itself to be swallowed up by the Farmer-Labor Party the Single Tax would not now be on the ballot.

Following are the presidential electors for Ohio: F. E. Barnum, Garrettsville; Thomas Taylor, Youngstown; John E. Jennings, Cleveland; Evan J. Edwards, Youngstown; W. F. Hammond, Youngstown; Arthur J. Morcomb, Youngstown; W. E. Tuttle, Warren; John McCaughtrey, Lisbon; W. J. Williams, Youngstown; Albert Davis, Youngstown; John McGovern, Cleveland; John Kelly, Youngstown; S. G. Foote, Medina; F. E. Cottier, Cleveland; E. Lee Young, Youngstown; M. T. Foote, Lorain; M. C. Fisher, Youngstown; O. C. Budde, Cleveland; James D. McDougal, Youngstown; A. R. Nelson, Columbus; A. M. Finnie, Youngstown; Andrew Russell, Youngstown; James H. McCormick, Youngstown; Morgan Davis, Youngstown.

Following are the officers of the State Committee: George Edwards, Youngstown, Chairman; E. H. Foote, Cleveland, Secretary; and R. C. Barnum, Cleveland, Treasurer.

Pennsylvania

Party, is to know a whole lot more about the Single Tax Party, is to know a whole lot more about the Single Tax before the campaign is over, if the plans of the State Committee of the Party can be even half-way carried out. Not only the old war horses who have been plugging away, pushing forward the Party's cause since five years ago when the Party was organized in Philadelphia, but a lot of new blood as well, is taking an active part in spreading the good news broadcast that there is hope for better conditions through the freeing of the land, for which the Party stands.

James H. Dix, who has been the State Secretary ever since the formation of the Party's State organization in Pennsylvania, has become the State Chairman this year, and in addition to holding down the job of Chairman of the National Executive Committee is trying to put ginger into the State Committee's work. In addition to receiving val-

uable support from the Party's candidate for President, Robert C. Macauley, who was formerly Chairman of the Pennsylvania State Committee, his efforts are being backed up nobly by such well-known Pennsylvania workers as Frederick E. Mayer, Chairman of the Press Committee, John W. Dix, Secretary of the State Committee and head of the Delaware County organization, Oliver McKnight, who is known to thousands as a Single Tax letter writer through the newspapers, that old veteran, Thos. Cavanaugh, and others.

r In naming presidential electors the presidential candidate eecognized the women voters by honoring two women a lectoral candidates. One is Frances I. Macauley and the other Mrs. Caroline Ludy Dix, wife of James H. Dix, the State Chairman. The State ticket is headed by one of the new leaders in the movement, Mr. Joseph E. Jennings, of Lansdale, Pa., as candidate for United States Senator. Among the State candidates the women are also recognized by the nomination of Mrs. Janette Reynolds Dix of Delaware County, as candidate for Auditor-General.

At the last meeting of the State Committee special committees were appointed for the raising of campaign funds and for extending the organization in various counties of the State. The State Committee will hold its next meeting in Philadelphia on Monday, September 27, at which time the committee will take up definite plans for a schedule of meetings in the principal towns and cities and as much detail canvassing as it can arrange for.

While realizing the great publicity value of large meetings which will be reported in the newspapers, the officers of the committee are emphasizing to all workers the importance of personal canvassing, as they believe nothing has shown the same vote-getting power as this individual effort in bringing the question before the voters. Chairman Dix says that while it is a little too early to make estimates, he believes that Pennsylvania will show that it has not been asleep in the question of getting votes for the Party, and will be found to have done its part in bringing the day of actual accomplishment nearer.

The Pennsylvania Woman's Committee of the Single Tax Party, under the leadership of Mrs. Caroline Ludy Dix, organized during the campaign last year, is at work again, endeavoring to interest especially the new women voters. Women's organizations are being communicated with, and speakers will be placed before such as are holding meetings for the discussion of political subjects.

Following are the presidential electors for Pennsylvania: Frank E. Martin, Hatfield, Montgomery Co.; Harry S. Macauley, Glenside, Mon tgomery Co.; Mrs. Caroline Ludy Dix, Brookline, Delaware Co.; Frederick A. Boch, William Penn P. O., Montgomery Co.; John A. C. Owens, Philadelphia; George A. Haug, Philadelphia; Frank Pfrommer, Philadelphia; James A. Robinson, Philadelphia; Dr. John T. Purdy, Philadelphia; Miss Frances I. Macauley, Philadelphia; Oliver Wingert, Philadelphia; Joseph B. Chamberlain, Philadelphia; John W. Dix, Ardmore Park; Edward



J. Lafferty, Pottstown; Henry L. Webster, Lancaster Co.; Andrew J. Cox, Luzerne Co.; Joseph H. Painter, Lackawanna Co.; William H. Dieter, Schuylkill Co.; Calvin A. Miller, Berks Co.; Charles J. Ford, Susquehanna Co.; George W. Genter, Lycoming Co.; Daniel W. Pesler, Sullivan Co.; Henry W. Dietzel, Franklin Co.; George R. Enck, Cumberland Co.; Oliver F. Clapper, Bedford Co.; William Snodgrass, York Co.; Martin P. Burk, Clearfield Co.; George Pancoast, Westmoreland Co.; Snyder M. Kelly, Fayette Co.; Edward Manus, Washington Co.; Henry V. Bell, Erie Co.; Robert F. Hartzell, Northampton Co.; Harold H. Jones, Clarion Co.; John Z. Diem, Venango Co.; George P. Loomis, Allegheny Co.; August A. Mackel, Allegheny Co.; James B. Sharpe, Allegheny Co.; Thomas J. P. Brown, Allegheny Co.

Massachusetts

HE fate of our Massachusetts petition is in grave doubt. The Boston Registration Board has put tremendous obstacles in our way. In Massachusetts we have to have 1,000 names which are certified to as voters by the Registration Board, and the Boston Registration Board has been going out of its way to refuse to certify to various names. Thus far we have submitted something like 2,700 signatures, most of which are undoubtedly genuine, but the Board rejects everybody who does not insert the middle initial in a signature, or who does not spell William fully. In other words, they throw out all the names such as Wm., Jos., Geo., Jas., etc. Their interpretation is that a signer of a petition must sign his name exactly as he placed it on the Registration rolls, and inasmuch as almost everybody may sign his name in several different ways, this makes the work very hard. Mr. Reis has only about 900 names and will make a trip to the Registration Board to see if they will certify to enough more to put us over the top. If they refuse, we are lost, as the time for getting more signatures has expired.

It will be a glorious opportunity for the citizens of this State to vote for a principle instead of a humbug, for every sensible man knows that the difference between Cox and Harding is the difference between tweedle-dee and tweedledum.

Massachusetts, the home of Hancock, Adams, Warren, Theodore Parker, William Lloyd Garrison, and a galaxy of the noblest of those who have fought for freedom, will show the world that her sons are worthy of these great names.

We are working hard. Mr. Reis is here, an indefatigable worker, at it constantly and enthusiastically, and just where he ought to be every moment of the time.

Our candidate for Governor, Hollis C. Joy, whom we all admire for his devotion, is working steadily. He has addressed a number of meetings on the Boston Common Sunday afternoons, ably assisted by Messrs. Capen, Reis and Crossman. The audiences have been unusually large and the cause is gaining ground.

We gave a luncheon recently to our distinguished visitor

from New Zealand, Hon. George Fowlds. He was the guest of William Lloyd Garrison and we co-operated with Mr. Garrison in honoring him. He gave a careful summary of events in New Zealand and instilled new hope in our hearts by his very fine addresss. Mr. Garrison was chairman and gave a brief and excellent talk on the Single Tax. Candidate Joy and Jerome C. Reis contributed brief addresses and the luncheon passed profitably for the cause. All present with one exception signed the nominating petition. The ticket is as follows:

For Governor, Hollis C. Joy of Boston; Lieutenant-Governor, Frank Grant of Westfield; Secretary of State, Robert B. Capon of Newton Centre; Auditor, Lincoln Crowell of Sandwich; State Treasurer, Dr. Charles S. Millet of Brockton.

Following are the names of the presidential electors for this State:

Emanuel Petersen, Wakefield; Jane Dearborn Mills, Brookline; Albert J. Orem, Brookline; Weldon L. Crossman, Revere; Sophia E. Haven, Boston; Gustaf Miller, Roslindale; Anson K. Cross, Ashland; George H. Preising, Matapan, Boston; Henry D. Nunn, Boston; John R. Nichols, Cambridge; Michael C. O'Neill, Brookline; Rupert B. Rogers, Newtonville; John Lavis, Boston; Elizabeth C. Millet, Brockton; Benjamin F. DaCosta, Roxbury, Boston; John H. O'Neill, Brookline; Arthur B. Harper, Weymouth; George D. Ashgate, Boston.

Following are the names of officers of the State Committee: M. C. O'Neill, Chairman, Boston; Hollis C. Joy, Secretary, Albert J. Orem, Treasurer.

Illinois

THE Single Taxers of Chicago have at last woke up and taken hold of the party movement with enthusiasm. At the time of the Single Tax Convention in Chicago last month, the local Single Taxers had not had their ideas for political action crystallized into a definite and concrete conviction. As a consequence that Convention was viewed with more or less apathy on the part of Chicago reformers. Now, however, the situation has changed and the disinclination to enter the political field largely overcome.

This change has been mainly brought about through the energy and enthusiasm of one man, Mr. W. J. Leary, the State Chairman. He has rounded up the local Georgeites, induced them to see things as he sees them, and in fact wrought a complete change in the local situation.

The first task that Mr. Leary had to accomplish was to get the consent of Single Taxers to have their names placed on the ballot as candidates for the various offices to be filled. This was finally accomplished, notwithstanding the reluctance of many to have their names printed on the ballot for one reason or another (mostly business reasons) or because, while Single Taxers, they did not like to give their adherence to party action without further consideration or perhaps, persuasion. However, Mr. Leary overcame all



obstacles. He secured a full list of candidates for all national and State offices.

The next task was to have the petitions printed, to collect money for expenses and to enlist volunteers to secure signatures. This has all been accomplished. The State law provides that 1,000 names of registered voters who have not voted at the primaries must be secured in order to have the party ticket placed on the ballot. The petitions have been circulated and instead of 1,000 signatures it looks now as if it will be nearer 3,000 than 1,000.

Besides the Single Tax Party ticket on the ballot there will be three or four other parties in the field competing for recognition. The Farmer-Labor or trade union ticket is one, the Liberal Party or the discontented 48ers, is another, besides one or two more now incubating.

The outlook for a large vote for the Single Tax ticket is most encouraging. Estimates by good judges are that the ticket may poll from 10,000 to 20,000 votes in Chicago alone. This opinion is based on the theory that there will be many dissatisfied Republicans who will be unwilling to vote for Harding with his reactionary and "normalcy" ideas, besides his stand on the League of Nations. On the other hand, there will be many Democrats who will be indisposed to vote for Cox on account of their feeling of resentment at the present administration, who are opposed to the League and who fear the Democratic candidate's moist inclinations. Neither of these elements will want to vote for their traditional enemy, the opposition ticket. They will either refrain from voting at all, or can be induced to voice their protest in a third party ticket. The Single Tax ticket, being the best known reform movement on economic lines except the socialistic ticket and on account of the disrepute that party has fallen into in the minds of many, the Single Tax Party is the logical party for them to affiliate with. Besides this, thousands who are not open advocates of the Single Tax will welcome an opportunity to vote a ticket which voices their convictions.

The time is most auspicious for launching the new party. Following are the presidential electors for Illinois:

Ernest N. Braucher, Chicago; Lillian B. Cronin, Chicago; Dr. Mary C. Conner, Chicago; Lorenzo C. Daniels, Chicago; Dr. Wendall Diebold, Chicago; Dr. Walter E. Elfrink, Chicago; Clayton J. Ewing, Averyville; Herman Forel, Chicago; William A. Gilbert, Oak Park; Dr. Andrew A. Gour, Chicago; Henry H. Hardinge, Chicago; Dr. William Edward Harper, Chicago; Charles Henry Hartman, Chicago; James Derrel Hart, Vienna; Oscar E. Hedrich, Chicago; Charles J. F. Kraft, Chicago; Emil Kurtz, Chicago; Barbara C. Len, Chicago; C. Edward L'Hommedieu, Berwyn; Dr. Morris Lychenheim, Chicago; Michael J. McGane, Chicago; George Chandler Madison, Chicago; Jennie L. Madison, Chicago; John O'Connor, Chicago; Anton S. Rosing, Chicago; Detleff Sievers, Chicago; William K. Smith, Chicago; William D. Tate, Oak Park.

Following are the candidates for office on the Party ticket: Geo. D. Carrington, Chicago, for U. S. Senator; Lewis Dana Spaulding, Springfield, for Governor; Arthur D. Foyer, Evanston, for Lieut.-Governor; William A. Wittick, Peoria, for Secretary of State; James F. Cronin, Chicago, for Auditor of Public Accounts; Dr. Robt. T. Aiston, Chicago, for State Treasurer; Judge Joseph W. Vistain, Chicago, for Attorney-General; Huldah L. Potter, Chicago, for Clerk of the Supreme Court; Dora Welty Jeremiah W. Connors, of Chicago, and Albert Hennings, of Peoria, for Trustees of the University of Illinois.

Michigan

POLLOWING are the presidential electors for Michigan: Wilbur Brotherton, Detroit; A. Lawrence Smith, Detroit; Alex S. Diack, Detroit; Henry C. L. Forler, Detroit; Basil McKnight, Detroit; William C. McCarthy, Detroit; Elmer Letourneau, Detroit; Ray Robson, Addison; Geo. D. Ball, Addison; and James N. Symons, Detroit. The State Chairman is Ray Robson; State Secretary, Elmer Latourneau; and State Treasurer, Geo. D. Ball. Single Taxers in this State have adopted a star as emblem.

Oklahoma

A. HAMM, of Enid, and Organizer Robinson, worked • hard to get on the ballot in this State, but owing to the time required have failed. But organization will be pushed and there will be no trouble in the future. Mr. Hamm is running for Assessor in Enid.

OTHER States in which the Single Tax Party will appear on the ballot and in which active campaigns are in progress, may be briefly indicated. Petitions have been successfully filed in Maine as a result of the efforts of Dr. A. W. Plummer, of Lisbon Falls, and Organizer Reis. There is much general dissatisfaction with the old parties. It is hoped that the vote will be sufficiently large in Maine to enable the Party to retain an official place on the ballot.

The presidential electors of this State are: Sanford K. Ballard and Henry G. Casey, of Auburn; Frank B. Hayes and Fred Lyford, of Lewiston; Elmer E. Knowles, of Portland; George E. Kittredge, of South Portland. Dr. Plummer, of Lisbon Falls, is State Chairman, and Mr. Lyford is State Secretary.

Rhode Island appears to be safely on the ballot, with the following presidential electors: John T. Giddings, David Fraser, Jeremiah Sweeney, James A. Doran and Samuel M. Morino.

Indiana is also safely on the ballot, through the work of Organizer Robinson and John F. White. Mr. White was one of the prominent 48ers and was featured in the Chicago papers as a possible candidate for the presidency at the hands of that departed aggregation. Mr. White is enthusiastically supporting the Single Tax Party, and is a tower of strength in Indiana. The presidential electors for the Party in this State are as follows:



T. J. Bowles, Muncie; Frank D. Brown, Indianapolis; George L. Coulter, Muncie; John H.-Hewit, New Castle; Esther A. Edwards, Indianapolis; Grace E. Herin, Indianapolis; Lot A. Hufferd, Eaton; Ralph P. Lancaster, Indianapolis; Conrad Rust, Indianapolis; John F. White, Indianapolis.

The State Committee of Indiana are: John F. White, Chairman; Conrad Rust, Secretary; and Edward Barber, Treasurer, all of Indianapolis.

Mr. White writes the REVIEW under date of September 24:

"We now have the healthy nucleus of an organization, have circulated a petition for the required names to get the party ticket printed on the ballots—500—and now have it ready to file Monday, Sept. 27, with a couple hundred names to spare. Unless some complication arises not now contemplated, the Single Tax Party ticket will be printed on all the ballots to be used in the Indiana election Nov. 2. In addition, this will insure it being printed on all the sample ballots usually being circulated throughout the State before the election as well as being printed in the newspapers. The publicity thus secured will be of immense importance, though we are still very seriously handicapped in making any effective propaganda campaign.

"Among the things we have done was the running of an advertisement in the city newspapers asking Single Taxers and others interested in the Single Tax to address the chairman for registration and literature. The response was not large but there were some worth-while results."

Other States where active campaigns may be waged for Macauley and Barnum are Arizona, where our old friend, N. A. Vyne, of Camp Verde, is in charge and Nebraska, where the following State Committee has been officially organized: J. L. Wick, Lincoln, Chairman; and John R. Aye, Lincoln, Secretary and Iowa, with R. N. Douglass in charge of the campaign. Oklahoma was accounted sure, but later information shows that we were too late.

Delaware appears to be on the ballot and the following constitute the State Committee: Louis Kramer, Chairman; John Hagan, Secretary; and A. W. Grant, all of Wilmington. From other States details are lacking as we go to press.

The Thousand A Month Club

LETTER FROM THE NATIONAL TREASURER OF THE SINGLE TAX PARTY

I WANT to have a talk with you through the SINGLE TAX REVIEW, with every man, woman and child who is fortunate enough to be one of its readers. You haven't heard of The Thousand a Month Club? Well, it is a very recherche institution and I want you to be a member. As National Treasurer one gets a chance to study the psychology of party contribution. Money comes from unexpected sources—and fails to come from those well-intentioned, well-to-do yet lazy people who are prone to "let things slide" until they get good and ready. It is difficult under these circumstances to figure on carrying out a party budget. "Prince and Pauper" might be the sobriquet of your

Treasurer. It is very nerve-racking after a period of plenty to feel the pangs of recurring poverty and starvation.

I lately determined to remedy this unpleasant situation and have founded The Thousand a Month Club. I figure that there are a thousand Single Taxers who will rally to the relief of the Treasurer and the support of the Treasury by pledging themselves to give one dollar a month for the furtherance of the Party programme. It isn't much, but it will suffice. It means \$12,000 a year; and with that income the Treasury for the present will be "on easy street."

How can you become a member of The Thousand a Month Club? Just mail to me, at the address given below, one dollar to pay for your first month's contribution. I will send you a pledge card to fill out, so that your membership may be properly filed.

Our Party plan of campaign includes briefly the following:

- 1. The organization of State Committees throughout the Union. Of these by Nov. 2 we shall probably have about twenty. We aim to have an active group in every State within a year, so that in the 1921 elections every voter in the country will have an opportunity of registering his or her vote for the Single Tax.
- 2. The sending of trained organizers into every State to help local Single Taxers place their tickets upon their respective ballots. The election laws of the several States have been carefully analyzed for this purpose. Our organizers will show Single Taxers how comparatively easy it is to place the Single Tax before the people.
- 3. The creation of a lecture system through the State Committees, so that lectures on the Single Tax may have a continuous forum throughout the country. In time it is expected that this work will be self-supporting through collections and paid admissions. From now on it will afford opportunity for several excellent speakers to work continuously for the cause.
- 4. The publication and distribution of propaganda literature to be issued by the National Committee and by the recently formed Single Tax Publishing Company.

Such is a brief outline of the work The Thousand a Month Club will underwrite and support. I want every reader of this letter to become a member of the Club and send me his or her dollar at once—now.

Yours for the Single Tax
E. YANCEY COHEN,
National Treasurer,
32 East 13th Street, N. Y. City.

ARISTOTLE's rule was that the first step to the discovery of what a State ought to be is the discovery of what men and life ought to be.

TO ENCOURAGE INDUSTRY: Stop taxing products of labor and industry. Tax special privilege, tax natural opportunities used, or unused, tax land values which are produced and maintained by the community.

