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CINCINNATI PREPARING FOR GEORGIST CONGRESS.

Pittsburgh, Pa. (HGNS) * The Eleventh Annual Henry George Congress, the first convention of the Henry George Foundation to be held in the State of Ohio, will meet at the Netherlands Plaza Hotel, Cincinnati, Ohio, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, November 12 to 14. An interesting program has been planned it is announced by the Foundation from its headquarters in the Keystone Bldg.

Among the speakers will be George E. Evans, Pittsburgh, President of the Henry George Foundation, Prof. Harry Gunnison Brown, Frank Chodorov, Mrs. Anna George de Mille, John Lawrence Monroe, Col. Victor A. Rulo, and Peter Witt of Cleveland. The address of welcome will be delivered by Rabbi Michael Aaronsohn.

Several delegates from the recent London International Conference are expected to discuss the situation abroad and the progress of the movement in Great Britain and Europe. The activities of the Henry George School of Social Science and the Fellowship will be reviewed.

Cincinnati's central location and the reduced railroad fares are expected to stimulate attendance and the Convention Committee is preparing to welcome colleagues from every point of Georgist activity. Reservations may be made with Percy R. Williams, 809 Keystone Building, Pittsburgh or Rabbi Michael Aaronsohn, Chairman of the Convention Committee, 318 Forest Avenue, Cincinnati. Rabbi Aaronsohn, and his coworkers are straining every nerve to make this meeting an outstanding success and a substantial contribution to the growth and development of the American Single Tax movement.

WILL PROPOSE NATIONAL FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM AT ELEVENTH CONGRESS

New York City (HGNS) - Delegates from graduate bodies representing every section of the country and Canada will gather at the 11th Annual Henry George Congress in Cincinnati, November 12 to 14, to study ways and means of making the local alumni groups more effective by cooperating on a national program.

There are so far seventeen Henry George Fellowship Chapters and alumni associations in sixteen cities in the United States. New chapters are forming in other cities, while in some localities the alumni are working through existing Georgist organizations.

It is felt that by consolidating the efforts of the independent chapters their work can be made to have a much greater usefulness and more far reaching in its effects.

Nathan Hillman, President of the Chicago Chapter and Arthur H. Vetterman, President of the New York chapter, will present the case for concerted action.

OPEN FORUM AT CINCINNATI CONGRESS

Cincinnati, Ohio (HGNS) - Open forum meetings will be held on Thursday and Friday evenings of the 11th Annual Henry George Congress at the Hotel Netherlands Plaza November 12 and 13, in which the public will be permitted to participate and 2500 tickets will be offered for sale.

Registration blanks and copies of the program have been

mailed to more than three thousand leading Georgists in Europe and North and South America.

"This conference will be the finest in the history of the organized Single Tax movement" is the estimate of George E. Evans of Pittsburgh, President of the Henry George Foundation of America, the organization sponsoring the Congress.

DUTCH GEORGISTS MAKING DRIVE FOR CAMPAIGN FUND

Groningen, Holland (HGNS) - The Land and Liberty Party, the Dutch land valuation taxation party, has issued a broadside appealing for money to Georgists individually and collectively the world over, following the personal appeal for help made by its Secretary, H. Kolthek, before the Fifth International Conference in London in September. It is confident that it can elect one member, if not more, to the Dutch Parliament in the elections to be held early in 1937, but in order to carry on it must raise a campaign fund of at least \$12,500 or £2,300.

In 1933, although absolutely without resources, the Georgist candidate for Parliament polled 5,000 votes. Since then the law has been changed and each party wishing to participate in the election is required to deposit £750 or 6000 guilders as a guarantee, the sum to be refunded if the party secures 75% of the number of votes necessary to obtain one seat.

"The Justice and Liberty Party is the only party in Holland that has a land program," says the announcement of the finance committee. "The struggle that will be fought in Holland in 1937 should be of the greatest interest to Georgists internationally, as developments here will seriously affect the growth of the movement in Belgium and France."

Political agitation for land value taxation has been carried on in Holland since 1890. Not until 1931, however, when the movement was rehabilitated under the leadership of H. Kolthek, a member of the Dutch Parliament from 1918 to 1922 and a Town Councilor of Amsterdam from 1919 to 1922, and the Land and Liberty Party organized, did it actually begin to make any headway. In that same year the newly founded party (Recht on Vrijheid) polled 900 votes, sufficient to give it one seat in the Government of the Town of Groningen. In 1933 it received 5000 votes in the election for Parliament. In 1935 the party elected H. Kolthek (4500 votes) to a seat in the Provincial Government of Groningen and won five seats in the Groningen Municipal election with 6,000 votes. Activities have already been extended to Amsterdam, the capitol, and the Province of Friesland.

Contributions should be sent to the treasurer, H. Lameris, 3a Louise Henriette straat, Groningen, Holland. A full accounting of all moneys received will be rendered in Land and Liberty. "The growing confidence of the Dutch people in the fight for land value taxation must be strengthened," declares the Committee.

CO-OPS AID GEORGIST SCHOOL

New York, (HGNS) - Because of the friendly relations of long standing that have existed between the Georgist movement and the consumer's cooperative movement, customers of New York cooperatives are being informed of the courses given at national headquarters of the Henry George School of Social Science here. Two of the chain of eleven restaurants owned by the Consumers Cooperative Service, Inc., readily gained consent of the management to display two of the large announcement placards of the Henry George School on their bulletin boards. Cooperative leaders also are having announcements displayed by their affiliations.