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by Henry George

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Dear Sirs.

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The Centennial Celebration Committee is pleased to hear from Mr. Robert Clancy that your organization has agreed to co-sponsor the up-comming 1979 Henry George Centennial Conference, to be held in San Francisco between August 20-25, 1979.

We welcome your support and sponsorship, and hope many of your members will be able to attend the conference. We are planning many exciting events, including over 40 workshops, talks, and seminars, and many special events, to be held at the Jack Tar Hotel (Conference Headquarters), as well as at other sites around the city. With your help we can make this the best Georgist occassion in many years.

Enclosed please find:

- 1) General Announcement of the Centennial Celebration and Conference.
- 2) Questionaire, to be circulated to your mmembership and returned to us as soon as possible. We are anxious to get as much in-put from Georgists as possible.
- 3) Open Letter from Robert Clancy with some suggestions on how to help promote Progress and Poverty's Centennial.
- 4) Fact Sheet on Progress and Poverty for your membership's use.

We hope you will inform your membership of this once-ina-lifetime event, and encourage them to respond to the questionaire soon, and, hopefully, to attend the '79 San Francisco Centennial Conference.

We hope to hear from you soon, and to see your ideas regarding the International Conference. Most preparations for the Conference will be done in the U.S., but we hope you will be able to help promote the Centennial in Denmark and to attend the Conference next year.

Also please find enclosed some CCC letterheads which you may alter and use as you wish.

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To those who, seeing the vice and misery that spring from the unequal distribution of wealth and privilege, feel the possibility of a higher social state and would strive for its attainment.

-Dedication from Progress and Poverty by Henry George

Terry Newland

Chairman