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"LET no man imagine that he has no influence. Whoever he may be and wherever he may be placed, the man who THINKS becomes a light and a power."

—Henry George

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"THE great work of the present for every man, and every organization of men, who would improve social conditions, is the work of education."

—Henry George

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Henry George
Birthday
Dinner
August 28

With the popular speakers scheduled, Henry George friends will assemble from far and near to attend the dinner celebrating Henry George's birthday on Thursday, August 28, at 6:45. Joseph S.

Thompson is coming down from San Francisco to speak on "How to Achieve Real Progress." Mr. Thompson is President of the Pacific Electric Manufacturing Co., author of the book, "More Progress and Less Poverty," (a condensation of "Progress and Poverty" for business men), and a brother of Kathleen Norris, popular novelist.

Jack Addington, attorney and President of the Board of Directors, will give a short talk on "The School as a Vital Force." Edward L. "Stocky" Stockbridge, realtor and appraiser, will be Master of Ceremonies. PIA(22: Unitarian Ch., 2936 W. 6th.

The dinner will be \$1.75 per plate, including tax and tip. Reservations should be made with the School not later than August 21st. It will start promptly at 6:45, with the program starting at 7:45 sharp. Anyone desiring to come after dinner should arrive by 7:45. There is no admission charge for the speaking.

Addressing
Volunteers
Needed

The kick-off in the fall campaign for students will occur when 40,000 folders are addressed between Aug. 11th and Sept. 2nd. We can use all hands on deck. Anyone able to give a couple of hours at home or at School Headquarters should let us know right away by telephoning NO-8398. Hand addressing is O.K. "Many hands make light work."

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Young Adult
Group Plans
Beach Party
For Aug. 9



Young graduates and friends of the School are planning an evening of fun at Colorado Lagoon (Long Beach) on Saturday, Aug. 9. It will consist of a swim and weiner roast.

With luke-warm water, flood lights, and life-guards, an evening swim seemed just the thing, while the cement barbecue pits make roasting weiners and marshmallows a pleasure.

A group will leave from the School Headquarters (333 N. Madison, L.A., near Vermont and Beverly) at 5 P.M. Those with cars are asked to help those without transportation. Everybody will bring his own weiners or whatever he wishes to cook.

Those coming direct to the lagoon will meet there at 6:30. It is reached by turning right (S.) on Ximeno off Pacific Coast Highway (right beyond the Los Alamitos Traffic Circle) to Colorado; then left (E.) to the lagoon.

Salon Risk
Big Hit at
Commencement

A record crowd filled spacious Channing Hall the evening of June 30 to hear Salon Risk, nationally known lecturer, speak on "The Race between Poverty and Abundance."

Mr. Risk, drawing upon the background of his thrilling life in the Near East and in America, painted a colorful picture of this race, and gave a convincing

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The Needed Ingredient

The Los Angeles Henry George School has been growing steadily since the fall of 1942, when a director was appointed to serve in this area. Each year has seen an increase in students and classes over the preceding one. This has been due to the generous contributions of time and money of the School's graduates and friends.

So willing are they to give their time that the skeleton Headquarters staff (one paid director, a full time volunteer secretary, and several volunteer workers who donate a day or so weekly) can't keep up with them! Therefore, we are going to follow the Chicago plan of forming neighborhood groups in each community where our graduates can get together with their own neighbors, and in their own spare time.

Chicago has 13 such informal groups launched, and has increased its paid staff from 2 in 1942 to 7 in 1947. Forming community groups here will call for an increased Headquarters staff, also, but the more efficient cooperation with volunteer graduate groups which should result will make this additional investment pay rich dividends in reaching the public faster and better.

The budget for the current fiscal year (July 1/47 through June 30/48) is \$15,000. A good part of it (roughly \$9150) has been pledged during the last couple of months by enthusiastic graduates and friends. However, \$5850 still needs to be promised.

The Board of Directors is hopeful that this needed amount will be promised during August and September so that the two additional staff members (an associate director and a secretary) can be employed right away, to boost the fall term enrollment.

(Commencement Continued)

presentation of the remedy for the unjust distribution of wealth and privilege.

This was the occasion of the spring commencement. Certificates were awarded to 114 graduates of the fundamental course,--the largest spring graduating class we ever had.

(The Needed Ingredient, Cont.)
Wm. B. Truheart, Treasurer, told the Board that the following number of new contributors at the following amounts would guarantee the needed funds:

20 at \$10.00 per month
30 at 5.00 per month
40 at 5.00 per qtr.
50 at 5.00 per term

Those who see the vision of a free society are invited to join with other graduates and friends who are setting aside a small portion of a day's pay each month and sending to the School, so that a fellow human being, who is still groping in the darkness of economic ignorance, may take advantage of our offer of enlightenment.

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Handwritten note: "Send money" circled.

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