

6. To arrange or stimulate celebration of Henry George Day at as many points as possible.

7. To see that libraries carry copies of Henry George's books and other books on the topics of human freedom.

8. To watch the press and write or cause to be written, letters to editors and others advocating Single Tax principles. To encourage agitation and discussion before churches, schools and colleges.

9. To secure the introduction of at least one Single Tax measure or measure pending toward the Single Tax in every legislature. To question all candidates as to their position on the question of exempting industry and taxing privilege.

10. To secure the names of persons who favor our ideas and through them to secure the names of others.

11. To secure subscribers for *The Public* and the SINGLE TAX REVIEW, and to circulate Single Tax literature, seeing that your copies when read, are left in libraries, barber shops, and other public places.

The League will be glad to receive suggestions as to persons to be appointed in the States where the quota of committeemen is not yet filled.

While it may be in the nature of a forecast, the League desires to say that the present outlook is distinctly encouraging, and refers to the report elsewhere printed in the REVIEW of the progress of the work in Rhode Island, and the progress which is being made towards the gathering of the Fels Fund.

The Secretary of the League, being on a business trip from February 1st to February 15th, had an opportunity to visit Single Taxers in the following cities: Providence, Albany, Rochester, Buffalo, Detroit, Toledo, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, report of which we hope to give in detail in the forthcoming issue of the REVIEW.

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Annual Report of the American Single Tax League, 1908

The American Single Tax League has entered its second year. The purpose of its founders was to establish a central intelligence office for Single Taxers, to compile as large a list as possible of the Single Taxers of the United States and Canada, and to stimulate, wherever opportunity should offer, work for the cause. To the extent of its means and ability the League has carried out its intent.

A special situation existing in Rhode Island has obliged the League to direct the largest part of its attention to this one field, and at the present writing, the results seem to have fully justified that course.

The Conference at which the League was organized was held in November, 1907, and immediately after January 1st, 1908, a small office was taken on Union Square at a rental of \$20.00 per month and necessary furniture and fixtures secured. Miss L. Leitch has served as stenographer and with some intermission, has remained until the present time.

Received from F. C. Leubuscher, surplus after expenses of conference were paid, . . .	\$428.97	
Total amount received from dues and subscriptions,	1,066.89	
To pay some pressing bills, four members of the League advanced as a loan the sum of	100.00	
Received for Rhode Island work,	300.00	\$1,895.86

DISBURSEMENTS

Rent,	\$190.00
Rhode Island Fund,	870.07
Salary,	435.00
Furniture and Fixtures,	46.15
Printing, Stationery and Advertising,	136.50
Telephone,	29.45
Office Expenses and Postage, . .	166.25
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	\$1,873.42

Outstanding bills payable for telephone, rent, stationery, printing, etc.	240.00	\$2,113.42
Leaving a deficit of,		\$217.56

In addition to the contributions made to the Rhode Island Fund, Mr. Joseph Fels subscribed \$500.00 which is not here included.

The work of the League has been reported from month to month in the SINGLE TAX REVIEW and it is only necessary to refer briefly to the various kinds of work which have been undertaken. Rhode Island demanded most of our time and means; a central office was taken in Westminster Street, in the heart of the city of Providence, and a number of speakers were sent by the American Single Tax League in the early part of 1908 to arouse interest. Mr. Frank Stephens, of Philadelphia, Mr. James McGregor, Mr. Bolton Hall and the Secretary of the League spoke before various bodies in January and February.

The signatures of a number of prominent citizens were secured in support of a Local Option Bill and a hearing was given on March 20th, but the Bill was not reported.

During the summer a campaign conducted chiefly by local Single Taxers, among others, George D. Liddell, was carried on, and arrangements made for the commencement of a new campaign in the spring.

During the summer and fall experience demonstrated that public attention was so riveted upon national politics and the presidential election that it was difficult to secure support, and with a view to economy the work of the General Office was suspended until after election. From the beginning of November on however, the work has been resumed and a large amount of correspondence has been conducted. Letters are being continually received from all parts of the country asking for information and suggestions, and a list of nearly 10,000 names has been compiled; new names are being received daily from active workers over the country.

Owing to the apathetic conditions last year it was deemed impossible to secure a list of Committeemen for the various States as contemplated by the Constitution, but now Committees have been selected in the following States:

ALABAMA: E. B. Gaston, Fairhope.	DELAWARE: Frank Stephens.
ARIZONA: Capt. Stephen O'Conner, Duquesne; N. A. Vyne, Prescott.	IDAHO: Dow Dunning, Wickahoney.
CALIFORNIA: Joseph Leggett, San Francisco; F. W. Lynch, San Francisco; James H. Barry, San Francisco; Stephen Potter, San Francisco.	INDIANA: G. A. Briggs, Elkhart; L. O. Bishop, Clinton.
COLORADO: Jas. W. Bucklin.	ILLINOIS: Frank H. Bode, Springfield; George Schilling, Chicago; F. D. Butler, Chicago; Fred J. Kern, Mayor of Belleville; Jay D. Miller, Geneva.
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA: Mrs. Jennie L. Munroe, Spencer Heath, Mrs. Mackenzie, F. L. Siddons, C. F. Nesbit.	IOWA: Frank Vierth, Quasqueton; R. N. Douglas, Postville.

KANSAS: R. T. Snediker, Kansas City; W. H. T. Wakefield, Mound City.

LOUISIANA: Prof. J. H. Dillard, New Orleans; Malcolm H. McDowell, New Orleans; F. M. Miller, New Orleans.

MAINE: John Lawson, Calais; A. W. Plummer, Lisbon Falls; W. R. Pattengall, Waterville; Oliver Otis, Portland.

MARYLAND: J. R. Ralston, John Salmon, Chas. J. Ogle.

MASSACHUSETTS: C. B. Fillebrown, Boston; J. R. Carret, Boston; M. C. O'Neill, Boston; W. L. Crosman, Boston.

MISSOURI: Wm. Preston Hill, St. Louis; F. S. Briggs, Neosho; T. Speed Mosby, Jefferson City.

MINNESOTA: C. J. Buell, St. Paul; S. A. Stockwell, Minneapolis; Robert Siebert, St. Paul; Samuel Nixon, Duluth.

MONTANA: I. D. Rognlien, Kalispell; Jos. Oker, Helena; Warren C. Niles, Mosby.

NEBRASKA: E. C. Clark, Syracuse; L. J. Quinby, Omaha.

NEW JERSEY: Percy S. Marcellus, Orange; George Rusby, Nutley; Wm. B. DuBois, Bayonne; Miss Charlotte O. Schetter, E. Orange; E. Yancey Cohen, Palisade.

NEW YORK: F. C. Leubuscher, New York; W. B. Vernam, Brooklyn.

NORTH DAKOTA: E. P. Totten, Bowman; R. B. Blakemore, Fargo.

OHIO: Daniel Kiefer, Cincinnati; J. B. Vining, Cleveland; Frank H. Howe, Columbus; Albert C. Holloway, Arkon.

OREGON: W. S. U'Ren, Oregon City; A. D. Cridge, Portland; H. W. Stone, Portland.

PENNSYLVANIA: Chas. R. Eckert, Beaver; W. L. Ross, Philadelphia; C. F. Shandrew, Philadelphia; J. H. Dix, Philadelphia.

RHODE ISLAND: Hon. L. F. C. Garvin.

SOUTH DAKOTA: Hon. Levi McGee.

TENNESSEE: J. S. Billings, Nashville; A. Freeland, Mt. Pleasant.

TEXAS: E. G. LeSturgeon, San Antonio; J. C. Porterfield, Houston; J. G. H. Buck, Palestine; J. J. Pastoriza, Houston; Prof. L. Keasbey, Austin.

WASHINGTON: James Barron, Everett.

WEST VIRGINIA: W. I. Boreman, Parkersburg; F. W. Rose, Piedmont.

WISCONSIN: John Harrington, Oshkosh; C. Leenhouts, Milwaukee.

We have recently sent out the following list of suggestions as to the work of these committees:

1. To organize by selecting a chairman and secretary.
2. To ascertain whether bills are before the state legislature relating to taxation, which should be helped or opposed.
3. To learn if there is any active Single Tax work being done in the State, or if there is any direction in which work can be stimulated.
4. To arrange for lectures under the auspices of local bodies. The League will prepare a list of men who can be called upon in the various localities.
5. To aid in the collection of funds to be used in those States where active work is in progress.