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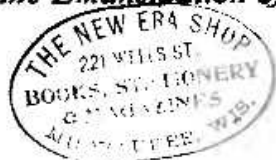




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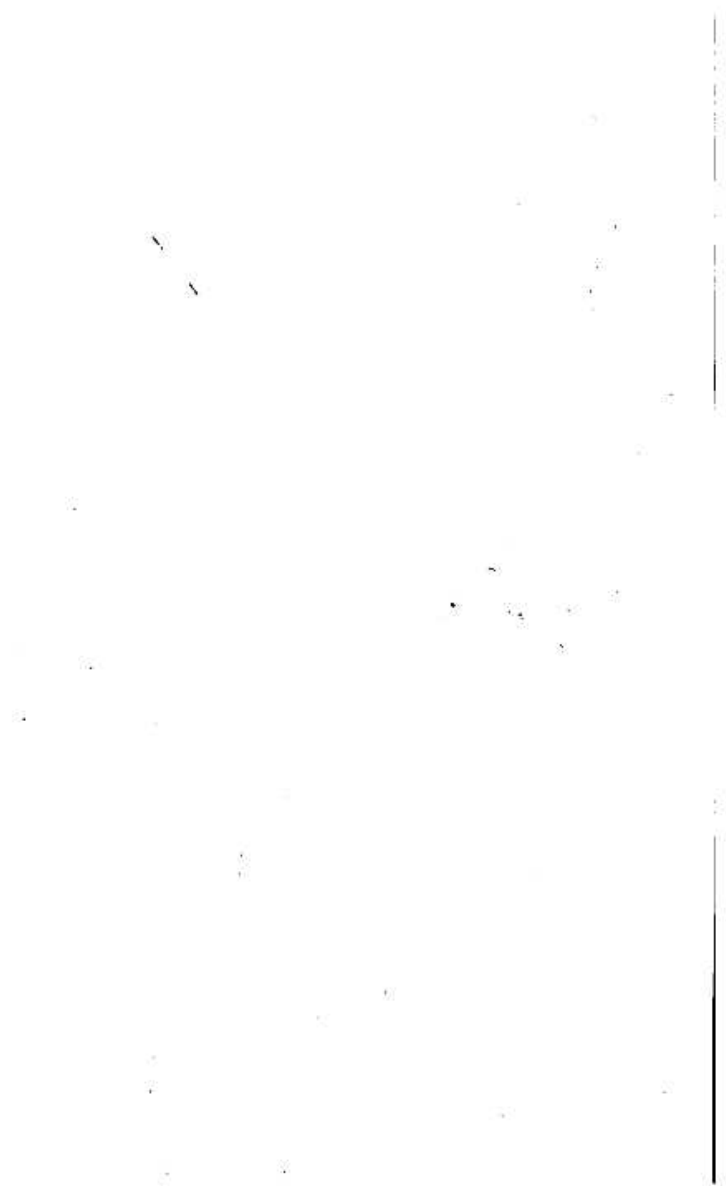


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Affirmed by Tom Mann.

Denied by Arthur M. Lewis.



## PREFACE.

The writing of this brief preface gives me an opportunity to explain that my note and my esteemed opponent's answer to it, which follow the debate in the form of an appendix, were added by mutual agreement to give greater completeness to the discussion. The occasion of the debate led, during the few days immediately following before my opponent left the city, to our becoming more closely acquainted. That closer acquaintance will always recall to me pleasant memories. Whatever those opposed to my opponent may think of his opinions there can be no question of his absolute fealty to the cause of the working class as he sees it. If all the disputes inside the socialist and labor movements could be carried on with the broad toleration displayed by my opponent in this discussion, and later in our conversations, the cause of the working class would move much more rapidly to its ultimate triumph.

ARTHUR M. LEWIS.