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Thomas N. Bon Durant, Montgomery City, Mo.—Having served two campaigns from the firing of the first political gun to the last great battle of ballots in November, 1896, though doomed to defeat I have never surrendered, but stood in the last ditch and waved the glorious banner of democracy in the face of an exultant foe. I wish to enlist again in this great army of patriots and do what I can to advance the cause of human rights—justice to all and special privileges to none. Enclosed find certificate and 60 cents for The Commoner.

F. R. Fencil, New Cumberland, Pa.—I enclose \$1.20 for two subscriptions for The Commoner, also certificates. I expect to use some of my leisure time in adding some names to the million army. I believe The Commoner is doing a splendid work in the interest of the common people and should be read by every voter. Please send me fifteen membership certificates, as I will need them in my work. I hope that our labors may be rewarded next year by a democratic victory.

C. V. VanWinkle, Pinckney, Mich.—Please send me a few one million membership certificates. I want to do a little for the million army plan. My subscription has not yet expired; that will be attended to later. I have never missed a single copy of The Commoner; my first subscription commenced with the first issue.

Thomas Connell, Monongah, W. Va.—You will find enclosed \$2.60 for subscriptions to The Commoner. Send me a few certificates and sample copies.

W. F. Shields, Wabash, Ind.—I enclose \$1.80 and three membership cards to The Commoner. Please send more of the cards and I will try to get more recruits for the army.

Dr. D. H. Patton, Woodward, Okla.—I send you three certificates with \$1.80 for subscriptions to The Commoner. You may send me twenty-five more and I think I can place them in the hands of those who will use them. Democrats of Oklahoma will be very aggressive in 1908. I do not know whether this is original or not, but it sounded good to me. Here it is:

A lady here at one of their clubs which was strictly forbidden to discuss political questions first delighted and then shocked its republican members by announcing that the president was entitled to the credit of destroying one trust. When asked to explain she said, "In God We Trust," after which silence reigned.

A. Sumerlin, Mattoon, Ill.—We assure you that we are heartily in sympathy with your efforts in this direction and as soon as practicable we will undertake to organize the democratic club in Mattoon.

Jacob H. Van Nuys, Colon, Mich.—As I have been a constant reader of your paper ever since the first issue, and I see that my time has expired, I certainly must renew it as it is the true light in our household. It advocates my principles exactly and I have voted for Mr. Bryan twice and will again if I ever have the chance to do so. More than that, if you will send me twelve of your one million membership certificates I will try and enlist some for the army for which we will make a great stand for the rights of the people. By the way, how many of The Commoners come to my postoffice? If I knew and knew their names I would know better who to get to help me with the work.

F. L. Tate, Vermillion, Kan.—Find enclosed order for two more subscribers. I would suggest that every subscriber to The Commoner make an effort and send in at least one or more new subscribers and in that way we can soon muster our army of one million, but don't understand me that we will be satisfied with that; we want just as many more as it is possible to get.

C. A. Lonsinger, Warsaw, Ohio—Please find enclosed money order for \$1.80 and three membership certificates; one is for Eugene Laughlin, Warsaw, Ohio, a new subscriber; the second one is for H. C. Clark, Warsaw, Ohio, a renewal, and the third one is for C. A. Lonsinger, Warsaw, Ohio. Please add one year's subscription from April 30, 1908 to his subscription. Send me some more of The Commoner army certificates.

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