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Consumers League, undated.

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as it did in last term - forgetting
that they voted them into power,
against their better judgment -

2. Common League - places resp.
squarely where it belongs - the tem.
Public - It thrusts facts before
its eyes - so that it can blame
no one for bad Council a bad
legislation - It challenges
the moral responsibility of the people
grading it into two responsibilities
① Our duty to Pub. ② Public's duty
to Union. Challenged

3. Not concerned with ownership
& industry - but with methods
of operation - It makes very little
real diff. who runs the industry.
Govt. fails as often as private.

ownership - As ownership is often
as common - The critical
fact as Gantt points out - the
whether there is the conception of
social responsibility is present in
a given industry - Improvement
came not with a change of control,
from private to trade union - or
joint. but with a change of heart,
of its views - Social purpose.

4. Progress by piece-meal -
Has no current purpose - No headlight
for the road ahead - It is not
destiny - It attacks sp.
problems in spec. ways - It
sells sp. remedies for sp. ills -