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Dear Friend,

thanks for your two letters and the six books which arrived today. I will send them on to Harris, Korsch, Diez, and others, who expressed the desire to read it. I will try to place a review in the contemplated new magazine.

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Yes, we have given up the New York address but inquiries directed towards New Essays will be forwarded to me. But there have been no orders since we left New York and there were almost none during the last year. Thus I do not expect any new orders to come. The remainder of "Lenin as Philosopher" has been divided between the University Bookshop, 69 University Place, New York 3, N.Y. and the Bryant Park Newstand, 42nd Street (near Fifth Avenue). Both places will fill orders when they come in. Anybody interested in buying the book may get it from either place. I do not know exactly but there must be left over about 500 copies of "Lenin as Philosopher." I sent all the remaining "Workers Councils" to the "Socialist Leader" in England. If I remember right 125 copies in all. The last shipment of about 80 copies have never been acknowledged and I begin to doubt that they will ever pay for them, as they even refuse to answer letters. I also send them "Lenin as Philosopher" but these too, were never acknowledged, so that I do not know whether or not they received them. But they must have, otherwise they would have written, as it was they that ordered these books. Altogether I received 250 copies of "Workers Council" and sold half of them in U.S.A. The money received went to Kenafick in Australia. The money from England is supposed to go to Australia too. There are no "Workers Councils" left here but I will not order any from Australia, as I was not able to sell even those I did receive. This boy in California only wants five copies for a study class. I think I will be able to supply him from here, by collecting some copies that friends of mine still have. And Johnson's order was the only one during a one-year period. But he might have written meanwhile to Australia and been supplied from there. I will send you 10 more copies of "Lenin as Philosopher" from New York. If you care to have more, I will send you more.

The new magazine I was speaking about in my last letter is edited by people I do not think much of. Aside from Mayer Schapiro, all its editors are quite unreliable people, either socialists or former Trotskyites. I think they will issue a disappointing magazine but if they should invite me I would write for them, in view of the fact that there is no place left for us to write. It may well be that they will not accept people like you and me but it is too early to tell. In any case you will receive the magazine when it comes out.

We are still very busy with the reconstruction of the house. I hope to be able soon to be finished in order to return to writing and to try to get the Marx-Keynes book ready.

Best regards from my wife and best regards and wishes to yours and to you yourself.

*Paul & Hilary*

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