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Henry Kubie

Dear Comrade I

was pleased to hear that the executive committee took such deep interest in my letter. But I am inclined to think that the comrades do not understand the exact nature of the book

It is a dictionary giving a clear and logical definition of every known term and phrase in both Capitalist and Socialist political economy including <sup>definitions</sup> the of the principle terms in Moral Mental and Political Philosophy, with an

illustration and brief notes following each definition but the principle ideas are treated at considerable length.

To the above is added a chapter answering the capitalist objections to socialism.

It must be evident to every thinking mind that by presenting economic facts and truths in this manner that Socialism will spread throughout the world with a leap and bound like a conflagration of wild fire.

I do not expect the party to bear the burden of carrying this matter to a successful termination.

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But as I am financially un-  
able to publish it. I must rely  
on those who are of altruistic  
sympathies and friends of the  
socialist cause to devise a  
plan for putting it in the hands  
of the wage slaves throughout the  
world.

Yours Very Respectfully

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