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Kevin, for our own mtg., I suggest one of my long titles:
On the Marx Centenary:

FACING THE CHALLENGE OF MARX'S PHILOSOPHY
OF REVOLUTION TO ALL POST-MARX MARXISTS

on 3rd World, Women's Liberation and Rosa Luxemburg

Mon. is PEB mtg so perhaps they can shorten. Jan. 19, 1983.

Dear Mike

Why it would take the P.O. 7 days to deliver
a letter to Det. from NY, only you (who write much more briefly
than I) may be able to philosophise on the Marx Centenary.
I want to discuss yours of the 10th with the invitation to
be on your hour radio program WBAI. I assume you will
not conduct the interview by looking at the clock every 5
minutes. This is the centenary of Marx's final writings
that have been very nearly as greatly dismissed as when
they had not been transcribed till the early 1970s. Moreover,
it is, along with that I can, using Hegel's dialectic
expression "new moments", and adding that these "new moments"
leave a trail to the 1980s. Perhaps our generation, as
against most others from Engels down or up, as you wish,
can recreate and expand those moments. Whether it is a
question of the Accumulation of Capital theory, or
Women's Liberation, or Third World or "revolution in
permanence" (not to be confused with Trotsky's permanent
revolution theory) the interview, if it is to be had, must
have time to express both the comprehensiveness and the
challenge to post-Marx Marxists. O/k?

I do not know the precise places and
times I speak in NY before I'm off, first to D.C. where
I address the Iranian exiles, and then throughout the country
so that I'm not to return to Detroit till 1st week in May.
Please call Kevin Anderson who is the one responsible for
scheduling my talks, and he will arrange it with you:

Thank you for sending me some of your recent
writings. All I can do is include Humanities Press
brochure on my books; because they accepted the idea that,
this being the Marx centenary and I having spent 30 years
as an independent Marxist, they should not only publish
my latest work, ROSA LUXEMBURG, WOMEN'S LIBERATION AND
MARX'S PHILOSOPHY OF REVOLUTION, but also reprint, with
new introductions, MARXISM AND FREEDOM and PHILOSOPHY AND
REVOLUTION. Have you seen Getting NEWS & LETTERS and
seen my latest on Andropov?

Yours,

Mike - there is \$133 check for the 3 hrs photographer brought.

③ Copy of letter sent to Alman + to Kevin - don't
"masquerade"

④ No need to get Oleg's book on Shostak + Alman

I read it & one, it was so very good I sent it to the Mexican
in Mexico + record - R P.S. Is to be read by Sun. everyone

signs the card to reflect & respond to me as I will make up a picture



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Dear Raya,

Greetings. Forgive this brief note. I hear you're coming thru NY sometime this spring, and would love to interview you on your new book and work generally. I have an hour long interview program on Marxism on WBAI radio, which airs once a month. Let me know when, what, and we can work out the details. Enclosed are a few recent things I've done.
xx Looking forward to seeing you again.

Best,

Bertell Ollman