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Dear Ralph:

I am writing to both of you to report the Minute which was agreed upon at the recent meeting of the School of Historical Studies at the Institute.

"It was agreed that the Institute will support the publication of a volume of selected essays by Professor Kantorowicz which had been planned by Drs. Ralph Giese and Michael Cherniavsky in consultation with Professor Kantorowicz before his death. Drs. Giese and Cherniavsky are to be the editors of this volume, and they are to discuss with the Director or members of the School designated by him the matter of a publisher and the details of publication when they are next in Princeton, which is expected to be some time during the coming Christmas holidays. It was suggested further that the volume should contain a photograph of Professor Kantorowicz as a frontispiece, a brief foreword indicating the fact that it is presented by the Institute as a memorial to Professor Kantorowicz, and a bibliography of the works of Professor Kantorowicz but that it should not contain a list of friends and subscribers."

I should suggest that you attempt, in so far as possible, to prepare a typescript of the volume during this autumn, in order that when you come to Princeton to consult with Dr. Oppenheimer you may be in a position to present to any publishers agreed upon with him material on which an estimate of costs can be accurately based and also that there may be as little delay as possible in beginning production of the volume. I know that both of you are busy with other things and that you may not be able to follow out this suggestion, but I hope that between you you may find a way to prepare the material without undue delay.

I may add that Dr. Oppenheimer has just informed me of the agreement on the part of the Trustees to assume financial responsibility for the production of this book as a memorial to Eka.

With best wishes to both of you, I am,

Yours as ever,



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