

*Caution Urged Regarding Ukranian Initiative*

The last *Georgist Journal* (#88) contained a bulletin by Viktor Ledenyov of Ukraine, saying that an initiative was underway to translate and publish Georgist materials in Ukraine. Serious doubts have been raised about this project, and our Danish colleagues believe that it would be unwise to send contributions to it.

Mr. Ledenyov announced that the pamphlet "Financing Planet Management" had been translated and distributed. The Danish Henry George Society says that several faxes and letters praising the pamphlet were received; however the addresses proved to be fakes (a supermarket, a pharmacy or just a private apartment). Also, the translation was poor, according to Tanya Roskoshnaya and Sasha Ivanov in St Petersburg. Viktor Ledenyov made no response when confronted with those findings.

Sizeable contributions have been made by Danish Georgists to a Ukranian publishing project — about which nothing at all has been heard, one year later.

The *Georgist Journal* has no interest in making accusations; we have no way of confirming the truth of the above statements. However, because we published the original announcement in good faith, we believe that we should pass along the message of caution.

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