Professor Homero Cuevas diagnosed that the content of the classic value theory attributed to Smith, Ricardo, Marx, and Sraffa was incomplete or inadequately finished, and that such problem was addressed by exploring a Keynesian idea about the economic magnitudes in terms of labor wage. In the present essay the veracity of this diagnostic is wrong, given that the content of the classic value theory (an exchange theory and not a macro-economic theory) is distorted, and it misrepresents Sraffa's solution contained within his commodity standard.

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