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# VOLUME INTRODUCTION

The centerpiece of Volume 38C of *Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology* is a symposium on the economic thought of James Steuart, the eighteenth-century Scottish Jacobite, whose *Inquiry into the Principles of Political Oeconomy* (1767) was probably the first systematic investigation of political economy to be written in English. Rebeca Gomez Betancourt edited and wrote the introduction to the symposium, which features contributions from Maurício Coutinho and our own Carlos Eduardo Suprinyak, Yutaka Furuya, Pierre de Saint-Phalle, José Menudo, and Ghislain Deleplace.

Volume 38C also features a new essay by Andrew Farrant that deepens our understanding of the controversy surrounding Milton Friedman's 1975 trip to Pinochet's Chile. Massimo Di Matteo considers A. C. Pigou's initial response to Keynes concerning equilibrium and unemployment. Carlo Zappia discusses some previously unknown correspondence between the mathematician Leonard Jimmie Savage and Karl Popper, the famous Austro-British philosopher of science, concerning an alleged paradox Popper thought he had found in the subjective interpretation of probability.

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