



Newsletter

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THANKS FROM THE MARIAN LIBRARY TO

The Mariology Club of the University of Dayton for its benefit movie, bringing \$160 to the Marian Library. E.F. of Glenoe, Mo., for donation of \$12.50. F.D. of Cincinnati, for \$11.25. M.E.K. of Dayton, for \$10. M.K.W. of Iowa, for \$10. Precious Blood nuns of Cincinnati, for \$15. V.G. of Cincinnati, for \$5. M.L. of Iowa, for \$2.

BOOKS & PAMPHLETS RECEIVED

We gratefully acknowledge receipt of Marian pamphlets from Bro. Cyril Robert, librarian of Our Lady's Library, New York, and from Father Howard Rafferty, O. Carm., provincial director of the Carmelite Third Order. Father Rafferty's contribution included several books on Carmelite spirituality, and a set of six pamphlets on the scapular written by himself. Other April donors included Patrick Danaher of Los Angeles (six books); Harold J. Heindel, Jr., Munsey Park, L.I., New York (one book); Very Rev. Roland Gauthier, C.S.C., director of the Centre de Documentation de l'oratoire St. Joseph, Montreal (one book); and Sister M. Anthony, R.S.M., Mount Saint Agnes, Baltimore (one book).

ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPTS

Back in 1944, Rt. Rev. Msgr. Hugh F. Blunt, pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church, Cambridge, Mass. was the first large-scale donor of books to the Marian Library. Msgr. Blunt's gift of some thirty books (including six he himself wrote on Our Lady) almost doubled the collection of the library which had been organized just a few months before. Now, eight years later, Monsignor has honored us again, this time with an original manuscript of his on the Immaculate Heart of Mary. We are happy to add this contribution to our manuscript collection. Last month we were also able to add an original manuscript from the pen of James J. Metcalfe. His contribution includes several of his Marian poems.

MARIAN NEWSPAPERS

The "Journal de la Grotte" official publication of the Shrine at Lourdes, is the third completely Marian newspaper to be added to the Marian Library. This paper has been issued at Lourdes for over 100 years and is published every week. Other Marian newspapers received include "La Vos de Fatima," official publication of the sanctuary at Fatima, and the "Australian Voice of Fatima," published bi-weekly in Brisbane. An English edition of "La Vos de Fatima" is also received at the library. Beginning this month, the Bishop of Leiria has decided to issue a French edition of the same publication, to be called traditionally, "La Voix de Fatima." Besides these Marian papers, the library also clips and files Marian articles from twenty Catholic papers of the United States and Canada. This work is carried on by Marianist Scholastics at Mount Saint John, Dayton, under the direction of Brother Raymond Miklich, S.M.

MARIAN REPRINT NO. 5

MARIAN REPRINT No. 5 is written by the Rev. Lawrence F. Everett, O.S.A., and entitled "Mary, Assumed into Heaven." It is a remarkably simple and clear, yet theologically accurate study of Our Lady's Assumption. REPRINT No. 6 to be issued in June, will be entitled "Fatima - In Battle Array," by the Rev. Joseph M. Agius, O.P.

MARIAN LIBRARY ARTICLE

In the magazine AMBASSADOR, April, 1952 (p. 21) is a fine article on the Marian Library, and two pictures of the library. We are very grateful to Joseph Shimanek, theologian at St. Thomas Seminary, Denver, editor of AMBASSADOR, and a former student of the University of Dayton, for the publicity given to this project of Our Blessed Mother.

MARY'S GARDENS

A new Marian project of special interest to gardeners is "Mary's Gardens," under the sponsorship of John S. Stokes, Jr., and Edward A. McFague of Philadelphia. Mr. Stokes writes that the project is a "spare-time apostolic work having as its aim the restoration of a prayerful sense to gardening." An article in the March 8, 1952 issue of AMERICA explains the project in detail. An earlier article appeared in the February issue of PERPETUAL HELP. You may secure a booklet on the project by writing to Mary's Gardens, 901 South Forty-Seventh St., Philadelphia 43, Pa.

FIELDWORKERS

Sr. Rose Margaret, Lorette Heights College, Colo. has just sent us a complete check on all Marian books in the college library. Jeanne McLaughlin Schroeder, alumna of the University of Dayton, gave us a complete listing of Marian books in the large collection of St. Mary's Seminary library, Mundelein, Ill. Bro. John Perko, S.M., Santa Cruz, Cal. asks for 50 copies of the Newsletter for "costal distribution." Hans Rowan Hamilton, Dublin, Ireland, is working for a complete collection of Marian-shrine photographs; he will donate a copy of each photo to us after a European exhibition.

BOOK NOTES

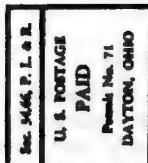
James J. Metcalfe, well-known author of the syndicated column or poetry, "Portraits," has a new collection which Doubleday will publish in the fall with the title My Rosary of Rhymes. The book includes the versification of the mysteries of the rosary, as well as many other poems on Our Lady....Mary in the Documents of the Church, by Rev. Paul F. Palmer, S.J., published this month by Newman, is a source-book of documents dealing with the Blessed Virgin, selected from the writings of the Fathers of the Church, the decrees of the Ecumenical Councils, and the pronouncements of the Holy See. All students of Mariology will be especially interested in this work....Bishop Sheen's newest work, The World's First Love (McGraw-Hill), is dedicated to "The Woman I Love - The Woman Whom even God dreamed of before the world was made." The book, already chosen by two book clubs, appears destined to top Catholic best-seller lists. Part one is entitled "The Woman the World Loves" and part two, "The World the Woman Loves"....The third volume of Marian Studies, edited by Father Juniper Carol, O.F.M., was issued in March by the Mariological Society of America. A book of 276 pages, Marian Studies consists of the proceedings of the third national convention of the society held in New York in January. It contains eleven papers, including a seventy-five page study, "The Teaching of the Magisterium on Mary's Spiritual Maternity," by Father G.W. Shea of the Immaculate Conception Seminary, New Jersey.

BOOKS ADDED TO THE MARIAN LIBRARY COLLECTION IN APRIL

Balio, Charles	De debito peccati originalis in B.V.M.	Off. Lib. Cath.	1941	106p.
Balio, Charles	Pro veritate Assumptionis B.V.M.	Com. Mar. Franc.	1949	54p.
Belvianes, Marcel	The Virgin Mary through the Eyes of the Painters	Pitman	1951	64p.
Bertotto, Domenico	Maria nel donna cattolico	Soc. Ed. Inter.	1950	538p.
Bonicielli, Calisto	Trattato della vera devozione a Maria Vergine	Post. Generale	1942	172p.
Boyer, Charles	Synopsis praelectionum de B.V.M.	Gregorianum	1946	64p.
Cansiani, Luigi	Maria SS. nella vita Religiosa	La Scuola Catt.	1950	380p.
Carol, Juniper, ed.	Marian Studies, volume 3, 1952	Mar. Soc. Amer.	1952	276p.
Castagnaro, Felice	Itinerario mariano	Centro Nazionale	1950	266p.
Cecchelli, Carlo	Mater Christi, volume 1	Fr. Ferrari Ed.	1946	333p.
Cecchelli, Carlo	Mater Christi, volume 2	Fr. Ferrari Ed.	1948	309p.
Chiattini, Euan.	Mariologia S. Bonaventurae	Off. Lib. Cath.	1941	216p.
Emmerich, Anna	Das Marienleben	Marienischer Verlag	1952	609p.
Keller, Heinrich	Heart of Mary	Clommore	1951	87p.
O'Sullivan, Paul	Our Lady of Fatima	Cath. Print. Pr.	1949	80p.
Piana, Celestine	Assumptio B.V.M. apud scriptores saec. XIII	Off. Lib. Cath.	1941	146p.
Quadrio, Giuseppe	Il trattato 'De Assumptione B.V.M.' d. Pseudo-Agostino	Gregorianum	1951	428p.
Sheen, Fulton	The world's first love	McGraw-Hill	1952	285p.
Speyr, Adrienne	Magd des Herrn	Johannes Verlag	1948	206p.
Vercoustre, Leon	Le glorieux privilege de la Vierge Marie	Lelong	1857	187p.
Viano, Anselm	Mary our sweet Mother	Soc. St. Paul	1950	63p.
Xiberta, Bartolme	De visiones Sancti Simonis Stock	Cur.Gen. O. Carm.	1950	334p.
Zeller, Renee	Florilege de Notre-Dame	Flammarion	1938	47p.

MARIAN ITEMS

1. National Marian Pilgrimage from National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C., is under the leadership of Msgr. Patrick O'Connor, director of the Shrine. It leaves Washington July 31, 1952, going to Knock, Walsingham, Paris (Miraculous Medal), Einsiedeln, Lourdes, Fatima, Pilar, Montserrat, returning September 4. If you are interested, see details in SALVE REGINA, vol. 13, February, 1952, or write to the National Shrine, Washington 17, D.C.
2. The Marian Library is about to receive from Rome the volume Le Encicliche Marianum, bearing the personal autograph of Pope Pius XII. What a privilege to have this from the very Pope of Our Lady! We anxiously await the volume, and we are deeply grateful to His Holiness for this personal favor to the Marian Library.
3. From Brother Meral, in Madrid, and through the assistance of the Spanish Embassy in Washington, we have two very valuable books on Mary, volumes one and two of Cantigas de Santa Maria, richly bound and stamped in gold. More about these two volumes in the next Newsletter.
4. The Director of the Marian Library has had the opportunity of presenting the story and needs of the Marian Library to four groups of Dayton, Ohio. Special thanks is due to the pastors of Assumption, Immaculate Conception, and St. James parishes, and to the executive committee of the Dayton Council of Catholic Women.



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