

printing in black type of each canon before the commentary on it is one of the marked improvements. And the reference number to the Canons at the top of each page makes the book an easy guide. We are not entirely convinced that to treat of societies without vows within the commentary on religious makes for clearness. But on the whole we have here an informative canonical work, which will be welcome to all religious institutes and confraternities, and to all who are in any way responsible for them.

A.F.

AUX JEUNES—BEAUTÉ ET GRANDEUR DU SACERDOCE. By R. P. Quillard, C.S.S.R. (Éditions Salvator, Mulhouse; n.p.)

This is a book on the priesthood for boys. In twenty chapters, each followed by the account of an incident in the life of a holy priest, the author speaks of vocation to the priesthood and the ideals of the priestly life. The book has the approbation of forty-five bishops, but from the nature of the case it will not make a wide appeal in this country.

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BOOKS RECEIVED

- BLACKWELL:** *The Hearings of Psychology on Religion*, Sydney Herbert Mellone, M.A., D.Sc. (12s. 6d.); *O Call Back Yesterday*, Margaret Fletcher (5s.).
- BURNS, OATES AND WASHBOURNE:** *A Christian's Christmas, An Anthology*, Ed. Lord Clonmore (7s. 6d.); *The Life of St. Dominic*, A Dominicaness of Headington (1s.); *St. Thomas of Canterbury*, George Mills (1s.); *Of His Fullness*, Gerald Vann, O.P. (5s.); *The Catholic Diary 1940* (Cloth 1s., Leather 2s. 6d.); *The Sunday Collects Simply Explained*, Rev. E. C. Messenger, Ph.D. (6s.); *You Are the Body of Christ*, John Kearney, C.S.Sp. (2s. 6d.).
- CASSELL:** *Men, Women and Places*, Sigrid Undset, Tr. A. G. Chater (7s. 6d.).
- COLDWELL:** *The Mystery of the Divine Motherhood*, Charles Feckes, Tr. Canon George Smith, D.D. (10s. 6d.); *Nervous Mental Diseases*, Chrysostomus Schulte, O.M.Cap. (10s. 6d.).
- LONGMANS:** *The Nazi Persecution of Christianity*, Michael Power (6s.); *Merry in God, A Life of Fr. William Doyle, S.J.* (2s. 6d.).
- PRESERVATION PRESS** (Maryland, U.S.A.): *The Church Before Pilate*, Edward Leen, C.S.Sp. (52).
- SANDS:** *The Boyhood of a Priest, A Country Rector* (3s. 6d.).
- SHRED AND WARD:** *The God of Reason*, J. K. Heydon (5s.); *The Life of Our Lord for Children*, Marigold Hunt (5s.).