

THE STORY BEHIND THE CATHOLIC WORKER. By R. P. Walsh. (Catholic Worker, 70 Higher Temple Street, Manchester 13; 4d.)

The editor of the British *Catholic Worker* here shows how the 'movement' began with Dorothy Day and Peter Maurin in U.S.A. Two years after its American progenitor the British 'C.W.' appeared in 1935 supported in particular by those who had studied at the Catholic Worker's College in Oxford. Before the war it reached a circulation of 64,000. The war brought great difficulties with paper so that now it produces only half that number. But its work is as vital as ever, supporting the Catholic Trade Unionist movement with great vigour. The editor is more practical and concrete in his approach than the present American 'C.W.', to which he leaves the prophetic proclamation of ideals.

N.C.

BOOKS RECEIVED

- Allen and Unwin.* Lord Beveridge and A. F. Wells (Editors): The Evidence for Voluntary Action, 16s.
- Geoffrey Bles.* B. G. Sanders: Christianity after Freud, 8s. 6d.
- Burns, Oates and Washbourne.* J. R. Palanque; G. Bardy; P. de Labriolle: The Church in the Christian Roman Empire, 25s.
- Jonathan Cape.* J. E. Neale: The Elizabethan House of Commons, 18s.
- Cassell.* Lloyd Eric Grey: William Morris, 15s.
- Chapman and Hall.* E. W. Caldin: The Power and Limits of Science, 12s. 6d.
- Church Literature Association.* Lambeth 1948 Reviewed, 6d.; T. G. Jalland, DD.: The Book of 1549, 4d.
- Collins.* Christopher Sykes: Character and Situation, 8s. 6d.
- Columbia University Press (London: Geoffrey Cumberlege).* Martin J. Hillenbrand: Power and Morals, 18s.; M. P. Holleran: Church and State in Guatemala, 26s.
- The Author.* Vera Douie: Daughters of Britain, 7s. 6d.
- Faber and Faber.* Norman Carew: Ploughman's Wisdom, 15s.
- Lethielleux (Paris).* St Thomas: Opuscula Omnia necnon Opera Minora, 1,500 frs.
- Methuen.* Walter Ulman: Medieval Papalism, 18s.
- Oxford University Press.* Nevill Coghill: The Poet Chaucer, 5s.
- Paulusverlag (Fribourg).* Emil Kappler: Die Verkündigungstheologie, 11.70 Sw. frs.
- Princeton University Press (London: Geoffrey Cumberlege).* T. W. Organ: An Index to Aristotle, 27s. 6d.
- Routledge and Kegan Paul.* Martin Buber: Paths in Utopia, 15s.
- S.C.M.* George Every: Poetry and Personal Responsibility, 2s. 6d.

BLACKFRIARS

Literary Communications should be addressed to The Editor, Blackfriars, Oxford (Tel. 3607). The Editor cannot be responsible for the loss of MSS. submitted. No MSS. will be returned unless accompanied by a stamped addressed envelope. *Communications regarding Advertisements* should be addressed to The Manager, Blackfriars, Oxford (Tel. 3607).

Subscriptions and Orders should also be sent to The Manager, Blackfriars, St Giles, Oxford (Tel. 3607). Annual subscription 12/6 post free (U.S.A. \$3.00).