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Arthur B. Price Correspondence

Arthur Barnard Price 1877-

Miss. Alma B. Price

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PRICE, Arthur B.

b. Newark, New Jersey, in 1877-
d. Deer Isle, Maine
December 21, 1969

Miss Alma B. Price
p/o Dorance & Company
2047 Locust Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Dear Miss Price:

We write to you about Arthur B. Price's book of poems, THROUGH NEW ENGLAND, which is in the State Library, but not in the Maine Author Collection.

This is a permanent exhibit of books by Maine writers, or books about Maine. Most of the volumes are inscribed presentation copies, and we gather also biographical information, and preserve correspondence with our authors, making the exhibit one of great interest and value to visitors and students.

Although Mr. Price was not born in Maine, his connection with the state was such that it seems to us most fitting that THROUGH NEW ENGLAND be included in the Maine Author Collection. If it seems so to you, we should be happy indeed to have a copy of his book for the exhibit.

Sincerely yours

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In Charge of
Maine Author Collection
January 5, 1970

Mrs. F. W. Jacob
Maine State Library
Augusta, Maine 04330

Dear Mrs. Jacob:

We have received your letter of December 24 addressed to Miss Alma B. Price, and we are enclosing herewith a complimentary copy of Arthur B. Price's Through New England and Other Poems, for inclusion in the Maine Author Collection.

Sincerely,

Carolyn A. Wenger
Vice President, Editorial

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Enc.
February 2, 1968

Mr. Anthony J. Parrotto
Sales Manager
Dorrance & Company
1809 Callowhill Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19130

Dear Mr. Parrotto:

Thank you very much for thinking of this library and knowing that we would appreciate a copy of Arthur E. Price's book THROUGH NEW ENGLAND AND OTHER POEMS.

We shall see that it is listed in the Bulletin of the Maine Library Association, so that other libraries in the state will know of its availability.

The poems are expressive and charming—isn't it too bad that this must be Mr. Price's last book!

Sincerely yours

In Charge of
Maine Author Collection
Librarian
The State of Maine Library
State House
Augusta, Maine

Dear Librarian:

We are pleased to enclose a free sample copy of our new book, Through New England And Other Poems, by the late Arthur B. Price of Deer Isle, Maine.

Many of Mr. Price's poems have as their central theme the area and people of Maine. His previous work has won him a solid following, particularly in your area and we are sure you will want to make his last collection available to your card holders.

We will be glad to send you additional copies of Through New England And Other Poems promptly, at a 20% library discount.

We look forward to being of service.

Sincerely,

Anthony J. Parrotto
Sales Manager

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Encl.
January 16, 1970

Miss Carolyn A. Wenger
Vice President, Editorial
Dorrance & Company
1809 Callowhill Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19130

Dear Miss Wenger:

Thank you very much for so graciously acceding to our request for a copy of Arthur B. Price's book, THROUGH NEW ENGLAND.

It is being added to the Maine Author Collection with pleasure and satisfaction for the book itself, tinged with regret that the poet cannot inscribe it for us.

Our appreciation to you for your generous interest.

Sincerely yours

hmj

In Charge of
Maine Author Collection