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ANNOUNCEMENT

Beginning with the next volume, publication of book reviews will follow a new practice. Our experience over the years has shown that it is impossible to cover in individual reviews, each devoted to the criticism of a single work, the literary production in all the specialized departments of ancient and medieval scholarship that are embraced in the general program of *Traditio*. If we were to continue the practice of individual reviews, an appropriate account of current publications in such fields as Classical and Christian Antiquity, Patrology, Byzantine Studies, Hagiography, Liturgy, Civil and Canon Law, Political and Social Institutions, the History of Theology and Philosophy, of Literatures, Learning, and Ideas, would itself year by year fill up the volume. On the other hand, the method followed thus far of presenting reviews of only a few recently published books from various fields entails too much haphazard selection to be satisfactory.

It is therefore planned in the future to replace the individual reviews by a limited number of *review articles*, each concerned with several recent publications in one or another of the fields of study that lie within the interest of *Traditio*. Given the large number of such disciplines, it will of course be impossible to report continuously on all of them in each volume. Much will depend on the current output of books and articles in a given field — though, to be sure, no comprehensive bibliographical lists are intended — and upon the supply of critical surveys, which we may hope henceforth to elicit from our contributors.

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ABBREVIATIONS

The following sigla will be used without further explanation :

CAH	<i>Cambridge Ancient History</i>
CIL	<i>Corpus inscriptionum latinarum</i>
CMH	<i>Cambridge Mediaeval History</i>
CSCO	<i>Corpus scriptorum christianorum orientalium</i>
CSEL	<i>Corpus scriptorum ecclesiasticorum latinorum</i>
DACL	<i>Dictionnaire d'archéologie chrétienne et de liturgie</i>
DS	Daremburg-Saglio, <i>Dictionnaire des antiquités grecques et romaines</i>
DThC	<i>Dictionnaire de théologie catholique</i>
Du Cange	Du Cange, Favre, Henschel, <i>Glossarium mediae et infimae latinitatis</i>
EETS	<i>Early English Text Society</i>
GCS	<i>Die griechischen christlichen Schriftsteller der ersten drei Jahrhunderte</i>
IG	<i>Inscriptiones graecae</i>
JL	Jaffé, <i>Regesta pontificum romanorum</i> ... ed. secundam curaverunt S. Loewen-
JK	feld (JL : an. 882-1198), F. Kaltenbrunner (JK : an. ?-590), P. Ewald
JE	(JE : an. 590-882)
LThK	<i>Lexikon für Theologie und Kirche</i>
Mansi	Mansi, <i>Sacrorum conciliorum nova et amplissima collectio</i>
MGH	<i>Monumenta Germaniae historica</i>
PG	Migne, <i>Patrologia graeca</i>
PL	Migne, <i>Patrologia latina</i>
PO	<i>Patrologia orientalis</i>
Potthast	Potthast, <i>Regesta pontificum romanorum</i>
PWK	Pauly, Wissowa, Kroll, <i>Realencyclopdie der classischen Altertumswissenschaft</i>
RIS*	Muratori, <i>Rerum italicarum scriptores</i> : <i>Raccolta degli storici italiani</i> , nuova ed. ... con la direzione di G. Carducci, V. Fiorini, P. Fedele
SIG	Dittenberger, <i>Sylloge inscriptionum graecarum</i>
ThLL	<i>Thesaurus linguae latinae</i>