

the above quotation given in interpretation of our knowing process? In it we read that the wave energies in the form of vibrations proceed from the object to the brain *where* they constitute consciousness. But we understand that consciousness is "out there;" that it is, under the given conditions, identical with the manifold of objects constituting one's environment.

In their work, *New Realism*, the Neo-Realists after admitting the rather undeveloped stage of their system, conclude: "Nevertheless the foundations and the scaffolding of the realistic universe are already built; and it is even possible for some to live in it and feel at home." We must admit that we are not among the "some." Idealism identifying matter and spirit brings the object, such as it is, "into the skull." New Realists "present to the philosophic world a pseudo-explanation of the knowing process, and reveal themselves to be intellectual rovers in the field of innovation."⁹ They have been too enthusiastic and their spirit of reaction has carried them too far on the road which leads from the subjective element in knowledge.

⁹ Sr. M. Verda, *op. cit.*, p. 154.

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A council is held in eternity,
And lo, the inscrutable plan!
Immaculate Mary is Mother of God,
And Infinite God is Man.