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DEDICATION

This issue is dedicated to the Virgin Mary, Patroness of St. Louis Marie Grignon de Montfort. Canonized on July 20, 1947, St. Louis was not only a devoted son of the Blessed Mother but also a preacher of her glories and her gifts, especially of the Rosary. A tertiary of the Order of Preachers, St. Louis de Montfort is rightly honored by the Dominicans as one of their saints. The present issue of Dominicana has been prepared in the spirit of the words of Pope Pius XII, who, speaking to a group of pilgrims on the day following the new saint's elevation to the calendar of saints, said: "All the saints assuredly have been great servants of Mary, and all have led souls to her. He (St. Louis) is incontestably one of those who have worked the most ardently and the most efficaciously to make her (Mary) loved and served." May the articles which follow serve this same purpose.