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Titolo	Recusant translators : Elizabeth Cary and Alexia Grey / / selected and introduced by Frances E. Dolan ; general editors, Betty S. Travitsky and Patrick Cullen
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ISBN	1-351-90613-5 1-315-24513-2 1-351-90614-3
Edizione	[1st ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (783 pages)
Collana	The early modern Englishwoman. Printed writings, 1500-1640, Series 1, Part 2 ; ; Volume 13
Altri autori (Persone)	Benedict, Saint, Abbot of Monte Cassino CareyElizabeth, Lady, -1618 CullenPatrick <1940-> DolanFrances E <1960-> (Frances Elizabeth) GrayAlexia TravitskyBetty <1942-> Du PerronJacques Davy <1556-1618.>
Disciplina	274.2/06
Soggetti	Church and state - England Loyalty oaths - England Catholics - England Church and state - France Catholics - France Loyalty oaths - France
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	First published 2000 by Ashgate Publishing.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references.
Nota di contenuto	The reply of the most illustrious Cardinall of Perron / Elizabeth Cary, trans. -- An image of Du Perron and two holograph poems by Cary tipped into the copy of Reply at the Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Yale University -- The rule of the Most Blissed Father Saint Benedict / Alexia Grey, trans. -- Statutes compyled for the better observation of the holy rule of the Most Glorious Father and Patriarch S. Benedict / Alexia Grey, trans.

Sommario/riassunto

At a time when England was an officially Protestant country to translate Catholic works, thereby helping to propagate the faith, was a brave act and to actually identify oneself in print, as did Cary, as 'a Catholique, and a woman' was a risky assertion of political opposition. One of Cary's daughters asserts that Cary's translation of Cardinal Du Perron's Reply was largely motivated by a desire to convert scholars at Oxford and Cambridge. With her translation in 1630 she sought to reactivate a polemical war which had peaked in 1616 and she intervened in political debate that was far from resolved, and that would issue in revolution, regicide and restoration in the years to come. Although few copies escaped the burning ordered by Archbishop Abbot, at least ten survive. The copy reproduced here is from Cambridge University. Alexia Grey (baptised Margaret) joined the monastery of the Immaculate Conception in Ghent in 1629 at the age of twenty two or three. Hers was not the first translation of Benedict's Rule but by that time a 'reformation' and more than a century had rendered earlier translations unavailable. Her work was an important contribution to sustaining conventual life for Englishwomen abroad. Grey's translation is sometimes bound, as in this volume, with Statutes compyled for the better observation of the holy rule of S. Benedict. The fine copy reproduced here is from the Downside Abbey in Bath.

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Titolo	Convorbiri literare
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Iasi, : Uniunea Scriitorilor din R.S.R
ISSN	1841-7647
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource
Soggetti	Romanian literature - History and criticism Romanian literature Criticism, interpretation, etc. Periodicals.
Lingua di pubblicazione	Rumeno
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Periodico

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Titolo	Qanat Knowledge : Construction and Maintenance / / by Ali Asghar Semsar Yazdi, Majid Labbaf Khaneiki
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Edizione	[1st ed. 2017.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (XVIII, 179 p. 124 illus., 13 illus. in color.)
Disciplina	363.7394 363.73946
Soggetti	Water - Pollution Water-supply Technology—History Cultural property Ethnology Civil engineering Waste Water Technology / Water Pollution Control / Water Management / Aquatic Pollution Water Industry/Water Technologies History of Technology Cultural Heritage Civil Engineering

Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Chapter 1. Introduction -- Chapter 2. Hydrology mechanism of qanat -- Chapter 3. Locatingqanat -- Chapter 4. Digging of shaft wells and qanat gallery -- Chapter 5. Barriers and limitations of qanat construction and rehabilitation -- Chapter 6. Tools and Equipments -- Chapter 7. Qanat maintenance and preservation -- Chapter 8. Qanat related Structures.
Sommario/riassunto	This book offers a ready solution for those who wish to learn more about this fascinating part of our water history and makes accessible to the wider world the traditional knowledge gained from building and maintaining qanats for more than 2,500 years. There is much more here than a summary of the nature and distribution of qanats, and a more extensive journey through the philosophy, methods, tools, and terminology of qanat design and digging than previously assembled. Where does one begin to dig to ensure that the qanat tunnel will flow with water? How are practical considerations of landscape factored into the design? How are water quality and discharge measured? How does excavation proceed through bedrock and unconsolidated soil and how is this knowledge of geology and pedology acquired? How are vertical wells and tunnels excavated to maintain proper air supply, light, and water flow? How does one deal with special problems like tunnel collapse, the accumulation of gasses and vapors, and the pooling of water during construction? How are tools and gauges designed, maintained, and used? How have qanats been incorporated into other structures like watermills, reservoirs, ice houses, and irrigation networks? And how are qanats cleaned, extended, maintained through the ages, and incorporated into modern water supplies? The great contribution of this work is the story it tells of the ingenuity and practical skills of the qanat masters who for centuries and generations have cut an uncountable number of tunnels through bedrock and alluvium using hand tools and homespun solutions to problems that would vex the most experienced university-trained engineers. .