

NOTES IN BOOKS, '09.

Catalogue de la Bibliothèque de feu Le Duc D. Mario Massimo

de Rignano. (Rome, Dario G. Rossi... 1909).

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W.O.'s ^{note} in beginning:- Olschki of Florence tells me (March '09) that Rossi only paid 7000 or 8000 francs for the collection. Many of the books brought hundreds of francs. The Prognosticon especially went very high. I bought one for fr. 150, another for 165 (115?). There was great competition, O. says, for them. I got a beautiful Redi set and a Cardan.

This Duc is supposed to have the evil eye, and many Romans will not pronounce his name. The collection was not made entirely by him.

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Roma, Feb. '09.

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by the Duc de Rignano, but also by his son, the Duc de Rignano.

The Duc de Rignano was born in 1780.
He was a member of the Académie Française.
He died in 1850.
The collection was made by him and his son.
The collection is now in the hands of the Duc de Rignano.
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