

Book-of-the-Month Club · INC.



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Miss Laura Gilpin
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Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Miss Gilpin:

Please accept our apologies for this delay in answering you. We are indeed sorry for our error in having sent you THE SHORT NOVELS OF DOSTOEVSKY instead of MODERN ARMS AND FREE MEN. This apparently was an error on the part of our shipping Department and we hope that we may count upon your tolerance in this matter. THE READER'S ENCYCLOPEDIA was sent to you at the same time. Apparently this book went astray in the mail. We are reshipping it and should the first copy turn up, we would appreciate its return.

Thank you for your order for THEIR FINEST HOUR and THE GATHERING STORM; we are sending you these two books and charging your account. Incidentally, you may be interested to know that Mr. Churchill's third volume--THE GRAND ALLIANCE will be the Book-of-the-Month selection for May.

Since you do not object to keeping THE SHORT NOVELS OF DOSTOEVSKY, we have made the following adjustment which we hope will be satisfactory to you. We are counting THE SHORT NOVELS OF DOSTOEVSKY as your dividend for the purchase of ROOSEVELT AND HOPKINS and THIS I REMEMBER.

THE READER'S ENCYCLOPEDIA will be credited as your dividend for the purchase of the dual selection, THE PEABODY SISTERS OF SALEM and HERE IS NEW YORK, and MODERN ARMS AND FREE MEN. We are sending you MODERN ARMS AND FREE MEN as you originally requested and a complimentary copy of THE MAN FROM NAZARETH.

SELECTED TALES OF GUY DE MAUPASSANT is your dividend for the purchase of THEIR FINEST HOUR and THE GATHERING STORM. We hope that you will thoroughly enjoy the new books.

Sincerely yours,

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