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MISSOULA, Mont.--

A total of 43 volumes of German works valued at $500 has been donated to the University of Montana Library though R. Mueller-Horn, German Consul in Seattle, Wash.

The volumes include critical editions of German expressionist dramatists Kaiser and Sorge, lyric poets Lasker-Schueler, Trakl and Stramm, and artists Marc and Novembergruppe, as well as works of literary criticism.

Horst Jarka, professor of German at UM, requested the books after he learned from Mueller-Horn they were available.

Jarka said the donation was made by the German Research Association, Bonn, West Germany, for general use at the University.

"The books are to be used in support of research and courses in German Expressionism," Jarka said.

Courses in which the volumes will be utilized include the seminar in expressionism for German majors offered in the UM Department of Foreign Languages last fall, and the interdisciplinary, team-taught course in German Expressionism in drama, music and the arts being taught winter quarter on the Missoula campus.

Besides Jarka, other UM faculty members participating in the team-taught course this quarter are Joel H. Bernstein, acting chairman of the UM Department of Art; Allen D. Cook, assistant professor of drama, and Joseph A. Mussulman, professor of music.