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Dr. Rhoda Le Cocq Authors Book On India

Dr. Rhoda P. Le Cocq, daughter of R.B. Le Cocq, of Lynden, is the author of a book published in India and distributed in the United States by California Institute of Asian Studies in San Francisco. The book, "The Radical Thinkers: Martin Heidegger and Sri Aurobindo" has already been requested by university libraries across the country as the first to compare the philosophy of the two contemporary men.

In reviewing the book, the Indian Express of Madras, India, said: "The author shows how both men are involved with man's innermost being and his future growth in consciousness. They speak of a needed transformation in the consciousness of the human race, a transcendence as momentous as the leap from ape to man."

As a result of publication, Dr. Le Cocq has been elected a Fellow of the intercontinental Biographical Association in England and notified of listing



Dr. Rhoda Le Cocq

in "World Who's Who of Women," for 1972-73. In 1971, she was listed in "Two Thousand Women of Achievement", London.

During the summer session of California Institute of Asian Studies, Dr. Le Cocq instructed a course based on her book, and will teach a similar

course this coming winter for University of California, Extension Division, Davis, California, where she also lectured in 1970-71.

After graduation from high school in Bellingham, the author obtained a B.A. from Washington State University, then an M.A. from Stanford in creative writing, a second M.A. in philosophy from University of California, and her doctorate from California

Institute of Asian Studies. She did graduate research for the book at The Sorbonne, Paris, University of Hawaii, and at Sri Aurobindo Ashram, Pondicherry, India. The book also includes accounts of a personal onterview with psychologist Carl Gustaf Jung and her stay in India.

In addition to "The Radical Thinkers", Dr. Le Cocq has two articles on philosophy appearing in book collection in

India and in the United States this coming year. She previously won national awards for short stories, radio and TV dramatizations, and published in magazines.

Her father, R.B. Le Cocq, retired lawyer of Lynden, expects a visit over the long Labor Day holiday weekend