

Sacred Heart was sung by the choir, he proceeded to bless and distribute the diplomas and crosses. In conducting the ceremony he closely followed the ceremonial prescribed by the Haudbook. Father Feeney, our Director, assisted, and pronounced the solemn Act of Consecration. He also officiated at the solemn Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, with which the beautiful ceremony closed. The choir of St. Basil's rendered some excellent music, and was much appreciated by the congregation present.

All our Promoters have entered with renewed zeal on their work of love, and the beautiful devotion of the Sacred Heart is rapidly spreading in the parish of St. Basil's. It is proving an immense blessing to all who have embraced it.

I must not omit mention of the flourishing Juvenile League branch which Father Feeney has just organized. Among them there are twenty-five young Promoters at work in the interests of the Sacred Heart.

I cannot forbear adding that a truly edifying sight was witnessed by a large congregation on the first Sunday of the New Year, when the Men's League approached the Holy Table in a body.

SECRETARY LADIES' BRANCH.

IN THANKSGIVING.

Quebec.—A lady of St. Patrick's Church publicly thanks the Sacred Heart for being cured of rheumatism, from which she had suffered for over twenty years, through making a Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

For a signal temporal favor received through the intercession of the Sacred Heart after promising to publish thanksgiving and to become a Promoter.

Hamilton.—For recovery of mind by an afflicted person, for whom a mass was offered in honor of the Sacred Heart.