

EDUCATIONAL SECTION

AT the University of Toronto there are now some eighty Catholic young men in attendance. Not a very large proportion of the two thousand at present there. These two thousand young men in after life will, in a great measure, be the moulders of public opinion in this Province. A Catholic to be a strong one must have clear cut principles to guide him. In an atmosphere such as exists here in Protestant, and not too strongly believing people, a sufficiently good training of principle cannot be got. Thought is in a state of unrest. Prejudice is on every hand, and those who wish to imbibe proper principles are deterred by this often unconsciously present prejudice.

As a remedy for this it has seemed to the Educational Section, (and the idea has met with the unqualified approval of His Grace the Archbishop) that an Extra-Mural Lectureship in Mental Philosophy and in History, that would be on the side of truth and proper thinking, as we Catholics look at it, would be a desirable thing.

Both are difficult and delicate subjects, and both need strong men to take them in hand. They must be strong enough in qualification to command attention and respect from the very beginning, from