



The Coming Eucharistic Congress In Montreal.



IN September, 1910, our fair city will be the theatre of a great International demonstration in honor of the Blessed Sacrament, the first Eucharistic Congress held on our Continent.

"What a change," says Mgr. Baunard, since that time not so very long ago, when a holy person confided to Mgr. de Segur, the idea she had conceived, or received from heaven, "to promote great International Congresses meeting successively in the different European States to discuss during several consecutive days in serious sessions of study and prayer, subjects of piety and of practice as means for still further increasing in the world devotion to the Eucharist and more fully extending its beneficent influence in every direction.

As for the institution of *Corpus Christi* we are indebted for the idea of these solemn Eucharistic Congresses to an humble handmaid of the Lord, whose very name, though she is still living, is buried in the secret of the cloister. When this privileged soul disclosed her great project to Mgr. de Segur, he received her kindly, listened to her suggestion and was so impressed thereby that he immediately set about its execution and won numerous and distinguished adherents. But unfortunately, the sickness from which he was then suffering and which shortly afterwards proved fatal handicapped him and he