

THE
CATHOLIC
RELIGIOUS CORPORATIONS
OF THE CITY OF QUEBEC.

The following statistical summary, now published for the first time in this city, is based upon figures taken from the best sources, and which, consequently, offer all the guarantees desirable of their authenticity.

I shall not dissemble the fact that this study has exacted much care and labour. Some of the Communities yielded to my demands with good grace; others, on the contrary, only acceded to my wishes painfully and with repugnance.

I am well aware that it is foreign to Catholic charity to parade its sacrifices and its good works before the world; but sometimes circumstances present themselves, which, not only justify, but imperiously require the step I have taken.

The Catholic Religious Corporations of the City of Quebec may be classed as follows:—

1. Educational institutions; 2. Charitable institutions; 3. Institutions which are both educational and charitable.

The Educational institutions are:—

1. The Québec Seminary and Laval University.
2. The Ursulines.
3. The Congregation of Notre-Dame.
4. The Christian Brothers' Schools.