

your to bring about the establishment of similar societies in other places in Canada. With that end in view the Secretary has distributed, wherever it was thought they might do good, considerable numbers of our own pamphlet No. 1, our price list, the advertising pamphlet of the American society and of two pamphlets published by the English society entitled "The Catholic Truth Society" and "How to Help the Catholic Truth Society." One tangible result is "The Catholic Truth Society of Almonte," the report of which, appended hereto, speaks for itself and does credit to the Catholics of Almonte. Would that every town and village in the country would do as well ! This is the only branch actually established as a result of the formation of our own society, but the secretary is in correspondence with persons in some half a dozen other places where the formation of branches is under discussion ; and it is sincerely hoped that in some at least of these Catholic Truth Societies will eventually be established.

Besides our own and that at Almonte, there are two branches of the Catholic Truth Society in Canada, one in Toronto formed some years ago, and one in Winnipeg almost contemporaneous with our own. There is also the recently formed "Catholic Association" in Montreal, which we believe aims at similar work. In Pembroke, while no branch of the society as yet exists, the Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society has purchased a quantity of publications from us and distributed them free to the poor.