

Smithville, Ont.

The Rev. Pastor announces that in order to raise the necessary funds to build a church at Beamsville, a poor and scattered district, he has made arrangements with the Oleograph Society of Bologna, Italy, for the importation of oleographs of the various masterpieces of Christian painters.

We cannot insist too much on the importance of having the walls of Catholic homes adorned with pictures that are together religious and artistic. Parents now-a-days owe this to their children as a reparation for, and a preservative against, the pagan pictures verging closely on the immoral and suggestive of it, which they see placarded on the walls and exhibited in the shop windows of our modern pagan cities. By addressing Rev. K. J. McRae, Smithville, Ont., Associates may procure at moderate prices, ranging between 75 cts. and \$2, artistic oleographs of Our Lord, His Sacred Heart, His Mother and Saints. They will thus not only purchase "good pictures to adorn their homes and inspire their children with virtuous thoughts, but will also merit the rich reward God has promised to those who further His honor and glory." The work has the warm approval of His Grace the Archbishop of Toronto.

Various Centres.

Windsor, N.S.—The Men's League (established more than two years since) is holding out well. We had a very good Christmas communion.—Rev. Local Director.

Glennevis, Ont.—Recruits are still coming in. We have now sixty Promoters with circles, and their number is daily increasing. The hotel-keepers are complaining. They say if I do not keep quiet they must soon close down.—Rev. Local Director.