

formulated by Father Ramière, and propagated by the French *Messenger*, has at last nobly materialized.

Spain.

Spain, shaken for a period by revolution and secret societies, took a timely lesson from France, and under the present pious Queen Regent especially, the government and people have been growing more and more Catholic. The outbursts and attempts at revolution we so frequently read of in the press are but the hopeless protests of the secret societies, which cannot restrain their rage at the prosperity which Spain is beginning to reap from government according to Catholic principles.

"Of all the countries of Europe," reports the Director General, "Spain this year holds the foremost rank for the Holy League in nearly all the dioceses. Page after page of the *Mensajero* of Bilbao attest these consoling fruits."

What they say of us.

"Our *Messenger anglais du Canada*," says the Director General in the French *Messenger* of Toulouse, "publishes the marked approval and warm encouragement of the Canadian Prelates;" and after mentioning their names goes on to say that "the pages of the new *Messenger* make frequent mention of the thousands of brave Catholics (*vaillants chrétiens*) more than thirty thousand in English-speaking Canada alone, who, not ashamed of their faith, with the badge on their breast, assist at the most imposing ceremonies to the edification of their parishes."

Then he cites Hamilton Cathedral parish, in which "2,130 associates are enrolled under a hundred Promoters. Every first Sunday of the month all the members, with the badge of the Sacred Heart on their breast, go to holy communion in a body."

On another occasion he speaks in terms of praise of the ardor of Galt, Hespeler and Dundas in the work of the League.