PREFACE.

The articles herein put into permanent form appeared originally in the editorial columns of the Catholic Register and Canadian Extension of Toronto, Ontario. They are now published with the hope that they may be instrumental in arousing our people, as a whole, to a deeper interest in those things which concern the welfare of the Catholic press. We must some day learn the lesson that the welfare of the Church is intimately wrapped up with the growth and progress of the Catholic press. The Catholic paper deserves more encouragement than it has been receiving. This is the burden of the message which I have been striving to convey. This is the lesson which we must bring home to ourselves if we are to hold our own against the forces of evil which are now pressing us on every side.