Rev'd and Dear Sir:

Since writing the above Circular, my attention has been called to the second series of the Bonds of the Roman Loan, which are advertised for sale. I avail myself of this opportunity to recommend most earnestly to your zeal this eminently good work, the Pontifical Loan, of which you have doubtless, heard, through the Catholic press of this country. Bonds of 500 frs. and 125 frs. are offered to the public, the former are sold for $66, currency; the latter for $16.50, each bearing 5 per cent interest per annum, payable semi-annually. As those bonds draw interest from the first of October last, the interest will have to be added, from that time, at the rate of 42 cents per month, on each 500 frs. Bond. Thus, purchasers will have to pay now $68.10 instead of $66, which would have been required, before the first of October last-

The object of the Pontifical Loan, as you are aware Rev'd Sir, is to afford some relief to our beloved Sovereign Pontiff, in his very grave and most urgent necessities. "It is not a gift that is solicited, says the Apostolical Nuncio in Paris, in a letter to His Grace the Archbishop of Baltimore, it is an investment of funds under the best of conditions that is presented to those who, while doing a good work, wish to draw a legitimate profit from their money." No investment I will add, can present greater security than one guaranteed, as this is, by the pledged faith of a State which, though the weakest in appearance, has always religiously fulfilled its engagements. This pious work is earnestly recommended to their respective flocks by the illustrious Archbishops of New York and Baltimore, and also by all the Prelates of this Province. Clergymen of this diocese, will please invite their people to join with them in the good work.

Those wishing to purchase Bonds, may apply direct to W. J. Macdonell, Agent for the Roman Loan in Toronto. Priests may do so on behalf of those of their parishoners who wish to subscribe. On the receipt of the money either by mail, or by Post Office order, or any other safe way, the Bond will be sent to the subscriber by the above named gentleman, W. J. Macdonell who deserves the highest confidence of the public.

J. M. BRUYERE, V. G.
Administrator.

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