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Having recorded the sublime devotedness of the Brothers of the Christian Schools during the late disastrous period of French history, we can only repeat the words of Count de Maistre : "O holy Church ! great men belong to thee!"

We, like the primitive Christians, are thrown in the midst of a corrupt civilization ; the earth has grown cold, and it is for Catholics to restore its vital warmth, to probe the wounds of the mighty patient, to cleanse and to heal them. Let us beg of God to preserve to society the Institute of the Brothers of the Christian Schools—that torch of faith, that focus of religion, so essentially necessary in its mission to the rising generations of the children of men.

Let Christian teachers go everywhere, sowing the good seed, spreading the glad tidings ; let them draw divided peoples together. The influence and the teachings of virtuous men can alone give prosperity and peace to the world.

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