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CATHOLIC TEACHING AS TO CHURCH AND STATE.

(CONTINUED.)

We concluded our remarks on this subject in our last issue with the following words: "We go farther even than this, and maintain that it is not alone in consequence of the morality of acts that the Civil Power is subordinate to the Church. We contend that from its very nature and end, the Civil Power is put in dependence and subordination to the Church."

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