



YPRES

« In the cloisters of Ypres a banner is swaying,
 « And by it a pale, weeping maiden is praying.

The ancient city has at last crumbled into the dust; but though blotted out amongst the cities of Belgium she will forever live in the hearts, and history, of Canada and the Empire.

Ypres has passed through many changes. During the thirteenth century it was the metropolis of Flanders having a population of 20,000 people. Then was built the famous Drapers Guild Hall or now better known as the Cloth Hall.