Church, affiliated with Toronto University. west-In the neighbourhood also, is the fine auditois a rum of the University Young Men's Christian Association. Pursuing our way westward, on College Street, we pass Beverley Street, and its northern extension, St. George Street uilt of (two of the finest residential streets in the western section of the city), reaching in a few minutes the great western artery, Spadina The Avenue. Close by, with a fine outlook down

stands

## KNOX COLLEGE AND NORTH-WEST TORONTO.

the Avenue, the gleaming lake in the vista,

KNOX COLLEGE (see illustration), the denominational western headquarters of Presbyterianism, and training institution for the ministry of the Presbyterian Church. The college dates its existence from the year 1846. though the present buildings were erected when this fine site was acquired, in 1875. It has a partial endowment and a denominational grant. At the intersection of College Street and the Avenue, is the SPADINA AVE-NUE METHODIST CHURCH, and to the westward the Church of ST. STEPHEN the Proto-Martyr, College Street Presbyterian and Baptist Churches. About a mile due northward, the foundation stone has recently been laid, and some progress since made, in erecting, under the fostering care of Dr. Sweatman, Anglican Bishop of Toronto, the Cathedral Church of St. Albans. The enterprise marks the growth of Toronto and the apostolic zeal and faithfulness of the Lord Bishop of the Diocese. The city's everbranching-out arms now enclose SEATON VILLAGE, a once far-outlying Toronto

From the point we have reached in our drive, our cicerone may conduct us over the city's western suburbs, either across the ravine, in rear of Trinity University, which connects College Street with the Dundas avenue to Queen Street, thence west to Parkdale and Brockton. It may be better to take the latter route; and, following it, we shall pass in succession St. Andrew's Market, and Denison Avenue Presbyterian Church, the one a little way off Queen Street to the south, and the other a few steps from the same street to the north. Pursuing our way westward we come upon the beautiful grounds (see illustration) of

## TRINITY COLLEGE, BROCKTON, AND PARKDALE.

TRINITY UNIVERSITY, a fine ecclesiastical-looking edifice, founded in 1852 by the first bishop appointed by the Crown for Upper Canada, John Strachan, D.D. The building proper is of white brick, with stone dressings, and has a frontage of 250 feet, with deep projecting wings. It stands in a park of twenty acres, with a background of romantic beauty; and, besides numerous class-rooms and dormitories, is equipped with a fine library, convocation hall, and tasteful chapel. A little westward, on the opposite side of the street, is an immense high-walled enclosure, within which is the PROVINCIAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, and to the south are the CENTRAL PRISON and the MERCER RE-FORMATORY FOR WOMEN. Still westward. are the ORPHANS' HOME, the HOME FOR INCURABLES, and one or two other refuges for the city's sick and suffering or the erring and the homeless.

West and north of the Asylum are the fastgrowing suburban villages of Parkdale and Brockton; and where was but lately an almost unbroken forest of oak and yellow pine is a vast network of streets and avenues, with handsome villas and rows of contiguous streets, creating a new and populous Toronto. The visitor, before retracing his steps, if he wishes to see something of the sylvan beauty of Toronto's immediate surroundings, should Road, or by way of Bathurst Street or Spadina continue his drive along the lake shore to the

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