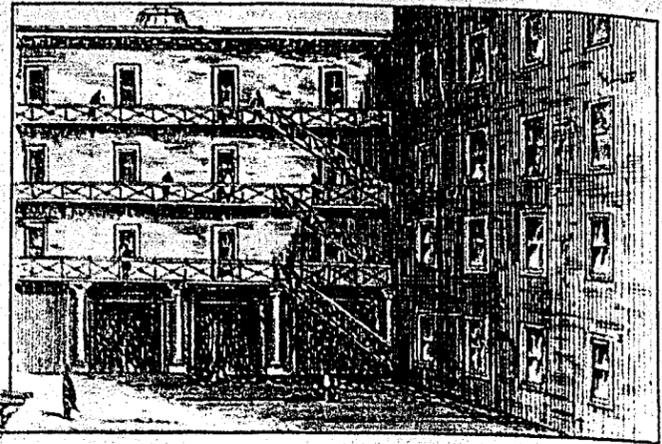


FUR DRESSING AND DYEING SHOP.

We present to our readers illustrations of one of our important city industries; the premises are in the business centre, and few know the extent of the factory buildings in the rear.

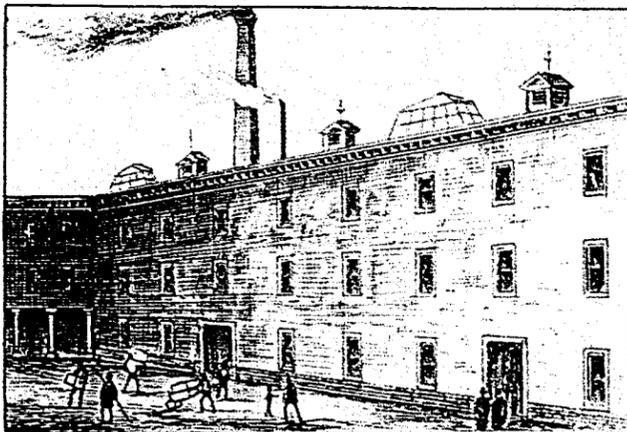
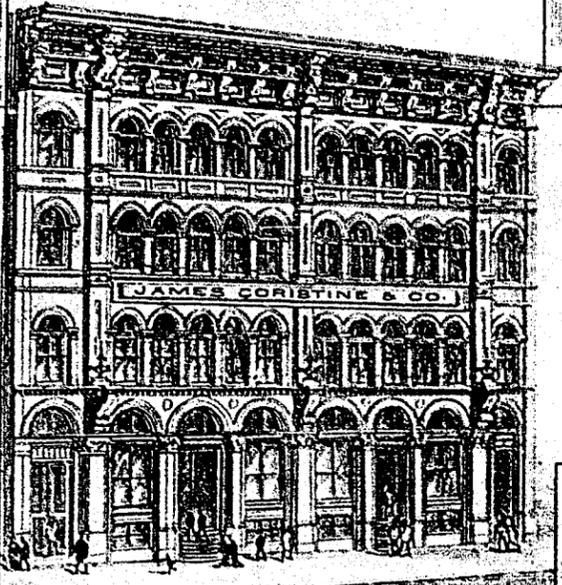
The Warehouse, 471 to 477 St. Paul street, has a frontage of 68 feet by a depth of 115 feet, is a handsome cut stone structure, and one of the most spacious business premises in the city.

FUR MANUFACTURING, including the dressing and dyeing of fur skins, forms an important branch and gives employment to a large number of persons. Until recently nearly all descriptions of lustered furs were dressed and dyed in Europe. That important branch has been successfully introduced here, and is now a leading economy in manufacturing, as the raw skins are imported free of duty, and turned out in manufactured goods.



FUR MAT FACTORY.

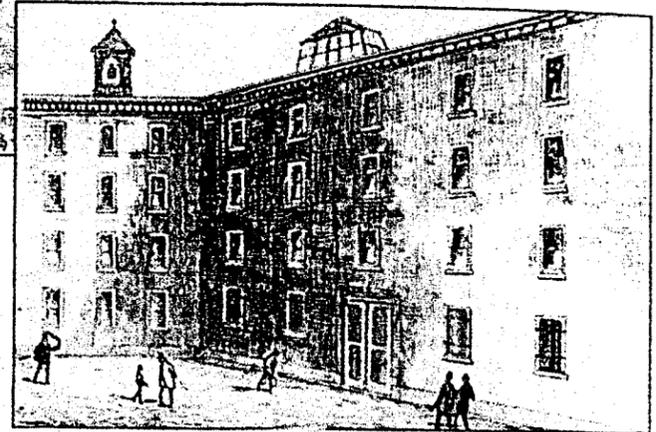
The extensive vaults under the Fur Manufactory are said to have been built by the Society of One Hundred Adventurers under the French regime, for the storage of furs and Indian goods; they were afterwards used by the North-West Company for the same purpose, and are one of the few relics of French Canada.



WOOL HAT FACTORY.

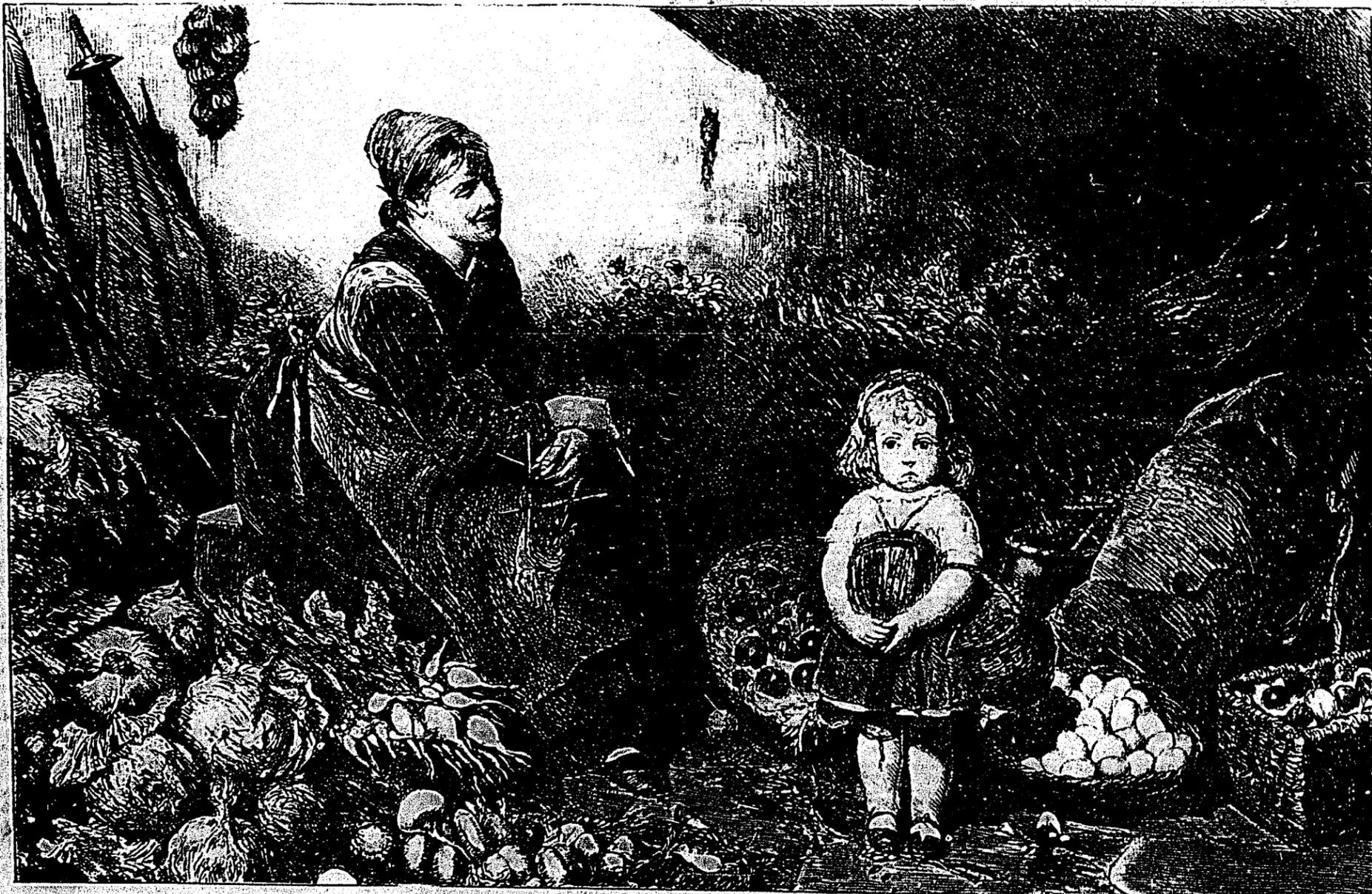
THE WOOL HAT FACTORY has been in operation about 8 years. A large addition in machinery was made last year, and the product is now more than doubled.

THE FUR HAT FACTORY—the first establishment of the kind in the Dominion—is now in successful operation, with a complete outfit of the most improved machinery.



FUR MANUFACTORY AND VAULTS.

WAREHOUSE AND FACTORIES OF JAMES CORISTINE & CO., MONTREAL.



THE FIRST PURCHASE.