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New Showrooms of the Bell Organ and Piano Company on Yonge Street.

Toronto has come to boast of many improvements during the past few years, and not a month passes now unless there is something new to chronicle, tributary to the importance of the city as a big business centre.

In addition to the many other attractions, Toronto can now boast of having the finest piano and organ showrooms on the continent of America. This is not an idle statement, but an absolute fact. The Bell Organ and Piano Co. a few months ago acquired the spacious premises, 146 Yonge street, just above Temperance street, and the workmen have been busied fitting it through a style almost bordering on extravagance.

Expense has evidently been the small consideration, and artistic effect combined with usefulness the most important, in the appointment of the showrooms, which occupy the three large floors of the building. Such was the impression of a World reporter when he was shown thru the establishment last night.

The attractive furnishing of the two large windows on Yonge street is barely in index to the magnificence of the place inside. Mr. Joseph Buse, the local manager, escorted the World man thru the premises, and was proud of the artistic arrangement of his pet piano and organ. Every up-to-date style of the beautiful instruments manufactured by the Bell Co. can be seen in the showrooms. On the ground floor, the main reception room is tastefully furnished with comfortable upholstered border upon the aesthetic. At the rear end of this room are the offices, which are fitted up with everything that a modern office needs. Mr. Hawkins, the general manager, was complimenting Inspector of Agencies R. B. Andrews on the gorgeous appearance of the place, when the World called. Mr. Andrews fathered the idea, which, when consummated, was a model of taste and artistic skill.

The first floor is the most attractive spot in the building. Everything is pleasing to the eye. The visitor, after leaving the elevator, passes up an avenue, each side of which are prettily furnished rooms, calculated possibly to give intending purchasers an idea of how the new piano will look in their own drawing-rooms. There is a pink room, a blue room, a green room, an ivory and gold room, and at the front there is a large amber room, in which several beautiful places are shown. In this room are studies of glass windows, with pictures of famous musicians and the music of Auld Lang Syne, worked in the glass.

The top flat is mostly devoted to the building of organs. It is a sumptuous furnished, in keeping with the rest of the building.

Features of the new showrooms are the splendid rows of plants, including palms and ferns, as well as the system of electric light. Over 200 luminous lamps, throwing a softly shaded light, illuminate the place. Flatteringly, the second floor is the heart of the business. On the walls are oil paintings of the masters Bach, Beethoven, Mendelssohn, Wagner, Mozart, Schubert, Schumann, Chopin, Liszt and several others.

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Peking, April 12.—The Committee of Ministers, which is considering China's financial resources, has learned from information thus far obtained that \$300,000,000 in gold can be raised without crippling China's resources. The examination by the committee into the subject is thus far incomplete and probably it will learn subsequently that other Chinese resources for indemnities are available.

Trade Prospects Gloomy.

The April 12.—Trade prospects are extremely gloomy. Chinese importers and wholesale dealers are fearful, owing to the distressed state of the country and the uncertainty as to the future. The customs collections for the March quarter were \$7,000,000, against \$12,000,000 for the same period of 1900.

French Troops to Be Removed.

London, April 12.—A dispatch to The Times from Peking states that the French military authorities contemplate removing 7000 men at an early date. The German army is preparing to re-occupy the infantry brigade. The indemnity claims are now understood to total sixty millions.

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"C" BATTERY GOT TOO MUCH.

By Mistake They Got \$700 More Than They Deserved.

Ottawa, April 12.—It is learned to-day that no less a sum than \$700 of Imperial money was distributed among the members of "C" Battery in mistake during the return trip of the steamer from Africa.

Canada's Imperial Government has asked for the return of this money, and, failing recovery, will deduct it from the amount of bonus which each soldier and officer who served in South Africa has earned. Any further application for money from the Militia Department will be emphatically declined.

It Cures All Creeds.—Here are a few names of clergymen of different creeds who are firm believers in Dr. Agnew's Cathartic Powder to "give up to the preaching." In all it claims: Bishop Swetnam, Rev. Dr. Langtry (Episcopalian); Rev. Dr. Michael, Rev. Dr. Van den Bosch (Methodist); and Rev. Dr. Newman (Anglican). Copies of their personal letters for the asking, 50 cents.—105

Sandwich a Prisoner Also.

Washington, April 12.—Gen. Sandwich, reported to a despatch to Agostino, agent of Agostino in Paris, to have been selected to succeed Agostino as commanding general of the Agostino forces, is a prisoner in Mantua. He was rendered to the American forces April 8.

They Are Carefully Prepared.—Pills which displace themselves in the stomach cause the intestines, and to overcome constipation the medicine administered must be in the form of pills. Dr. Agnew's Cathartic Powder is in the form of pills. Dr. Agnew's Cathartic Powder is in the form of pills.

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