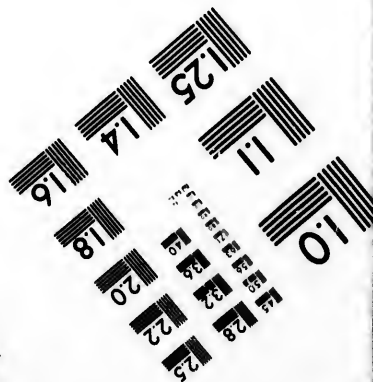
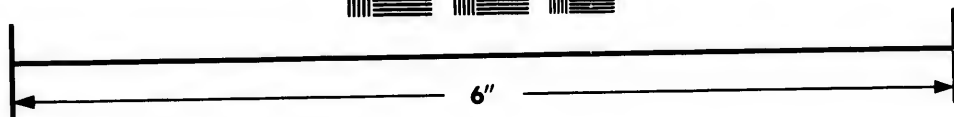
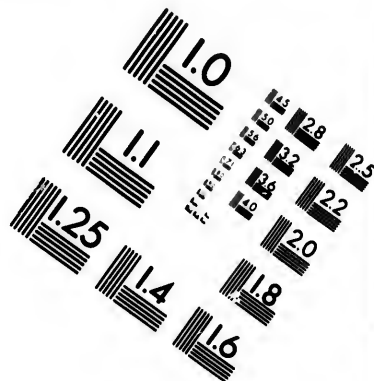




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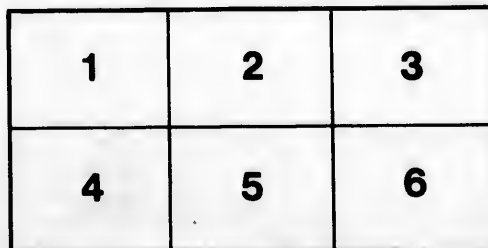
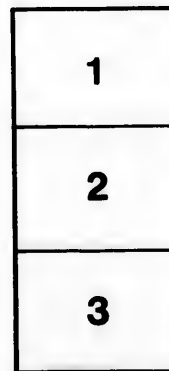
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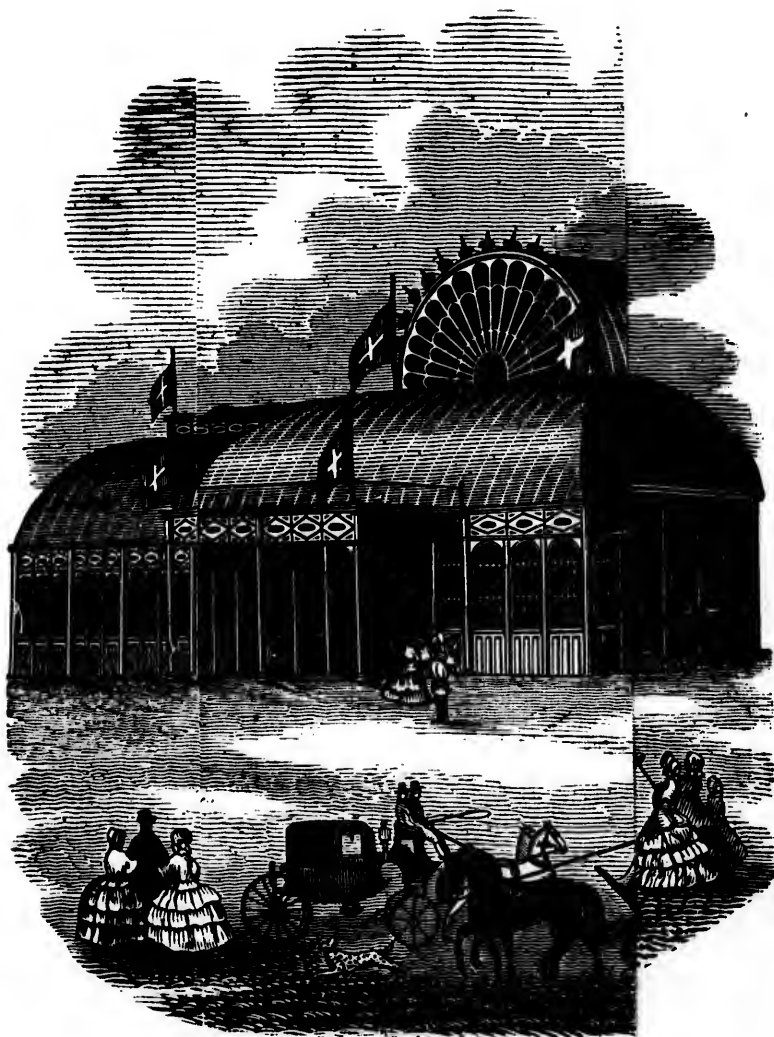
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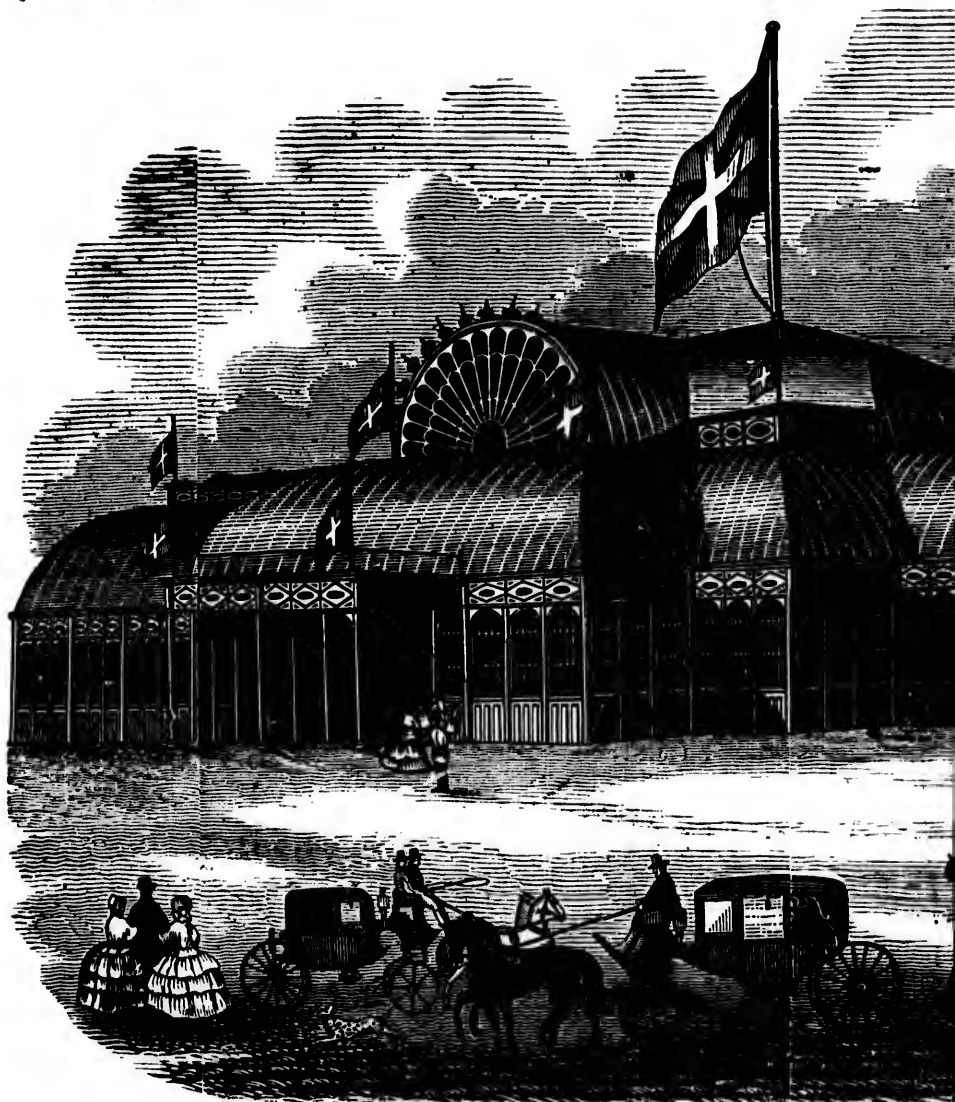
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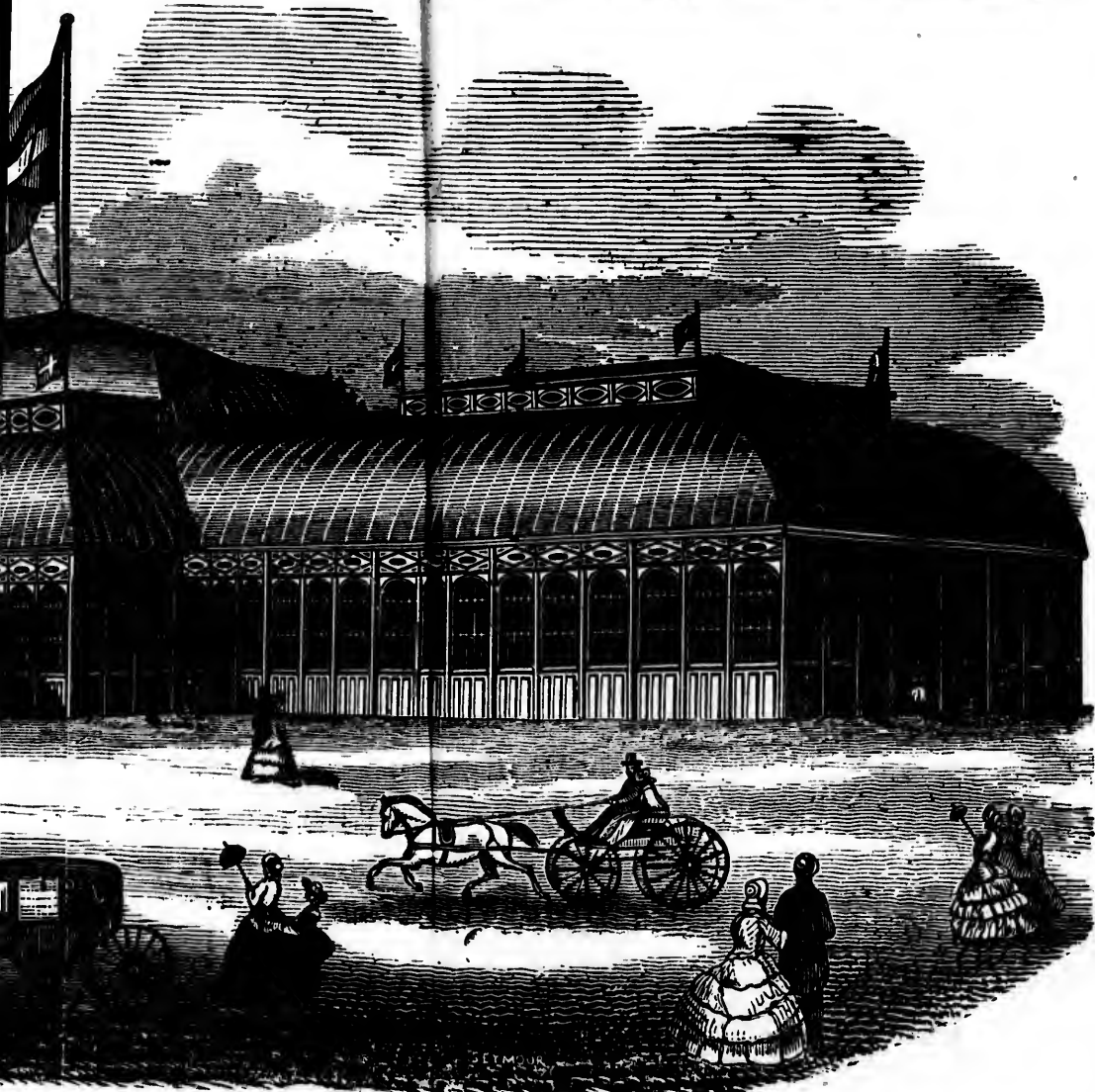
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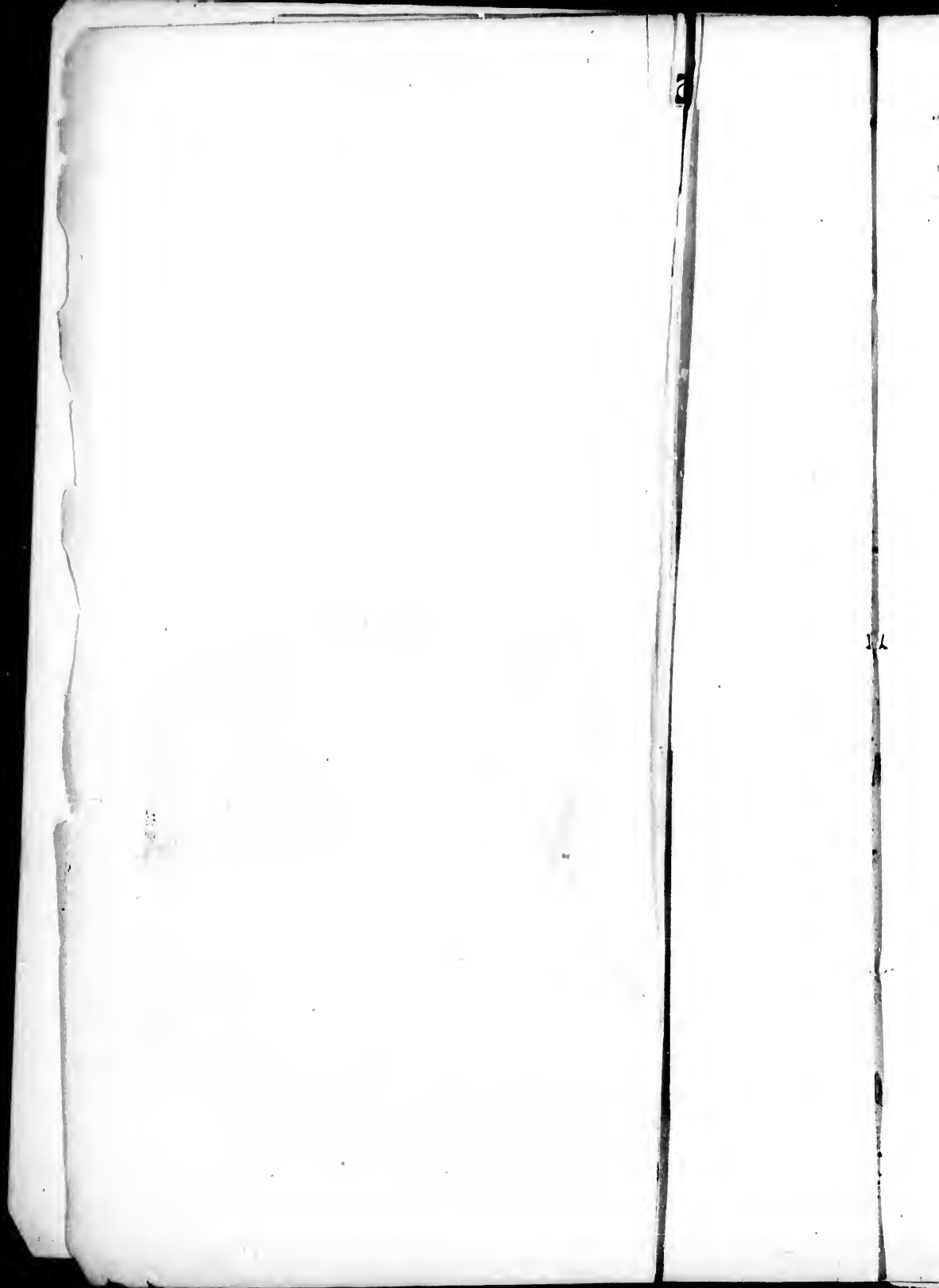
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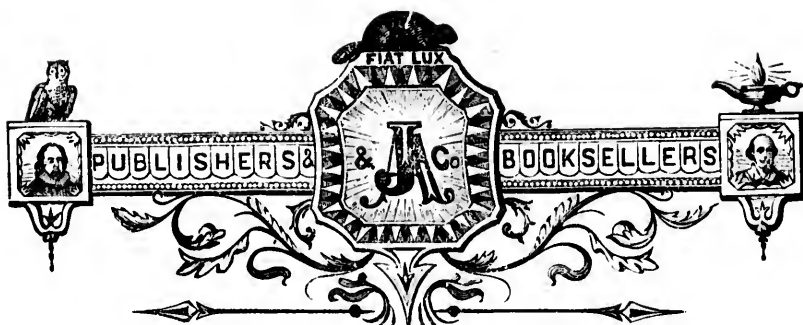
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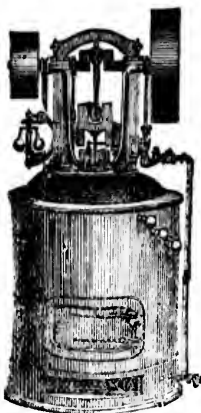
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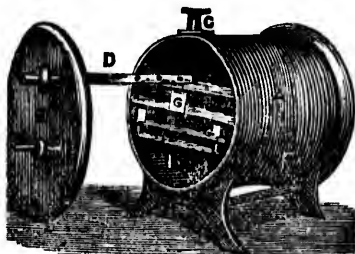
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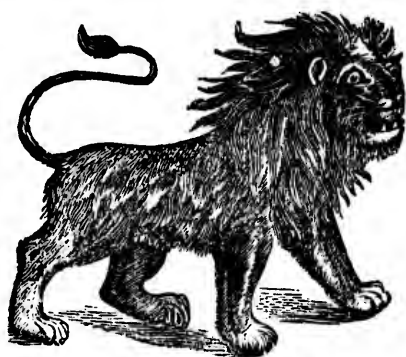
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Toronto, the metropolis of Ontario, is situated at the north-west angle of the lake, in latitude 43° 39 and longitude 97° 21 west of Greenwich. It is the seat of legislation for the Province, and consequently the residence of the Lieutenant-Governor, of the Courts of Justice, and of Education. It is also the principal port for Western commerce. The present number of the city's population can only be approximately conjectured, as no census has been taken since 1871, and there has been a marked increase during the three years which have elapsed from the old enumeration of the inhabitants. It is probable, taking the house construction and the large influx of new residents, apart from the ordinary increase of the population in Toronto, that there are not fewer than 90,000 people within its limits. The history of the city is in fact a part of the history of the Province from the time when General Simcoe determined to make it the Seat of Government. It has only enjoyed that distinction but a small portion of the time since 1793, but it has always occupied the foremost place in the annals of Upper Canada. The harbour, with its thin surrounding of sand and shingle, is a deep and commodious one, well sheltered from the storms of the lake, and admirably adapted to the requirements of a growing commercial and manufacturing city.

Toronto is distant from Niagara Falls, by direct line across the lake and the mouth of the Niagara river, 50 miles; from Collingwood, at the northern terminus of the Northern Railroad, on Georgian Bay, Lake Huron, 93 miles; from Hamilton, 45; London, 114; Kingston, 165; Ottawa, 233; Montreal, 323; Quebec, 503; New York, 500; Boston, 593.

The public buildings of Toronto which first attract the eyes of strangers are the Churches, with their tall tapering spires. The umbrageous avenues leading to the Park carry the visitor to the University and Observatory. Trinity College, Upper Canada College, Knox College, the Normal School, the Parliament Buildings, the Lunatic Asylum, the new Central Prison, St. James' Cemetery and the Necropolis, attract notice; and the General Hospital for its widely beneficent utility demands admiration; St. Lawrence Hall is a conspicuous object; the City Hall, near it, serves the Corporation with a place of assembly and City offices; St. James' Cathedral, with its graceful tower and spire 316 feet in height; the Metropolitan, St. Michael's, Zion, and Knox Churches; the Music Hall, Masonic Hall, the new Post Office, Mechanics' Institute, and further to the west, Osgoode Hall, the building in which the higher Courts of Law, and the practising lawyers assemble. In addition to these, there is an invaluable series of charities, with suitable edifices belonging to them. Such are the Boys' Home, the Girls' Home, the Burnside Hospital and the Magdalen Asylum; these and many more, together with banking houses, manufactories, merchants' warehouses, spacious hotels, long extended lines of wharves, with piers abutting into the bay, and the bustle of commerce from sailing and steam vessels, and the several railways,—all stand out grandly contrasted with the Indian wigwams of 1793, or with the village character which attached to Toronto for a space of forty years. The rapid progress of the city of late years has been mainly due to the energy of the Governments at Ottawa and Toronto in stimulating immigration by the employment of agents and the liberal offers made to settlers. There can be little doubt that the plan of assisted passages and the liberal terms upon which Crown Lands can be obtained, have given a stimulus to the progress and settlement of all parts of Ontario, and especially its cities, which would not have resulted but for these offers and the efforts of Canadian agents in Europe.

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THE NORMAL AND MODEL SCHOOLS.

The Normal and Model Schools first claim our attention as the headquarters of the Educational Department of Ontario. The design of establishing a Normal School for the training of teachers was contemplated many years ago, although the actual fulfilment of it was not carried out till 1847, when the old Government House was utilized for the purpose. The new building, which stands in the midst of carefully trimmed grounds, which are ornamented with shrubs and flowers, has its front on Gould street, in the northern part of the city, and fills, with the Model Schools and play-grounds attached, the entire square of seven acres and a half, to Gerrard street on the north, and between Church and Victoria streets on the east and west. The corner-stone of the new buildings was laid by the Governor-General, the Earl of Elgin, 2nd of July, 1851, and the premises were formally opened on the 24th November, 1852. The Institution consists of a Normal School and two Model Schools—the former the school of instruction by lecture, the latter the school of instruction by practice. The students in the former are young persons whose ages vary from 16 to 30, or over; while the pupils in the latter are children of ages between 5 and 16 years. In the Normal School the teachers in training are instructed in the principles of education, and the best methods of communicating knowledge to the youth placed under their care—they are taught how to teach; and in the Model Schools they are taught to give practical effect to these instructions under the direction of teachers previously trained in the Normal School. The Model Schools are designed by the system of instruction pursued and by general arrangement, to be the model of all the Public Schools of the Province.

MUSEUM—In connection with the Model School is an Educational Museum, containing specimens of school apparatus and furniture, a collection of Italian, Dutch and Flemish oil paintings, and statuary, casts and busts. This Museum is freely open to the public.

PUBLIC SCHOOL LIBRARIES.—The headquarters of the Depository are in the Normal School buildings. Each School and Municipal Corporation desirous of establishing Free Public Libraries is aided by the Educational Department granting one hundred per cent. on local appropriations, and by supplying books from the Depository. At the end of 1863 the Libraries, in that way established, numbered 576, with over 1,200 subdivisions, and containing 205,122 volumes. By an Act of last session, this system being a close monopoly, was modified, so as to place Canadian booksellers on the same footing as the Department, so far as the percentage is concerned.

HIGH SCHOOLS AND COLLEGIATE INSTITUTES.—These act as a connecting link between the Public Schools and the University, and are designed to give instruction in the branches of a practical English and commercial education, including the elements of Mechanics and Natural Philosophy; and also in the Greek, Latin, French and German languages, and in Mathematics, so far as to prepare students for University College, or any College affiliated to the University of Toronto.

The Council of Public Instruction was, during the last session of Parliament, remodelled upon a more popular system of representation. Formerly the governing body of the Educational Department was comprised of representative men of different churches and institutions of learning. By the Act, which we have just referred to, the Government appoint some of the members, others are still appointed *ex officio*, and three members are elected by the High School Teachers, the Public School Teachers and the School Inspectors—one for each body. The first elections under the Act resulted in the return of Dr. Daniel Wilson, of University College, Prof. Goldwin Smith, and Mr. S. C. Wood, M.P.P. That this measure will popularise the Council and give additional confidence in the management of the Department there can be no doubt.

THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO.

The University of Toronto was established by Royal Charter, dated 15th March, 1827, and was styled "King's College" on 3rd January, 1828. It was endowed by

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Patent, with a grant of lands which, at the request of the Parliament of Upper Canada, had been set apart by the Crown for that purpose in 1798. In 1843, the arrangements having been completed for opening the University, the formal inauguration of the Institution and first admission of students took place on the 8th of June of that year, and its first Convocation on the 14th of December, 1844. In 1849 the Parliament of Canada, in compliance with the Imperial recommendation "to consider in what manner the University could be best constituted for the benefit of the whole society," abolished such restrictions as made agreement with the Thirty-nine Articles of the Church of England compulsory on professors and the holders of scholarships, changed the name from "King's College," and enlarged the powers of Convocation under the title of the University of Toronto. In 1853, Parliament, by an Act, separated the functions of the University from those assigned to it as a College. At the same time the Faculties of Law and Medicine were abolished in the College, although the University continues to hold examinations and to grant scholarships, medals and degrees in those subjects.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE.

On the first establishment of the Provincial University, the functions of instruction, and of examining for honours and degrees, were continued under the Act of 1849. With a view of adapting the University to a system of affiliated Colleges, the functions were separated, and University College was established as a distinct Collegiate Institution.

The Senate, which is the governing body of the University, was remodelled about eighteen months ago by Act of Parliament. The Government of the Province retained its right to nominate a certain number of Senators, and the affiliated Colleges have also representatives. But on the other hand, the rights of the Graduates, sitting in Convocation, have been recognized; they have the privilege of advising the Senate in matters relating to the general good of the University, and even of passing a veto upon the affiliation of Colleges. The Graduates have also the right of voting for about a third of the Senate. These were originally elected in a body, but a certain proportion of them will go out yearly, although eligible for re-election. University College is governed by a Council, consisting of the President and Professors.

The University Buildings are deservedly considered to be the chief architectural ornament of the city. The front of the building is of rough-hewn Ohio freestone, which gives the whole a solid and massive appearance. The style is Romanesque, and the noble square tower which rises from the centre of the splendid pile may be seen far out in the lake. A fuller description of the building will be found where we speak of the Park. The architect was Col. F. W. Cumberland, now General Manager of the Northern Railway and Aide-de-Camp to his Excellency the Governor-General.

MAGNETIC OBSERVATORY.

In close proximity to the University building stands the Magnetic Observatory, founded by the Imperial Government in 1846. The present building, which was commenced in 1855, is 54 by 44 feet, of one story, and having a tower at the north-west angle. It is divided into several departments for marking the transit, the declination, the horizontal magnetic intensity, and other astronomical and meteorological purposes, and is very complete in all its departments. Great progress has been made of late years in meteorology. The encouragement given by the Government to the study of the science by masters of the High Schools, and the connection established with the Signal Bureau at Washington, have given an impetus to the subject, the importance of which cannot be overrated. At present reports are exchanged by telegraph from every part of the Dominion, and the weather predictions are thus becoming more and more reliable.

UPPER CANADA COLLEGE.

This Institution was established in the year 1829, by Sir John Colborne, then Lieutenant-Governor of Upper Canada. It was intended for general education, to prepare the way for, and ultimately assist in filling the Provincial University, then only projected. It was built from designs by Mr. J. Chewett, and opened for tuition on the

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4th January, 1830. About 2,600 pupils have been entered on its books, a goodly proportion of whom have filled, or fill the most distinguished positions in the Province. Until the city acquired wider and grander proportions, this College, or Royal Grammar School, standing opposite the Government buildings on King street, was long a chief ornament at the west end; the grounds in which it stands measure nine acres. The buildings consist of a series of brick structures; that in the centre is the College proper, with its boarding hall adjacent, and residences of the Masters on either side; the cost was \$80,000. This College is amply endowed. Its Officers consist of a Principal and a large staff of Masters. The average number of students is about two hundred.

UNIVERSITY OF TRINITY COLLEGE.

This Institution owes its existence chiefly to the persevering efforts of the late Right Reverend Dr. Strachan, the first Lord Bishop of Toronto, to repair what he, and Episcopalians in general, believed to have been an act of grievous injustice to the English Church in Upper Canada, by the secularization of the endowments of King's College, and their transfer to the University of Toronto. Sufficient funds were provided by voluntary gifts of money from Great Britain and lands in the Province, to build and endow the new Institution. It stands at a short distance eastward from the Asylum on Queen Street West.

KNOX COLLEGE.

This institution was founded in 1844, by the "Free Church of Scotland," owing to the disruption which occurred in the previous year in the Scottish Established Church. The union which was effected some years ago between the United Presbyterians and the Free—the two going under the name of "Canada Presbyterian Church"—has resulted in large benefits to Knox's College, and to the religious community so widely spread in Canada, whose Ministers are there educated. Knox College formerly occupied the building which some years ago was the Vice-Regal residence, belonging to the Elmsley estate. It has, however, been found inconvenient and too small for the increasing number of students. A fine building is now nearly completed on College street, a continuation of the Yonge street—end of the College avenue. It is situated on a circular piece of ground at the head of Spadina avenue, and almost westward of the University buildings. The building is of white brick with cut stone dressings. Its extreme dimensions are 230 feet front, with wings at each end of about 120 feet in length. The central tower is 150 feet in height, and the eastern 100 feet high. The building has accommodation for eighty resident students. There are six large Class Rooms, large Library and Museum, and a Convocation Hall capable of seating 500 persons. This edifice, when completed, will be one of the most imposing and beautiful in Canada, and reflects credit on the architects and all connected in its erection. The cost will be in the proximity of \$100,000. Messrs. Smith & Gemmell, Toronto, are the architects.

ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE.

This College was opened in 1852, by the Fathers of the Order of St. Basil, under the auspices of the Roman Catholic Church, and was incorporated by Act of Parliament in 1854. The corporation consists of the Roman Catholic Bishop of Toronto and the Superior and Professors of the College, and may hold property to the value of £1,000 currency per annum. It is situated on Clover Hill, some distance to the north of the College avenue, and forms a fine pile of buildings.

THE SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY,

Founded for the purpose of giving practical instruction in the application of the experimental sciences to the purposes of manufacturing and mechanical industry, is for the present held in the Mechanics' Institute, on the corner of Church and Adelaide streets, a little to the north of St. James' Cathedral. Experimental Lectures are delivered here regularly on Chemistry, Natural Philosophy (including Mechanics), and instruction is also given in Architectural and Mechanical Drawing.

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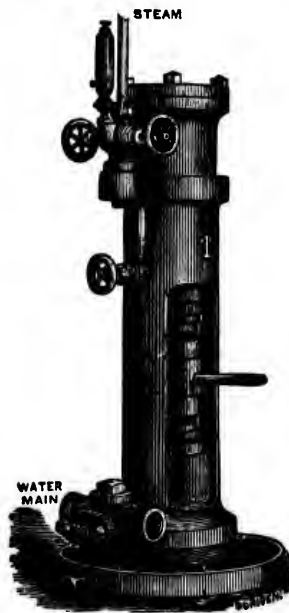
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MEDICAL SCHOOLS.

Of these, in addition to that in connection with Trinity College, there are at present two :—The Toronto School of Medicine, established in 1843, incorporated in 1851, and affiliated to the University of Toronto in 1853 ; and the Victoria School of Medicine, a branch of the Victoria College, Cobourg, which was removed to Toronto and established here under the late Dr. Rolph. The former School occupies a brick building in the Park, once used as the temporary home of University College. The Victoria School is in Yorkville.

OSGOODE HALL AND THE LAW SOCIETY.

At the head of York street, and visible from the Rossin House, is Osgoode Hall, the home of law, where the Courts sit in banc and the Incorporated Law Society conducts the examinations for admission to the profession. The building is in itself an imposing one, especially the centre portion. The wings belong to the older building, and are not so worthy of notice, but the main structure is deserving of a visit from strangers. The handsome front, the elegantly paved and ornately finished vestibule, the portraits of the Judges and the splendid Library, with a view of the Courts when they happen to be sitting, will amply repay the visitor.

The Law Society, which was incorporated so far back as 1797, resembles in its legal position an English Inn of Court. It has the entire control of the profession, prescribing the terms of admission, receiving the fees paid at entrance and annually from attorneys, and is, therefore, one of the wealthiest corporations in the Province. Within the past few years, the constitution of the governing body—the Benchers, as they are called—has been considerably changed by the partial adoption of a representative system, somewhat similar to that introduced at the University and the Normal School.

THE MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.

This institution was founded in 1830 and incorporated in 1847. For many years the building on Court street, since occupied as a Police Court and Fire Hall, was its home. The erection of the new building with the Music Hall was a subject of general congratulation but the debt which crippled the resources of the corporation sadly interfered with its success. On the last removal of the Government to Toronto, the new edifice was let to the Province on the condition that it should be finally completed from the public funds. Since that period, as we have already mentioned, it has been occupied, at least in its main portions, by the School of Technology. Brighter days, however, appear to be in store for this valuable institution. The Library and Reading-room are fully up to the requirements of the time, and the prospects are that, at no distant time, the Institute will possess its property free from encumbrance. The educational lectures delivered and the prizes awarded for proficiency in their various subjects are also worthy of mention as proof of the energy and zeal of the Directors.

THE CANADIAN INSTITUTE,

Which can hardly boast of a presentable home of its own, is an institution of somewhat higher pretensions. Having its origin in 1849 amongst the members of the Engineers and Surveyors, it from the first took a high position. In 1851 it became more general in character; and on the 4th of November of that year a Royal Charter was obtained, defining the objects of the Institute to be—the promotion of the Physical Sciences ; the encouragement and advancement of the Industrial Arts and Manufactures ; the formation of a Provincial Museum, and the acquisition and dissemination of knowledge connected with the Surveying, Engineering, and Architectural professions. In 1855 it was amalgamated with the Toronto Athenæum. There is also a Medical Section connected with the Institute, in which professional subjects are regularly discussed. Many other associations of a literary character exist in connection with the Universities and Colleges, the Churches and the Law Society. So far as the last-named is concerned, a great stimulus has been given to the desire of improvement by law students, from the introduction of annual instead of merely terminal examinations. We may perhaps mention here

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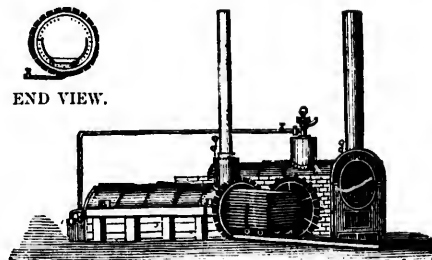
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the Horticultural Society Gardens, on Gerrard street, not far east of Jarvis. They are laid out with admirable taste, and should certainly be seen by visitors, especially when the Autumn Exhibition or one of the periodical concerts is held there.

Beginning now at the west end of the city with the public buildings, the first to be noticed is the

PROVINCIAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

This institution, which first assumed a public character in 1841, is supported from the public funds, by a grant annually made by the Provincial Legislature. The present gigantic building was commenced in 1845. Since that period, however, it has been found necessary to enlarge it, notwithstanding its original dimensions. From the ends of the former building project wings stretching southward, capable of accommodating several hundred additional patients. At the present time it contains between six and seven hundred within its walls. Under the admirable superintendence of Dr. Workman it is kept in excellent order, in scrupulous cleanliness, and with the most humane care of the patients who have the misfortune to be inmates there.

Immediately south of the Asylum are

THE PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION BUILDINGS,

Which will naturally prove a principal attraction for visitors in Fair time. It is called also the Crystal Palace, although that is a palpable misnomer. Situated at the extreme west end of King street, it may be reached from the Asylum by the Queen street cars, or should the King street line be laid in time, more directly by it. The main building is 256 feet in length by about 130 feet in greatest width at the transept. The frame work is of cast iron, the roof being tinned and the sides glazed. Altogether it covers an acre of ground. The grounds are ample for exhibition purposes, and the supplementary buildings for stabling, cattle pens, sheep, pigs, poultry, dairy products, &c., are well arranged and judiciously distributed. An effort has been suggested by the *Globe* to extend the interest and the influence of these annual exhibitions by making them less exclusively agricultural, and introducing manufactures, especially textile fabrics, as one of the avowed objects of the gathering. It is, perhaps, not well to attempt too much; yet the suggestion is worthy of consideration. The rules of the Exhibition will be found elsewhere.

In the vicinity of the Buildings is the Central Prison, a Provincial Institution recently opened for the double purpose of reforming prisoners and making their labour remunerative. On the lake shore, separated by a distance of about half a mile from each other, are the old forts, at present almost untenanted. They only seem as relics of the past, except when a rifle match enlivens the scene.

THE ESPLANADE.

Passing along Front street, the Esplanade lies before us with its immense piles of railway buildings, elevators, and intricate net-work of tracks. Of the buildings, the most prominent are the Grand Trunk Round House, Car Station and offices, and the Northern Passenger Station at the foot of Brock street, with other buildings belonging to the same company. On a wharf constructed on the edge of the Esplanade is the Royal Canadian Yacht Club House, and around it may be seen moored a large number of the Club Yachts. This brings us to

THE UNION STATION.

This handsome and commodious structure, with its lofty towers and illuminated clock, is one of the most conspicuous objects seen from the lake. It is not so high as some of our spires, and it has the further disadvantage of a lower site than the churches, but the whole building is seen in its entirety from one end to the other. It is constructed of white brick, with stone dressings. The towers are Italian in style, and materially add effect to the imposing appearance of the whole. Internally, the span of the great arch which forms the roof, braced and strengthened by iron girders, covers the space devoted to the tracks required for the wants of ordinary traffic. The waiting-

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THE PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS.

We must make our way up Simcoe street, where the first thing that strikes the eye is the pile of buildings devoted to the Government and Parliament of Ontario. In that quaint and old-time structure many severe political struggles have taken place, ugly and unpretensions as it looks. The buildings which form the east and west wings are occupied by the Departments,—the eastern portion of the main building is the chamber of the House of Assembly. We may add that, under the intelligent supervision of Mr. S. J. Watson, the librarian, a valuable collection of books and documents has been already made, increasing in volume and importance every year. To the northward of the Parliament Buildings are

THE GOVERNMENT HOUSE AND GROUNDS.

The building is in every respect worthy of its object and creditable to the people of Ontario. It is, for the most part, Lombard in style, and presents a dignified front to the passers by. The beautiful grounds have been rendered still more attractive by the erection of a conservatory and vinery, and the additional care bestowed upon them. The illumination of the building, when His Excellency the Earl of Dufferin made his *entrée* into the city, was worthy of the Government, and displayed the graceful outlines of the mansion to great advantage. Immediately north of Government House, on King street also, is old

UPPER CANADA COLLEGE.

It bears a family resemblance to the Parliament Buildings. The centre portion of the building is the school proper, the detached houses to the right and left are the residences of the masters. There is a well-kept boarding-house attached, and a splendid gymnasium and cricket-ground. In spite of the homeliness of its abiding place, the Province owes a great debt of gratitude to Upper Canada College—the Eton or Winchester which has given the first steps in training to many of the country's most illustrious sons. Across John street diagonally, may be seen a specimen of what Ontario can do for her younger sons, by the erection of Public Schools. Another, of later construction, is on York street, just south of Osgoode Hall; but they abound in every quarter of the city. Passing the three large hotels, which occupy three of the corners of York street, we arrive at the old Temple of Thespis, now again risen from its ashes. We may therefore speak here of our

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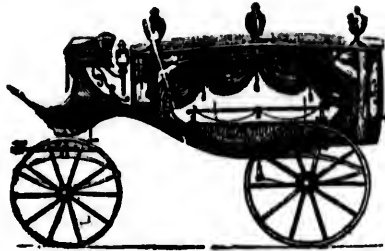
since they are all contained within a limited space. The first, to give precedence to age, is the

ROYAL OPERA HOUSE,

situate about half way between York and Bay streets, on the site of the old Royal Lyceum. Why the name has been changed we know not; but we do not think it an improvement, because we are attached to associations connected with the old title. However that may be, the building will be a credit to the city. Instead of the old cramped-up and not over cleanly place, we have an edifice 140 feet deep, 60 feet wide, and 63 feet high. We have not space to enter upon a minute description of the interior of the building, but we may say that the decorations, the fittings and the appointments generally, could not be better than they are. In ventilation, lighting, attention to

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acoustics, and the comfort of his patrons in all respects, Mr. French could certainly have done nothing more than he has done. The drop scene, "The Lake of Como," by Mr. Pigott, is especially good, and our old dramatic house will, under judicious management, be eclipsed by the brilliant triumph of its successor.

THE GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

This house, the home of the lyric drama especially, has long been wanting in Toronto. A few years ago, a number of gentlemen of means, who felt interested in opera, conceived the design of establishing a fitting edifice, with the opera as its distinctive feature. A company was immediately incorporated for the purpose, and it was with great satisfaction the public learned that the management was to be entrusted to Mrs. Morrison, who as Miss Charlotte Nickinson, in conjunction with her father and sisters, had so often delighted them in years gone by. The result is a building on Adelaide St., a door or two from Yonge street, which is a credit to the architects and to the company who have come forward with the means. Here again we cannot enter into details for want of space. We may say, however, that the stage is 50 feet by 34, and that in decorations and general finish there is nothing left to desire. During the season we are promised the appearance of eminent *artists* who have never trod Toronto boards before. The name of Mr. Cundlock is a tower of strength in itself, and we are sure that Mrs. Morrison's experience and ability will make the Opera House a great success.

THE QUEEN'S THEATRE

Was established to supply a great want when the old Lyceum was destroyed by fire. It is fitted up with great taste, and under Mr. Spackman's direction has been a great success. It is situated nearly opposite the old Theatre on King street, having been cleverly improvised out of the old Drill Shed.

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During the Fair week there will probably be concerts at the Horticultural Gardens and in the Music Hall. In the latter, it is likely that the

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Will give their first performance of the season—the oratorio of "The Creation," with full chorus and orchestra. Under the able and energetic leadership of Mr. F. H. Torrington, the organist of the Metropolitan Church, this Society has achieved a success denied to its predecessors. During the season, "The Messiah" of Handel, Mendelssohn's "St. Paul," and a new English cantata "Floridin," are promised.

Before we go to Yonge street on our journey eastward we must have something to say of

THE CHURCHES.

These divide themselves, so far as the centre of the city is concerned, into two groups, of which we take the first here. Going up Bay street, from King, past the *Mail* office, which stands on the corner, we first reach

Zion Church, a very neat and chaste edifice belonging to the Congregational body. It stands upon the site of the old structure, destroyed some years ago by fire. It originally boasted of a tall, tapering spire, but this was thrown down by a violent gale. Its foundation was turned into a tower with four pinnacles. Turning round the corner of the Fire Hall, we reach the

Methodist New Connexion Church, on Temperance street. It has also suffered by fire, but, as rebuilt and improved, it is a fine building without pretensions. At the corner of Bay and Richmond streets is the

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Bay Street Presbyterian Church, originally belonging to the United Presbyterians, now amalgamated under the union with the Canada Presbyterian Church. This is a plain edifice, with a tower, and is not architecturally noticeable. A few doors down is the

Richmond Street Wesleyan Church, until the erection of the Metropolitan the largest Methodist Church in the city. It has recently entered upon a new lease of life by internal renovations and improvements, and presents a very pleasing appearance within. On the other side of the street, but fronting on Queen street, is

Knox Church, the chief Presbyterian place of worship in Toronto. It is a well designed edifice in every respect. The spire is one of the most graceful in the city, and the sonorous bell is rung three times a day, in addition to its church duty, to the advantage of the citizens. Internally, its appearance is very attractive, the carved pulpit and the wings which are connected with it, covering the vestries, are especially admired. Within a year a very graceful addition has been made to the Church at its Richmond street end. This new building contains a Lecture Room and Sunday School Room, Class Rooms, and offices for general Church purposes. Perhaps the only objection to this tasteful addition is that it, in some respects, spoils the effect of the Church, which was not only handsome but complete in itself. The spire is viewed to best advantage from Queen street, and from it an excellent view of Toronto may be had. On the other side of Queen street, at the corner of James street, is a very attractive building which belongs to the

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Though not a Church, this building is intimately connected with the interests of religion. It contains a free library and reading-room, rooms for conversation and prayer, and a large hall, named after the benevolent Earl of Shaftesbury, in which free weekly lectures are given. Every opportunity is afforded young men of avoiding the temptations in a large city, and a register is kept to facilitate their employment by the merchants and tradesmen of the city. Looking up James street the visitor will catch a glimpse of the Holy Trinity Church, which owed its origin to an English lady. The services are choral and the clergymen connected with it belong to the High Church.

BANKS AND COMMERCE, &c.

Passing from Yonge street towards the bay, the reader will find evidences of the prosperity of this great northern artery of the city. Below King street, he will come upon the wholesale houses and banking establishments. Of the former, an adequate idea will be gathered by walking down to Front street, then up to Bay street, down again to the Market and back by Wellington street. Of the latter, the finest example is the splendid edifice erected by the Bank of British North America, on the corner of Yonge and Wel-

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lington streets, the Ontario Bank, eastward on Wellington street, and still further, on the corner of Church street, the solid structure of the Bank of Toronto. The Bank of Montreal, the Merchants' Bank and the Bank of Commerce, all in close proximity, are also worthy of notice.

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Returning to King street, which we need not describe at length, because readers can peer into shop windows for themselves, we proceed up Toronto street, to an edifice already visible from King street,

THE NEW POST OFFICE,

situated in a commanding position on Adelaide street, and facing the chief thoroughfare. The building, which has a frontage of 75 feet on Adelaide street, is constructed in front of Ohio stone and is in the Italian style. It is three stories in height, surmounted by a Mansard roof, above which rises a dome 32 feet wide by 36 in height. The building is 56 feet high to the roof and 92 to the top of the dome. In depth it is 66 feet with a one-story continuation to Stanley street, making in the whole 108 feet. This latter portion forms what is known as "the back office," or sorting department. It has a flat roof with a sky-light covered with galvanized iron. Besides the dome, there are towers at each of the angles, and similar towers connect the back and front portions of the building together. The front office, devoted to the public, 70 feet wide and 60 deep, contains the deliveries, alphabetical (2), the ladies' delivery, the box delivery for unpaid letters, the registered letter and money order departments. The arrangements are very perfect, and every satisfaction is given to the public, whether in answer to enquiry or the delivery of letters. The office is very tastefully fitted, the finishing being of black walnut, and every box has now a grated door, of which the owner possesses three keys. Of the other portions of the office, we have no space left to speak in detail, but must pass on in our city tour.

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ST. LAWRENCE HALL AND MARKET.

The butchers' market is a long arcade with two wings at its southern extremity. Outside, the market gardeners on the one side, and the farmers' waggons on the other, are ranged for the sale of their various commodities. In the front of the building is the St. Lawrence Hall, once the only room which could be used for concerts, balls or public meetings; but it has fallen into the sere and yellow leaf—in other words, has so fallen into decay that it is seldom used for any public purpose. This hall is 100 feet by 38. The main building is 140 feet on King street, by 75 on the side streets; the front consisting of a portico of 12 pilasters, supporting a pediment, in the centre of which the city arms are cut in stone. The whole is capped by a cupola, containing a bell and clock. On this bell the fire alarm is sounded, by striking the number of times indicating the number of the ward. The extension in the rear is 200 feet in length, giving to the area, which traverses both this portion and the main building, a total length of 275 feet.

THE CITY HALL,

Immediately in the rear, is built of red brick with stone dressings. It contains the Mayor's office, the Council Chamber and the city offices generally, not to speak of a Police Station in the basement. The vegetable and poultry market proper occupies a quadrangle in the centre. Looking towards Wellington street there are two buildings—deserving of notice, the splendid building erected on the corner of Scott street by the

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Toronto public. We may mention that there are branch offices available for the transmission of messages at the railway stations, at the principal hotels, at the corner of Toronto and Adelaide streets and at 503 Queen street West. The other building to which we referred is

THE EXCHANGE,

Nearly opposite. It was erected in 1855, and contains the Merchants' Exchange, the Corn Exchange, the rooms of the Board of Trade and other offices. The distinctive feature of the building is its Doric portico, otherwise it is not architecturally remarkable.

Eastward of the City Hall there is much to remark. We have the *Gas Works*, which cover an area of three acres, with a storage capacity of 10,000 tons; and we come, at the distance of a quarter of a mile, to the establishment of Messrs. Gooderham & Worts, the largest distillery perhaps in America. The station of the Toronto and Nipissing Railway is immediately West. In this connection we may also mention the brewery of Messrs. Thos. Davies & Bro., situated at the terminus of the street railway, Don Bridge. It is one of the largest and best breweries in the Province of Ontario; and the ale and porter manufactured there are unsurpassed in the Dominion. Returning upwards, by what used to be known as the Fair Green, we see the heavy stone wall of the

OLD GAOL

And the dark frowning building itself. Over that stone wall many a wretched criminal has been hurled into eternity from the platform of the gallows. The gaol has not been used for some years; it was last tenanted by the Fenian prisoners after the battle of Ridgeway.

Going up Berkeley street to King, where the latter takes a sudden northward freak by which it meets Queen street near the Don, we proceed still eastward till we reach a quaint little church and a trim parsonage. This is Trinity Church. Nearly opposite is Power street, named after a Roman Catholic Bishop, beloved by all classes, who sacrificed his life in the cause of benevolence and religion in 1832. The huge building which fronts us about half-way up the short street is

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The little church to the North of it is one of the oldest in the city, at one time the only Roman Catholic place of worship in it. It is called St. Paul's.

Returning to King street the visitor may, if he chooses, proceed to the Don Bridge, the scene of poor Hogan's murder. But as we have got upon the subject of churches we shall hasten to the corner of Church and King streets, and begin an examination of the second group of which we have spoken. We are now in a position to take a glance at

ST. JAMES' CATHEDRAL.

This splendid Gothic temple, only just completed, is the successor of the modest building which perished in the greatest conflagration Toronto has ever seen—that of 7th April, 1849. Looking at it from the outside one cannot fail to be struck by the care with which all its details have been planned and executed. The handsome spire with its gilded vane rises to the height of 316 feet from the ground; yet, such is the massiveness of the tower, that most people would be disposed to doubt that this can be correct. There can, however, be no question of its truth. It cannot compare, it is true, with some of the lofty spires of Europe, but it is higher than the towers of Norwich and Lincoln, and approaches within a comparatively few feet of the spires of Munich, Seville, Milan and Metz. It is eminently graceful in outline and finish; its magnificent peal of bells are heard on Sunday, morn and eve, and when the Vienna illuminated clock fills up those vacant boarded spaces, the magnificent structure will be complete. As it stands at present, the spire is "sixteen feet higher than any other in North America," ninety-six feet higher than the highest in Montreal, and seventy feet higher than any other in Toronto. Another external feature must also be noticed. The pinnacles, so long wanting, have appeared in their places, and the cruciform structure of the church has been completed by the erection of the side entrances. Internally the appearance of the Cathedral must be familiar to most of our readers. The nave is 70 feet in height, the aisles are 35. The length internally is 200 feet by 115. The chancel is the half of an octagon, with windows of the transition period. The massive pillars which divide the nave from the aisles, the sombre graining of the rafters and pews, and the magnificent organ whose tones thrill the heart, together impress the worshipper that he is indeed within the house of God. Under the pulpit, beneath the sacred building, in whose erection he took so constant an interest, lies the Right Rev. John Strachan, D.D., first Bishop of Toronto.

Proceeding up Church street to Adelaide street, we see on the corner the old Church of St. Andrew, always called affectionately "the Kirk." It has been found inadequate to the wants of the congregation, and will shortly be superseded by a finer building on another site. Opposite, within the Cathedral grounds, are the Parochial Schools and the Anglican Synod Hall and offices. On the opposite side, to the North, is the Mechanics' Institute, with the Music Hall. Of these we have already spoken. Still to the North, passing two streets and reaching Queen, we are at McGill Square, face to face with a noble structure belonging to the Wesleyan body,

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On the opposite side of Bond street stands the Baptist Church, but as it, like St. Andrew's, is condemned, we need not give it a detailed notice. On the next square North are the Roman Catholic ecclesiastical buildings, chief of which is

ST. MICHAEL'S CATHEDRAL.

We believe the architect of this magnificent building was Mr. Wm. Thomas, to whom the city also owes Knox Church and many other of our noblest edifices. In architecture, it is of the English decorated Gothic style; the material being white brick, trimmed with cut-stone. It is 200 feet in extreme length, by 115 in width, including the transepts. The eastern window is highly ornamental, being 36 feet high and 18 wide. The nave within is 170 feet by 40, in area, and 68 in height, with rich ceiling, piers and arches. Without, its appearance is exceedingly chaste: there is an absence of superfluous ornamentation which at once pleases the eye. Perhaps the most elaborate portion is the graceful spire, surmounted by a golden cross which glows and blushes in the rays of the setting sun. Internally, the Church is richly ornamented, the sounding board of the pulpit being in the highest style of art. The aisles are, as usual, devoted to sub-altars or shrines, but the main altar in the chancel is the centre of attraction, and the effect, especially during the services of Holy Week, is very impressive. We may add that the acoustic properties of the edifice are most admirable.

On the Church street side, adjoining the Cathedral, is the Archbishop's Palace, a plain unpretending residence with latticed windows. On Bond street are the Convent School and the Convent proper.

We should like now to notice the graceful Congregational Church on the opposite corner of Cruickshank street and the neat Presbyterian Church on Gould street, both in the immediate vicinity, but we know that space is not illimitable—so far as printed matter is concerned.

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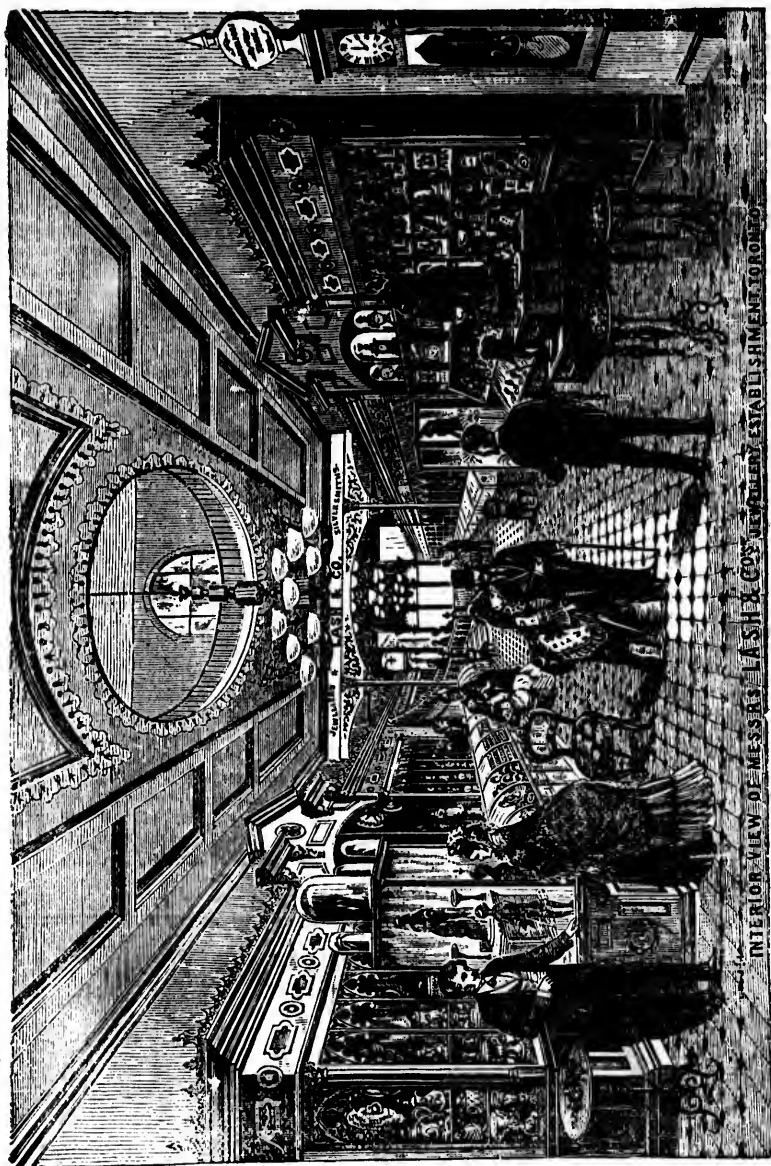
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By either of the streets mentioned we may reach Parliament street, and going north find ourselves at Winchester street, on which, near the Don, is situated

THE NECROPOLIS,

one of our chief cemeteries. It is not yet old enough to be overshadowed by trees, but it is admirably situated, laid out with taste and kept in excellent order. It is entirely non-sectarian in its management, and the visitor will find some splendid monuments over the graves of the departed. It has many natural features which add to the quietude and beauty of a place of rest for those who are beloved. The road winds down to the banks of the sluggish Don, whose perverse meanderings do not disturb the peaceful aspect of the scene. Below to the southwest lies the smoky city, clearly visible through the greater part of its extent; but its noise and bustle are not heard. We must leave the spot, however, for an older and more picturesque city of the dead. Retracing our steps by Winchester street, we see to our left

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL.

A building resembling in some respects the House of Providence. We shall not ask the visitor to enter its gates. A good work is done there, although the public are by no means disposed to do their part for the sick poor. After every effort and every exertion of economy, it is hard for the Trustees to make both ends meet, and harder still to turn the ailing and the dying from their doors. We again reach Parliament street, and going northward are at the gates of

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ST. MICHAEL'S CEMETERY

Is situated some miles north of the city, but though well laid out, it is hardly old enough to repay a visit from a hurried sojourner.

WALKS AND DRIVES.

We have already spoken of the Horticultural Gardens and the Cemetery, and now we must note a few other excursions of interest in the vicinity of Toronto. The first naturally is

THE QUEEN'S PARK.

The Park may be reached in several ways. The visitor may take the Yonge street cars to the avenue and then walk westward to the Park, or he may remain in the cars till he reaches St. Alban street, and then he will enter it abreast of the University; or he may go on to Bloor street and proceed westward on foot to the gate and traverse its entire length; or, lastly, he may walk to the gates of the Queen street avenue, just west of Osgoode Hall, and approach it from thence. We recommend the last-named route, because the shade and the green turf of this avenue are a great relief to a jaded pedestrian, and the walk is one that a stranger will scarcely find equalled anywhere else in America. Having passed the intersection of the two avenues, we find ourselves before the statue of the Queen, by Marshal Wood. Taking a side-path across the turf, and leaving the Medical School on our left, we proceed to the University buildings. The forlorn stone edifice on the other side of the Park was designed originally as a wing of the University buildings. We soon come in sight of the monument raised to the memory of the volunteers who fell at Ridgeway—a very chaste and appropriate structure. Descending the foot-way and re-ascending the height on the other side we see the University buildings to great advantage. On the east side of the quadrangle the Con-

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vocation Hall, then the massive front of the noble pile, with the great square Norman tower in its centre, and the round tower, containing the chemical laboratory, on its western flank. Approaching the tower, we may take notice of the superb stone work of the pointed arch which forms the principal entrance. Entering, we find ourselves in a square vestibule with tessellated pavement, and behind, on each side, a staircase of white Ohio stone, lighted by stained glass windows. On reaching the gallery, the Library is on our right hand and the Museum on our left. Having done justice to both, the visitor should ascend the tower, from whence the finest and most complete view of the city may be obtained. Again reaching the ground floor and taking a westward course, we pass a number of Lecture and Professors' retiring rooms, of which the chemical lecture-room (the largest in the building) and the laboratory should be seen. Passing through the door nearly opposite, we enter the west side of the quadrangle, containing the resident students' quarters, the house of the Dean in residence, the dining hall, &c. Retracing our steps again through the vestibule, we pass other lecture-rooms, the largest being Dr. Wilson's, and enter the eastern side with its offices. The stair-case we see on the left leads up to the Senate Chamber. Then comes the Convocation Hall, of which we must omit any description for want of space. It is a splendid hall—its only fault being that it is too small. Having noticed with care the respect which Alma Mater has paid to those of her sons who fell repelling Fenian invasion at Ridgeway, by the memorial window, on which their names are inscribed, we take our leave of the noblest academic pile in America.

Passing down the carriage road by the artificial lake, we may either return by the Yonge street avenue or proceed to the northern boundary of the Park. The upper portion is not so well kept, but it abounds in stately trees, and if the visitor will cross the ravine by the bridge he will see on his left, ascend the hill and proceed northward to Bloor street, he will have the shadiest and most enjoyable walk he has known for many a day. Emerging by the gate on the dusty road, we are at the northern limit of Toronto, the boundary line running through the centre of Bloor street. Proceeding eastward to Yonge street we may take the cars homeward.

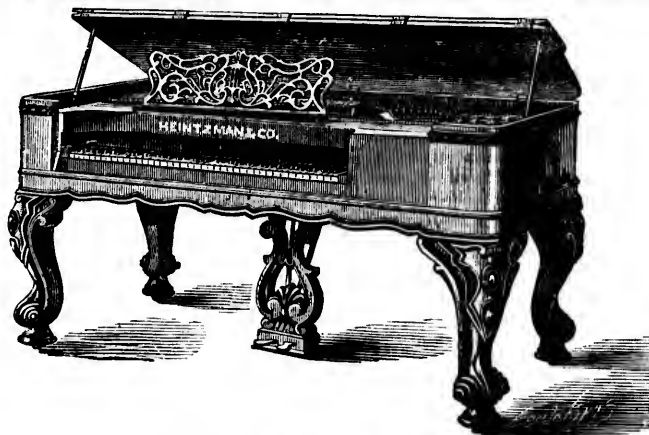
Yonge street, which we need not inform our readers runs to Holland Landing, has many nice walks and drives. Beginning with Bloor street we may proceed eastward to the Cemetery; a little north of Yorkville we turn off through what has been called "a mimic canyon," the little Don wandering noisily about at the bottom and the heights crowned with primeval trees. Northward still is the Davenport Road, with Wells' Hill

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To the west of Yonge street by Queen street we proceed to the centre gate of the Asylum, near which the road divides, one part going apparently northward, the other continuing west. The first, Dundas street, which, by a bend, takes a north-westerly direction, will lead us by a pleasant drive to Weston, where Eagle's hotel will be found a comfortable place for luncheon or dinner. The main, or Lake Shore Road, after passing the Asylum walls and crossing the railway lines proceeds in a westerly direction, till by a gentle descent we reach the shores of Humber Bay. Here we have the full lake breeze, and the drive or walk is very exhilarating. Passing close to the shore we arrive at the new hotel, with its steamboat wharf and a beautiful grove for pic-nic or family parties. Beyond is Mimico, reached by the Great Western, also a favourite resort for pleasure parties.

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YONGE STREET, (Going North.)		KING STREET, (Going West.)	
RIGHT HAND.	LEFT HAND.	RIGHT HAND.	LEFT HAND.
Esplanade, Front, Wellington, Colborne, King, Adelaide, Richmond, Queen, Shuter, Cruikshank, Gould, Gerrard, Magill, Ann, Carlton, Wood Alexander, Maitland, Wellesley, Gloucester, Isabella, Charles, Hayden, Bloor,	Esplanade, Front, Wellington, Melinda, King, Adelaide, Temperance, Richmond, Queen, Albert, Louisa, Trinity Square, Alice, Agnes, Edward, Elm, Walton, Gerrard, Hayter, Buchanan, College Avenue, Grenville, Grosvenor, Breadalbane, St. Albans, St. Joseph, St. Clement, St. Mary's, Bloor.	River, Sumach, Bright, Pine, Power, Parliament, Berkeley, Ontario, Princess, Sherbourne, Frederick, George, Jarvis, Francis, Church. Toronto, Yonge, Bay, York, Simcoe, John, Widmer, Peter, Charlotte, Brock, Brant, Portland, Bathurst, Tecumseh, Niagara, Stafford, Strachan Avenue,	River, St. Lawrence, Sumach, Pine, Trinity, Erin, Parliament, Berkeley, Ontario, Widmer, Princess, Sherbourne, Frederick, George, Jarvis, W. Market Square, Church, 'Change Alley, Yonge, Jordan, Bay, York, Elliot, Emily, Simcoe, Dorset, John, Peter, Brock, Portland, Bathurst, Tecumseh, Niagara, Stafford, Strachan Avenue.

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FIRE AND WATER.

There are five fire-halls in the city, those on Portland, Yonge and Berkeley streets having bells attached to the fire-telegraph. The other two, on Bay and Court streets, have only small gongs so connected. There are seventy-five boxes distributed over the city, from any of which the fire department may be informed of the locality of the fire. The key-holder has only to unlock his box and pull down a hook to hear the exact number of it struck three times slowly and distinctly on the bells. There are now five steam fire-engines belonging to the city.

So far as water is concerned, we can only report progress. The city is in possession of the old works and plant, and new water-works, on a most extensive as well as expensive scale, are in process of construction. We are to have purer water, greater force of stream, and more adequate protection from fire.

THE PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION.

Everything seems to indicate that the Exhibition of 1874 will be an unprecedented success. Preparations have been made for a large increase in the entries. The out-buildings, including the cattle-sheds, stables, sheep and pig pens, barn, machine and carriage sheds, &c., have all been enlarged and improved. The only uncertain element in the prospects of the show is the weather, which we can only hope will prove propitious. It may be well to add here some general information in reference to the arrangements.

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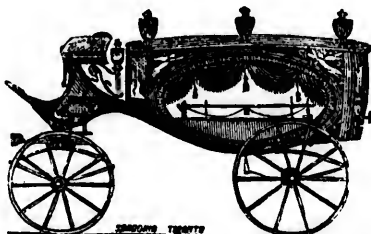
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2. TUESDAY, 22nd.—The Judges in all the classes will meet in their respective Committee Rooms at 10 a.m., and will make arrangements to commence their duties. On receiving their class-books, they will be also furnished with the blank prize tickets, which they shall fill up and affix in each section so soon as they shall have finally determined their awards. The First Prize Tickets will be Red; the Second, Blue; the Third, Yellow; the Fourth, White; Extras, Green; the "Highly Commended" and "Commended" Tickets, White. On completing the class, the Judges will report to the Secretary. The main exhibition building will be closed all this day, for the purpose of affording the Judges an opportunity of discharging their duties properly. Non-members admitted to the grounds on payment of 25 cents each time. The Annual Meeting of the Fruit Growers' Association will take place at the Agricultural Hall, at 7 p.m.

3. WEDNESDAY, 23rd.—The Judges of the various classes will complete their awards as early in the day as possible. All the buildings and grounds will be open to visitors. Admission the same as on Monday and Tuesday. The Annual Meeting of the Mechanics' Institute Association will take place at the Agricultural Hall this evening at 7 o'clock.

4. THURSDAY, 24th.—Admission, 25 cents. The Prize Animals will be exhibited in the ring at 2 p.m. The Annual Meeting of the Directors of the Provincial Agricultural Association, for the purpose of electing auditors, deciding upon the place of holding the next Exhibition, and other business, will take place at 7 p.m., at the Agricultural Hall, corner of Yonge and Queen Streets, Toronto.

The President will deliver his address at the Annual Meeting.

5. FRIDAY, 25th.—Admission the same as on previous days, till 2 p.m. At 2 p.m., the Exhibition will be considered officially closed, after which no one will be admitted into the Crystal Palace, and exhibitors may commence to take away their property.

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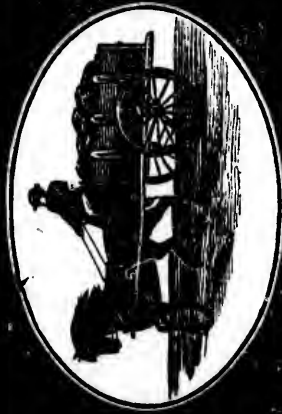
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MEMBERSHIP.—The Members of the Agricultural Societies of the several Townships within the County or Electoral Division, or United Counties, wherein the Annual Exhibition may be held, and the members of the County or Electoral Division Society, shall be also members of the Association for that year, provided the Agricultural Societies of the said Townships, or Society of the said County, or Electoral Division, or United Counties, shall devote their whole funds for the year, including the Government Grant, in aid of the Association, and shall pay over the same, accompanied with a list of the members of such Society, to the Treasurer of the Association, two weeks previous to the Exhibition; and provided also that the sum so paid over shall not be less than one dollar for each member of any such Society.

The members of the Council, and the ex-Presidents of the Association, the Presidents and Vice-Presidents of all lawfully organized County Agricultural Societies, of all Horticultural Societies, and of the Mechanics' Institutes, are members of the Association for Ontario *ex-officio*. The payment of one dollar and upwards constitutes a person a member of the Association for one year, and of ten dollars for life.

All entries must be made on printed forms, which may be obtained of the Secretaries of Agricultural and Horticultural Societies, or of Mechanics' Institutes throughout the Province, free of charge. These forms are to be filled up and signed by the exhibitor, enclosing a dollar for membership, and sent to the Secretary of the Association, Toronto.

In all the departments the competition is open to exhibitors from any part of the world, without reservation, on compliance with the rules.

No person shall be allowed to enter for exhibition more than one specimen in any one section of a class, unless the additional article be of a distinct named variety or pattern from the first. This rule not to apply to animals, but to apply to all kinds of grain, vegetable products, fruit, manufactured articles, &c., in which each additional specimen would necessarily be precisely similar to the first. No exhibitor in the Arts and Manufactures Department shall be awarded more than one prize in any one section of the same class.

EXTRA ENTRIES.—Every article must be entered under some one of the headings in the regular list, when possible; but if any article is of a distinct character from anything specified in the list, it may then be entered in the extra section of that class with which it most nearly corresponds.

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All Agricultural or Horticultural products must be the growth of the present year. Manufactured articles, or works of Art, which have been awarded prizes at any previous Provincial Exhibition, shall not be entered in competition for the prizes named in the prize list for this year, but shall be awarded diplomas, if, in the opinion of the Judges, such articles are superior to any others exhibited and are deemed worthy of the same.

On the entry of each animal or article, a card will be furnished the exhibitor, specifying the class, the section, the number of the entry and the name of the exhibitor, which card must remain attached to such animal or article during the Exhibition.

Transport of Articles, Placing them on Exhibition, and Charge of them while there.

All specimens in the Fine Arts Class must be delivered on the ground *not later than Friday*, the 11th of September, and all articles other than live stock, *not later than Monday*, the 21st of September. Live Stock must all be on the ground *not later than Tuesday*, 22nd, at noon. Articles or animals arriving after these hours will not be allowed to compete. Exhibitors of machinery and other heavy articles are requested to have them on the grounds, as far as possible, during the week preceding the Show.

Articles not accompanied by their owners may be addressed to the care of the Superintendent of the Exhibition, who will receive them on their being delivered at the Grounds; but in no case will such articles be brought on the Grounds and placed on exhibition, except by and at the expense of the owners or their authorized agents.

Exhibitors, on arriving with their articles, will apply to the Superintendent of the Grounds, who will be stationed within the entry gate, and will inform them where the articles are to be placed.

No articles or stock exhibited will be allowed to be removed from the grounds till the close of the Exhibition, on Friday afternoon, at two o'clock.

Should any article be accidentally injured, lost, or stolen, the Directors will give all the assistance in their power towards the recovery of the same, but **WILL NOT MAKE ANY PAYMENTS** for the value thereof.

Steamboats, Railroads, Customs.

The Association will make such favorable arrangements as are found practicable with Steamboat and Railroad proprietors for carrying articles and passengers at reduced rates.

Arrangements will be made with the Customs Department for the free entry of articles from foreign countries for competition.

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Necessary attendants upon stock and articles belonging to exhibitors will be furnished with admission tickets with their names written upon them, WHICH TICKETS WILL BE GOOD, TO THE PERSONS WHOSE NAMES THEY BEAR, AT THE EXHIBITORS' GATE ONLY, and not more than three times each day, during the Show.

Judges and their Duties.

The Judges will meet at the committee room on the Grounds, on Tuesday, September 22nd, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of organizing and immediately entering upon their duties, and will then be furnished with the committee books containing the numbers of the entries in each class. On receiving their class books, they will also be furnished with blank prize tickets, which they shall fill up and affix in each section as soon as they shall have finally determined their awards.

No person shall act as a Judge in any class in which he shall be an exhibitor.

In addition to the stated premiums offered for articles enumerated in the list, the Judges will have the power to award discretionary premiums for such articles, not enumerated, as they may consider worthy, and the directors will determine the amount of premium. The Judges may also distinguish such animals or articles as they consider deserving of notice, but which have not received prizes, by tickets with the words "Highly Commended," or "Commended," upon them.

In the Fine Arts and Mechanical Departments, Diplomas will be awarded, in addition to the money prizes, to any specimen evincing great skill in its production, or deemed otherwise worthy of such a distinction, on its being recommended by the Judges and approved of by the Committee, to whom all such matters shall be referred.

Under "Extras" in each of the classes, when more than one entry of the same kind of article has been made, they will be judged as in competition for first and second prizes, the same as though they had been in regular sections, and when but one such entry has been made, the article, if worthy, shall be awarded a first or second prize.

Extracts from By-Law.

"The Judges shall, in the execution of their duties, be careful to act with the most rigid impartiality; shall make their entries in a clear and conspicuous manner, in all cases of doubt or difficulty referring freely to the Secretary, or to the Committee of the Council in charge of the department; and when they have completed their reports, shall sign and deliver their books to the Secretary of the department to which they belong."

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Delegates and members of the Press are requested and expected to report themselves at the Secretary's office immediately on their arrival, when the delegates will be furnished with official badges, and the members of the Press will be afforded all the usual facilities.

The Annual Meeting of the Directors of the Association will take place at the Agricultural Hall, corner of Yonge and Queen Streets, on Thursday evening, 24th September, at 7 o'clock.

Delegates from County Societies desiring to obtain a portion of the Canada Company prize wheat for their counties will please apply to the member of the Council for the District in which their respective Societies are situated.

The General Superintendent.

The General Superintendent will have the entire supervision of the Grounds, and the arrangements of the Exhibition. He will have an office upon the ground, where all persons having inquiries to make in relation to the arrangements will apply.

Paying the Premiums.

The Treasurer will be prepared to commence paying the premiums on Saturday, September 26th, at 9 a. m., and parties who shall have prizes awarded them are particularly requested to apply for them before leaving Toronto, or leave a written order with some person to receive them, stating the articles for which prizes are claimed.

Persons entitled to cash premiums must apply for them at the Secretary's office, who will give *Orders on the Treasurer* for the amount.

These orders must be endorsed, as they will be payable to *order*, not to *bearer*, and on presentation to the Treasurer, properly endorsed, will be paid either in cash or by cheque on the bank.

Orders for premiums not applied for on Saturday, as above, will be given by the Secretary, and the amount forwarded by the Treasurer, on receipt of proper instructions.

Extract from Agricultural Statute.

"All persons to whom a prize is awarded shall apply to the Secretary of the Association for payment thereof before or on the 30th day of November of the year in which such prize is awarded, or shall forfeit such prize."

Miscellaneous.

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Grand Lodge—His Honor M.W. Bro. Judge W. Mercer Wilson, Simcoe, Grand Master; R.W. Bro. J. Kirkpatrick Kerr, Toronto, D.G.M.; R.W. Bro. R. P. Stephens, D.D.G.M., Toronto.

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 Stevenson, No. 218, second Monday in each month.
 Doric, No. —, second Wednesday in each month.

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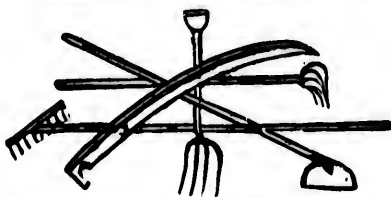
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Letter from the Minister of Finance, Canada.

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OTAWA, April 8, 1872.
Sir—I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter to the Minister of Finance of 2nd instant, enclosing programme of Mutual Benefit Association. No deposit is required by law for any Society conducting that kind of business. Your obedient Servant,

JOHN LANGTON, Auditor.

To the Manager of the MUTUAL BENEFIT ASSOCIATION.

REFERENCES (HARTFORD):

We are, by permission, allowed to refer to the following prominent gentlemen as regards our standing and responsibility:—

HARTFORD, Feb. 6, 1872.
We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we have the fullest confidence in the integrity and responsibility of the Officers and Directors of the Mutual Benefit Life Company, of this city; and we believe their affairs are managed in a straightforward and trustworthy manner, and that said Company is, in every way, entitled to the confidence and patronage of the public. (Signed.)

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INSURANCE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CONNECTICUT, NEW HAVEN, March 15th, 1870.

SIMON WILLIAMS, Esq., Portland, Maine.
Dear Sir,—It is not necessary for the "Mutual Benefit Life Company," of Hartford, to make any statement or report to this Department. The Company was chartered by the Legislature of this State, and is answerable to that body. It is a Benevolent Institution; and from the knowledge I have of its Officers and Managers I have no doubt but that they will carry out faithfully the stipulations of their charter. The Institution is founded upon Classes varying in size as to numbers, and requiring different contributions and assessments therefor to meet deaths as they occur; and in case the contributions and assessments are large enough the Institution will perpetuate itself. Very truly yours,

BENJ. NOYES, Commissioner of Insurance.

Letter of Judge Sill, Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Connecticut, and A. R. Goodrich, Esq., Comptroller.

To the Members of the Canada Divisions.
GENTLEMEN:—Your favor duly received making inquiry in regard to the status of Members of the Canada Branch of the Mutual Benefit Life Company of this city. We have only to say, that the capital of this Company (\$100,000), is pledged for the carrying out of all its regulations as fully in regard to the members of the Canada Divisions as to those in the United States. Their protection is, therefore, full and complete.

GEORGE C. SILL,

A. R. GOODRICH.

HARTFORD, Oct. 31, 1873.

It will be seen from the preceding, that this Association does not lack the endorsement of prominent and reliable authorities, both in the United States and Canada, well capable of judging as to the comparative merits of the different systems of Insurance. Among the names are some of the highest authorities on the subject, who have special facilities for knowing the standing and financial responsibility of the Officers and Directors of this Institution, and that it is entitled to the fullest confidence and patronage of the public.

The following acknowledgment from Capt. Harbottle, of Hamilton, shows the promptness with which this Association pays its death claims:—

Received from Messrs. Wingfield & Barker, Managers of the Canada Branch of the M. B. L. Co. of Hartford, the amount of the claim of the late John Harbottle.

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THOS. HARBOTTLE.

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