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**A**MID the green of its ample bowers rise the spires and towers of Toronto, joining the magnificence of a great city to the freshness of scenes blessed by nature. Visitors to the city are always impressed with the gracefulness and ornateness of its architecture and the beauty of its parks and foliage. It is a city of delightful tree-lined residential streets and luxuriant parks and squares, and unites the advantages of urban life with the delightful surroundings of suburban residence. While the commercial and legislative headquarters of Ontario and the intellectual centre of the Dominion, Toronto fulfils an important function as an ideal summer city. It is a tourist centre, with delightful trips inviting one north, south, east and west. Two or three hours away is the grandest scenic feature of the continent, the famous Falls of Niagara. To the north, the Muskoka region unfolds its manifold delights, and the waters of Georgian Bay lap the shores of their ten thousand islets. To the east, beyond the expanse of Lake Ontario, the mighty St. Lawrence, with its Thousand Isles, beckons the traveller on to the zest of the wild dash down the Long Sault.

Toronto is a prosperous city, with great mercantile and manufacturing establishments. It lies in the heart of the richest agricultural country in North America, and the rapid development of the Canadian Northwest will also mean much for Toronto. The city's population numbers about 225,000 people. Toronto is a well built metropolis, and has some very fine public buildings, including the Ontario Parliament buildings, City Hall, Toronto University, Osgoode Hall, Foresters' Temple, Confederation Life, Canada Life, Home Life, Armouries, Exhibition Palace and Board of Trade. The most recent addition to the city's imposing blocks is the King Edward Hotel, erected at a cost of about \$2,000,000. This is ranked among the very finest hotels on the continent and is a decided adornment to the city.

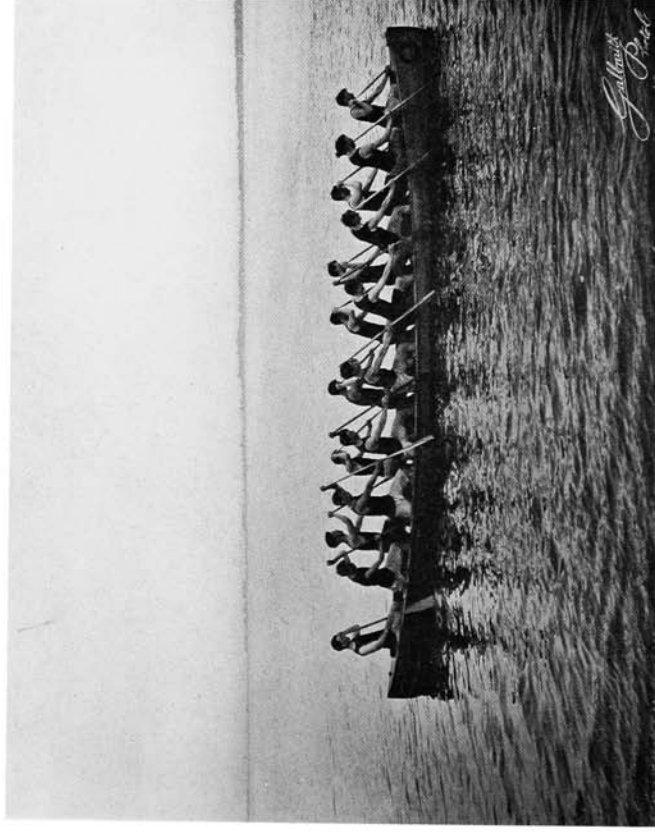
Toronto is famous for its parks. Queens Park, which surrounds the Parliament buildings, is a magnificent stretch of green-sward and contains monuments in memory of public men and of historic events. The Island Park is a veritable paradise. Toronto Bay is enclosed by an island in the form of a perfect crescent. It is a narrow ribbon of land, fanned by breezes from both bay and lake, and in its groves and on its sand beaches thousands spend the summer days and evenings in coolness and repose, while yachts, skiffs and canoes may be seen upon the waters in fleets. In the evening when the Island is illuminated it forms a fascinating picture.



BOATING ON TORONTO BAY.



A COACHING PARTY.



THE WAR CANOE.





QUEENS PARK.



IN THE HEART OF THE FIRE DISTRICT.

LOOKING ALONG WELLINGTON STREET.

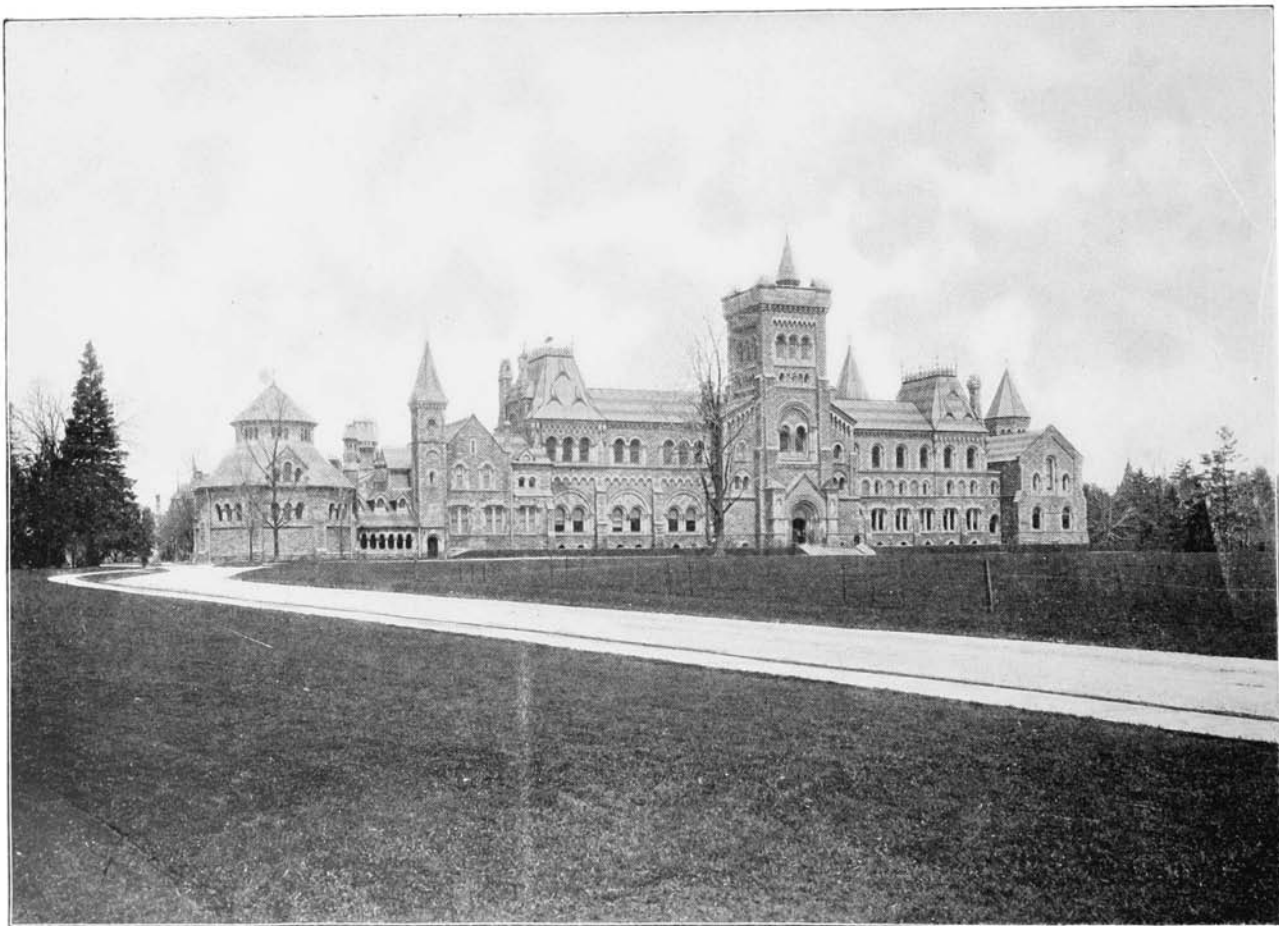
LOOKING UP BAY STREET.

The burned area covers 14 acres, 220 firms were burned out and \$13,000,000 was the fire loss with \$10,000,000 insurance.





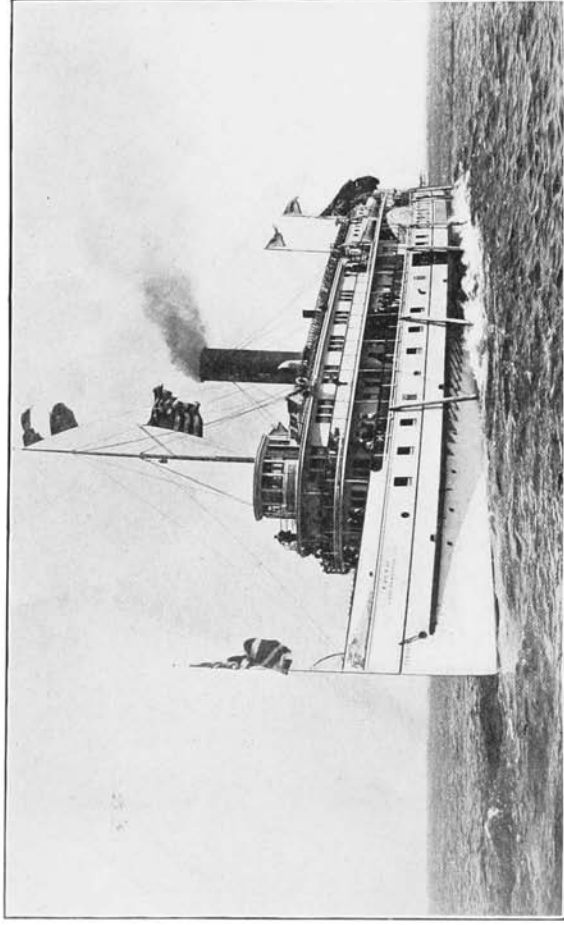
QUEENS PARK, FROM THE TOWER OF THE PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS.



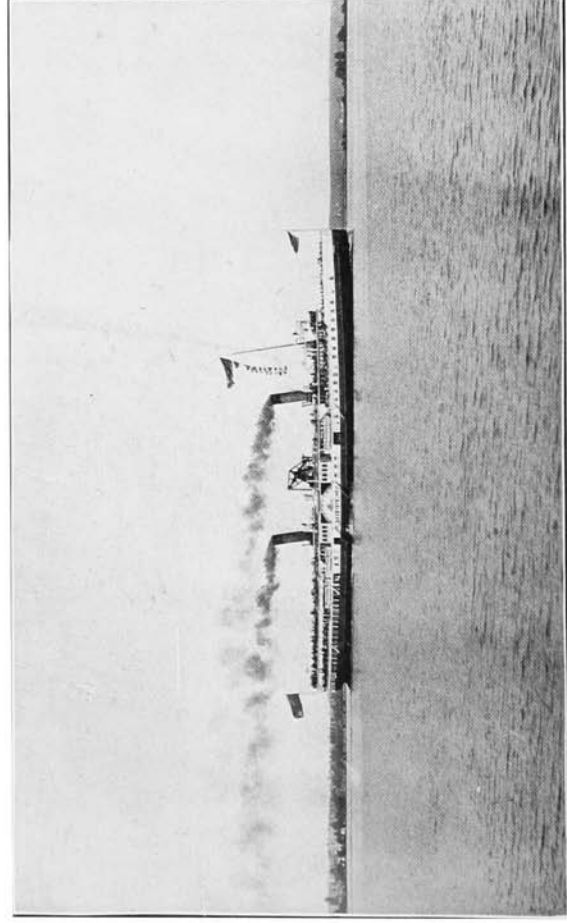
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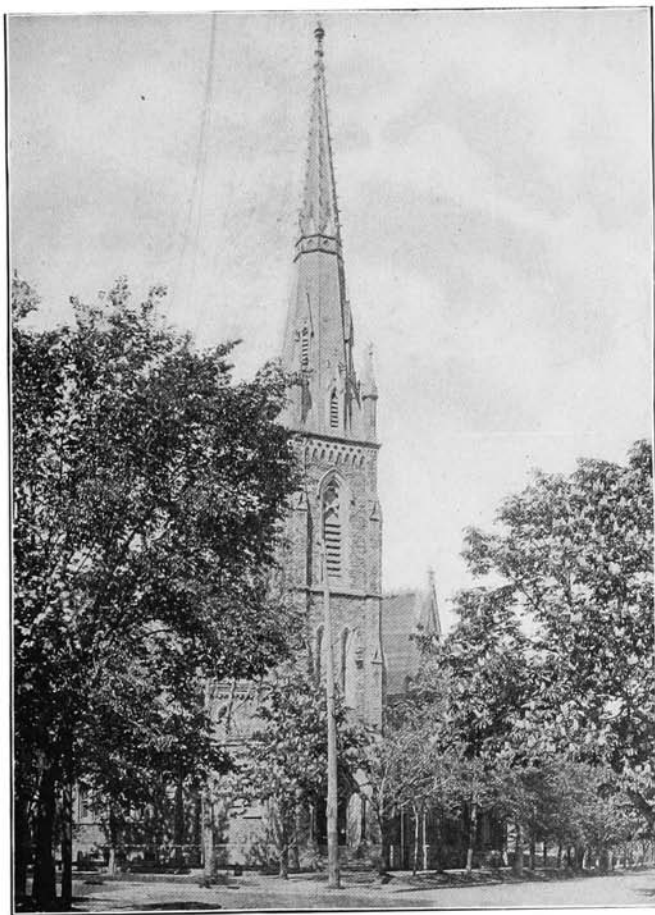
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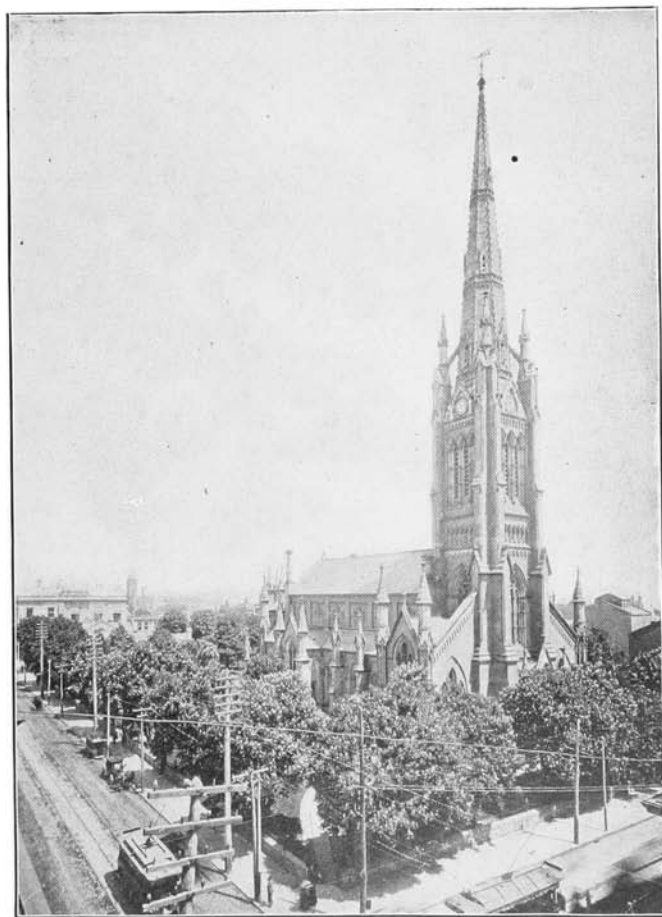
THE R. AND O. PALACK STEAMER "TORONTO."



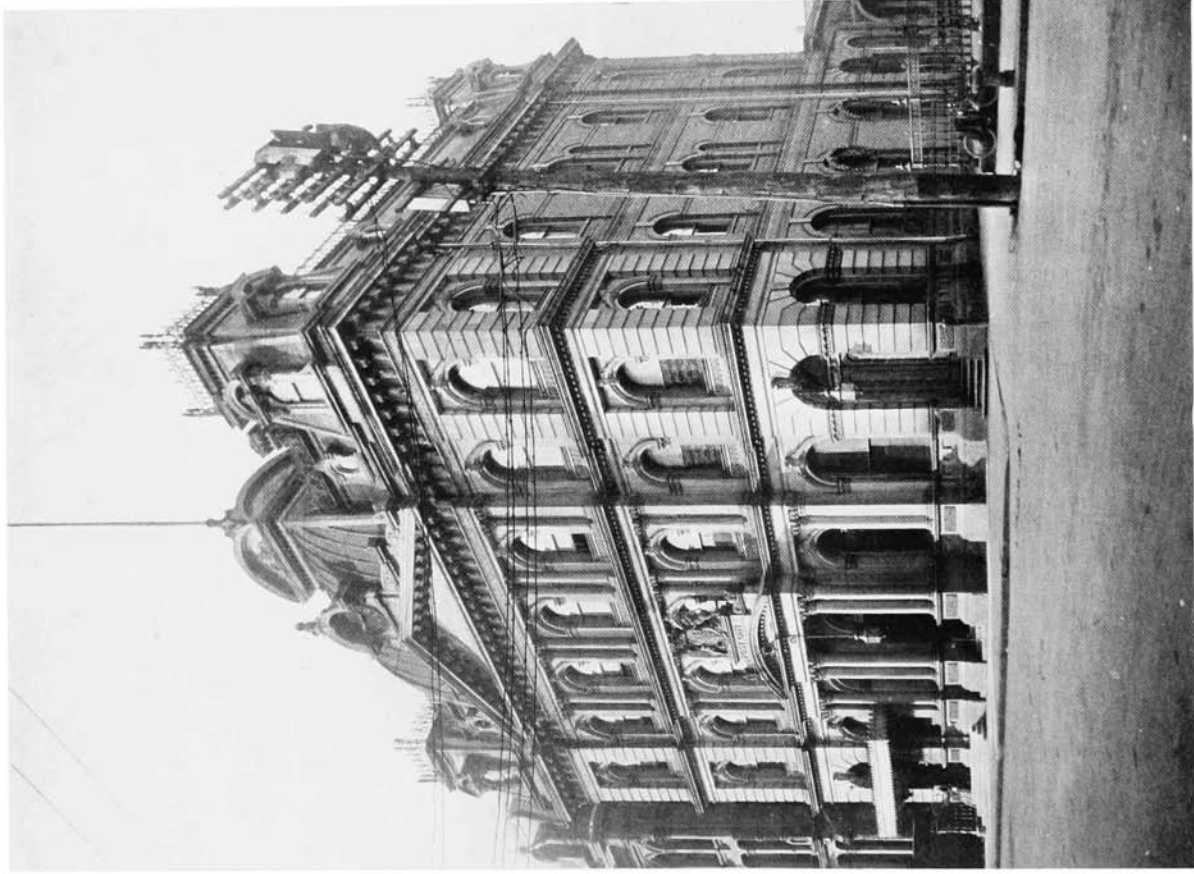
STEAMER CHIPPEWA OF THE NIAGARA RIVER LINE.



JARVIS STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.

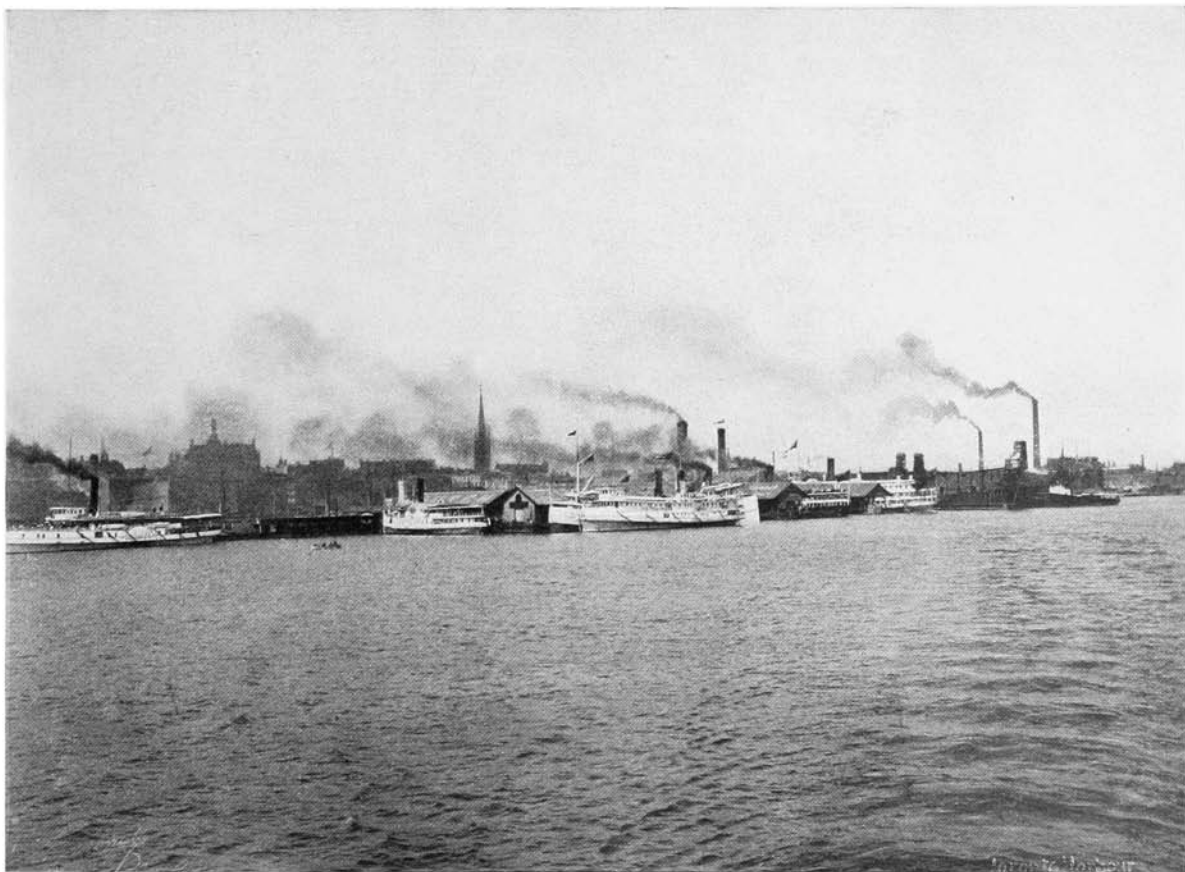


ST. JAMES (ANGLICAN) CATHEDRAL.



POST OFFICE.





The Harbor Front



Ontario Parliament Buildings



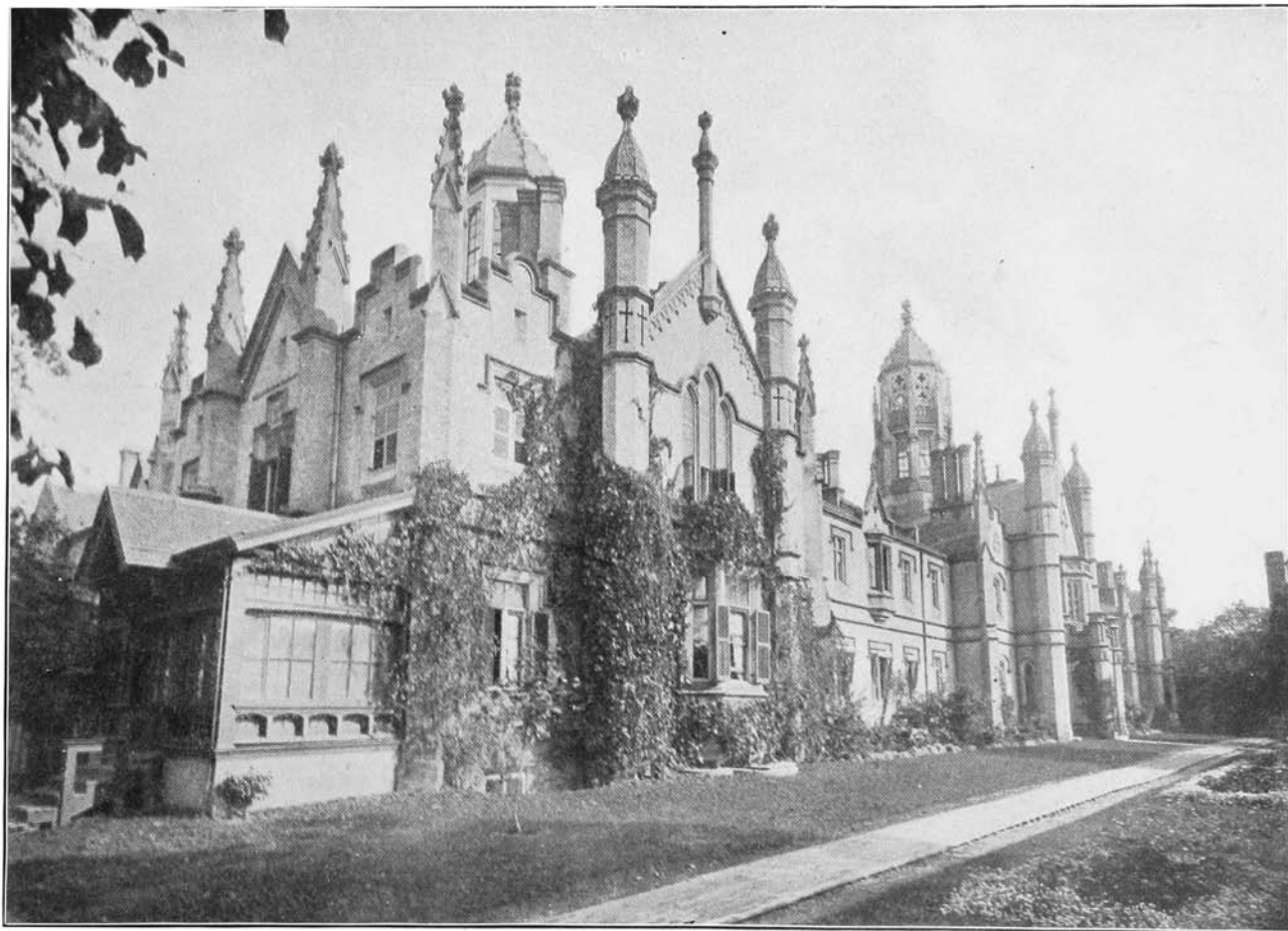
FORESTERS' TEMPLE.



BATOCHÉ MONUMENT.



RIDGEWAY MONUMENT.



TRINITY UNIVERSITY.

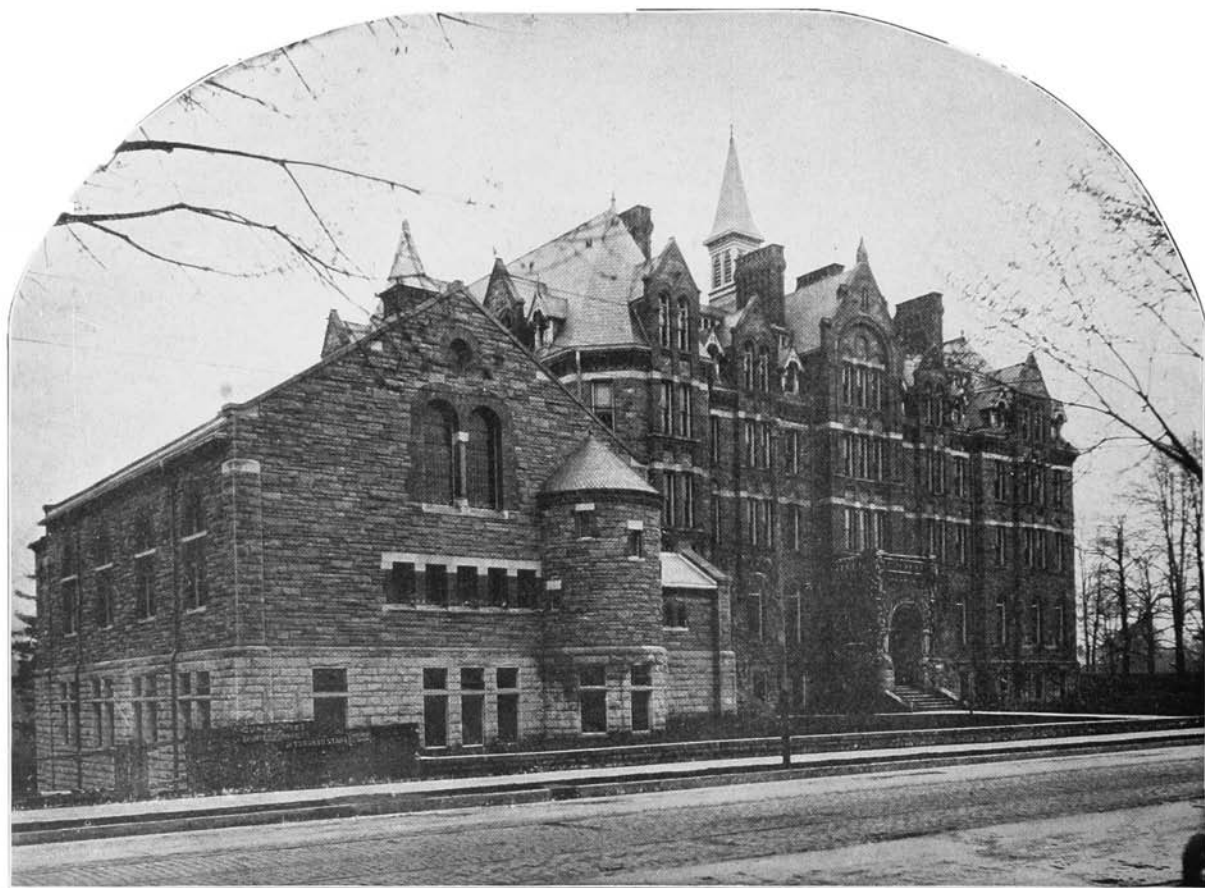


QUEENS HOTEL.





THE LAGOON, CENTRE ISLAND PARK.



McMASTER UNIVERSITY (Baptist).



PICNIC GROUNDS, ISLAND PARK.



Usgoode Hall.

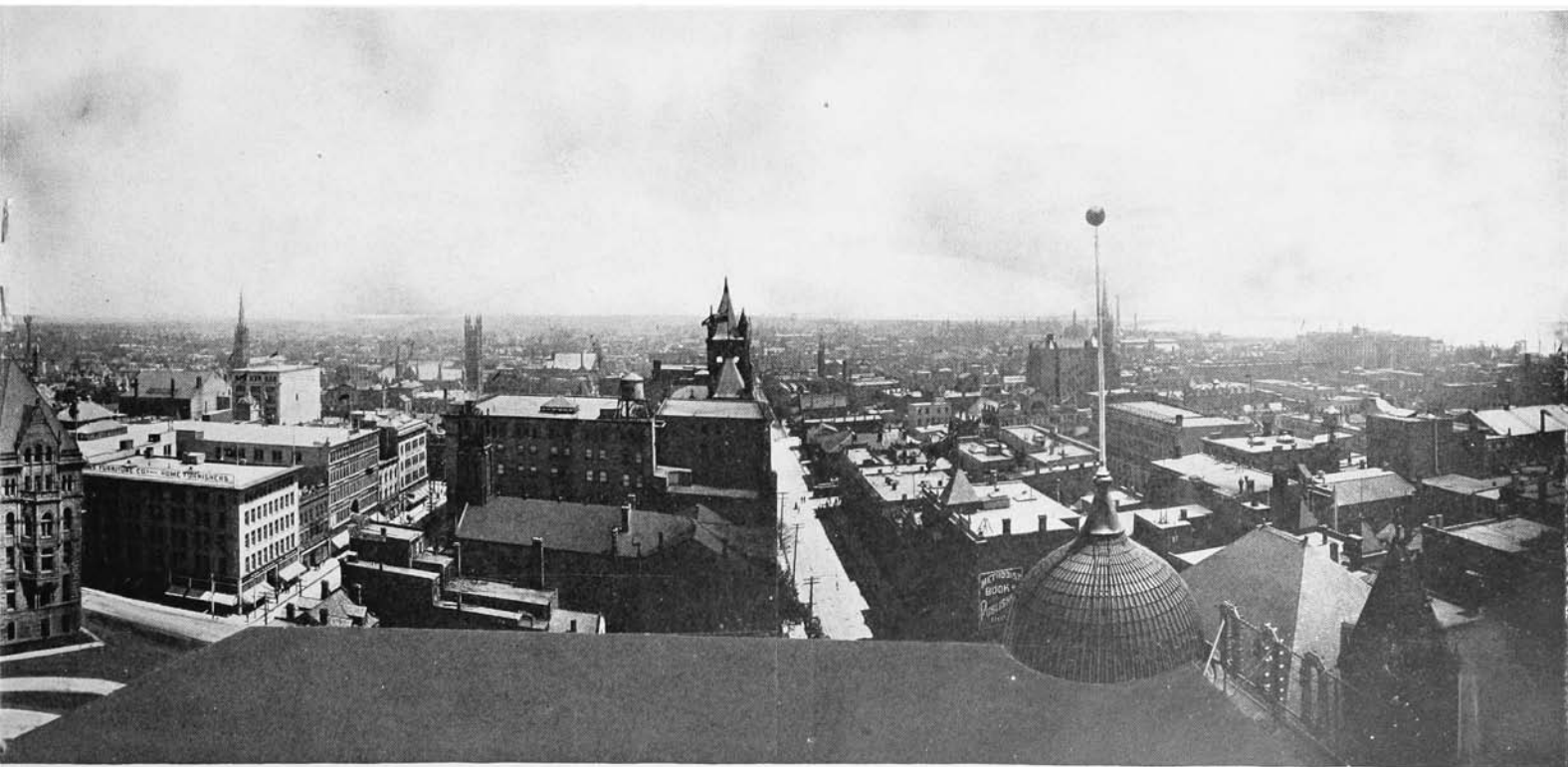
Armories.

Manning Chambers.

Parliament Building.

City Hall.

BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF TORONTO.



10 FROM THE TEMPLE BUILDING

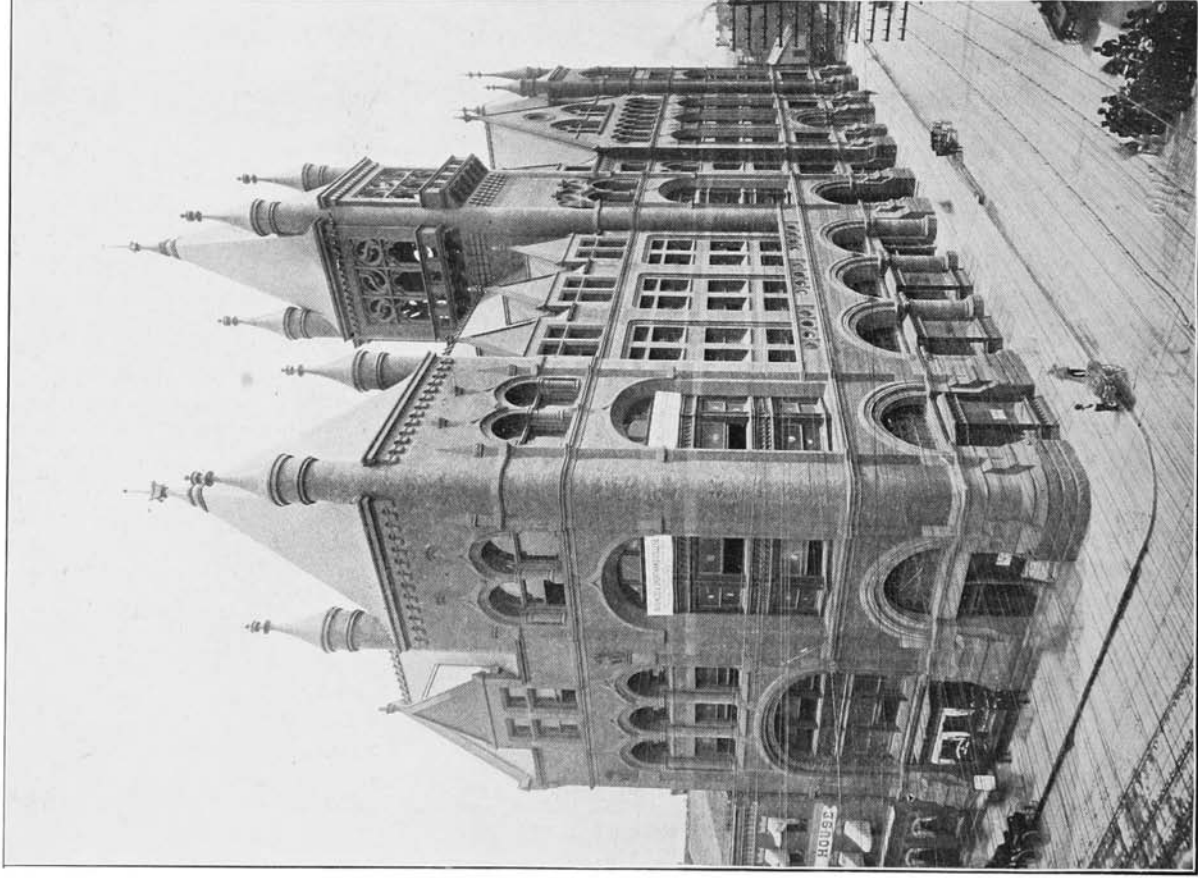
St. Michael's Cathedral.

Metropolitan (Methodist).

Confederation Life.

St. James' Cathedral.  
Home Life.

King Edward Hotel.

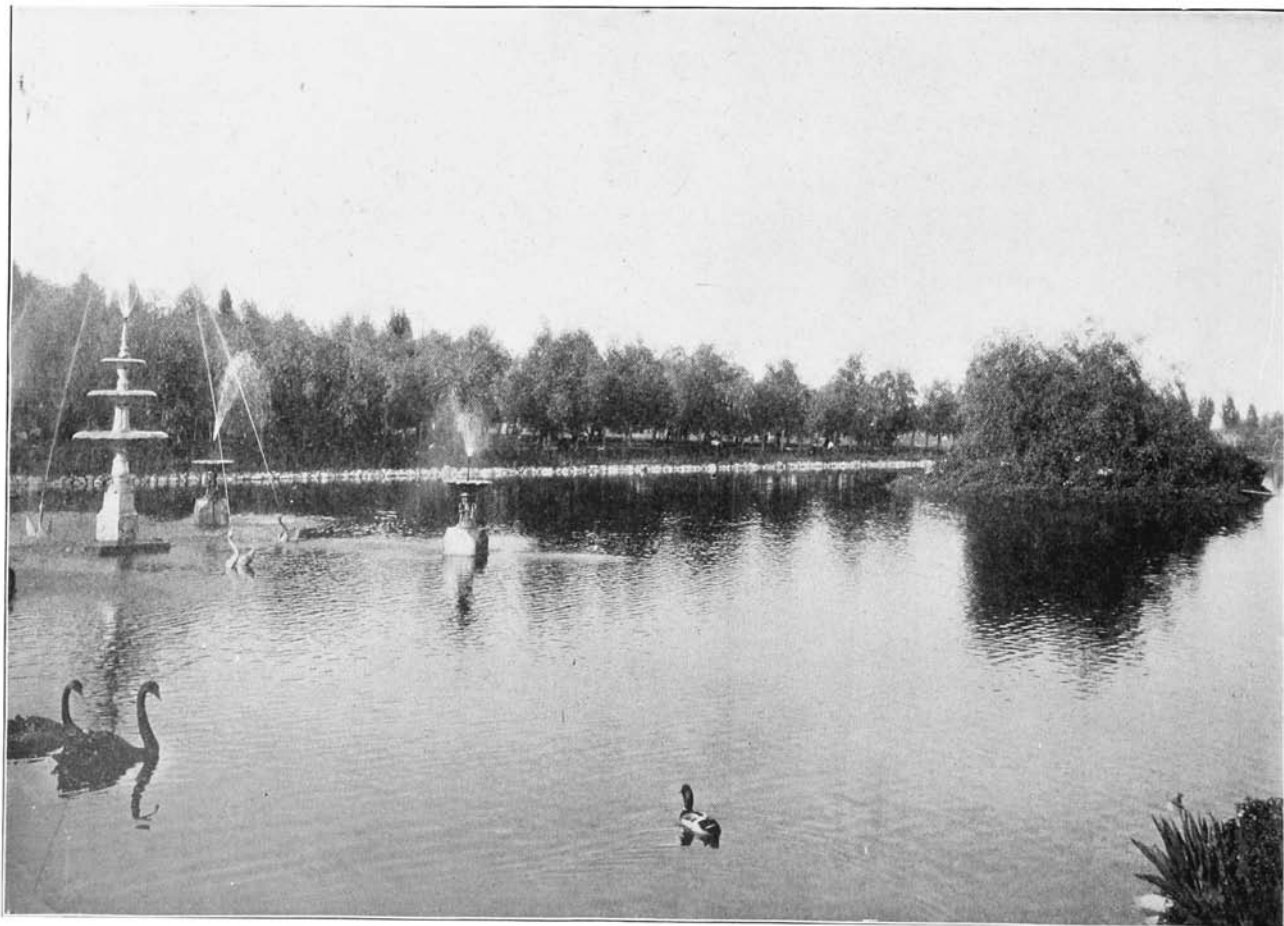


CONFEDERATION LIFE BUILDING.





SHERBOURNE STREET.



SWAN POND, ISLAND PARK.



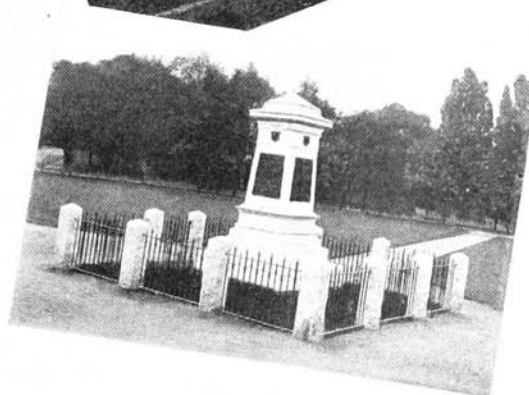
GOVERNOR SIMCOE.  
SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.



GEORGE BROWN.  
TORONTO MONUMENTS.



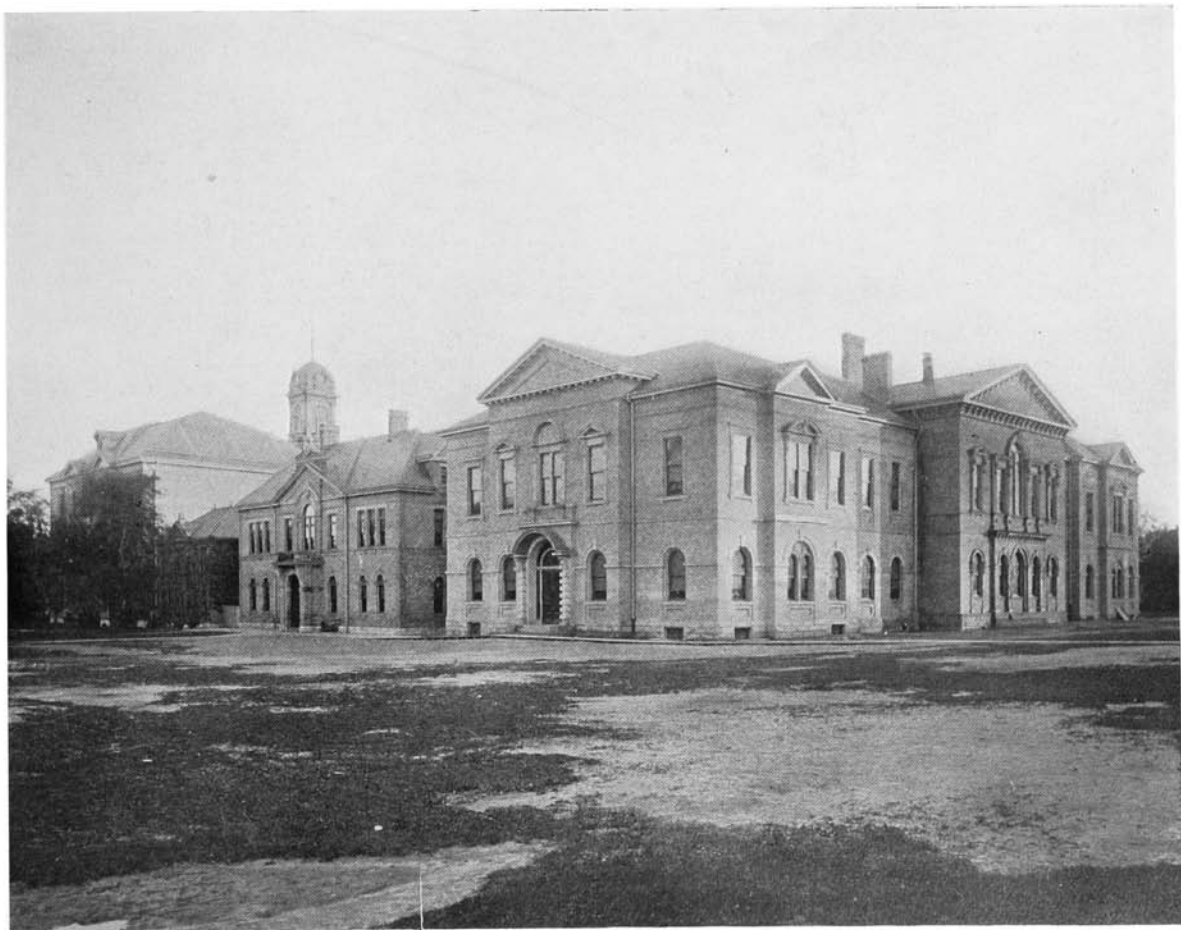
QUEEN VICTORIA.  
ROBERT BURNS.



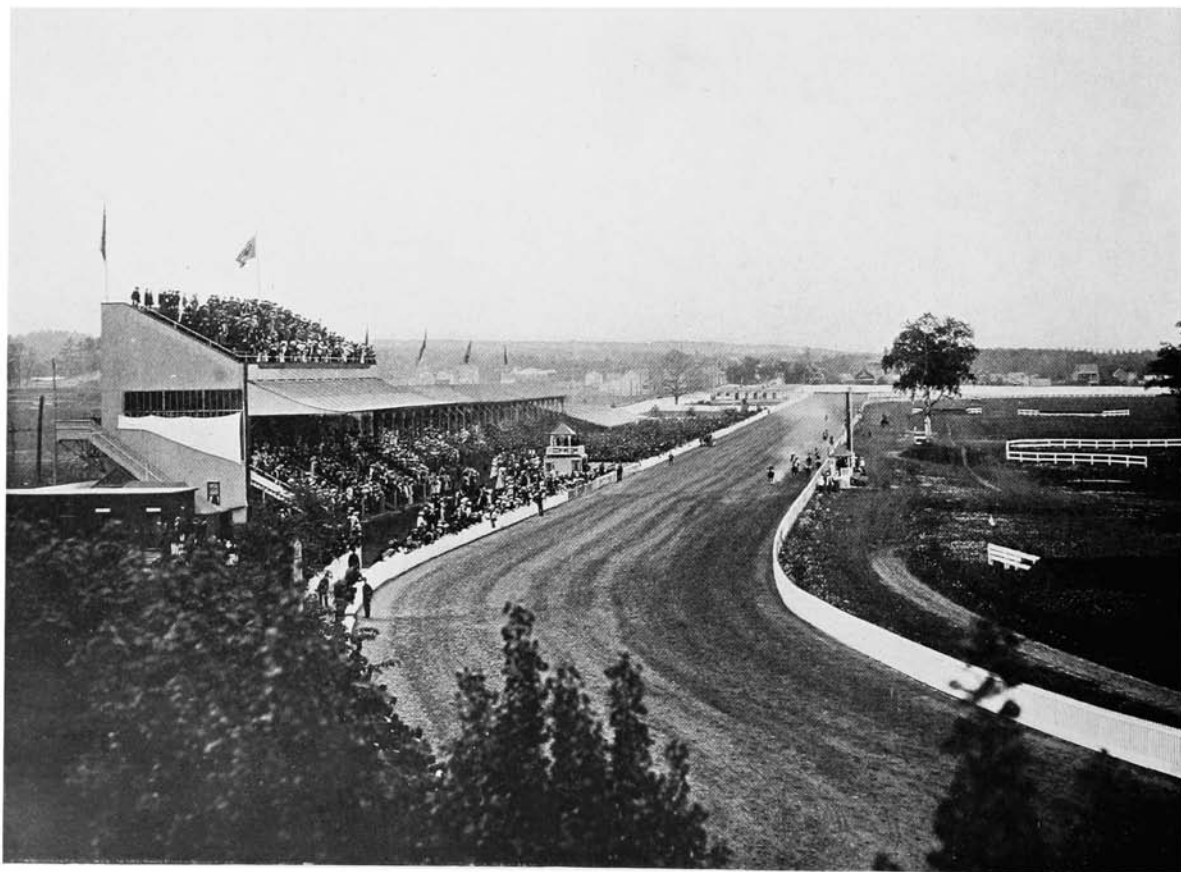


ST. MICHAEL'S (R. C.) CATHEDRAL, BOND ST.

METROPOLITAN CHURCH (METHODIST)



NORMAL SCHOOL, SHOWING NEW WING.



THE WOODBINE RACE TRACK.





King Street





City Hall



KING EDWARD HOTEL.



ROTUNDA, KING EDWARD HOTEL.



THE ARMOURIES.

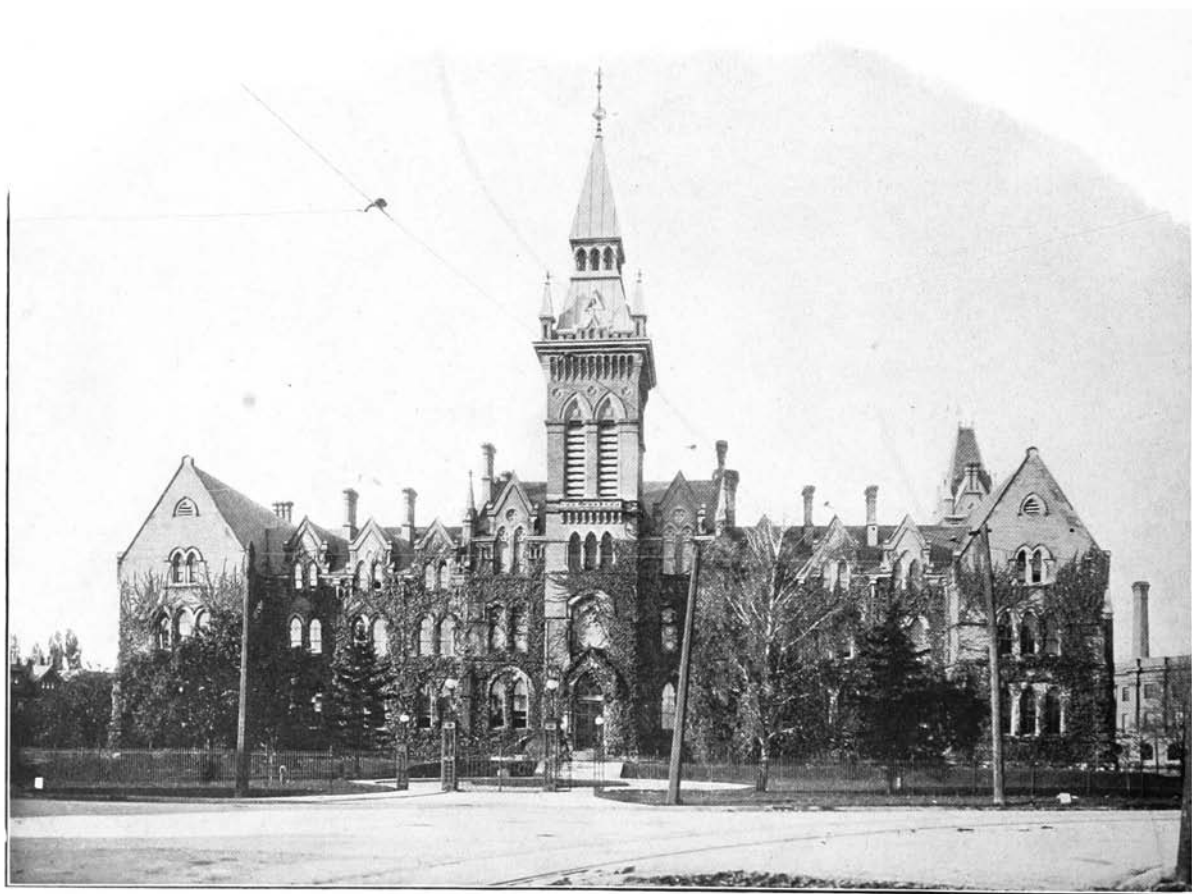


TORONTO'S GREAT ANNUAL EXHIBITION.



LOOKING UP YONGE STREET, CORNER OF KING.



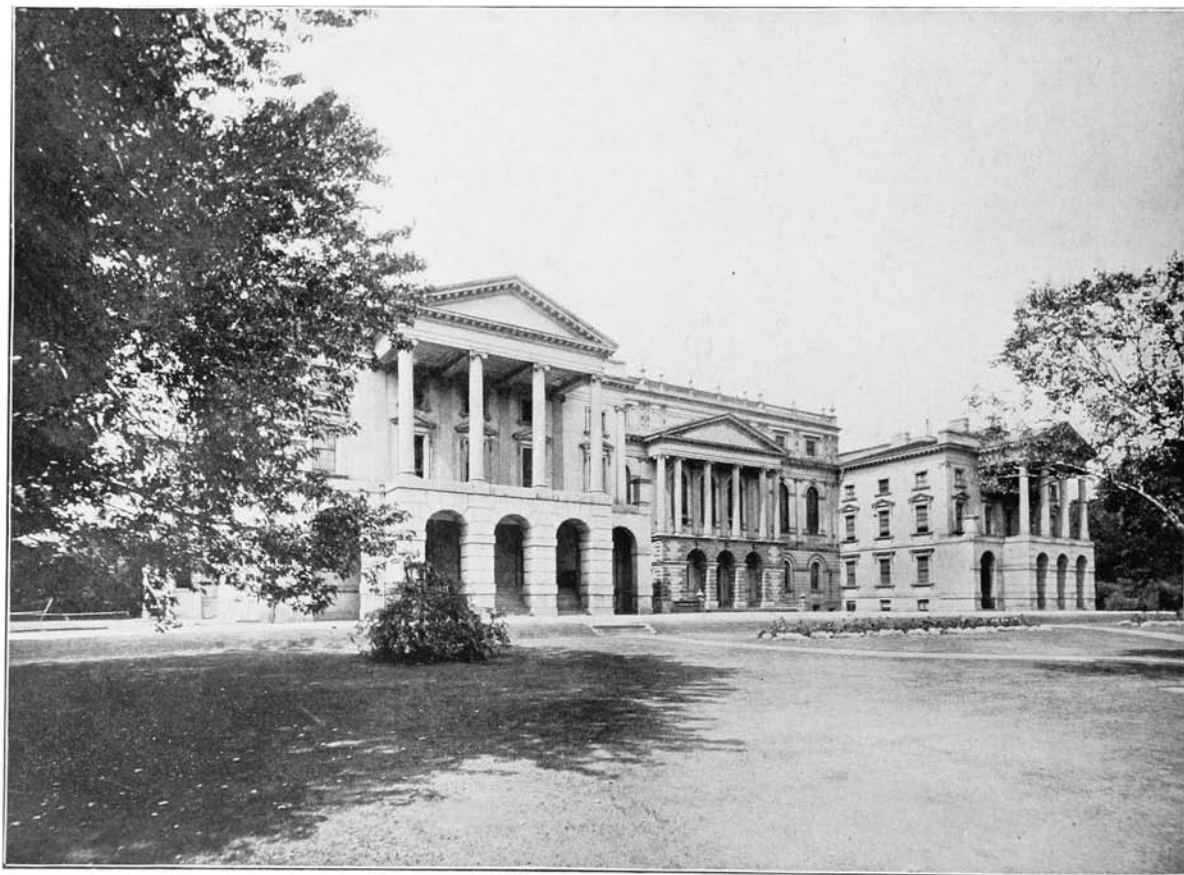


KNOX COLLEGE.

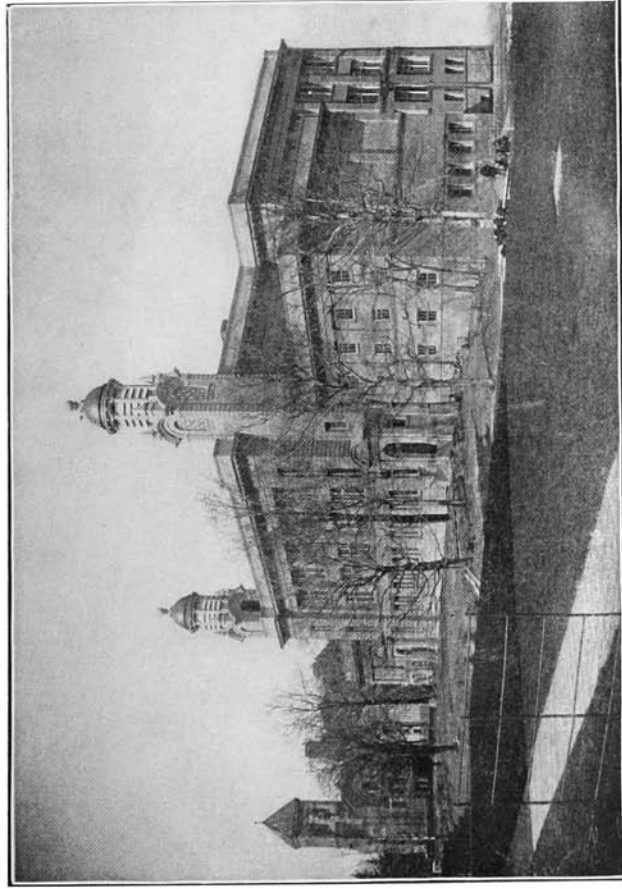




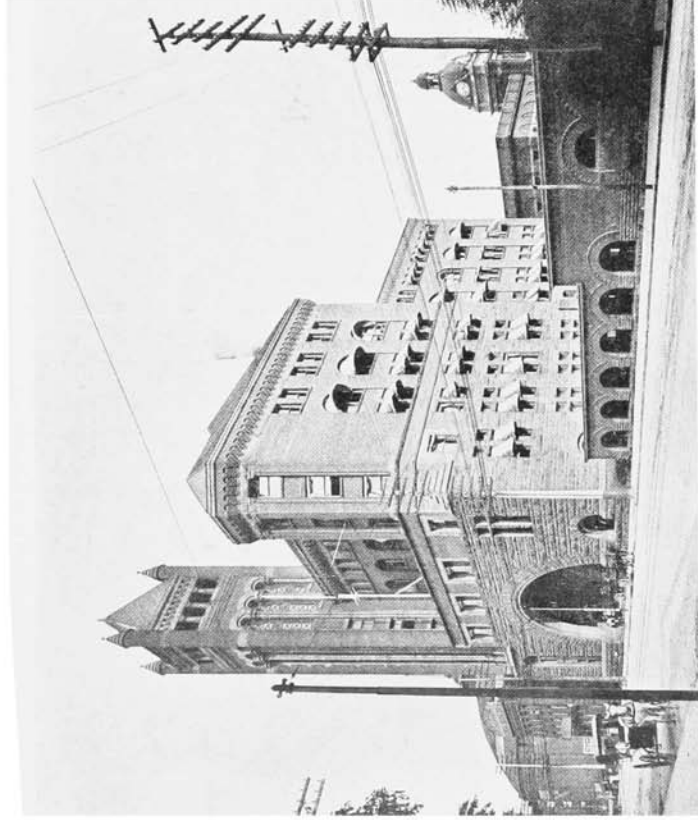
GOVERNMENT HOUSE, SIMCOE STREET.



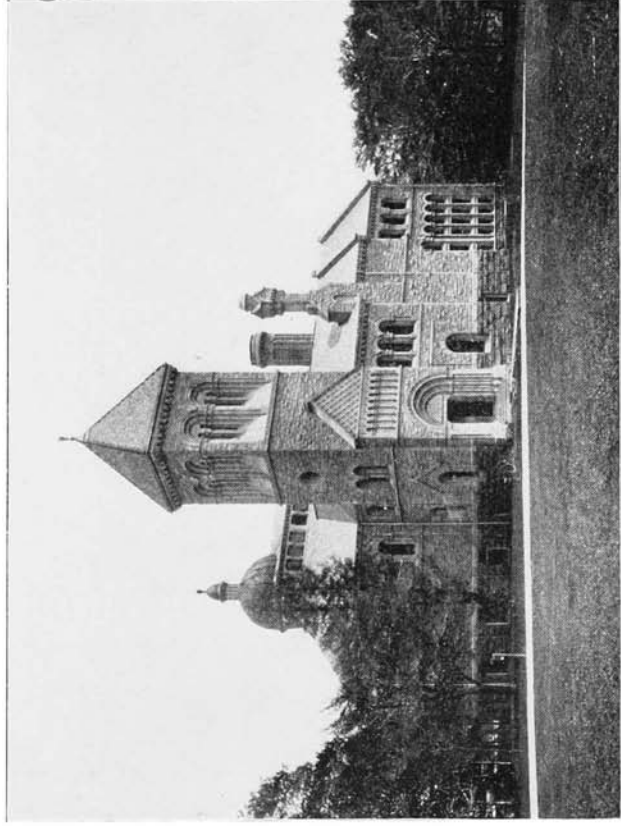
OSGOODE HALL, SEAT OF THE LAW COURTS



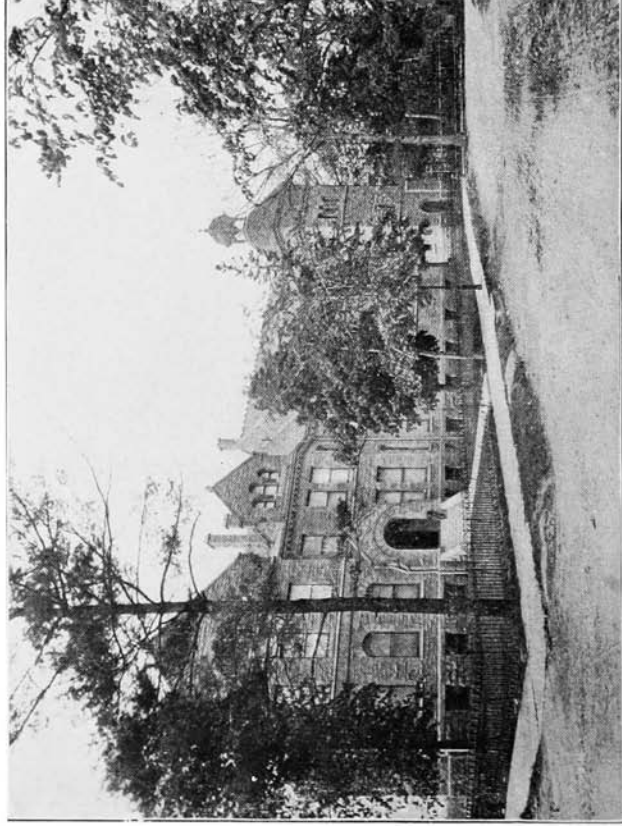
MEDICAL BUILDING, TORONTO UNIVERSITY.



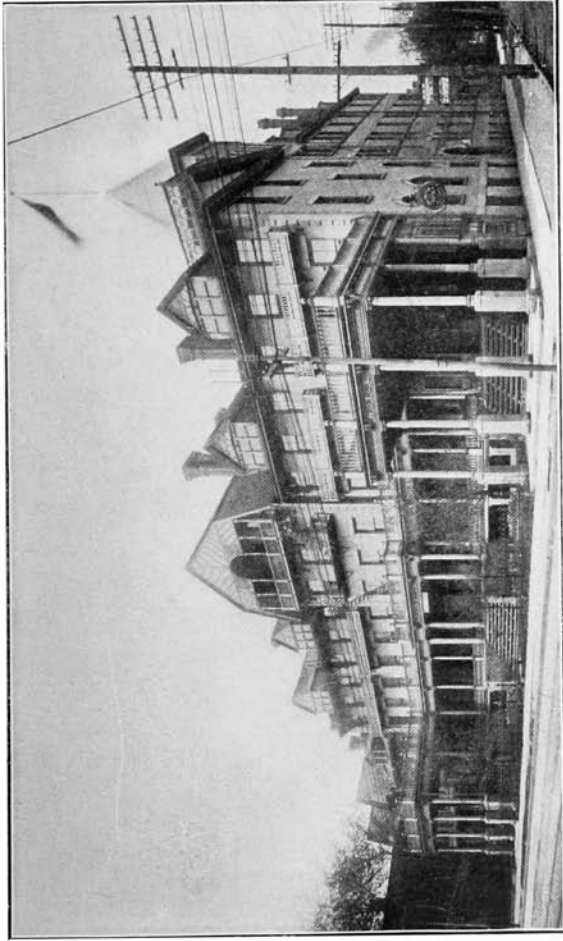
UNION DEPOT.



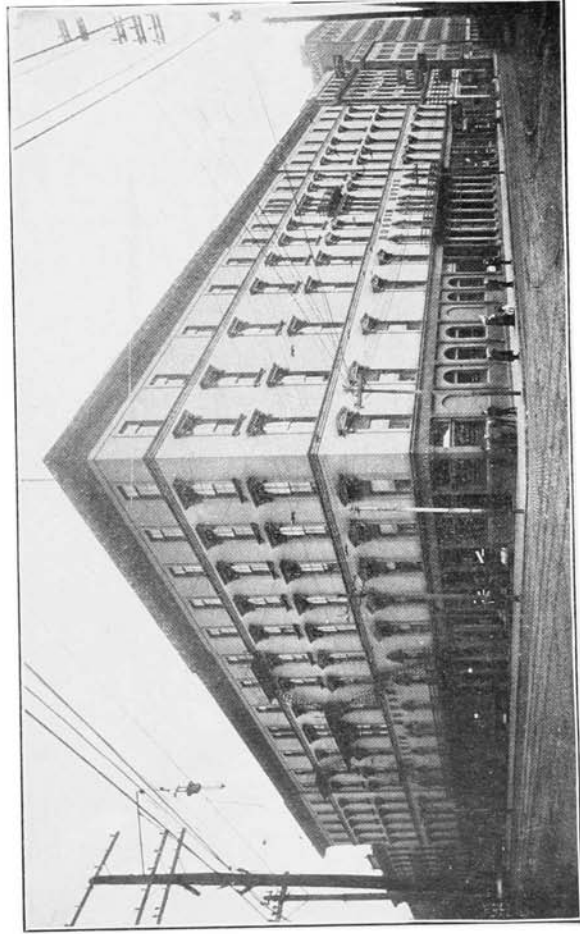
Varsity Library.



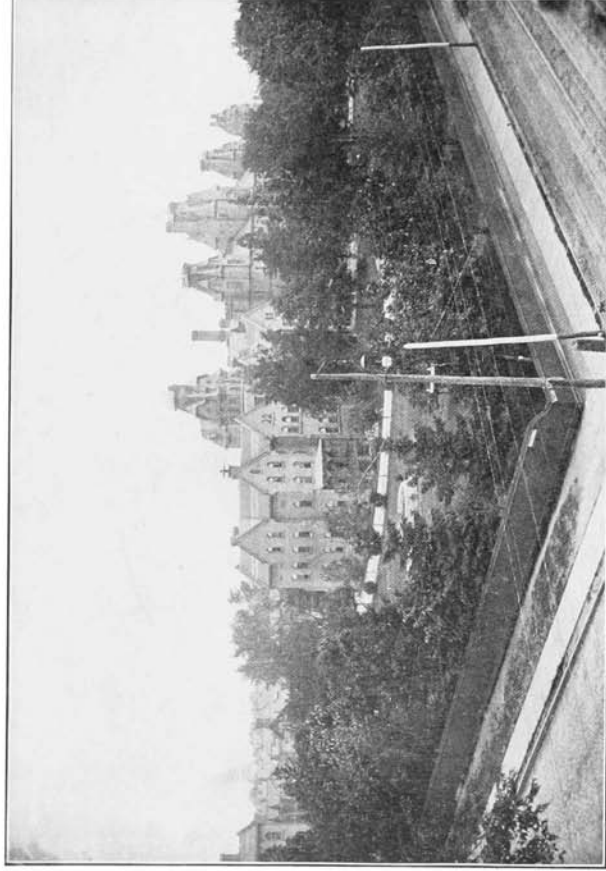
Biological Building, University of Toronto.



ARLINGTON HOTEL.



ROSSIN HOUSE.



TORONTO GENERAL HOSPITAL.



WYCLIFFE COLLEGE.

