



Ruined Ypres taken from an aeroplane, showing the battered Cathedral—one of the finest in Europe—and the roofless Cloth hall, a unique structure. The best example of aeroplane photography yet achieved. Among the wrecked buildings may be seen (practically in the center) all that remains of the celebrated Cloth hall, with the great belfry in the middle. Just beyond it (to the left) are the ruins of the Cathedral of St. Martin. At the further end of the Cloth hall stood the Hotel de Ville and an old renaissance building, the Nieuwerk. Facing the nearer end of the facade of the Cloth hall (in the right foreground) stood the Boucherie (the old meat market), a thirteenth century building in which was the town museum. The large space to the right of the Cloth hall is the Grande place.

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