

# *Balopticon*

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Urban Exploration Series

**balopticon:** a projector that utilizes reflected light for projecting the images of opaque objects

*- Merriam-Webster Dictionary*

## *Balopticon, The Zine*

Like so many other random ideas and curious names, I owe this creation to my brother. Rummaging through warehouses at his work, Vladimir discovered an ancient projector under layers of dust. Admiration of an old device with an arcane name sparked the idea and now we have “the zine”. Balopticon is about projecting, sharing, images and thoughts from my ongoing photographic discovery and experimentation. These short weekly editions, I hope, are there to entertain and offer perhaps a different perspective on familiar.

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## *King West Nights*

King Street West is one of those stretches of Toronto's pavement that has its night and day nature. A bustling hive of commerce by day, this street turns into entertainment central at night. Summer nights and long lines of cabs jam the street, fun seeking crowds fill the sidewalks. The scene so different by night, only the streetcars remain to remind us it is the same King West we know by daylight. King West – All business by day, all party by night.

Улица Кинг-Запад је дио Торонта који има двојну нарав. Током дана, ова улица је центар пословне журбе, али ноћу се све мијења и Кинг-Запад постаје центар ноћне забаве. Дуге лјетне ноћи доносе гомиле, дуге колоне таксија, гужве пред ресторанима и клубовима, сасвим другачији амбијент од оног пословног, дневног. Само трамваји су константа, једина веза између дневне пословности и ноћног провода.

















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