



GORE PARK.

HAMILTON.

HAMILTON stands on a level-plain, having the steep wall of the Niagara escarpment on the south, the placid waters of Burlington Bay on the north, the broad, blue sweep of Lake Ontario to the east, and billowy undulations of gentle acclivities rising to the Flamborough and Ancaster summits on the west. The city is best seen from a jutting promontory on the mountain immediately south of its easterly limit. From that point the panorama spread out on all sides is one of the most delightful which this beautiful earth can give. Immediately before us lies the city, embowered in trees, with spires reaching up through the foliage, here and there the tall chimney of a factory, and occasionally a mansion, a cottage, or the comfortable home of the thriving artisan, half shown among the ever-present maples which are the beauty