

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

PARKS BOARD MAY RUN AMUSEMENT RESORT

Considering the Purchase of a Figure Eight for Dundurn Park—Back from Costa Rica Quake.

HAMILTON, May 19.—(Special.)—This afternoon members of the parks board viewed the figure eight at Maple Leaf Park, which the owners are desirous of installing in Dundurn Park. The properties of the figure eight have offered to pay the city \$600 for the privilege of running the amusement, or the park, or would consent to give a percentage of the receipts. The board will meet Monday night to consider the offer.

The death is reported at Niagara Falls of Mrs. Olmsted, mother of Dr. Olmsted of this city. The deceased lady was ailing for some time, but she had only been seriously ill for about three weeks. Beside Dr. Olmsted the following family survive: W. E. Olmsted, Niagara Falls; Mrs. Eschfory, Gowanda; and Miss Olmsted, Hamilton.

The police this evening took Russell Miller, 70 Napier street, into custody on a charge of stealing \$4 from Amiel Dollis, a Greek.

Hotelkeepers Close.
The executive committee of the Hotelkeepers' Association decided the other day to close the hotels from 10 until 12 tomorrow morning. Some of the hotelmen prefer to close from 3 until 4 in the afternoon, the hour during which the bells will toll, and they are going to do that and keep open in the morning.

The battery will fire ten minute guns from Harvey Park to-morrow evening, starting at 6.30. No further changes have been made in the military memorial service, which will accordingly take place at the cricket grounds at 11 o'clock.

With their minds filled with horrible visions of wreck and ruin and their constitutions very much racked from shock, a party of Hamilton and Dundas people arrived in the city from Costa Rica, where the terrible earthquake occurred two weeks ago. The party consisted of Dr. and Mrs. Inksetter, 52 West Jackson street; Mrs. Bertram of Dundas and her daughter, and Mrs. (Dr.) Plerie and her two children, who live in Cartago, Costa Rica. Dr. Plerie remained in Cartago, where he lost nearly everything. Dr. and Mrs. Inksetter were staying at their winter home at San Jose, where the shock was not so great.

Real Estate Deal.
Stanley Mills & Co. have purchased the property at Nos. 115 to 117, inclusive, King street east, from Mrs. A. Geddes. The property has a frontage of 82 feet and a depth of 137 feet. The price reported to have been paid is \$120,000.

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IMPROVEMENTS AT WELLAND.
WELLAND, May 19.—The Falls Power Co. has just completed a brick transformer building on Hallams avenue here and installed its machinery. A division of the boys scouts has been organized here with a large number of members.

The Niagara, St. Catharines and Toronto Electric Railway are building a large brick transformer house here to increase the power for their line. The branch to Port Colborne is nearly all graded, and will be in operation in a few months.

Weland's postoffice will be opened on Monday. The customs officials also have accommodation in the building, which cost about \$50,000.

CHICAGO POLICE METHODS.
CHICAGO, May 19.—Stephen Zecak, 24 years, who yesterday, after 52 hours of almost continuous questioning, during which it is said, he was not permitted to sleep, confessed to the murder of a policeman, committed aided to-day.

Pun Down by Train.
MOUNT BRIDGES, May 19.—James Nevills, sr., an old and respected resident of this village, while walking down the Grand Trunk yards here, about 8 o'clock this morning, was struck by a freight train coming in from the east and so seriously injured that he died a few hours afterwards.

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NOTED OXFORD DIVINE FOR WYCLIFFE COLLEGE

Rev. Dr. Griffith Thomas Accepts Position on the Teaching Staff of Toronto's Anglican University.

At one of the largest meetings ever held of the Wycliffe College Council, an enthusiastic and unanimous invitation was extended to the Rev. Dr. Griffith Thomas, of Oxford, to become professor at Wycliffe College in this city. It is with great satisfaction that the authorities of the college announce the receipt of a cable yesterday from Dr. Thomas indicating his acceptance. It is expected that he will enter upon his new duties next October.

The council have for some months past been on the outlook for a clergyman of outstanding position and ability to join the teaching staff. Owing to the rapid increase in the number of students in preparation at Wycliffe for the Anglican ministry, the burden thrown upon the present teaching staff has been heavier than it was thought fair that they should be asked to carry. One hundred and ten theological students have been registered at the college during the past academic year.

Dr. Griffith Thomas comes with a splendid reputation. He is a graduate in arts (King's College, London) and subsequently entered for the theological courses at Christ Church College, Oxford, winning high honors from that university when he received his theological degrees. Dr. Thomas, also so widely known, is still a comparatively young man, being only forty-nine. He commenced his ministry under the Venerable Canon Christopher, vicar of St. Aldgate's, Oxford. Shortly after his ordination he was appointed to the important charge of St. Paul's Church, Portman Square, in the west end of London, where he fulfilled a brilliant and useful ministry.

Altho widely known on both sides of the Atlantic for his preaching, lectures and writings on many topics, Dr. Thomas has devoted the chief effort of his life to scholarship, and is today one of the most generally acknowledged authorities in the old land on many of the great Biblical and theological questions of the day.

As a writer Dr. Thomas has been prolific during the last few years. Some of his leading works are "The Apostle Peter," "The Catholic Faith," "Christianity is Christ," "The Sacrament of Our Redemption," and most helpful commentaries on "Genesis" and "The Acts of the Apostles," and a great number of booklets and tracts on leading and important subjects in the religious world have come from his pen.

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Day's Doings YORK COUNTY

INDUCTION SERVICE AT DAVENPORT CHURCH

Rev. Mr. Maxwell Formally Placed in Charge—Rumor re York Radial—County Poings.

DAVENPORT, May 19.—(Special.)—The splendid success attained by Davenport Presbyterian Church was well illustrated to-night in the large attendance and profound interest manifested in the services attending the induction ceremonies of Rev. F. J. Maxwell to the ministry of the church.

Davenport is one of the latest but most vigorous accessions to the roll of Presbyterian congregations in this city, and bears in every department of its church work the impress of solid and substantial growth.

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Gong Co. to keep their agreement to the letter.

The board of health read a letter from Analyst Aymot, showing the water of North Toronto to be quite pure; they also discussed the question of the sanitary inspector and his duties, and resolved to notify him to enforce the regulation relative to cesspools, etc.

SCARBORO.
Bishop Reeve will hold a confirmation service in Christ Church on Sunday morning next, 22nd inst.

WEST HILL.
WEST HILL, May 19.—(Special.)—Sunday next, 22nd, is anniversary Sunday in St. Margaret's. Bishop Reeve will preach at the 3 o'clock service. The Rev. G. S. Despard, assistant minister of St. Anne's, Toronto, will preach at the 7 p.m. service. All welcome.

CHESTER.
Local Church Choir Gave Delightful Concert Last Night.

CHESTER, May 19.—(Special.)—Chester Presbyterian Church was crowded to the doors when the choir, under the leadership of Mr. Harris, gave a delightful musical concert. It is questionable if a program replete with greater interest or executed in a more artistic manner has ever been given in this district.

Among those taking part were the Misses Bulger, Lithgow, Kennard, Harris and McBride, together with Messrs. Drover, Williams and Daggert, the latter from Scotland. The choir were warmly congratulated on the success of the concert. Rev. P. F. Sinclair presided.

AMUSEMENTS.

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May 30
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FOR SEVEN PERFORMANCES
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Next week—Robinson Crusoe Girl.
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HASTINGS' BIG SHOW
TO-NIGHT—FUNNY AMATEURS
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A Favorite With Particular People
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USE YONGE ST. FOR FREIGHT.
Report Says Railway Company Will Shortly Do This.

The steepest grade on the Metropolitan Railroad is that just north of the Don River at Thornhill. This grade undoubtedly is a barrier against the handling of much freight over the M.R. system. Rumors are afloat that a right of way is being purchased from the farms to the east, in order to avoid this steep grade. If such is carried out, it is thought (as the Metropolitan Railway is joined to the Canada Northern system) Yonge street will be a big freight entrance into the City of Toronto. The farmers who use Yonge street can ill afford to permit the growth of any such nuisance. It looks as if either the people who use Yonge street will require to take action, or the representatives of the municipalities interested will require to join together to protect their common interests.

MISS HELENA MORGAN.
One of the contestants who did very well, but not among the prize winners.

was 98 words a minute, which is the highest record yet made on any writing machine. Miss Rose L. Fritz having made the record of 95 words per minute. The other prizes awarded are as follows: Silver medal to Fred Jarrett, speed 55 words per minute; bronze medal to Miss Edith Cullen, 54 words per minute; Miss Lottie E. Betts, 53 words per minute; Philip Cowan, 52 words per minute. Prizes for accuracy were given as follows: a five-dollar gold piece to Harry Oliver and gold watches to P. J. Cowan and Miss A. Beattie.

A unique part of the performance was the taking of a speech while it was being given by C. V. Oden of New York, entitled "Paying the Price," on