London Presbytery.

London Presbytery met pursuant to adjournment in Samia on the 21st met. In-timation was given that Mr. Colin Fletcher declined the call addressed to him from Missouri. Important changes in regard to congregational boundaries were proposed, and agreed to be presented to parties to be affected by such a local to proach the gospel. Rev. A. Watson a localistic of the Presbyterian Church of Canada in connection with the Course of Scotland, was year. tion with the Church of Scotland, was re-esived as a Licentiate of this Church. The next meeting will be held in First Presby-terian Church, London, on the last Tuesday of September, (25th) at 2 p.m.

M. Gamberra, in a recent speech in France, declared that the Republicans would carry the elections, and that Mac-Mahon would not dare to resist the verdict. President MacMahon, recently replying to an address, said he did not seek the triumph of any particular party, but of those principles which were the foundation of society, which was in serious jeopardy.

A Lordon Times correspondent at Bel-

A London Times correspondent at Bellary, writing of the famine in Southern India, says: "A few months ago the working gangs contained a fair proportion of stalwart men and women on whom the famine at that time had made no visible mark, but this is no longer the case. The great bulk of the people are now emaciated, their ribs are stocking out in paintul prominence, and their skins covered with a dirty looking disease. The superintendent of the relief operations in Adoni reports that a journey over one of his roads resembled the path of a great battle in the numbers of the dead and direct. bers of dead and dying."

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DIED,

At the manse, South Georgetown, on the 20th inst., Louisa Nicolson Muir, youngest daughter of the Rev. J. C. Muir, D.D.

On Monday, morning 27th August, at the residence of the Rev. R. Chambers, Whitby, Maggle E, wife of the Rev. J. S. Eakin.

Official Announcements.

MEETINGS OF PRESBYTERIES.

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TORONTO.—In Knox Church, Toronto, on 4th Sept., at 11 a.m.

BAUGERN.—At Durham, on 18th Sept., at 1 p.m.
Whiter.—In the second Presbyserian Church, Bowmanyille, on 18th Sept., at 11 a.m.
Humo.—At Clinton, on the second Tuesday of October, at 11 a.m.
KNOSTON.—In St. Andrew's Church, Believille, on the 9th October, at 7.30 p.m.
Fants.—In Zion Church, Brantford, on September 28th, at 2 p.m.
OWEN BOUND.—In Knox Church, Owon Sound, on the 18th September, at 10 a.m.
BRUCE.—In St. Andrew's Church, Churchine, 6m 25th September, at 2 p.m.
PETERBORO.—In St. Paul's Church, Peterboro, 6m 25th September, at 12 o'clock.
STEATWORD.—Sept. 4th, at 10 o'clock a.m., in St. Andrew's Church, Stratford.
OHATHAM.—In Adelaide St. Church, Chatham, on Tuesday, 25th cept., at 11 o'clock a.m.
BANRIE.—Special meeting at Staynor, Wednesday, 29th Aug., at 2 p.m.—Special meeting at Bt. John's Church, West Gwilling, on Monday, 10th Sept., at 2 p.m.—Next general meeting at Crillia, Tuesday, 25th Sept., at 2 p.m.
HAMILTON.—I'nis Presbytory will hold an adjourned meeting in Nairn Church, Strabane, on to lith Sept., at 2 p.m. Also the next ordinary meeting will be held in Central Church, Hamilton, on Tuesday, the 18th September, at 10 o'clock, a.m.
Session Records should be submitted for review. (Onarham.—This Presbytory will meet on Tuesday, 25th September, for the ordination of the Mev. J.
B. Battleby, who will be inducted as pastor of St. Andrew's church on the following day.
Lennon.—In the first Presbyteriau Church, London, on the 25th September, at two o'clock, p.m.

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