

Home Ecclesiastical Intelligence.

ELMA CENTRE, &c.—The Rev. R. Renwick has received and accepted a call from Elma and associated stations in the Presbytery of Stratford.

ELGIN, SCOTLAND.—The congregation of the Free High Church have, we understand, given a unanimous call to Rev. A. Topp, who was formerly their pastor. Mr. Topp's labours have been very successful in Toronto, and it will be matter of deep regret if he should leave his present congregation.

YORK MILLS, &c.—The congregations of York Mills and Fisherville have resolved to call the Rev. N. Paterson.

ST. THOMAS.—The Rev. G. Cuthbertson has received a call from the congregation of St. Thomas.

SOUTHAMPTON.—The Rev. A. Tolmie has been translated from Innerkip to Southampton (first) and South Arran.

DALHOUSIE.—The Rev. Walter Scott was inducted at Dalhousie on Thursday, 13th ult. The Rev. J. B. Duncan preached, and addressed the minister. The Rev. W. Aitken, of Smith's Falls, addressed the people.

PORT HOPE.—The call of the Port Hope congregation to Rev. J. McMechan has been unsuccessful. Mr. McMechan continues at Berlin.

ACTON.—The Rev. L. Cameron has been ordained and inducted as pastor of the congregation at Acton.

OAKVILLE.—The Rev. P. Constantinides has declined the call of the Oakville congregation.

WEST ESSA, &c.—The Rev. J. K. Hislop was, on the 18th ult., ordained and inducted as pastor of the congregations of West Essa, &c. The Rev. J. Milligan preached and presided. Messrs. Wightman and Fraser addressed the minister and congregation respectively.

PERCY—WARKWORTH.—We have hitherto omitted to state that the foundation of a new church was lately laid at Warkworth, Percy, C.W., by the Rev. Thomas Alexander, in presence of the congregation and many others assembled on the occasion. Besides religious services, an address on the principles of the Presbyterian Church was delivered. The plan was furnished by Mr. Burnett, of Cobourg. The building is to be 56 by 36, with a spire 95 feet high. It is to be finished within twelve months.

ALEXANDRIA.—The Presbyterians at Alexandria, C.W., and vicinity, are erecting a church which, when completed, will, it is hoped, be a great blessing to the neighborhood. A bazaar was lately held for the purpose of assisting the undertaking. A committee of ladies, consisting of Mrs. A. M. McKenzie, Miss Robinson, Mrs. J. Simpson, Miss Wilson, Miss E. Simpson and Miss McPherson, superintended the arrangements. The results were highly satisfactory.