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**MEETINGS OF PRESBYTERY.**

**PETERBOROUGH.**—In the First Church, Port Hope, on July 6, at ten a.m.  
**SARNIA.**—In St. Andrew's Church, Sarnia, on June 29, at nine a.m.  
**LANARK AND RENFREW.**—In Zion Church, Carleton Place, on Monday, May 24, at seven p.m.  
**PARIS.**—In St. Andrew's Church, Ingersoll, on Tuesday, May 10 at two p.m.  
**LINDSAY.**—Next regular meeting at Canaington, on Tuesday, May 25, at eleven a.m.  
**WINNIPEG.**—In Knox Church, Winnipeg, on Monday, May 17, at half-past seven p.m.  
**STRATFORD.**—In Knox Church, Stratford, on the second Tuesday of May.  
**CHATHAM.**—At Chatham, on the 13th July.  
**BRUCE.**—In St. Andrew's Church, Paisley, on Monday, July 12, at two p.m.; and on Tuesday, July 13, at nine a.m.  
**GUELPH.**—Adjourned meeting in Knox Church, Galt, on Tuesday, May 4, at three p.m. Next regular meeting in Chalmers Church, Guelph, on Tuesday, May 18, at ten a.m.  
**MONTREAL.**—In David Morrice Hall, Montreal, on Tuesday, the 6th July, at ten a.m.  
**QUEBEC.**—In Sherbrooke, on the 6th July, at ten a.m.  
**ALEXANDRIA.**—At Alexandria, on Tuesday, July 6, at eleven a.m.  
**KINGSTON.**—Adjourned meeting in St. Andrew's Hall, Kingston, on Tuesday, May 11, at ten a.m. Quarterly meeting in John Street Church, Belleville, on Monday, July 5, at half-past seven p.m.  
**BARRIE.**—At Barrie, on the last Tuesday of May, at eleven a.m.  
**MAITLAND.**—In Knox Church, Kincardine, on Tuesday, July 13, at two p.m.  
**TORONTO.**—In St. James Square Church, Toronto, on Thursday, May 20, at ten a.m.  
**HURON.**—At Londonborough, on the second Tuesday of May, at half-past ten a.m.  
**MIRAMICHI.**—In the hall of St. James Church, Newcastle, on Tuesday, May 25.

**BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.**

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