

2. *James Robert Stephenson.* He was born at Beverley, England, March 26th, 1830. From infancy he evinced a most amiable disposition; and, chiefly through the instrumentality of pious parents, was brought to a saving knowledge of the Truth in the fifteenth year of his age. He entered our Ministry in 1852, and travelled with acceptability in the Redruth Ct. near two years. In April, 1854, he joined our ranks in this Province, and seemed to promise a source of great usefulness. He was stationed by the Conference of that year in Walpole circuit; in which station, however, he only labored three months, when all his earthly engagements were brought to a premature and affecting termination.

While bathing in Lake Erie, on the morning of August 4th, he accidentally fell over the edge of a hidden rock, and was drowned,—

“Many fall as sudden,—few as safe.”

He died in the 25th year of his age, and the third of his ministry. “Being dead, he yet speaketh.”

Q.—How are the Ministers stationed for the ensuing year?

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I.—TORONTO DISTRICT.

1. *Toronto.*
Edward Barrass.
2. *Yorkville Branch.*
Robert Cade.
3. *Etobicoke.*
John Garner.
William Gledhill.
William Jolley, Sup.
4. *Markham.*
John Lacey.
Thomas Foster.
James Clarke.
5. *Darlington.*
James Edgar.
6. *Albion.*
John Nattrass.
James Holdershaw.
7. *Scarboro'.*
Richard Poulter.
One to be obtained.
8. *Reach Mission.*
William Lyle.
William Cooke.