that they resolved not to attend the Church again, unless they could be assured that such an innovation should not be repeated, and it was to meet the wishes of my congregation, whose opinion, as I have said, entirely coincide with my own, that I prevented a recurrence of the offence on last Sunday, by taking the Pulpit myself in the morning, and performing the whole service in the evening.

Your affectionate Pastor and Friend,
(Signed) CHARLES BLACKMAN.