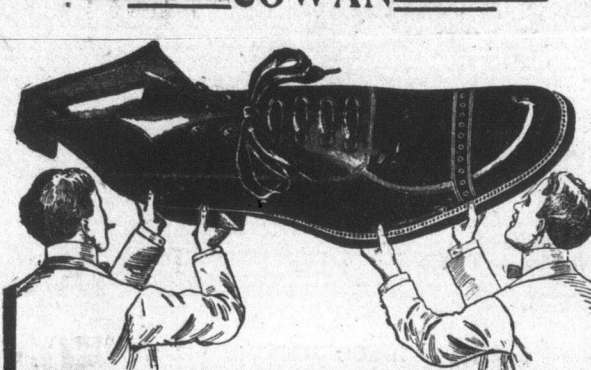


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THE LOCAL BUDGET

Miss Mabelle Edmondson will resume her class in pianoforte Sept. 15th at her residence, Head street.

SUIT OVER A COW

Before Judge Dowling in Chambers McCatharine vs. Regis, this was an action to recover the value of a cow belonging to the plaintiff killed, it was alleged, by reason of the defendant setting a dog upon her while the said cow was upon the premises of the defendant. The defendant put in a counter claim for damages done to the defendant's crop by plaintiff's cattle. The parties live in Chatham Township. Judgment was reserved till Thursday. W. G. Richards for plaintiff, M. Houston contra.

GOOD SOCIAL

The anniversary and harvest home services of the Presbyterian church on the 15th concession, Raleigh, were held last Sunday, when Rev. Mr. McQuarrie, of Valetta, preached at both services. Good congregations attended and the services were very successful.

Last evening a tea meeting and concert was given and a very pleasant social time was spent. Rev. Mr. Kennedy, of Cedar Springs, presided over the program of music and he made a capital chairman.

The program was provided by the Christ Church male quartet, composed of J. W. Wilson, John T. Smith, Wilfred M. Smith and R. W. Angus. Several quartets were given and also songs by Messrs. Wilson and Angus. Dr. Oliver was present and sang twice, accompanied by Miss Randall, of Merlin. Mr. Hea also sang a couple of songs.

Rev. Mr. Gilmore, of Blenheim, was present and delivered an address, which was much appreciated. The total proceeds amounted to over \$60, which was considered satisfactory.

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Some Opinions Expressed at the Presbytery Session This Morning.

Clerical Representatives Have a Little Tilt on the Records—Still in Session

The Chatham Presbytery is meeting in St. Andrew's church to-day with the following ministers present, Moderator McQuarrie and Rev. Messrs. Radford, of Blytheswood; Tolmie, of Windsor; Argo, of Lindsay; Munroe, of Ridgetown; Natress, of Amherstburg; McIntosh, of Thamesville; Hare, of Boland; Battisby and MacGillivray, city; Nicol, Wallaceburg, Ross, of Dawn; Gilmore, of Blenheim; Jamieson, of Blenheim, and Neill, of Dover.

The following were appointed convenors of committees: Home Missions—Dr. Battisby. Augmentation—Mr. Tolmie. Young People's Societies—Mr. Neill.

Church Life and Work—Mr. Argo. It was decided to hold the next meeting in the First Presbyterian church, Chatham.

A petition from the Florence church for assistance to the amount of \$125 per year was referred to a committee to report on.

Rev. Mr. McQuarrie, of Valetta, was appointed moderator for the ensuing six months to succeed Mr. Radford.

A call from the Comber church to Rev. Mr. Livingston was sustained.

In the re-arrangement of the fields there was no change. Rev. Mr. Ross, of Dawn, asked for a six months' leave of absence. Mr. Ross wishes to spend some time on mission work in the Northwest. He has succeeded in getting permission from his church and also from the Session and he asked the Presbytery to sanction their action. It was granted.

The request and the discussion caused a little lively bout between Rev. Dr. Battisby, pastor of St. Andrew's church, and Rev. Mr. Tolmie, of Windsor.

Mr. MacGillivray was in favor of granting the request and moved the motion. Mr. McInnes, of Thamesville, seconded it. Mr. Gilmore, of Blenheim, was opposed to it, as he thought that the Presbytery needed Mr. Ross.

Dr. Battisby—I am not in favor of it. No pastor should leave his congregation for six months' or for any length of time except, probably, in case of sickness or to visit foreign countries. Mr. Jamieson, smiling—The Presbytery should be consistent. If Mr. Ross had gone without asking the Presbytery nothing probably would have been said, and now that he does ask permission we talk against it. Mr. Tolmie recently went away and did not ask the Presbytery's consent. Mr. Ross, unlike Mr. Tolmie, is not going away for pleasure but to work in the mission fields.

Mr. Tolmie (interrupting)—Include Dr. Battisby with me. Dr. Battisby—I never left my charge for more than two months without asking the consent of the Presbytery, and I got it, too. You will find a record of it by referring to the minutes.

Mr. Tolmie—I would like the secretary to refer to the minutes. My recollection is that Dr. Battisby did not ask the permission of the Presbytery and I would like the secretary to refer to the minutes and look the matter up.

Mr. McQuarrie, the moderator, tried to proceed with the order of business and allow the matter to drop, but Mr. Tolmie insisted on looking the matter up in the minutes.

Dr. Battisby—I don't like to have my word doubted. I still make the statement that I did ask the Presbytery for leave of absence, and if it is not in the minutes it is not my fault.

Mr. Tolmie—Dr. Battisby said it

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was in the minutes and my recollection was that it was not, so I merely asked that the minutes be referred to.

The minutes, however, were not referred to and the next order of business was taken up.

The Presbytery was still in session this afternoon.

Killed Thirteen Cattle.

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—Twenty-five cattle in the yards at Buckingham awaiting shipment got loose Saturday night and strayed along the track. The C.P.R. Montreal local express for Ottawa ran into them, killing thirteen. The loss is estimated at \$500. The cattle belonged to an Ottawa drover. The train was delayed for an hour.

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