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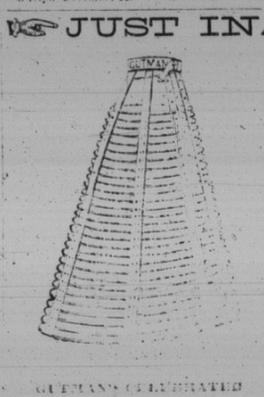
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**Evening Mercury.**  
WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 24, 1869.

**Presbytery of Guelph.**  
Rev. Mr. Smith, of Galt, charged with teaching Unsound Doctrine.

An adjourned meeting of the Presbytery of Guelph, in connection with the Canada Presbyterian Church, was held at Knox's Church, Guelph, on Tuesday, for the purpose of considering a petition presented at the previous meeting, signed by two of the elders and four of the members of Knox's Church, Galt, in which it was charged that the Rev. J. K. Smith, pastor of that church, had affirmed and taught unsound doctrine. Owing to the stormy day and the state of the roads, eight or nine of the ministers in the Presbytery were absent. As the matter had created no small stir in Galt, a large number of people (nearly two hundred, among whom were quite a number of ladies) were present, and evinced great interest in the proceedings. The Rev. Robt. Torrance was appointed Moderator *pro tem*, and opened the proceedings with religious exercises.

For the better understanding of the case, we may state that the present difficulty in Knox's Church congregation, Galt, grew out of the revival which has been going on in that town, and particularly in that congregation, for some time past. The movement commenced through the preaching and speaking of a young revivalist named Douglas Russell, lately from Scotland. Mr. Smith entered cordially into the movement, and in conjunction with Mr. Russell who had been invited by the church to hold meetings in his church, religious services were held almost nightly, which were followed, as some thought with the best results, while others doubted the genuineness of the work, and by and by expressed their open and decided objection to some of the sentiments and teachings of Mr. Smith and Mr. Russell. This led to the forming of the petition, which we now proceed to give, and which, it will be seen, contains charges of a specific character in regard to the doctrine held and inculcated by Mr. Smith at these meetings.

The clerk read the petition, which is as follows:  
To the Guelph Presbytery of the Canada Presbyterian Church.  
We, the undersigned, members of Knox's Church, Galt, beg to bring to the notice of your Reverend body the fact that for some months back doctrines have been taught and inculcated by the Pastor of this church, which are so Morristonian and so diametrically opposed to the standards and general character of government of the Canada Presbyterian Church, that we cannot conscientiously adhere to this church as Presbyterians if the views held and inculcated by the Rev. J. K. Smith, Galt, are considered as the correct tenets of your body, but believing as we do that your Presbytery are unacquainted with what has been going on in your church, we beg leave to lay before you the correct position of affairs in some of the statements made by and wholly endorsed by the Rev. J. K. Smith.

1st. That a man unless he believes and saves himself should not pray; that before he saved he has no warrant to pray for anything; that he is to quit his praying, as he praying reading of the Bible, and church going are foolishness, and they the unconverted might take them all and roll them in a bundle and cast them away.

2nd. That the drawing overboard of the Confession of Faith, the Larger and Shorter Catechisms, and the vital doctrines contained therein, with the statement that doctrines would never save any soul, but were only stumbling blocks in the way.

3rd. That Mr. Smith has fostered, encouraged and endorsed everything, or nearly so, that has been said by a person called Douglas Russell, who is an avowed Plymouth Brother, taking him and his doctrines into our church and endorsing the same as his own, and that he has been stirred within me as I listened to the gospel as it has been presented by my dear brother this night.

4th. The occasion of these words uttered by the Rev. J. K. Smith, as stated in the petition, was the following, demanding an answer of the members of the town, who were assembled to pray before a table, and with the weakest faith the sinner may come acceptably to the throne of grace. The burden of the teaching of the subject of prayer has been that, as a proof of self-righteousness, prayer must be given up in the same way as faith itself is not to be made the ground of the sinner's confidence before God, but looking with sinners in the great matter of their personal salvation, they have not been directed to go away to the performance of any duty but to come to God, as they are, to Christ, and that the first duty of the sinner is to believe in the Lord Jesus Christ to the salvation of his soul.

In reference to head No. 2, I beg to state that so far as known to me, no reference has been made in these evangelistic services to the Confession of Faith and subordinate standards of our church—certainly none of a disparaging nature, which assuredly I would not have allowed to pass without remark if made by another. As to the statement that we have taught a doctrine that says that we may never be saved, I can say that I accept that as a truth, though I can scarcely imagine that any such statement was ever made by me or any other, as I would have been holding the common sense of any man in very low estimate to suppose that he would inculcate doctrines of themselves, without personal belief in them, could save any soul. As to the statement that we have taught that doctrines are only a stumbling block in the way, I beg to say that nothing was ever said against doctrines as such, but against the trusting in doctrinal knowledge and intellectual acquaintance with Gospel truths, as a ground of offence before God.

In reference to head No. 3, I beg to state that after being satisfied that the religious movement going on in Galt was a work of God, after attending several of the evangelistic services which were being held, after personal conference with Mr. Russell as to the points of truth taught at these services, and after seeing testimonials of the most satisfactory description by his moral character

and evangelistic work in Scotland, I cordially invited him to carry on evangelistic services in Knox's church; and that we have been closely associated in these services for many weeks; and I beg to state that this Presbytery that I thoroughly approve of the drift and burden of his teaching on the great matter of salvation for sinners through faith in the justifying righteousness of the Lord Jesus Christ; that I cheerfully recognize him and his co-labourer, Mr. Carroll, as sent by God to accomplish a great spiritual work in our community; that they have set forth with clearness, plainness, boldness and earnestness the grand fundamental doctrines of the gospel of Jesus Christ; and that having seen the stamp of God upon the labors of these evangelists, and the seal of His Spirit upon their earnestness and unflinching zeal in striving to win souls to Christ; I cannot but bear my humble testimony, as I now do before God, to the self-denying and successful evangelistic labors of these beloved brethren. Hundreds upon hundreds in Galt, its neighborhood, and other places will I am persuaded, rise up to call these men blessed at the great day of the Lord's coming. I may state that Mr. Russell disclaimed when he came to Galt, and still disclaims any connection with the Plymouth Brethren or any denomination; Acting on the principle of Richard Weaver and other evangelists in the mother country, that by holding no denominational relations he will probably encounter less opposition and prejudice in his evangelistic labors.

In reference to the statements made by Mr. Russell in an address at one of the evangelistic services, reflecting upon the attitude of ministers in Galt towards this work of God, I beg to state that I made no reference whatever to these statements, either in the way of approving of, or condemning them, in any remarks which I made at the close of Mr. Russell's address. I may add that I still feel, as I do when the remarks referred to fell from Mr. Russell's mouth, that while I do not certainly have made the statements myself, I have nothing to say either in the way of justifying or condemning them, but leave the whole matter to Him who, as between man and man, can alone judge righteous judgment.

5th. The statements made under this head being absolutely indefinite need no reply. I may however, state to the Presbytery that in these evangelistic services there has been no discussion of any doctrinal questions, but the reiterated statement of the gospel way of salvation in the simplest terms. Somewhere about fifty laymen and laymen of different evangelical churches have spoken at these meetings and all have presented the same gospel. That every word that has dropped from the mouth of speakers has been in every instance perfectly guarded against any possible misconception, it might be too much to say, but I am fully persuaded that the great burden of all the teaching for these months past has been in perfect accordance with the gospel of Jesus Christ, and with the standards of our Canada Presbyterian Church.

Signed J. K. SMITH,  
Pastor Knox's Church, Galt,  
Galt, February 22nd, 1869.

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The circulation of the Daily and Weekly MERCURY is MORE THAN DOUBLE that of any paper published in Guelph or west of Toronto.

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Salaries of Country Postmasters.

An agitation in favor of allowing postmasters in rural districts more liberal salaries than they enjoy at present, is being carried on in some of the journals of the Province.

REV. MR. DUFF'S RESIGNATION.—The Presbytery of Guelph at their meeting on Tuesday had under consideration the resignation of the Rev. Mr. Duff, as pastor of Knox's Church, Elora.

MR. PUNSON'S LECTURES.—The London Advertiser says: "Mr. Punson is doing an excellent work by his lectures in educating Canadian sentiment to a higher appreciation of the good, the noble, and the true."

THE HANTS EXERCISES.—Mr. Howe's hard work. The meeting at Burlington on Friday was strongly against him, and it would seem as if the chances were pretty evenly balanced.

A JUDGE IN CLAY COUNTY, N. H.—The Dominion Ministry will refuse the proposed charter terms. In a recent speech in England, Mr. Howe's triumph returned.

THE CANADA FARMER for the 15th of February has received, replete with reliable information to our agriculturalists, only \$1 per annum.

FATHERS OF BROWN'S BARR.—We learn from the Toronto papers that W. R. Brown & Co. brokers and money changers, failed yesterday morning.

THE OTCAWA TRAMP.—A good deal of talk is being had in Guelph about the Ottawa tramp, who is reported to have been seen in the city.

Church Opening at Hawksville.

The new Canada Presbyterian church just erected in the village of Hawksville was opened for divine service on Sabbath last. It was built by the Presbyterian congregation which is ministered to by the Rev. Mr. Graham, of Conestogo.

THE WAR WITH PARAGUAY.

The heroic Paraguayans, with their more than heroic commander, Lopez, have been at last overcome by the force of numbers. The last detailed accounts from the seat of war in Paraguay confirm the previous reports of the utter defeat of Lopez and his forces.

THE GUELPH POLICE COURT.

A conviction was held this (Wednesday) morning in the court, consequent upon a charge preferred against Mr. W. H. Howe by a brother ship named S. S. Howe, of assault. His worship first offered up the usual toast on these occasions of "guilty or not guilty," and called upon Mr. Howe to respond.

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NEWSPAPERS

NEWSPAPERS.—Gov. Macgavie having referred to Confederation in his speech to the Legislature of Newfoundland, that body replied that they would give their entire attention to the necessities of the island.

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American Despatches

St. Louis, Feb. 23.—The fight between Sallagher and Allen came off to-day, and resulted in favor of Sallagher after three rounds had been fought.

New York, Feb. 24.—The steamer India from Glasgow arrived this morning. The Havana special says, 3,000 Spanish troops leave here to-morrow for the interior.

Dr. Chandler of the Board of Health yesterday analyzed the adulterated milk seized a day or two ago, and by the aid of a microscope, discovered sights in the water used, that the Board does not feel justified in allowing the public to know at present.

The Scottish American Journal.—Mr. Neil K. Bain, the travelling agent of the Scottish American Journal is now on a tour through the North Western section of Canada.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

COLLISON HOUSE. GUELPH, Feb. 24, 1893. Joe Chenet, agent for Cool Burgess' Minstrels; A Lindsay, Montreal; J. H. Galt; J. H. Rutherford, Galt; R. Marshall, Galt; W. Young, Galt; D. Spiers, Galt; H. C. Wright, Toronto; J. W. Mealy, Montreal; B. Michael, Toronto; J. W. Sifton, Oil Springs; R. W. Forsyth, W. A. Russell, Mount Forest; Miss Conway, Toronto; Mr. Webster, Dundas; A. G. H. Smith, Montreal; E. Leslie, Orangeville; Mrs. Geo. Iowa; C. G. O'Connell, Lower Canada, Iowa.

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Jeannie trembled violently, her colour came and went, and with a sudden burst of tears she flung her arms round her friend's neck, exclaiming—

"God help me, Mary, I do not know what I feel!" sobbed Jeannie, hiding her face in the other's bosom.

"My poor, artless, guileless one," said Miss Wilson, bending down and tenderly kissing her forehead, "what is coming about is so natural that your nature must have been changed for the worse if the affections of your heart had not opened towards one so worthy of your love as Mr. Denman. But think of the hopelessness, of the wrongfulness, of cherishing such feelings. Remember that you have promised to become the wife of Sir Fergus Sinclair."

"I never knew the truth till now," murmured Jeannie. "I have felt very deeply since Mr. Denman came amongst us, but till this moment I did not discover the nature of my feelings. I never thought of love, never dreamed of it either on his side or mine. Oh, Mary, believe me when I say so."

"I do believe you, my darling. Nay, it needed not your assertion to convince me of it, for well do I know the purity, the innocence, the honour of your nature. I feel that the blame that is lies with me, for I saw the danger that no one else saw and had not the courage to point it out till now, woe alas, it is too late to prevent much bitter evil. Heaven forgive me, Jeannie, and Heaven help you and William Denman to bear the pain in store for you."

"My secret is safe with you, Mary. I know you will not betray me," murmured the maiden, lifting her anguished face to the fearful face of her friend.

"Yes, you know it, darling," whispered Miss Wilson in reply. "It needs not that I should give you an assurance of it. But now you see how much better it would be for Mr. Denman to leave the home and go to lodge with Mrs. Carrick."

"Oh, Mary, I am wretched, wretched, wretched Jeannie, who had not the state of her truly revealed to her and knew how truly and deeply she loved William Denman. Till now, no shadow had clouded her life, no trouble had disturbed her peace. Her existence hitherto had been one bright, calm experience. Through circumstances, she had but skimmed the surface of her being, depths either of joy or sorrow had never been stirred; but now the fountain was to be broken up, and Jeannie Sinclair was to know sore and trying sorrow."

It had all come in a moment. "Since her intercourse with William Denman began, she had experienced a strange, sweet delight—a thrill of delicious pleasure, the nature of which she never once thought of trying to discover. Had the thought presented itself that she was falling into the arms of love, she would have started and fled, she would have gained the brink, and turned away from the enchanted gift with a sigh of regret produced by the discovery that her late excitement had plunged into its delicious depths. She was already betrothed—a wife in promise—and could therefore not in honour indulge thoughts of love towards William Denman. But with unsuspecting simplicity she had slid into the deep, and only awoke to a knowledge of the truth when her heart was no longer her own."

In one hour she had passed from pleasure to deepest pain, from serenity to wretchedness, from her girlish ignorance of grief through the portals and into the dark house of human anguish. And all this from the discovery that she loved William Denman with a love that was forbidden, for she was betrothed to Sir Fergus Sinclair."

In view of all this, realising all this, who can wonder at the wall being repeated by her aching heart—

"Oh, Mary, I am wretched, wretched!" "My poor girl, I know you are, returned Miss Wilson, in a broken voice. "This is your first trial, and it is a sore one. Heaven give you strength to bear and fully overcome it."

"What is to be done?" asked Jeannie with a helpless look.

"One thing is clear, dear, Mr. Denman must be made aware of your engagement to Sir Fergus Sinclair. It would be cruel to keep him longer in ignorance of it."

"What will he think of me?" asked the other. "In his eyes I must appear a mean, miserable flirt, a heartless coquet, a thing without feeling, and incapable of affection. Oh, I shall sink beneath the weight of it."

"Do not entertain such ideas," returned her friend. "Mr. Denman is too just, too generous, to impute to you such unworthy motives. He will wish, I feel, to see you and give you the pain of an explanation; save him, perchance, the humiliation of making an avowal which must be met by a repulsive denial."

"No, Mary," was the answer. "This small not be. I will not be so cowardly. I will be just both to William and myself, and give him a frank and true explanation, will never effort it may cost me."

"I am glad to see you so brave and resolute, my darling. I am inclined to reproach myself for bringing this pain on you, but still—yet it were better so, I feel, and you will feel it too, when all is past."

"When all is past, returned Jeannie, "I am fully satisfied. An yes, when all is past, I feel that I have never been so happy as I am now."

"Time is a great healer, Jeannie. I have experienced that," murmured Mary. "I have known grief and pain, and feel that time as it flows, has healed the wounds. But those happy years in the strath have mitigated my sorrow, and I must be content with what I have."

Jeannie sadly shook her head. "Miss Wilson might be speaking what was true, but it was too soon for her to say so."

With a sigh and a tearful glance she turned her friends part for the night, and Jeannie laid herself on her sleepless couch—depressed for the first time in the course of her happy, innocent life.

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The books are selected from the best authors, and are of the highest quality. They are arranged in a convenient and accessible manner, and are ready for the use of the public at all times. The subscriber trusts that this library will be found to be a most valuable and interesting acquisition to the community.

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JOHN HOGG,  
Feb. 3, 1869. Golden Lion, Guelph.

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R. RUTHERFORD.  
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200 barrels Goderich and Onondago Salt.

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